

GENERAL RULES FOR MARKET PROJECTS

1. All exhibitors must be bona fide Smith County 4-H or FFA member between the age of eight, and in the third grade, and nineteen years of age, and not yet graduated from high school.
2. The Smith County Youth Expo, Inc. will comply with all requirements of H.B. 72 concerning eligibility for participation in extracurricular activities. Failure of a student to comply with this requirement will result in disqualification from participating in any part of the Smith County Youth Exposition. Scholastic ineligibility by school prohibits participation by students or animal.
3. *All market animals*, excluding poultry and rabbits, *must be Texas state validated*, through Smith County. Broiler order forms should be completed and returned by deadline announced by poultry show superintendent. Market Rabbit ownership should be no later than 3 weeks before the show date. Entry forms should be completed and returned to the Smith County Youth Exposition Show by the designated due date or the exhibitor will be charged a late fee.
4. Exhibitors will be limited to the sale of two lots; exhibitors may only sell one project from each division. *ONLY BLUE RIBBON PROJECTS WILL BE SOLD!*
5. A 6% commission on all projects will be deducted from checks of projects floored or sold at auction. From this money, one picture will be bought for the buyer. If exhibitors want additional pictures, they will need to order them from the show photographer. Also, when necessary, additional money will be deducted from checks to compensate for animal shrink.
6. All SCYE exhibitors will be responsible for selling a minimum of 5 coupon books to participate in any market or open show and must have money turned in to SCYE, Inc. no later than entry deadline.
7. Friday, immediately following the sale, will be clean up at the show grounds. All exhibitors are expected to be present at cleanup.
8. Within each market animal division, a minimum of 70% of the exhibitor *RIBBONS* present will be sold. *The judge will determine the sale order. NO PROJECT DEEMED RED RIBBON BY THE JUDGE SHALL BE SOLD.*
9. The exhibitor must be present to sale their project/ribbon at SCYE. No exceptions unless approved by the SCYE Executive Board officers prior to the sale. Emergency situations will be considered separate of this rule.