

Red River Valley Classic Series

The Red River Valley Fair Association Livestock Committee will be hosting a five show point series for exhibitors that come to our shows in Paris, Texas at the Lamar County Fairgrounds for 2018.

2018 Show Series Dates

March 31st – RRV Spring Classic Show
June 16th – RRV Showing with the Stars Classic Night Show
August 25th – RRV Back-to-School Classic Night Show
September 29th – 2018 Red River Valley Fair
November 17th – RRV Fall Classic Show

RRV Point System Rules:

Breeding Beef Heifers – Market Steers – Breeding Gilts – Market Swine
Wether Dam – Market Lambs – Wether Doe – Market Goats

- ✓ No Membership Fee
- ✓ Not TJLA Sanctioned
- ✓ You DO NOT have to attend all 5 shows
- ✓ Points will be awarded for each show separately
- ✓ End-of-year point winners will receive prizes after our Fall Classic Show totals are calculated.
- ✓ Awards for Overall Exhibitor in each of these: steer, heifer, goat, lamb, & swine
- ✓ Awards for Overall Showmanship in each of these: cattle, goat, lamb, & swine

Class Placing Point System for all species:

1st – 20 points
2nd – 18 points
3rd – 16 points
4th – 14 points
5th – 12 points

Heifer Point System:

In addition to class points, heifer exhibitors may earn:

Breed Grand Champion – 10 points
Reserve Breed Champion – 5 points

Division Grand Champion – 10 points
Reserve Division Champion – 5 points

Overall Grand Champion – 10 points
Reserve Overall Champion – 5 points

Showmanship Information:

Age Divisions: Pee Wee – 8 and under * Junior – 9 to 13 years of age * Senior – 14 and up

- ❖ Age will be determined as of first show date on March 31, 2018 and you will stay in that division for the 2018 year in showmanship points.

Showmanship Placing Point System:

- 1st – 25 points
- 2nd – 20 points
- 3rd – 15 points
- 4th – 10 points
- 5th – 5 points

- ❖ Every participant in showmanship will receive 5 points for entering the ring
- ❖ Top 5 showman will be placed in each age division at each show

“Top 5” Shows

If we get enough buckle sponsors to have a show with Top 5 Buckles in each species, these points will be used for those shows only:

- Supreme Overall Champion = 25 points
- Reserve Overall Champion = 20 points
- 3rd Overall = 15 points
- 4th Overall = 10 Points
- 5th Overall = 5 Points

(March 31st is NOT a Top 5 Show)

General Rules

1. At the discretion of the show committee, these rules can be altered if the situation arises.
2. If the shows are a huge success, the committee reserves the right to add more awards for our exhibitors.
3. Exhibitors must be a legal 4-H or FFA member in good standing. Excluding Pee Wee Age exhibitors.
4. No “swapping” of cattle from exhibitor to exhibitor to show in showmanship with the exception of Pee Wee exhibitors borrowing an animal for showmanship. Ex: A heifer shown in Jr. Showmanship may not be shown in Sr. Showmanship. Points will be removed if this occurs for both exhibitors.
5. Points will be upload within one week of each show to the RRV Fair Classic Series Facebook Page.
6. All point discrepancies must be filed within 30 days of the show if there is a problem.
7. Heifer classes will be broken as fairly as possible with no more than a four-month age break. Heifers must be not older than 30 months old. All heifers over 24 months of age will show in one class together.
8. Cattle Shows will be Blow & Go.
9. Swine – no boars allowed over 125 pounds at any show.
10. **UPDATED 3/26/18** - Heifer Show Breeds – 3 head will constitute a breed – If there are not 3 head in a breed, you will show ABC, AOB British, or AOB/ORB Exotic according to your division. AOB breeds will show by Date of Birth.
11. **UPDATED 3/26/18** - Commercial Heifers will show by weight in Commercial – American or Commercial – AOB.

12. Anyone can sponsor a buckle for any of our shows for \$100. You will receive a sponsorship packet to our 2018 RRV Fair in September for your donation with free passes and materials. You will also receive free advertisement in all RRV Fair brochures.
13. Exhibitors and guests of the RRV Fair Classic Series should maintain an ethical and moral respect for their animals and other exhibitors, judges, RRV Staff, or guest at our shows.
14. RRV Fair Association Livestock Committee reserves the right to make decisions at each show that are importance for our exhibitors.
15. When more rules are added at the discretion of the committee, they will be reposted as an updated copy. The most updated copy will be the one to follow at the next show.