2014 Tennessee Junior Market Hog Show

During the 2014 Tennessee Junior Market Hog Show, 233 4-H and FFA members exhibited 446 hogs. In addition to showing individual market hogs, there were competitions in showmanship, carcass ultra-sounding, skillathon and premier exhibitor.

The market hog show was held in conjunction with the Tennessee Pork Producers Association annual meeting. Market hog exhibitors were treated to a pizza and pool party and a barbeque lunch. The judge for the show was Warren Beeler of Caneyville, Ky.

2014 was the second year using the custom-built show ring system made by Tennessee Farmers Cooperative’s Gate Plant in LaVergne, Tennessee. A special thank you to the sponsors of the show ring: Tennessee Farmers Cooperative, Farm Credit of Mid America, Tennessee Department of Agriculture, Tennessee Livestock Producers, and the Tennessee Pork Producers Association!

Tennessee Farm Bureau Insurance sponsored the $1,000 Senior Level II and the $500 Senior Level I Premier Exhibitor scholarships. UT Department of Animal Science presented the exhibitors of the grand champion and reserve grand champion trophy award belt buckles. Farm Credit of Mid-America awarded showmanship winners with $100 cash awards. Tosh Farms, Goolsby Sausage, Pig Improvement Company, and Zoetis sponsored premium awards for champion and reserve champion hogs. Other sponsors of the 2014 Market Hog Show include Tennessee Farmers Cooperative, Tennessee Department of Agriculture, Tennessee Pork Producers Association, Jonathan Pierce, Dr. Dwight Loveday, Prater Show Pigs, Carr Brothers, Reese Brothers Mule Company, UT Department of Animal Science and UT Extension.

The second annual Tennessee Junior Market Hog Show Photography Contest was held this year with 45 photographs entered.

Winners included:
Ella McLerran, Clay County
Isaiah Osborne, Williamson County
Sydney Lamb, Williamson County
Beau Larrance, Jefferson County
Cora Key, Clay County
Allison Greene, Hancock County

This year the “Most Liked Facebook Photo Contest” was held after the show. This year’s winner was Andrew Boles from Clay County with 193 likes on this photo “The Chase”.

For the carcass show, a total of 114 hogs were ultrasounded by agent Jerri Lynn Sims and Dr. Dwight Loveday.

Top 10 Carcass
Champion Carcass: Austin Parker, Sumner County
Reserve Champion: Carcass: Chris Stanley, Williamson County
3rd – Cassie McConkey, Loudon County
4th – Grayce Bow, Cumberland County
5th – Liam Allen, Williamson County
6th – Lincoln Hart, Beldsoe County
7th – Heath Kimes, Clay County
8th – Wesley Trew, Polk County
9th – Abigail Bartholomew, Henderson County
10th – Wyatt Burks, Clay County

Show Results:
Explorer Showmanship
Champion – Brock Trew, Polk County
Reserve Champion – Parker Saum, McNairy County

Junior Showmanship
Champion – Madisyn Harris, Loudon County
Reserve Champion – Grace Rich, Clay County

Junior High Showmanship
Champion – Abigail Bartholomew, Henderson County
Reserve Champion – Garrett Franklin, Clay County

Senior I Showmanship
Champion – Colin Stanley, Williamson County
Reserve Champion – Jared Hart, Bledsoe County

Senior II Showmanship
Champion – Hannah Berny, Williamson County
Reserve Champion – Ethan Springer, Williamson County

Explorer Skillathon
1st – Will Dodson, Clay County
2nd – Matthew Bass, Rutherford County
3rd – Hannah Sanders, Warren County
4th – Andrew Burks, Clay County
5th – John Buyl Neely, Rutherford County

Junior Skillathon
1st – Wyatt Burks, Clay County
2nd – Ella McLerran, Clay County
3rd – Tristan Shirley, Rutherford County
4th – Jaden Mertz, Clay County
5th – Madisyn Harris, Loudon County

Junior High Skillathon
1st – Heath Kimes, Clay County
2nd – Emily Johnson, Loudon County
3rd – Joseph Jolin, Clay County
4th – John Vermillion, Roane County
5th – Jeana Romies, Sumner County

Senior I Skillathon
1st – Haley Brazel, Sumner County
2nd – Cora Key, Clay County
3rd – Luci Allen, Macon County
4th – Tyler Haley, Williamson County
5th – Colin Stanley, Williamson County

**Senior II Skillathon**
1st – Jacquelyn Jolin, Clay County
2nd – Chris Stanley, Williamson County
3rd – Clay Prater, Warren County
4th – Andrew Boles, Clay County
5th – Whitney Morrow, Polk County

**Explorer Premier Exhibitor**
1st – Will Dodson, Clay County
2nd – Brock Trew, Polk County
3rd – Andrew Burks, Clay County
4th – John Burly Neely, Rutherford County
5th – Matthew Bass, Rutherford County

**Junior Premier Exhibitor**
1st – Grace Rich, Clay County
2nd – Carson Pope, Smith County
3rd – Erica Cantrell, Warren County
4th – Abbigail Collins, Clay County
5th – Madisyn Harris, Loudon County

**Junior High Premier Exhibitor**
1st – Heath Kimes, Clay County
2nd – Garrett Franklin, Clay County
3rd – Tristan Pope, Smith County
4th – Kade Allen, Macon County
5th – Clark Donaldson, Clay County

**Senior I Premier Exhibitor**
1st – Cora Key, Clay County
2nd – Luci Allen, Macon County
3rd – Caleb Latham, McMinn County
4th – Annabelle Goodman, Williamson County
5th – Haley Brazel, Sumner County

**Senior II Premier Exhibitor**
1st – Chris Stanley, Williamson County
2nd – Andrew Boles, Clay County
3rd – Clay Prater, Warren County
4th – Hannah Berny, Williamson County
5th – Jacquelyn Jolin, Clay County

**Market Hog Show Results**
Division I Champion – Brock Trew, Polk County
Division I Reserve Champion – Parker Saum, McNairy County
Division II Champion - Jedidiah Coley, Macon County
Division II Reserve Champion – Heath Kimes, Clay County
Division III Champion - Cora Key, Clay County
Division III Reserve Champion – Kade Allen, Macon County
Division IV Champion – Jared Hart, Bledsoe County
Division IV Reserve Champion – Jedidiah Coley, Macon County

**Champion Market Hog**
Jared Hart, Bledsoe County

**Reserve Champion Market Hog**
Cora Key, Clay County