

**Texas 4-H & Youth Development  
District 10 4-H Program**



November 22, 2021

**MEMO TO:** District 10 Agents

**SUBJECT:** District 10 Dairy Judging, Horse Judging, and Consumer Decision Making Contests

<b><u>Contest</u></b>	<b><u>Date</u></b>	<b><u>Location and Check-In Time</u></b>	<b><u>Committee</u></b>
<b>Dairy Judging</b>	<b>February 10, 2022</b>	<b>San Antonio Stock Show &amp; Rodeo – Cattle Barn Arena Registration: 8:00am (Must check-in with both SALE and District) Contest: 9:00am</b>	<b>Troy Luepke -Chair Caroline Weyerts – Co-Chair</b>
<b>Horse Judging</b>	<b>February 14, 2022</b>	<b>San Antonio Stock Show &amp; Rodeo – Freeman Coliseum Registration: 7:30 am (Must check-in with both SALE and District) Contest: 8:30am</b>	<b>Jennifer Smith – Chair Hilary Putrite – Co-Chair Jeff Hanselka Jason Mangold</b>
<b>Consumer Decision Making</b>	<b>February 19, 2022</b>	<b>San Antonio Livestock Exposition – Cattle Barn Loft Registration: 8:00am (Must check-in with both SALE and District) Contest: 9:00am</b>	<b>Natalie Cervantes -Chair Mellanie Mickelson - Co-Chair Molly Flores Sayako Seymour</b>

## **REGISTRATION:**

There are two steps in registering for the Dairy Judging, Horse Judging, and the Consumer Decision Making Contests. Since our District contest will be held in conjunction with the SALE contests, counties will need to register **twice** as outlined below.

1. **Complete San Antonio Stock Show registration through County Extension Office by December 1, 2021.** Teams MUST be registered for the SALE contest in order to participate in the District 10 contest. **If you do not complete this step you cannot participate in the respective District 10 4-H contest.** Counties may set an earlier deadline for entry so be sure and promote the County Deadline for entry for SALE. **When coaches/teams come to the actual contest and complete the entry form for SALE, each child's social security number is REQUIRED!!! Don't forget to bring those with you!**
2. **Complete District 10 registration through 4-HOnline by Monday, January 17, 2022 (entries will be open on January 3, 2022).** Be sure to click on the appropriate contest in 4-HOnline to register. Each member of the team must register individually. **There will be a charge of \$5 per individual to enter the District Contest.** For SALE Contest rules check <http://www.sarodeo.com>

## **GENERAL RULES FOR ALL THREE CONTESTS AT SAN ANTONIO:**

### **Team Age Divisions:**

Age Division categories are different for the San Antonio Livestock Show (by *age*) and District 10 4-H (by *grade*). We want to make sure youth participate on the correct teams. It is important to double check your entries prior to submission. AT CHECK-IN the Contest Committees will be verifying teams to make sure they are correct for both SALE & District. **Please note that there is a chance that District results will be delayed for tabulation.**

### **Substitutions:**

All substitutions for District 10 **MUST COME FROM THE AGENT**. If an agent is not present at the contest to make last minute substitutions, you need to contact **Michael Haynes/respective committee chair** to make a substitution for your county. No changes can be made to the teams after check-in with the Contest Committee.

**\*\*\*Teams, who have won at State and judged at the National Contest, are ineligible to compete in the District Contest.\*\*\***

### **What To Bring:**

- Clipboard
- Several sharpened pencils with good erasers
- Blank paper for taking notes on classes
- Social Security Number to put on SALE registration form!!! REQUIRED!!!

If you have any questions about the Dairy Judging, Horse Judging, or Consumer Decision Making Contest, please contact the respective committee chair of the District Committee.

## **INFORMATION FOR INDIVIDUAL CONTESTS:**

### **Dairy Judging:**

The State Dairy Judging Contest will be held on January 16, 2022 at 7:30 a.m. at the Ft. Worth Livestock Show. Contestants must register for the contest through the Ft. Worth entry system by December 1st. All teams may enter the State Contest. For more information on registration visit <http://texas4-h.tamu.edu/wp-content/uploads/2019DairyJudging.pdf>

We will hold a **non-qualifying** Dairy Judging Contest following the State Contest on February 10<sup>th</sup> in conjunction with the SALE Contest. There are two steps in registering this Contest.

There will be a total of six (6) classes. Participants will be using scantrons to record their placing. Scantrons will be provided by SALE. There is only ONE AGE DIVISION for the SALE Dairy Judging Contest. Therefore, all District 10 teams will enter the same age division. (see details below under team designation). There will be two (2) sets of questions for the SALE contest and no reasons classes.

The Dairy Judging Contest will be held in Cattle Barn on the SALE Grounds. Registration for Dairy Judging will be from 8:00-9:00 a.m. and the contest will begin at 9:00 a.m.

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### **Consumer Decision Making:**

#### **CONTEST RESOURCES:**

The Contest will follow the Texas 4-H Consumer Decision Making Contest Rules and Guidelines. ***Study materials to be used will be whatever resources are available on the website below on December 1, 2021.*** Consumer Decision Making resources can be found at: <https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/projects/consumer-education/>

#### **AGE DIVISIONS:**

There will be three (3) age divisions for the 4-H part of the contest. 4-H members must meet the age requirements as of August 31, 2021.

- Juniors – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade (and 8 years old) – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade
- Intermediates – 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade
- Seniors – 9<sup>th</sup>- 12<sup>th</sup> Grade

***For D-10 4-H Placings/Qualifying for State: A junior 4-H member may move up and compete as an intermediate. However, an Intermediate may not move down to judge as a junior and may not move up to compete as a senior.***

**DATE, TIME & LOCATION:** The Consumer Decision Making Contest will be held in Cattle Barn (Loft) on the SALE Grounds. Registration for Consumer will be from 8:00-9:00 a.m. and the contest will begin at 9:00 a.m.

**NUMBER OF ENTRIES:**

Counties may enter as many teams in each age division in the Contest. Individuals may also enter in each age division.

**CONTEST CLASSES AND REASONS:**

There will be a total of six (6) classes. Participants will be using scantrons to record their placings. Scantrons will be provided by SALE. Juniors will place classes with no reasons, Intermediates will give 1 set of reasons and Seniors will give 2 sets of reasons. Five classes will come from the study materials available on December 1, 2021 on

<https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/projects/consumer-education/>

and one mystery class (*not covered in the study materials*).

**TEAM DESIGNATION:**

There are three age divisions for the SALE Consumer Judging Contest. Therefore, all District 10 teams will enter the appropriate age division. Teams will be designated for the SALE contest at registration. For the breakdown of age divisions, please see page 227 of the SALE Premium List:

<https://www.sarodeo.com/p/competitive-events/contests>

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**Horse Judging:**

There will be a total of four (4) performance classes and (2) halter classes. Scantrons will be provided by SALE. There will be three (3) questions classes for seniors and two (2) sets of questions for Juniors for the SALE contest. BUT our District Contest requires that seniors give reasons so we will conduct reasons on one (1) performance class and one (1) halter class while tabulation is being completed for the SALE contest.

The Horse Judging Contest will be held in the Freeman Coliseum on the SALE Grounds. Registration for Horse Judging will be from 7:30-8:30 a.m. and the contest will begin at 8:30 a.m.

**Team Designation:**

Teams will be designated for the SALE contest at registration. There are only two age divisions at SALE for the HORSE JUDGING. DISTRICT Junior and Intermediate Teams must register for the SALE horse judging contest as juniors to be eligible for District awards. Please remember that in District competition, juniors may move up to be an intermediate, but intermediates may NOT move down to a junior team or up to a senior team. The District Age Divisions are as follows: 4-H members must meet the age requirements as of August 31, 2021.

- Juniors – 3rd – 5th Grade
- Intermediates – 6th – 8th Grade
- Seniors – 9th- 12th Grade

**NUMBER OF ENTRIES:**

Counties may enter as many teams in each age division in the Contest. Individuals may also enter in each age division.