Brazoria County Fair Newsletter and Information for Pig Show

**ARRIVAL & CHECK-IN TIME:** Friday, October 11, 2019, 8a-10p

**WEIGH-IN TIME:** Weight Cards must be submitted to the Swine Committee no later than 7:30 pm on Friday, October 11, 2019

**JUDGING TIME:** Saturday, October 12, 2019, 2:30 pm

**EARLY RELEASE:** Sunday, October 13, 2019, 8:00 am-10:00 am \* Non-Placing Only\*

**RELEASE TIME:** Sunday, October 20, 2019, 7:00 am-11:00 am

**Brazoria County Fair Address:** 901 S Downing St, Angleton, TX 77515

* BCFA Pack up and Pen Set Up- Wednesday, October 9th, 2019 at 5-8pm we will all meet at the barn at 5pm to pack up feed, shavings and show supplies for county. From there we will head to the fairgrounds to set up pens
  + Everyone will need to bring two bags of thourghbred shavings. You may drop off in the LGI anytime between now and Wednesday. Please put your name on them.

* Schedule for Hauling: Be at the barn on Friday October 11th at 5:45am to feed and weigh. We want to be leaving the Ag Barn by 7am. Plan accordingly
* Tentative loading schedule:
  + 1st load- Wing B+ some of wash rack side of wing A
  + 2nd Load- Wing A- Time is tentative depending on when the 1st load is dropped off.
* If you are not present to load your pig you will be responsible for hauling it in on your own and there will be no Ag trailers to borrow.
* **You MUST be at the barn and the fairgrounds to load and unload your pig.**

**What to bring:**

* A Ziploc bag with PM feeding
* Brush (Soft Bristle for show)
* Show whip- make sure it is in good shape
* Shampoo for bathing
  + Bright Lights or clear choice is a really good shampoo to use for show
* Sudden Impact- Hair conditioner to use while at show, We will have some in the showbox
* Towels
* Feeder
* Mister bottles to keep the pigs cool during the show.
* Change of clothes
* Clip to hold your number badge if not bring safety pens.
* Bucket for feeding

**Proper Show Attire**

* Clean jeans, NO shorts
* Nice button down shirt or dress shirt, NO T-shirts
* Boots, NO tennis shoes.
* You are exhibiting your animal so make sure you dress accordingly.

**When We Arrive:**

* We weigh your pigs full so we can show them full
* We will weigh as a group at **5:00pm** going down the line of pens in order, so make sure you have fed before then.
* **DO NOT TURN IN YOU WEIGHT CARD UNTIL MRS.WEBB has approved your declared weight. This will determine what class you will be placed in day of show.**
* **Weight cards are due by 7:30 to the fair office.**
* We will determine feed amounts once we know what they are weighing.

**Day of Show:**

* **We will start feeding at 7am, your pig will NOT be fed unless you are there.**
* Your pig can only weigh 10 Ibs below or over the declared weight on your card. If you declare a weight and your pig weighs over the 10Ibs your pig will be disqualified. So making sure you know exactly how much your pig is eating is CRITICAL!
* Water intake is also CRITICAL!
* You MUST be at the show to feed early Saturday morning. DO NOT show up at 12pm to feed when the show starts at 2:30. We will be monitoring their weight often the day of show. You must be at the fairgrounds by 7:00 am!

Please let me know if you have any further questions. ----Mrs. Webb