

June 2003

"DADDY'S CHAMPION"

He said, "Daddy, I'm scared," and he trembled As the announcer called for the class. I said, "Son, just go out and do your best. That's all your Daddy can ask."

"That calf and you are special and together you make a team. Just go out and show like two champions and just maybe you'll fulfill your dream."

"If you win we'll both be so happy, but if you lose, may we both understand that, Son, you are still a champion and one step closer to being a man." --Le Wiley Burch

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DATES TO REMEMBER...

-Entries due for State 4-H Horse Judging, Hippology, Individual Visual Presentation, Team Demostration Contest, Public Speaking, and Horse Bowl
-District 4-H Horse Shows - Starkville, Greenville, Jackson, Hattiesburg
-State 4-H Horse Show
-Neshoba State Fall Dairy Show - Philadelphia
-Newton State Fall Dairy Show - Newton
-Deadline for ownership of all animals showing at the 2003 MS State Fair
-Regional 4-H Horse Show – Perry, GA
-NE Mississippi State Fall Dairy Show – Verona
-Columbia State Fall Dairy Show - Columbia -2003 MS State Fair

► FALL LIVESTOCK SHOWS

The fall livestock show season is just around the corner with county fairs across the state, starting July. Now is the time to be getting everything in order. Be sure beef and dairy cattle registration papers are in order (original copy in 4-H'ers name, etc.). Remind your 4-H'ers about the various management practices needed in preparation for the show and health regulations. Also, remind them that different shows may have slight differences in their rules and regulations. Attached is a calendar of livestock shows, dates and contact persons that I have.

► SPRING LIVESTOCK SHOWS

It's not too early to be thinking about spring shows. Now is the time to be determining additional needs for spring shows (numbers, species, breeds, etc.) and be locating them.

▶ RED ANGUS BREED SHOWING AT FAIR AND ROUND-UP

Due to the change in the minimum number required for a breed to have its own classification being reduced to 10, Red Angus will have its own classification at the 2003 State Fair and 2004 Round-Up.

▶ REMINDER – NOMINATION OF MARKET LAMBS, MARKET GOATS AND STEERS

All market lambs and steers in the 2003 spring district shows and Dixie National Round-Up Show must be nominated and nose printed by August 15, 2003. **You must submit 2 clear nose prints on each animal nominated.** Also, market goats must be nominated by October 15, 2003. At the present time, we are not nose printing goats. Order forms for lamb, steer, and goat ear tags, nose print cards, and nomination forms will be mailed to you soon. Ear tags are ordered and should be arriving around the first of July.

▶ DIXIE YOUTH LIVESTOCK CAMP

This camp will be held at the Hinds Community College - Ted Kendall Ag Complex in Raymond, Mississippi, on July 23rd - 25th. Instructors will teach showmanship, fitting and grooming, and leadership skills geared toward junior livestock exhibitors in the beef cattle, market lamb, and market goat programs. Cost of the camp is \$150 per person. For more information, call Lisa Whatley (601-857-3351) or Kipp Brown (662-237-6926)

▶ 4-H CONTEST AT STATE 4-H HORSE SHOW

Entries for the state 4-H contests in horse judging, horse bowl, individual demonstration, team demonstration, public speaking, and hippology are due June 27, 2003. First place winners in all of these senior contests will comptete in the Western National 4-H Round-Up in Denver, CO, and the Southern Regional 4-H Horse Championships in Perry, GA.

▶ NOTICE!!! DRESSAGE PATTERN FOR THE STATE 4-H HORSE SHOW

We will use the 2003 Training Level, Test 4 at the State 4-H Horse Show and Southern Regional. Alert your exhibitors!

► 2003 4-H CLUB CONGRESS WINNERS

Sheep/Swine/Market Goat -1stSusanne Robertson, Rankin CountyVisual Demonstration2ndNicki Bramlett, Rankin County4 participants3rdCarrie Peoples, Leake County

Dairy Animal Visual Presentation - 3 participants		1 st 2 nd 3 rd	Saman	Aaron Conerly, Walthall County Samantha McCardle, Copiah County Kimberly Watson, Hinds County		opiah County	
Dairy Products Visual - Presentation 2 participants		1 st 2 nd	Tasha Brown, Oktibbeha County Taylor Barnett, Chickasaw County				
Meats Judging Contest - Winning Team - 21/5 participants/teams							
1 st	Jasper County Nikki Thornton Jeremy Phillips Morgan Sims Jonathan Phillips	2 nd	Ben Me Emily D Betsy N	Neshoba County Ben Melton Emily Deaton Betsy Morgan Reagan Melton		3 rd	Lee County Ashton Dillard Drew Poppelreiter Nicholas Simmons
Meats Judging Contest - Individual		l Winne	2 nd Jer		Jeremy	likki Thornton, Jasper County eremy Phillips, Jasper County lorgan Sims, Jasper County	
	Bowl Contest - Winni participants/teams	ng Tea	ms -				
1 st	Lincoln County Garrett May Betsy Haley Trey Hebert Danielle Huval	2 nd	Jonatha Jeremy Morgar	Jasper County Jonathan Phillips Jeremy Phillips Morgan Sims Nikki Thornton		3 rd	Neshoba County Paige Posey Jessie Wells Alex Deaton Robert Reed
	Bowl Contest - Winnin participants/teams	ng Tear	ns -				
1 st	Chickasaw County Taylor Barnett Casi Rhodes Hannah Johnson Kayla Burgess	2 nd	Hinds County Meredith Guider Susan Guider Emily Hunt Kimberley Watson		3 rd	Pontotoc County Lacy Douglas Erissa Mathis Justin Collums Jonathan Glover	
Dairy	Bowl Contest – Individ	dual Wi	inners -		1 st 2 nd 3 rd	Meredi	Barnett, Chickasaw County th Guider, Hinds County Guider, Hinds County
Dairy Products Judging - Winning Teams - 29/4 - participants/teams							
1 st	Tippah County Katese Black Brittany Irwin Tabitha Potts Brittany Rogers	2 nd	Arcenic	e Clark o Cooke ra Gools		3 rd	Holmes County Jessica Buchanan Shawanda Buchanan Alice Davis Monica March

3rd Samantha McCardle, Copiah County

Dairy Poster Contest Winners -

8-10 Years Old Division - 9 participants	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	Abigail Garbutt, Clay County Bridgette Becker, Pearl River County Cody Ladner, Tate County
11-13 Years Old Division - 18 participants	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	Megan Parks, Humphreys County DeAnna Word, Lee County Kinisha Akins, Harrison County
14-18 Years Old Division - 15 participants	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	Andrew Slocum, Tate County Ali Franklin, Scott County Beth Alexander, Newton County

▶ 2003 PROJECT ACHIEVEMENT DAYS WINNERS

SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

Beef/Sheep/Swine/Market Goat - Visual Presentation, Age 10-11 3 participants	Blue Ribbon - Rebecca Tynes, Pike County
Beef/Sheep/Swine/Market Goat - Visual Presentation, Age 12-14 3 participants	1 st Rebecca Tynes, Pike County 2 nd Clint Collins, Scott County 3 rd Ashley Lyle, Scott County
Dairy Animals/Dairy Foods - Visual Presentation, Age 10-11 4 participants	Blue Ribbons - Marley McCardle, Copiah County Alison Guider, Hinds County Alexis Wallace, Pike County Jace Conerly, Walthall County
Dairy Animals/Dairy Foods -	1 st Jennifer Williams, Hinds County
Visual Presentation, Age 12-14	2 nd Tyeshia Meeks, Scott County

Dairy Products Judging - Winning Teams

21/5 - participants/teams

2 participants

1^{st}	Hinds County	2 nd	Pike County	3 rd	Smith County
	Matt Albright		Erica Shafer		Isis Holloway
	Allison Guider		Haley Boles		Styrus Burks
	Williams Kazery		Britney Boles		Jalesa Nickson
	Jennifer Williams		Chantice Williams		Krystal Ellis

Dairy Products Judging - Individual Winners - 1st Chantice Williams, Pike County

2nd Matt Albright, Hinds County 3rd Kacy Mobley, Lincoln County

SOUTHEAST DISTRICT

Beef/Sheep/Swine -

Visual Presentation, Age 10-11

4 participants

Blue Ribbons - Shelby Steede, George County

Kele Clairmont, Jones County Daniel Burns, Lauderdale County

Dairy -Blue Ribbon -Paige Nicholson, Newton County

Visual Presentation, Age 10-11

1 participant

Horse -Blue Ribbons - Laura Shannon, Neshoba County

Visual Presentation, Age 10-11

6 participants

Morgan Mann, Covington County

Dairy Products Judging - Winning Team Jackson County -Kori Cabell

> Xavier Townsend Javon Bishhop Derwin McKey

Dairy Products Judging - Individual Winners - 1st Paige Nicholson, Newton County

2nd Kori Cabell, Jackson County 3rd Javon Bishop, Jackson County

NORTHWEST DISTRICT

1st Ravin Causey, Washington County Dairy -

Visual Presentation, Age 12-14

1 participant

Blue Ribbon - Allison Johnston, DeSoto County Horse -

Visual Presentation, Age 10-11

2 participants

1st Rachel Lentz, DeSoto County Horse -**Visual Presentation, Age 12-14** 2nd Ryan Johnston, DeSoto County

2 participants

Dairy Products Judging - Winning Teams

12/3 - participants/teams

2nd 1st3rd Washington County Holmes County **Humphreys County** Walter Roberts Colleen Harris Joshua Boykins Waunita Roberts Dominique Washington Megan Parks Jakeveyon Ballard Krystal Rucker Takenya Harrington

Avery Rucker LeRoy Myers Raven Causey

Dairy Products Judging - Individual Winners - 1st Jakeveyon Ballard, Washington County

2nd Colleen Harris, Washington County

3rd Walter Roberts, Holmes County

NORTHEAST DISTRICT

Beef/Sheep/Swine -Blue Ribbon -Brittany Moss, Prentiss County

Visual Presentation, Age 10-11

1 participant

Beef/Sheep/Swine -Visual Presentation, Age 12-14 1 participant 1st Audrie Foster, Pontotoc County

Dairy Animals/Dairy Foods - Visual Presentation, Age 12-14

2 participants

1st Katie Booth, Chickasaw County 2nd Jaylana Boone, Lee County

Horse -

Visual Presentation, Age 10-11

4 participants

Blue Ribbon - Price Walden, Prentiss County
Delice Turner, Union County

Kelly Lewis, Lafayette County Colby Hardin, Lafayette County

Horse - Visual Presentation, Age 12-14

2 participants

1st Cheyenne Stewart, Webster County

 3^{rd}

2nd Lela Dudley, Lee County

Dairy Products Judging - Winning Teams

12/3 - participants/teams

1st <u>Clay County</u> Tessaa Townsend Tiara Dismuke Ladonna Davidson Lee County April Goree Keneesha Gardner Jaylana Broome Kelvin Mare <u>Clay County</u> Sharday Westbrook Danyell Dismuke Keisha Davidson

Dairy Products Judging - Individual Winners - 1st Keisha Davidson, Clay County

 2^{nd}

2nd April Goree, Lee County 3rd Tiara Dismuke, Clay County

Sincerely yours,

Gale Chrestman, Extension 4-H Livestock Specialist

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Attachment 1 – 2003-2004 MS Livestock Shows Schedule

Attachment 2 - 2003 MS State Fair Schedule

2003-2004 Fairs and Livestock Shows (Contact County Extension Office for more details.)

(Contact County Extension Office 10.	
Pontotoc County Fair	July 18 - 26, 2003
Pontotoc, MS	
Neshoba County Fair & Livestock Show	July 25 - August 1, 2003
Philadelphia, MS	
Union County Fair & Livestock Show	July 28 - August 2, 2003
New Albany, MS	
Tippah County Fair & Livestock Show	July 26 - August 2, 2003
Ripley, MS	
Newton State Fall Dairy Show	July 31 - August 1, 2003
Newton, MS	5
Calhoun County Fair & Livestock Show	August 5 - 9, 2003
Pittsboro, MS	3,200
Pearl River County Open Beef Show	August 15 - 16, 2003
Poplarville, MS	1148451 15 10, 2005
Tri-State Fair	August 19 - 23, 2003
Corinth, MS	rugust 17 23, 2003
Franklin County Fair	August 20 - 23, 2003
Meadville, MS	August 20 - 23, 2003
Perry County Livestock Show	A
	August 22 - 23, 2003
New Augusta, MS	A
Scott County Livestock Show	August 29 - 30, 2003
Forest, MS	
North MS Regional Fair & Livestock Show	August 29 - 31, 2003
Verona, MS	September 5 - 6, 2003
Benton County Fair & Livestock Show	September 2 - 6, 2003
Ashland, MS	
Columbia State Fall Dairy Show	September 13, 2003
Columbia, MS	
Pearl River County Fair	September 15 - 20, 2003
Poplarville, MS	
Jasper County Invitational Livestock Show	September 19 - 20, 2003
Bay Springs, MS	
Tishomingo County Fair	September 25, 2003
Iuka, MS	
Simpson County Fall Livestock Show	September 26 - 27, 2003
Mendenhall, MS	
MS State Fair	October 3 - 12, 2003
Jackson, MS	,
South MS Fair/Livestock Show	October 13 - 19, 2003
Laurel, MS	15, 2005
Panola County Show	January 24, 2004
Batesville, MS	
Leflore County Show	Janaury 31, 2004
Greenwood, MS	validat y 51, 2001
NE District Livestock Show	January 29 - 31, 2004
Verona, MS	Junuary 27 - 31, 2004
NW District Livestock Show	January 29 - 31, 2004
Batesville, MS	January 29 - 31, 2004
Delta District Livestock Show	February 2 - 4, 2004
	1.501uary 2 - 4, 2004
Greenwood, MS	February 2 5 2004
SW District Livestock Show	February 2 - 5, 2004
Jackson, MS	1 20 E1 1 2004
SE District Livestock Show	January 30 - February 1, 2004
Hattiesburg, MS	
Dixie National Junior Round-Up	February 5 - 12, 2004
Jackson, MS	

2003 MISSISSIPPI STATE FAIR

Thursday, October 2, 2003

1:00 - 6:00 p.m. Stall and pen assignments for early arriving lambs, steers, breeding cattle. (All stall and pen assignments to be made

by show manager.)

Friday, October 3, 2003

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

Stall and pen assignments for lambs, steers and beef breeding cattle
12:00 Noon

Deadline for arrival of junior lambs, steers and beef breeding cattle

10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Process beef breeding entries (Livestock Office)

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Weigh and process market lambs and taking entries for Outstanding Shepherd Award

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Weigh and process steers

3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Weigh and process commercial heifers

4:00 p.m. Deadline for CORRECTIONS in Lamb Showmanship entries

5:00 p.m. MS Simmental/Simbrah Open Show

Saturday, October 4, 2003

8:00 a.m. State Senior 4-H & FFA Livestock Judging Contest - Expo Center 9:00 a.m. Deadline for CORRECTIONS in Beef Showmanship entries

9:00 a.m. Mule Pull Weigh-In - Barn 11

1:00 p.m. Mule Pull Contest - Multi-Purpose Arena

2:00 p.m. Junior Market Lamb Show - Judging Arena - <u>Lambs released after showing</u>

2:00 p.m. FFA Awards - Sales Arena

Sunday, October 5, 2003

7:00 a.m. Mississippi Angus Preview Show 8:00 a.m. Arrival of Junior and Senior Swine 9:00 a.m. Devotional Service - Sales Arena

10:00 a.m. Junior Cattlemen's Assn. Meeting - Sales Arena

11:00 a.m. Beef Showmanship - Judging Arena

12:00 Noon Deadline for arrival of Junior and Senior Swine 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Weigh and process Junior Market Swine

4:00 p.m. Deadline for CORRECTIONS in Swine Showmanship entries

6:00 p.m. Steer Show - Judging Arena (or immediately following Beef Showmanship) Steers released after showing.

Monday, October 6, 2003

8:30 a.m. Junior Beef Breeding Show - Judging Arena (commercial heifers first, followed by registered breeds)

Cattle released after showing.

10:00 a.m. Senior Swine Show - Swine Arena

1:00 p.m. Junior Market Hog Show - Swine Arena

4:00 p.m. Release all swine.

Tuesday, October 7, 2003

9:00 a.m. Stockdog Trials - West End Midway

6:00 p.m. Stockdog Trials - Barn 3

Wednesday, October 8, 2003

9:00 a.m. Stockdog Trials - West End Midway

Thursday, October 9, 2003 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Process dairy entries

12:00 Noon Deadline for arrival of junior and senior dairy cattle 1:00 p.m. Deadline for arrival of junior and senior dairy cattle Senior 4-H Dairy Judging Contest - Judging Arena

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Weigh commercial dairy heifers

Friday, October 10, 2003

9:00 a.m. Open Dairy Show - Judging Arena

10:30 a.m. 4-H Dairy Sweetheart & 4-H Market Goat Princess Contests – Expo Center

1:00 p.m. Deadline for CORRECTIONS in Dairy Showmanship entries

1:00 p.m.Holstein Futurity - Judging Arena1:30 p.m.Jersey Futurity - Judging Arena5:00 p.m.Deadline for arrival of junior market goats5:00 - 7:00 p.m.Weigh and process junior market goats

7:00 p.m. Special Dairy Classes

7:00 p.m. Deadline for CORRECTIONS in Market Goat Showmanship entries

7:30 p.m. Mississippi High School Rodeo - Expo Center 8:00 p.m. Arrival of Open Show dairy & meat goats

Saturday, October 11, 2003 -- 4-H DAY

8:30 a.m. Junior Dairy Cattle Show - Judging Arena (Pure Bred Dairy Show first, followed by Commercial Dairy Heifer Show)

9:00 a.m.Horse Pull Weigh-In - Barn 119:00 a.m.Junior High Rodeo - Expo Center9:00 a.m.Open & Youth Dairy Goat Show

9:00 a.m. Junior Market Goat Show - Barn 7 - Released after showing.

10:00 a.m. 4-H Beef and Pork Cookout Contest 12:00 Noon Horse Pull - Multi-Purpose Arena

4:00 p.m. <u>Release all dairy cattle</u>.

7:30 p.m. Mississippi High School Rodeo - Equine Center

Sunday, October 12, 2003

9:00 a.m. Dairy Goat Show - Barn 8 10:00 a.m. IBGA Sanctioned Goat Show

4:00 p.m. Release goats.