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2027 SHOW PALS LIVESTOCK SHOW
in conjunction with the Youth Swine Show and Youth Dairy Goat Show

The Florida State Fair Agribusiness Department is proud to announce the expansion of SHOW PALS LIVESTOCK SHOW. For the 2027 Florida State Fair, Show Pals Livestock Show will be a part of the Youth Swine Show on February 6th from 2 pm to 3 pm and the Youth Dairy Goat Show on February 11th from 6 pm to 7 pm.

This event is designed for youth with a permanent physical or intellectual disability (documented by an Individual Education Plan), who are interested in participating in a youth livestock show. These students will be paired with a 2027 Youth Show exhibitor and will be able to work with that exhibitor to be able to walk their animal into the show ring for judging. The Youth Exhibitor and their Show Pal will work together for about 30 minutes, so everyone is comfortable with the judging process.

The Swine Show Pals will be limited to 20 participants and the Dairy Goat Show Pals will be limited to 20 participants each. Registration will close as soon as limits are reached. Registration will be on a first-come, first-served basis.

SWINE SHOW SCHEDULE – FEBRUARY 6, 2027

Arrival and check-in for Show Pals Livestock Show ..... 1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Show Pals will work with Youth Exhibitors..... 2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Show Pals Livestock Show..... 2:30 p.m.

DAIRY GOAT SHOW SCHEDULE – FEBRUARY 11, 2027

Arrival and check-in for Show Pals Livestock Show ..... 5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Show Pals will work with Youth Exhibitors..... 6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Show Pals Livestock Show..... 6:30 p.m.

Tickets - Each Show Pal participant will receive 3 admission passes and 1 parking pass to the Fair for them to enjoy the fair for all their hard work. Admission Passes will be emailed to participants prior to the Fair.

Arrival – Directions and Maps will be emailed to each participant prior to the Fair.
Check-in for the Show Pals Swine Show will begin in the Farm Credit Show Arena at 1:30 pm.
Check-in for the Show Pals Dairy Goat Show will begin in the Goat/Sheep tent at 5:30 pm.

Assistance – We will work with each participant to make sure they are comfortable with this process. The Youth Swine and Youth Dairy Goat committee will be there to assist them in any way needed. We want to make this event as much fun as possible.

Awards – Participants will receive prizes for all their hard work.

Please let us know if you have any questions or need further information.

We are looking forward to celebrating all these youngsters!!

Entry Due Date – January 11th
Email: AG@FloridaStateFair.com
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Scan to Register