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"Courage is being scared to death but saddling up anyway." - John Wayne

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2007-2008 4-H/FFA Livestock Show Deadlines

		MS State F	air	District Shows	& Dixie Nati	ional Jr. Round-Up
	Ownership	Entry	Classification & Retinal Imaging	Ownership	Entry	Classification & Retinal Imaging
Commercial Beef Heifers	Sept 1 st	Sept 12 th	Sept 17 th – 21 st	Sept 1 st	Sept 12 th	Sept 17 th – 21 st
Market Steers	Sept 1 st	Sept 12 th	Sept 17 th – 21 st	Sept 1 st	Sept 12 th	Sept 17 th – 21 st
Market Lambs	Sept 1 st	Sept 12 th	Sept 17 th – 21 st	Sept 1 st	Sept 12 th	Sept 17 th – 21 st
Market Goats	Sept 1 st	Sept 12 th	Sept 17 th – 21 st	Sept 1 st	Sept 12 th	Sept 17 th – 21 st
Market Hogs	Sept 1st	Sept 12 th	N/A	Dec 1 st	Dec 12 th	Jan 31 st - Feb 1 st
Beef Breeding	Sept 1st	Sept 12 th	N/A	Dec 1 st	Dec 12 th	N/A
Dairy Cattle	Sept 1 st	Sept 12 th	N/A	Dec 1 st	Dec 12 th	N/A
Dairy Goats	Sept 1st	Sept 12 th	N/A	Dec 1 st	Dec 12 th	N/A

▶VOLUNTEER LEADERS MUST BE CERTIFIED

VOLUNTEER LEADERS WHO MAY BE HELPING YOUR 4-H'ERS GROOM ANIMALS MUST BE OFFICIALLY CERTIFIED VOLUNTEER LEADERS OF THE 4-H PROGRAM IN MISSISSIPPI. This means you must submit the names of these volunteers to the ADS Department (Elwanda Shook). Be sure to list the volunteer leaders who will be assisting your 4-H'ers with animals at the show. All parents that assist with animals should be signed up as volunteers.

▶ REMINDER: 4-H/FFA MEMBERS MUST BE ETHICS CERTIFIED TO SHOW LIVESTOCK!!

The Mississippi State Fair will be here soon, and if you have new exhibitors who have not completed Ethics Certification, you should provide this training for them before September 1st. The ethics material was emailed in mid-July. New exhibitors (after September 1st) that want to show in the District and Dixie National Junior Round-Up Livestock Shows must be ethics certified before December 1st.

► SENIOR 4-H LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST

The senior 4-H livestock judging contest will be held Saturday, October 6th, starting at 8:00 a.m. This contest will be held in conjunction with the FFA livestock judging contest. If there are youth that want to judge in both contests, their scores will be used in both contests (4-H and FFA). For example, a contestant can be a member of the Smith County 4-H team and also a member of the Taylorsville FFA. All contestants in the 2007 contest must be pre-registered by September 28, 2007. Send your info to glendaj@ext.msstate.edu.

A county may enter as many senior contestants in the contest as they desire. However, you must designate your teams, if you have more than enough contestants to fill one team (Example: Oktibbeha A Team and Oktibbeha B Team). Individuals may compete for individual awards.

The state winning senior 4-H Livestock Judging Team will represent Mississippi at the Western National 4-H Roundup in Denver, CO in January 2008.

►OFFICIAL HEALTH CERTIFICATE – REMINDER

An Official Health Certificate with each animal identified will be required on all livestock showing at the 2007 Mississippi State Fair. This includes all market animals, beef breeding cattle, commercial beef heifers, dairy cattle (purebred and commercial dairy heifers) and dairy goats.

►OPEN DAIRY GOAT AND MEAT GOAT ENTRIES FOR STATE FAIR

ENTRY FEES FOR THE YOUTH & OPEN SHOWS ARE \$5.00 PER ANIMAL PER CLASS. ENTRY FEES MUST BE PAID AT CHECK-IN. MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO MISSISSIPPI GOAT ASSOCIATION. EMAIL msgoatentries@bellsouth.net OR CALL TODD WILLIS AT 662-349-0119 TO REQUEST ENTRY FORM. THERE WILL BE A LATE FEE OF \$5.00 PER ANIMAL FOR ENTRIES RECEIVED AFTER THE POSTMARK OF FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2007 OR WEB ENTRIES BY 12:00 NOON ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11th. LATE FEES APPLY TO ANY ANIMAL NOT PREREGISTERED.

► MISSISSIPPI STATE FAIR PREMIUM BOOKS

Each county will receive 2 Mississippi State Fair Premium Books in the county packet as soon as they are available. A PDF file of the premium book will also be sent by email and posted on the MSUcares.com website under Livestock, 4-H Youth and 2007 MS State Fair Premium Book. Please make sure your exhibitors and parents have a copy of the rules for the shows in which they participate. A copy of the schedule of events is included in this newsletter.

▶DAIRY SWEETHEART CONTESTS AND MEAT GOAT PRINCESS CONTEST

A Junior and Senior Dairy Cattle Sweetheart, a Junior and Senior Dairy Goat Sweetheart, and a Junior and Senior Meat Goat Princess will be selected during the Mississippi State Fair. Winners will be selected based on poise, beauty, personality and knowledge of their project. The top 3 of each division will receive awards. Rules and regulations concerning the contest are found in the Mississippi State Fair catalog. Please have the entries to our office by September 28, 2007. Please encourage your girls enrolled in dairy and goat projects to enter this year.

►OUTSTANDING SHEPHERD AWARD AT STATE FAIR

Individual exhibitors or county groups can enter. Competition will be based on (1) creativity, (2) educational value of exhibit, (3) attractiveness of exhibit and (4) cleanliness of pens and exhibit area. The Mississippi Junior Sheep Association will sponsor this award which goes to an exhibitor or county group that maintains the most outstanding stall area and educational exhibit. Judging will be from 5:00 p.m. on Friday, October 5, to 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 6, 2007. The winner will be announced during the Junior Sheep Show. Contestants and county groups should register at the weigh-in Friday afternoon and pick up their exhibitor number.

► COMMERCIAL HEIFER AND MARKET STEER EXHIBITORS – SPECIAL NOTICE!

Check with your 4-H/FFA exhibitors that are exhibiting steers and commercial beef and dairy heifers about **horns**. All commercial heifers and steers showing at the Mississippi State Fair and District and Dixie National Junior Round-Up Livestock Shows must be polled or dehorned with no scurs or re-growth to exceed 1½ inches above the skin line. Remember the minimum weight on commercial heifers is **500** pounds for the Mississippi State Fair.

►MARKET GOAT EXHIBITORS – SPECIAL NOTICE!

Check with your 4-H/FFA exhibitors who are exhibiting market goats about horns. Goats may be shown that are polled, dehorned, or disbudded with no re-growth to exceed 1½" above the skin line. Removal of horns is not allowed on the show grounds. Remember the minimum weight of market goats is <u>40</u> pounds with no maximum weight for the Mississippi State Fair.

► MARKET LAMB EXHIBITORS – SPECIAL NOTICE!

Remember the minimum weight of market lambs is **70** pounds with no maximum weight for the Mississippi State Fair.

► MARKET HOG EXHIBITORS – SPECIAL NOTICE!

Remember the minimum weight of market hogs is **200** pounds with no maximum weight for the Mississippi State Fair.

►COMMERCIAL DAIRY HEIFER EXHIBITORS – SPECIAL NOTICE!

Remember the minimum weight of commercial dairy heifers is **200** pounds for the Mississippi State Fair.

▶2007 DISTRICT 4-H SHOW SUMMARY

Agents, volunteers, parents, and 4-H'ers are to be commended for conducting four outstanding District Shows. Thanks to all of you that made this a great year.

		Horses	Entries	Counties
District	4-H'ers	Exhibited	Shown	Participating
NE	172 (193)	291 (326)	791 (927)	19 (19)
NW	96 (99)	165 (160)	385 (485)	14 (13)
SE	209 (211)	337 (342)	755 (975)	18 (18)
SW	231 (238)	426 (415)	1161 (1196)	16 (16)
Total	708 (741)	1219 (1243)	3092 (3583)	67 (66)

(Number) refers to 2006 Figures

Non-Riding Contest

					Individual	Dublic Speaking	Team	
District	Judging	dging Contest		Horse Bowl		Public Speaking	Demonstration	
	4-H'ers	Teams	4-H'ers	Teams	4-H'ers	4-H'ers	4-H'ers	Teams
NE	29 (34)	7 (8)	43 (49)	10 (11)	1	3 (3)	4 (8)	2 (4)
NW	7 (18)	1 (5)	4 (17)	1 (4)	1	1 (1)	2 (2)	1 (1)
SE	22 (12)	6 (4)	4 (9)	1 (2)	3	0 (1)	6 (4)	3 (2)
SW	16 (21)	3 (3)	22 (26)	5 (6)	3	0 (3)	4 (2)	2 (1)
Total	74 (85)	17 (20)	83 (101)	17 (23)	8	4 (8)	16 (16)	8 (8)

(Number) refers to 2006 Figures

Total for All District Shows

	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
4-H'ers	708	741	725	764	737	767	789	767	707	717
Horses Exhibited	1219	1243	1145	1153	1117	1169	1214	1174	1030	1105
Entries Shown	3092	3583	3268	3254	3082	3283	3377	2830	2621	2834
Counties Participating	67	66	70	70	69	75	73	68	68	64

Northeast District Show Breakdown

		Jui	nior			Sei	nior		County Totals			
County	Exhibitors	<u>Horses</u>	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	<u>Horses</u>	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch
Alcorn					1	1	3	0	1	1	3	0
Benton	8	15	34	1	5	8	26	0	13	23	60	1
Calhoun	10	14	48	0	4	9	20	8	14	23	68	8
Chickasaw	5	11	36	2					5	11	36	2
Choctaw	5	9	25	6	1	1	2	0	6	10	27	6
Clay	1	1	5	1	5	9	20	2	6	10	25	3
Itawamba					1	1	3	1	1	1	3	1
Lafayette	4	5	11	1	3	8	17	1	7	13	28	2
Lee	12	18	61	5	3	3	17	2	15	21	78	7
Lowndes	4	5	13	3	5	8	32	0	9	13	45	3
Marshall	2	2	6	0	1	2	5	0	3	4	11	0
Monroe	2	2	8	0	2	4	14	2	4	6	22	2
Oktibbeha	8	19	53	3	10	18	48	6	18	37	101	9
Pontotoc	12	19	71	6	3	5	19	4	15	24	90	10
Prentiss	10	18	44	5	6	13	48	1	16	31	92	6
Tippah	6	7	22	5	2	4	11	1	8	11	33	6
Tishomingo	10	18	48	6	2	2	7	1	12	20	55	7
Union	4	11	34	5	3	3	9	0	7	14	43	5
Webster	8	13	32	0	4	5	17	0	12	18	49	0
Counties: 19	111	187	551	49	61	104	318	29	172	291	869	78

Northwest District Show Breakdown

		Jui	nior			Sei	nior			Count	y Totals	
County	Exhibitors	<u>Horses</u>	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	rs Horses	Classes	Scrate
Bolivar	4	7	15	5	3	4	7	1	7	11	22	6
Carroll	4	8	10	0	2	4	12	3	6	12	22	3
DeSoto	4	9	26	2	6	7	39	15	10	16	65	17
Holmes	2	4	9	2					2	4	9	2
Humphreys	5	9	20	7	1	1	3	0	6	10	23	7
Leflore	1	2	3	0	2	2	9	0	3	4	12	0
Montgomery	6	8	27	7	5	8	26	4	11	16	53	11
Panola	2	3	4	0					2	3	4	0
Sharkey	1	1	2	0	1	1	2	2	2	2	4	2
Sunflower					3	4	9	2	3	4	9	2
Tallahatchie	1	1	1	0	3	7	10	4	4	8	11	4
Tate	18	27	67	5	4	5	8	0	22	32	75	5
Washington	4	6	14	0	2	3	13	2	6	9	27	2
Yalobusha	5	12	44	4	7	22	72	2	12	34	116	6
Counties: 14	57	97	242	32	39	68	210	35	96	165	452	67

Southeast District Show Breakdown

		Jui	nior			Senior				County Totals			
County	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch	
Clarke	5	5	16	6	2	2	6	0	7	7	22	6	
Covington	6	9	21	2	3	6	20	1	9	15	41	3	
Forrest	13	15	63	13	3	5	12	1	16	20	75	14	
George	4	4	10	3	2	2	5	2	6	6	15	5	
Greene	3	5	11	0	2	2	6	0	5	7	17	0	
Harrison	1	2	11	1					1	2	11	1	
Jackson	15	23	113	23	5	8	34	8	20	31	147	31	
Jasper	4	8	18	3	1	2	4	0	5	10	22	3	
Jones	10	23	57	11	13	20	65	19	23	43	122	30	
Lamar	9	15	34	6	7	17	28	7	16	32	62	13	
Lauderdale	11	24	50	11	4	7	11	6	15	31	61	17	
Marion	2	3	7	3					2	3	7	3	
Neshoba	6	14	36	5	7	9	22	4	13	23	58	9	
Newton	8	14	35	5	10	17	35	5	18	31	70	10	
Pearl River	25	38	123	35	2	2	4	0	27	40	127	35	
Реггу	8	10	26	5	9	12	25	7	17	22	51	12	
Stone	5	9	34	3	3	3	10	2	8	12	44	5	
Wayne	1	2	6	6					1	2	6	6	
Counties: 18	136	223	671	141	73	114	287	62	209	337	958	203	

Southwest District Show Breakdown

		Ju	nior			Se	nior		County Totals			
County	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch
Adams					2	2	5	0	2	2	5	0
Attala	2	2	7	0					2	2	7	0
Copiah	6	10	15	0	4	9	18	0	10	19	33	0
Franklin	4	6	19	1	2	2	9	0	6	8	28	1
Hinds	8	9	19	0	9	11	42	0	17	20	61	0
Leake	3	6	13	0	4	6	14	0	7	12	27	0
Lincoln	8	18	43	2	5	7	16	0	13	25	59	2
Madison	7	12	24	2	3	6	18	0	10	18	42	2
Pike	2	4	15	0					2	4	15	0
Rankin	37	80	213	19	20	30	81	0	57	110	294	19
Scott	3	5	10	0	2	3	10	0	5	8	20	0
Simpson	3	5	12	0	3	5	9	0	6	10	21	0
Smith	4	6	11	1	2	3	3	0	6	9	14	1
Walthall	2	2	6	0	3	3	10	2	5	5	16	2
Warren	40	92	313	16	18	38	125	5	58	130	438	21
Yazoo	12	21	75	6	13	23	63	3	25	44	138	9
Counties: 16	141	278	795	47	90	148	423	10	231	426	1218	57

►2007 STATE 4-H HORSE CHAMPIONSHIP

The 2007 State 4-H Horse Championship, including team demonstration, individual demonstration, public speaking, horse bowl, hippology, horse judging, horse art and horse photography contests was an outstanding event! The show ran extremely smooth and this is due to the fine work and cooperation of many, many people. We want to express our appreciation to all exhibitors, parents, volunteers, leaders, agents, and specialists for their excellent cooperation and interest in the 4-H horse program. We especially appreciate the Extension agents/program associates and volunteers for working at the show and admire their dedication to seeing that the show is run in the best way possible. Of course, the work starts with the county programs and agents/program associates are to be commended for their support of this program. Congratulations on another great job!

2007 District Participation at State 4-H Horse Championships

		Horses	Entries	Counties
District	4-H'ers	Exhibited	<u>Shown</u>	Participating
NE	123 (132)	180 (201)	353 (365)	18 (18)
NW	68 (79)	111 (108)	211 (227)	13 (13)
SE	133 (158)	191 (216)	372 (402)	16 (17)
SW	168 (166)	252 (251)	481 (484)	16 (16)
Total	492 (535)	734 (776)	1417 (1478)	63 (64)

(Number) refers to 2006 Figures

2007 State 4-H Horse Championships Non-riding Contests

	Jun	iors	Seniors		
Contests	4-H'ers	Teams	4-H'ers	Teams	
Individual Demonstration	1 (3)	-	16 (5)	-	
Horse Public Speaking	4 (7)	-	9 (14)	-	
Team Demonstration	14 (12)	7 (8)	4 (6)	2 (3)	
Horse Bowl	34 (49)	8 (12)	12 (38)	3 (9)	
Horse Judging	34 (40)	8 (10)	23 (37)	2 (9)	
Hippology	-	-	8 (15)	2 (4)	
Horse Photography	125 (149) entries		45 (46) entries		
Horse Art	68 (132)) entries	48 (45) entries		

(Number) refers to 2006 Figures

Total for State Shows

	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
4-H'ers	492	535	483	516	494	520	536	564	524	517
Horse Exhibited	734	776	684	678	649	707	728	762	697	733
Entries Shown	1417	1478	1347	1368	1296	1375	1386	1348	1282	1382
Counties Participating	63	64	66	65	66	69	67	65	66	62

Northeast District Participation at State Show

	Junior				Senior				County Totals			
County	Exhibitor	<u>Horses</u>	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	Horses	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch
Benton	7	10	19	1	5	7	11	0	12	17	30	1
Calhoun	8	8	24	0	2	2	7	0	10	10	31	0
Chickasaw	5	9	15	0					5	9	15	0
Choctaw	2	6	10	0					2	6	10	0
Clay	1	1	1	0	3	4	6	0	4	5	7	0
Itawamba					1	1	2	0	1	1	2	0
Lafayette	1	2	3	0	2	5	8	0	3	7	11	0
Lee	10	14	28	0	2	2	6	0	12	16	34	0
Lowndes					3	4	11	0	3	4	11	0
Marshall	2	2	6	0	1	2	5	0	3	4	11	0
Monroe	1	1	3	0	1	2	4	0	2	3	7	0
Oktibbeha	7	13	25	0	6	9	22	0	13	22	47	0
Pontotoc	11	14	29	0	2	2	6	0	13	16	35	0
Prentiss	9	13	23	1	6	12	22	3	15	25	45	4
Tippah	2	2	3	0	1	3	4	0	3	5	7	0
Tishomingo	7	10	16	0	2	2	2	0	9	12	18	0
Union	4	8	17	0	2	2	3	0	6	10	20	0
Webster	4	4	9	0	3	4	9	1	7	8	18	1
Counties: 18	81	117	231	2	42	63	128	4	123	180	359	6

Northwest District Participation at State Show

	Junior				Senior				County Totals			
County	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch	Exhibito	rs Horses	Classes	Scratch
Bolivar	2	4	6	0	3	4	5	0	5	8	11	0
Carroll	3	3	3	0	2	2	2	0	5	5	5	0
DeSoto	3	8	15	0	5	6	23	1	8	14	38	1
Holmes	1	3	3	0					1	3	3	0
Humphreys	3	5	9	0	1	1	3	0	4	6	12	0
Leflore	1	2	3	0	2	2	5	0	3	4	8	0
Montgomery	1	2	4	1	3	5	9	3	4	7	13	4
Sharkey	1	1	2	1					1	1	2	1
Sunflower					2	2	3	0	2	2	3	0
Tallahatchie					3	5	5	4	3	5	5	4
Tate	15	21	33	3	3	4	4	0	18	25	37	3
Washington	2	4	9	0	1	1	2	0	3	5	11	0
Yalobusha	4	11	32	0	7	15	44	0	11	26	76	0
Counties: 13	36	64	119	5	32	47	105	8	68	111	224	13

Southeast District Participation at State Show

	Junior				Senior				County Totals			
County	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratcl
Clarke	1	1	1	0					1	1	1	0
Covington	5	6	8	0	3	5	15	0	8	11	23	0
Forrest	9	11	31	1	3	4	7	2	12	15	38	3
Greene	3	3	7	0					3	3	7	0
Harrison	1	2	10	0					1	2	10	0
Jackson	9	13	32	2	4	6	19	0	13	19	51	2
Jasper	1	1	2	0	1	1	1	0	2	2	3	0
Jones	8	14	26	0	10	13	32	0	18	27	58	0
Lamar	6	8	16	0	6	10	13	0	12	18	29	0
Lauderdale	7	11	15	0					7	11	15	0
Marion	1	1	3	0					1	1	3	0
Neshoba	3	7	13	0	5	6	13	0	8	13	26	0
Newton	7	11	22	0	7	11	14	1	14	22	36	1
Pearl River	18	24	39	0	2	2	2	0	20	26	41	0
Perry	5	6	12	0	4	6	7	1	9	12	19	1
Stone	4	8	21	2					4	8	21	2
Counties: 16	88	127	258	5	45	64	123	4	133	191	381	9

Southwest District Participation at State Show

	Junior			Senior				County Totals				
County	Exhibitor	s Horses	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	Horses	Classes	Scratch	Exhibitor	Horses	Classes	Scratch
Adams					2	2	3	0	2	2	3	0
Attala	2	2	3	0					2	2	3	0
Copiah	3	4	4	0	4	5	6	0	7	9	10	0
Franklin	3	4	5	0	1	1	3	0	4	5	8	0
Hinds	3	3	4	0	6	7	23	0	9	10	27	0
Leake	3	3	3	0	3	3	5	0	6	6	8	0
Lincoln	4	9	21	0	2	2	3	0	6	11	24	0
Madison	5	9	15	1	3	6	8	0	8	15	23	1
Pike	2	3	5	0					2	3	5	0
Rankin	29	46	97	2	15	18	33	1	44	64	130	3
Scott	2	2	2	0	2	2	6	0	4	4	8	0
Simpson	2	3	4	0	3	5	7	0	5	8	11	0
Smith	1	1	1	0	2	3	3	1	3	4	4	1
Walthall	1	1	1	0	1	1	4	0	2	2	5	0
Warren	30	54	108	5	13	21	51	0	43	75	159	5
Yazoo	9	15	31	2	12	17	37	3	21	32	68	5
Counties: 16	99	159	304	10	69	93	192	5	168	252	496	15

▶2007 STATE 4-H HORSE SHOW – HIGH POINT AWARDS

	<u>EXHIBITOR</u>	HORSE NAME	COUNTY
Weste 1. 2. 3.	rn Division (Andree' Hopkins Memoria Allison Johnston Logan Venus Kalee McCann	I l Award) Smooth Barzel Sugar Bars Zip WJB Jack or Better	DeSoto Forrest Newton
Saddle 1. 2. 3.	e & Gaited Division (Nod-E-Nuff Farm – J.W. Pipkin Aaron Barber Florence Clements	- Sponsor) Popeye Guns of Glory Harley	Yalobusha Benton Yazoo
<u>Hunte</u> 1. 2. 3.	r <u>Division</u> (Sandy Slocum – Sponsor) Leeann Smith Moran Daniels Kayla Sonnenberg	Go Cash My Check Dodger Golden Dena	Covington Jones Jackson
<u>Speed</u> 1. 2. 3.	Events Division (Charlie Estess – Spor Sara Marble Casey May Elizabeth McGehee	nsor) Lil Bit Peppy's Midget Bar Jets Lady Jane	Lincoln Yazoo Warren
1. 2. 3.	<u>Division</u> Sabrina Turner Will Gipson Rachael Smith	Oreo Ima Beauty Queen Miss Molly Acorn	Harrison Newton Marshall
Pony 9 1. 2. 3.	Speed Events Division Elizabeth Holloway Breanna Johnson Brittany Graham	Tipper Blacky Buckshot	Warren Lamar Rankin
<u>Cattle</u> 1. 2. 3.	& Goat Division (Ware Quarter Horses Justin Paxton Justin Grant Shelton Headley	- Sponsor) Undertaker Sables Lill Doll A Diamond for Alex	Sunflower Union Warren
	DWARD R. NORTH AWARDS Point Junior Horse Logan Venus Kalee McCann Victoria Jordan	Sugar Bars Zip WJB Jack or Better Buddy's Hubba Bubba	Forrest Newton Lincoln
High F 1. 2. 3.	Point Senior Horse Allison Johnston Courtney Lee Jenny Ferguson	Smooth Barzel Chips Talkin Sweet Ret Ta Go	DeSoto Jones Hinds
	ND (PEE WEE) STACY MEMORIAL AV High Individual Logan Venus Sabrina Turner Elizabeth Holloway	VARDS Forrest Harrison Warren	

Senior High Individual

Allison Johnston DeSoto
 Courtney Lee Jones
 Jenny Ferguson Hinds

H.B. HEDGEPETH MEMORIAL AWARD

High Point Counties

Rankin 480 points
 Warren 410 points
 Yazoo 202 points
 Yalobusha 195 points
 Newton 192 points

SWAYZE WOODRUFF MEMORIAL ALL AROUND AWARD - Logan Venus, Forrest County

RIFFEY PARKER MEMORIAL AWARD - Nicolina Marie Smith, Marshall County

RESULTS FROM STATE NON-RIDING CONTESTS SENIOR HORSE BOWL

<u>TEAM</u> <u>INDIVIDUALS</u>

1st <u>Lafayette</u>

Nolan Webb 1st Elizabeth Tettleton, Lafayette Hillary Hudson 2nd Hillary Hudson, Lafayette Rachel Tettleton 3rd Will Gentry, Pontotoc

Elizabeth Tettleton

2nd Pontotoc

Will Gentry Kaitlyn Hardin Brandon Leslie Brayden Whitmon

3rd Rankin

Daniel Couch Dillon Boleware Jessica Wilson Madeline Conerly

JUNIOR HORSE BOWL

<u>TEAM</u> <u>INDIVIDUALS</u>

Ist <u>Laee</u>

Sara Albers 1st Sara Albers, Lee

Bailey Scott 2nd Shelley Edwards, Chickasaw

Ben Albers 3rd Ben Albers, Lee

Rick Mears

2nd Rankin A

Andrew Huff Alex Huff Anna Herd Hayley Butler

3rd Chickasaw

Shelley Edwards Savanna Rhodes Katie Cagle Makayla Pullen Nicole Abrams

SENIOR HORSE JUDGING

TEAM

Oktibbeha

John Luke Thompson Sarah Miller Hannah Miller

Anna Thompson

2nd Ya<u>lobusha</u>

Haley Morris Casey Byford

Shae Oates-Ward J.W. Pipkin

JUNIOR HORSE JUDGING

Rankin

TEAM

Alex Huff

Anna Herd

Andrew Huff Haley Butler

2nd Oktibbeha

> Maggie Thompson Rosanna Morris

Taylor Dunn Abby Thompson

 3^{rd} Lee

> Kristen Donovan **Bailey Scott Rick Mears**

Houston Yarbrough

SENIOR HORSE TEAM DEMONSTRATION

Pontotoc

Olivia Frazier, Brandon Leslie

2nd Oktibbeha

Sarah Miller, Hannah Miller

JUNIOR HORSE TEAM DEMONSTRATION

Chickasaw Nicole Abrams

Shelley Rae Edwards

2nd Yazoo

> Lauren Sanders Joanna King

3rd Union

> Miranda Stevens Racheal Peeler

SENIOR HORSE PUBLIC SPEAKING

Ben Cunningham, Pontotoc 2nd Elizabeth Tettleton, Lafayette

 3^{rd} Taylor King, Yazoo HIGH INDIVIDUALS - OVERALL

1st Sarah Miller, Oktibbeha 2nd Hannah Miller, Oktibbeha 3^{rd}

Banks Ready, DeSoto

SENIOR HIGH INDIVIDUAL ORAL REASONS

Taylor King, Yazoo

INDIVIDUALS

1st Haley Butler, Rankin

2nd Maggie Thompson, Oktibbeha

 3^{rd} Joanna King, Yazoo

JUNIOR HIGH INDIVIDUAL ORAL REASONS

Joanna King, Yazoo

SENIOR HORSE INDIVIDUAL DEMONSTRATION

Sara Steen, Rankin 2^{nd} Courtney Law, DeSoto

3rd Elizabeth Tettleton, Lafayette

JUNIOR HORSE INDIVIDUAL DEMONSTRATION

Liz Hill, Montgomery

JUNIOR HORSE PUBLIC SPEAKING

Taylor Dunn, Oktibbeha 2nd Rebecca Byrne, Tate

 3^{rd} Savanna Rhodes, Chickasaw

HIPPOLOGY CONTEST

Individual Examination – 1st – Paige Nicholson, Newton

Individual Station/Slide – 1st – Paige Nicholson, Newton

Individual Judging – 1st – Lindsey Bishop, Newton

1st Place High Individual – Paige Nicholson, Newton

2nd Place High Individual – Lindsey Bishop, Newton

3rd Place High Individual – Anna Leach, Newton

Team Examination – 1st – Newton – Paige Nicholson, Lindsey Bishop, Anna Leach, Anna Alexander

Team Station/Slide – 1st – Newton – Paige Nicholson, Lindsey Bishop, Anna Leach, Anna Alexander

Judging Team – 1st – Newton – Paige Nicholson, Lindsey Bishop, Anna Leach, Anna Alexander

Team Problem - 1st - Newton - Paige Nicholson, Lindsey Bishop, Anna Leach, Anna Alexander

1st Place Overall Team – Newton – Paige Nicholson, Lindsey Bishop, Anna Leach, Anna Alexander

2nd Place Overall Team - Rankin - Jessica Wilson, Daniel Couch, Dillon Boleware, Madeline Conerly

SENIOR HORSE PHOTOGRAPHY

BREED PROMOTION

No entries

<u>ACTI</u>ON

Britney West, Wayne

NON-ACTION CANDID

Cody Newsome, Madison 2nd Britney West, Wayne

HUMAN INTEREST

Cody Newsome, Madison 2nd Rachel Tettleton, Lafayette

BREED PROMOTION/DIGITAL

Banks Ready, DeSoto 2nd Nicole Mann, Jones 3^{rd} Trace Taylor, Newton

ACTION/DIGITAL

Nicole Mann, Jones 2nd Anna Thompson, Oktibbeha 3rd Shae Oates-Ward, Yalobusha

JUNIOR HORSE PHOTOGRAPHY

BREED PROMOTION

Shelby Holcomb, Sharkey/Issaguena

2nd Taylor Dunn, Oktibbeha 3^{rd} Miranda Jordan, Warren

<u>ACTI</u>ON

Mary Catherine Reynolds, Lamar

2nd Morgan Baker, Stone Taylor Dunn, Oktibbeha

NON-ACTION CANDID

Miranda Stevens, Union 2nd Hunter Dorris, Yalobusha 3^{rd} Brooke West, Wayne

HUMAN INTEREST

Cody Bridges, Perry 2nd

Brianna Dunaway, Lincoln

3rd Shelby Holcomb, Sharkey/Issaguena

BREED PROMOTION/DIGITAL

Morgan Baker, Stone

2nd Shelley Rae Edwards, Chickasaw 3^{rd} Mary Catherine Reynolds, Lamar

ACTION/DIGITAL

Candice Killebrew, Hinds 2nd Taylor Dunn, Oktibbeha 3rd Casey Broom, Jackson

NON-ACTION/DIGITAL

1st Warren Smith, Monroe
 2nd Laura Sigrest, Perry
 3rd Nicole Mann, Jones

HUMAN INTEREST/DIGITAL

1st Sara Kate McIlwain, Clay 2nd Anna Thompson, Oktibbeha

3rd Laura Sigrest, Perry

OVERALL SENIOR WINNER

Cody Newsome, Madison County

SENIOR HORSE ART CONTEST

PASTELS/CHARCOAL/GRAPHITE/COLORED PENCIL

1st Anne Henderson, Newton
 2nd Ashley Brown, Newton
 3rd Cody Newsome, Madison

OIL/ACRYLIC/WATERCOLOR

1st Kathryn Stillman, DeSoto
 2nd Courtney Law, DeSoto
 3rd Casey Buford, Yalobusha

PEN/INK/MARKERS/CRAYON

1st Hunter Johnson, Warren
 2nd Hannah Miller, Oktibbeha
 3rd Cody Newsome, Madison

CARTOON

1st Josh McDaniel, Stone

2nd Shae Oates-Ward, Yalobusha 3rd Cody Newsome, Madison

SCULPTURE

1st Chrissy Wheat, Hinds

2nd Shae Oates-Ward, Yalobusha 3rd Jacqualine Sonnenberg, Jackson

MIXED, ALTERED MEDIA, OTHER

1st Chrissy Wheat, Hinds
 2nd Sarah Miller, Oktibbeha
 3rd Cody Newsome, Madison

HOME FURNISHINGS

1st Josh McDaniel, Stone
 2nd Cody Newsome, Madison
 3rd Catherine Roseberry, Alcorn

SENIOR WINNER

Kathryn Stillman, DeSoto County

COUNTY EDUCATIONAL DISPLAY CONTEST

1st Hinds County 2nd Yalobusha County 3rd Tate County

NON-ACTION/DIGITAL

1st Mary Catherine Reynolds, Lamar
 2nd Tyler Crosby, Jones
 3rd Carley Joiner, Sharkey

HUMAN INTEREST/DIGITAL

1st Rebecca Byrne, Tate
 2nd Anna Ryan Ragland, Yazoo
 3rd Ashley Kerr, Sharkey/Issaguena

OVERALL JUNIOR WINNER

Rebecca Byrne, Tate County

JUNIOR HORSE ART CONTEST

PASTELS/CHARCOAL/GRAPHITE/COLORED PENCIL

1st Brittany McKee, Hinds
 2nd Jenna Seal, Lauderdale
 3rd Breeanna Little, Tate

OIL/ACRYLIC/WATERCOLOR

1st Liz Roark, Yalobusha
 2nd Logan Venus, Forrest
 3rd Casey Moss, Yalobusha

PEN/INK/MARKERS/CRAYON

1st Kelly Lovelace, Tishomingo
 2nd Samantha Miniard, George
 3rd Miranda Jordan, Warren

CARTOON

1st Paige Wright, Madison
 2nd Tara Roberts, George
 3rd Uriah Gresham, Harrison

SCULPTURE

1st Haley Meriwether, Leflore
 2nd Brandi Lyn Korbe, Lamar
 3rd Laura Beth Wright, Madison

MIXED, ALTERED MEDIA, OTHER

1st Tori Sowell, Tate2nd Paige Wright, Madison

3rd Mary Catherine Reynolds, Lamar

HOME FURNISHINGS

1st Caroline Grissom, Stone 2nd Joanna King, Yazoo

3rd Mary Catherine Reynolds, Lamar

JUNIOR WINNER

Caroline Grissom, Stone County

▶2007 SOUTHERN REGIONAL 4-H HORSE CHAMPIONSHIP

The 2007 Southern Regional 4-H Horse Championship was hosted by Kentucky and held in Memphis, Tennessee. Our 4-H'ers really represented our state well and they are to be commended for their success. Many of our parents, volunteers, and agents played a key role in the success that our youth had at the regional show. Thanks for all the help that you provided! Mississippi's 2007 Regional Horse Show exhibitor information is below:

EXHIBITOR	COUNTY	DISTRICT	HORSE
Adam Alexander	Attala	SW	Zips White Lighting
Aaron Barber	Benton	NE	Guns of Glory
Gentry Clark	Bolivar	NW	FG Show Me The Money
Sara Beth Duncan	Bolivar	NW	Old Town Doc
Nicole Abrams	Chickasaw	NE	Another Fritz
Leeann Smith	Covington	SE	Go Cash My Check
A.J. McDonald	DeSoto	NW	Alittle Shifty Gloin
Courtney Law	DeSoto	NW	Docs Shifty Riddle
Allison Johnston	DeSoto	NW	Smooth Barzel
Annie Whitfield	DeSoto	NW	Vinny's Bonus
Cheyenne Simmons	Greene	SE	Dreamer
Sabrina Turner	Harrison	SE	Strings Glass
Allison Guider	Hinds	SW	PA Valentinos Fire
Kayla Sonnenberg	Jackson	SE	Golden Dena
Katie S. Beeman	Jackson	SE	Hot Sonata
Casey Broom	Jackson	SE	Tonka
Tyler Crosby	Jones	SE	Carosel Baby
Courtney Lee	Jones	SE	Chips Talking Sweet
Mary Catherine Reynolds	Lamar	SE	Juana Impress "Curry"
Bailey Scott	Lee	NE	Stella
Victoria Page Jordan	Lincoln	SW	Buddys Hubba Bubba
Eric Ford	Lowndes	NE	Mouse
Nicolina Marie Smith	Marshall	NE	Zipping Tiger Leo
Kalee McCann	Newton	SE	WJB Jacks or Better
Hannah Miller	Oktibbeha	NE	Nonstop Rhythm
Joni Ladner	Pearl River	SE	Glitters
Fran Smith	Rankin	SW	Baby Goodbye "Cowboy"
Cody Quarles	Rankin	SW	DQ's Honey of a Clue
Sara J. Banks	Rankin	SW	Inspired Oz
Haley Butler	Rankin	SW	Scotchtapes Suny Lady
Lawson Varner	Rankin	SW	Zipotoes Star Buck
Kayla Hardacre	Simpson	SW	DQ Miss Clue
Justin Paxton	Sunflower	NW	Undertaker
William "Hunter" Johnson	Warren	SW	"Moz" Zippomos
Elizabeth Holloway	Warren	SW	Gus "Mr. Johnny Blue Doc"
Elizabeth McGehee	Warren	SW	Jets Lady Jane
Anna K. Jones	Warren	SW	One Moore Finale
Christin Koestler	Warren	SW	Shades
Anna K. Jones	Warren	SW	T. W. Nevada
Courtney Tullos	Warren	SW	Zero's Best Effort "Paulie"
J.W. Pipkin	Yalobusha	NW	Popeye
Casey May	Yazoo	SW	Peppy's Midget Bar

2007 SOUTHERN REGIONAL HORSE SHOW: NON-RIDING CONTESTS

PUBLIC SPEAKING

4th Place Elizabeth Tettleton (Lafayette) 9th Place Ben Cunningham (Pontotoc)

TEAM DEMONSTRATION

8th Place Hannah and Sarah Miller (Oktibbeha)

HIPPOLOGY

5th Place Team – Team Problems
10th Place Team – Stations/Exams
10th Place Overall Team
Anna Alexander, Anna Leach, Lindsey Bishop, Paige Nicholson (Newton)
Anna Alexander, Anna Leach, Lindsey Bishop, Paige Nicholson (Newton)
Anna Alexander, Anna Leach, Lindsey Bishop, Paige Nicholson (Newton)

HORSE BOWL

7th Place Overall Team Nolan Webb, Hillary Hudson, Rachel Tettleton, Elizabeth Tettleton (Lafayette)

HORSE JUDGING

8th Place Team – Placings Sarah Miller, Hannah Miller, Anna Thompson, John Luke Thompson (Oktibbeha)
10th Place Team – Reasons Sarah Miller, Hannah Miller, Anna Thompson, John Luke Thompson (Oktibbeha)
Sarah Miller, Hannah Miller, Anna Thompson, John Luke Thompson (Oktibbeha)

2007 SOUTHERN REGIONAL HORSE SHOW RESULTS: TOP TEN PLACINGS

Note: Entries do not include scratches.

Class 1. Stock Type Mares (24 Entries)	4-H'er Kayla Hardacre Cody Quarles	<u>County</u> Simpson Rankin	Placing 3 rd 5 th
2. Stock Type Geldings (31 Entries)	Gentry Clark Casey Broom	Bolivar Jackson	5 th 8 th
5. Saddle Type Mares (Trotting) (7 Entries)	Joni Ladner	Pearl River	3 rd
9. Showmanship (Western Attire) (107 Entries)	Courtney Lee Kalee McCann Lawson Varner	Jones Newton Rankin	6 th 7 th 9 th
13. Trail (122 Entries)	Kalee McCann Victoria Paige Jordan Allison Johnston	Newton Lincoln DeSoto	2 nd 3 rd 5 th
14. Tie Down Roping (12 Entries)	Eric Ford Justin Paxton	Lowndes Sunflower	4 th 9 th
15. Breakaway Roping (25 Entries)	Justin Paxton	Sunflower	9 th
16. Western Pleasure (108 Entries)	Nicolina Marie Smith	Marshall	3 rd

17.	(126 Entries)	Kalee McCann	Newton	3''
19.	Reining (31 Entries)	Nicole Abrams	Chickasaw	9 th
20.	Pole Bending (102 Entries)	Casey May	Yazoo	10 th
21.	Barrel Racing (99 Entries)	Elizabeth Holloway	Warren	2 nd
22.	Stake Race (88 Entries)	Cheyenne Simmons Hannah Miller Casey May Christin Koestler	Greene Oktibbeha Yazoo Warren	2 nd 4 th 7 th 9 th

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Thanks to everyone who helped at the 2007 District and State 4-H Horse Championships. All things considered, I was pleased overall with all of the shows. We are now gearing up for the 2007 Mississippi State Fair in October and the 2008 District and Dixie National Junior Round-Up Livestock Shows.

Coming up over the next month will be the District and State 4-H Horse Show Meetings. I encourage all counties to participate in their respective meeting and hope that all decisions made will lead to successful shows next year.

The date and time for the District and State 4-H Horse Show Meetings are below.

- NW District Horse Show Meeting: Thursday, August 30, 2007, starting at 10:00 A.M. at the Greenwood Chamber of Commerce Building
- SW District Horse Show Meeting: Tuesday, September 4, 2007, starting at 6:30 P.M. at the Central Mississippi Research and Extension Building in Raymond
- NE District Horse Show Meeting: Tuesday, September 11, 2007, starting at 7:00 P.M. at the North Mississippi Research and Extension Building in Verona
- SE District Horse Show Meeting: Thursday, September 20, 2007, starting at 6:00 P.M. at the Forrest County Extension Office in Hattiesburg
- State 4-H Horse Show Meeting: Thursday, September 27, 2007, starting at 10:00 A.M. at the Bost Building B Theater

Sincerely,

Dean Jousan, Ph.D.

Extension 4-H Livestock Specialist

2007 MISSISSIPPI STATE FAIR LIVESTOCK SHOW SCHEDULE

Thursday, October 4, 2007

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 5, 2007

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

Stall and pen assignments for lambs, steers and beef breeding cattle

12:00 Noon

Stall and pen assignments for 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.5:00 p.m.Deadline for CORRECTIONS in Lamb Showmanship entriesDeadline for CORRECTIONS in Beef Showmanship entries

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

Saturday, October 6, 2007

8:00 a.m. State Senior 4-H & FFA Livestock Judging Contest - Expo Center

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

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

3:00 p.m. Steer Shows - Barn 11 – (Traditional Groomed followed by Slick Sheared; steers released after showing)

Sunday, October 7, 2007

8:00 a.m. Arrival of Junior and Open Market Swine

9:00 a.m. Devotional Service - Sales Arena

10:00 a.m. Junior Cattlemen's Assn. Meeting - Sales Arena
 12:00 Noon Deadline for arrival of Junior and Open Market Swine

1:00 p.m. Beef Showmanship - Judging Arena

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Weigh and process Junior and Open Market Swine

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

Monday, October 8, 2007

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

Cattle released after showing

10:00 a.m. Open Market Swine Show - Swine Arena 1:00 p.m. Junior Market Hog Show - Swine Arena

4:00 p.m. Release all swine

Tuesday, October 9, 2007

9:00 a.m. Stockdog Trials – Equine Center 6:00 p.m. Stockdog Trials – Equine Center

Wednesday, October 10, 2007

9:00 a.m. Stockdog Trials – Equine Center

Thursday, October 11, 2007

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

1:00 p.m. Deadline for arrival of junior and senior dairy cattle

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

6:30 p.m. Jr. Dairy Quiz Bowl

Friday, October 12, 2007

7:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Process dairy goat entries

9:00 a.m. Deadline for arrival of 4-H/FFA Market Goats & Dairy Goats

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

10:00 a.m. 4-H Dairy Sweetheart & 4-H Market Goat Princess Contests - Expo Center

10:00 a.m. Deadline for CORRECTIONS in Dairy Goat Showmanship entries

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon Weigh and process junior market goats

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

Deadline for CORRECTIONS in Market Goat Showmanship entries

1:00 p.m. 4-H/FFA Dairy Goat Show - Barn 8 - Showmanship followed by Sr. Does and Jr. Does

1:00 p.m. Jersey Futurity - Judging Arena 1:30 p.m. Holstein Futurity - Judging Arena

3:00 p.m. Goat Quiz Bowl

5:00 p.m. Market Goat Judging Contest
7:00 p.m. Special Dairy Classes - Judging Arena
8:00 p.m. Arrival of Open Show dairy & meat goats

Saturday, October 13, 2007 (4-H DAY)

8:30 a.m. Junior Dairy Cattle Show - Judging Arena (Showmanship followed by the Purebred Show and Commercial Dairy Heifer Show)

9:00 a.m. Horse & Mule Pull Weigh-In - Barn 11 9:00 a.m. MGA Open Dairy Goat Show - Barn 8

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

MGA Youth Breeding Doe Show to follow Junior Market Goat Show - Barn 7

12:00 Noon Horse & Mule Pull – Equine Center

4:00 p.m. Release all dairy cattle

Sunday, October 14, 2007

9:00 a.m. MGA Open Dairy Goat Show - Barn 8; released after showing