

T-Town Fall Classic Steer & Heifer Show Sponsored by Upson County FFA Alumni

Saturday, November 18, 2023 @ 11:00 AM

Upson-Lee Agricultural Facility | 268 Knight Trail, Thomaston, GA 30286

Open to all Georgia 4-H & FFA members from 4th -12th grade, and we will follow the Georgia Junior Livestock Show requirements.

Entry fee: \$30 per head and must be made online by November 3, 2023
\$40 per head if registered after November 3, 2023

Barn opens: Friday, November 17th from 6-8:00 PM
Saturday, November 18th at 7:00 AM

Check-in: Saturday 8:00 - 10:00 AM

Cattle may be tied in barn. You must supply bedding. Wash racks are available.

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Upson County FFA Alumni T-Town Fall Classic Show Rules and Regulations

ELIGIBILITY FOR ENTERING: The show is open to all Georgia 4-H & FFA members from 4th -12th grade, and we will follow the Georgia Junior Livestock Show requirements.

Official health papers must accompany ALL animals.

1. The Upson-Lee FFA Alumni T-Town Fall Classic Steer and Heifer Show will be held on Saturday, November 18, 2023 at 11:00 am at the Upson-Lee Agricultural Facility, 268 Knight Trail, Thomaston, GA 30286.
2. **All online entries must be submitted by November 3, 2023** Late entry is \$40 if entered after the date.
3. Exhibitors may show off their trailer or use barn space. Generators are allowed outside the barn. Wash racks are available.
4. Cattle will be accepted on Friday, November 17th **ONLY FROM 6:00 to 8:00 pm** or Saturday, November 18th from 7:00 - 10:00 am. All calves must be on the property and checked in by 10:00 am. Check-in/Weigh-in is from 8-10 am.
5. Each steer/heifer entered must be owned, cared for, and fed by the contestant and meet Georgia 4-H and FFA Livestock requirements.

6. **SHOWMANSHIP:** Showmanship Classes will be held prior to Steer and Heifer Shows. **Exhibitors must show their own calf.** Classes will consist of the following: Senior (Grades 11 & 12), Junior (Grades 9 & 10) Novice (Grades 7 & 8), and Rookie (Grades 4 - 6). All heats will be shown in alphabetical order and divided by the show committee.

STEER QUALIFICATIONS:

- Show steer calves must be of beef conformation, dehorned, show caliber, and halter broken.
- Steers will be shown by weight. Classes will be divided as evenly into classes as possible, but final decisions will be left to the discretion of the Classification Committee.

HEIFER QUALIFICATIONS:

- Heifers must be the sole property of the exhibitor. Original registration certificates must accompany a registered heifer at the time heifers are checked in the show. If papers are not presented at check-in, they will be classified as Commercial.
- Heifers from horned breeds may be shown with horns.

CLASSIFICATION OF COMMERCIAL HEIFERS:

- Commercial heifer classes will be divided by weight

CLASSIFICATION OF REGISTERED HEIFERS:

- Registered Heifer classes will be split based on age and by Breed, if numbers permit.
 - The first and second place heifers in each class will compete for Champion and Reserve Champion of the respective breed and commercial division. Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Heifers will be selected from breed and commercial champions.
10. A contestant will be allowed to show a maximum of two steers in the steer division and/or three heifers in the heifer division. If a contestant has more than one animal in one class, only a current 4-H or FFA member will be allowed to show the second animal for the contestant.
11. No substitute showman is allowed for exhibitors that are not present at the show without prior approval of the West Central Show Committee. Any exhibitor that participates in a FFA or 4-H event that weekend will be allowed a substitute 4-H or FFA showman if the exhibitor sends a copy of the entry form for the other event.
12. Classes will be set at the discretion of the Classification Committee. Any calf that shows unruliness may be disqualified by the Judge or Classification Committee.
13. Failure to comply with all rules and regulations as set forth will result in the forfeiture of all prize money.
14. All steers/heifers will be shown at the owner's risk. The Upson-Lee FFA Alumni, County Agents, Agriculture Advisors, or any committee members will not be liable for any accidents or injuries to participants, spectators, livestock, or equipment.