



The Palmetto State Shutdown Show is a four day event consisting of rabbit, beef cattle, market goats, market lambs, dairy cattle and dogs. These shows are open to youth from across the state. This is the first year we are hosting this show. The show has been organized as a replacement for the SC State Fair Junior Livestock Show. The SC State Fair has cancelled all of its youth livestock shows usually held at the fair in October every year. This show will be held Wednesday, October 28th thru Saturday, October 31st in the Laurens County Exchange Building at the Laurens County Fairgrounds (137 Fairgrounds Rd., Laurens, SC). Our show schedule includes:

Wednesday, October 28th
Youth Dog Show, 5:00pm
Thursday, October 29th
Youth Rabbit Show, 5:00pm
Friday, October 30th
Youth Beef Show 5:00pm
Saturday, October 31st
Youth Market Lamb Show 9:00am
Youth Market Goat Show 10:00am
Youth Dairy Show 5:00pm

This year the Laurens County Cattleman's Association along with members of the SC Meat Goat Project are working diligently to raise funding to put on the biggest shutdown show possible. Without support from the Lauren's County Cattleman, statewide businesses and livestock show families this show would not be possible. We need your help to provide the youth in South Carolina a State Livestock Show. ***We request that you give a monetary donation to help with our mission to produce educational and learning experiences in agriculture for the youth of our state. Donations for show prizes and awards are also welcome. To ensure you get your organization's name into our event program book and Backdrop please have your donation and donation form submitted by October 15, 2020.*** Please make your check payable to LCCA or SCMGP and mail it to Ellington Willis, 1118 Greenpond Rd, Fountain Inn, SC 29644.

We hope you and your family will attend the Palmetto State Shutdown Shows! Admission is FREE, so be sure to come and support the youth and their involvement in the livestock industry. Please contact ellingtonhamrick@gmail.com or 864-490-6022 (Ellington) with any questions.

Thank you for your support!
Ellington Willis, SC Meat Goat Project President
John Irwin, Laurens County Cattleman's Association President



Donation Form:

Name of Person, Farm or Business: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Telephone Number: (_____) _____ - _____

Email Address: _____

I wish to donate in the following way (please check one):

- Show Supporter <\$100

Person, Farm or Business Name listed in event program book.

- Class Sponsor- \$100

Small Business Size Ad posted in the event program book.

Person, Farm or Business Name announced at show during class.

- Silver Show Sponsor- \$200-\$499

Half Page Size Ad posted in the event program book and name on Backdrop.

Person, Farm or Business Name announced during all of the shows. The opportunity to hang a banner no larger than 2X5 feet.

- Gold Show Sponsor-\$500 and above

Full Page Size Ad posted in the event program book and name on Backdrop.

Person, Farm or Business Name announced during all of the shows. The opportunity to hang a banner in the show ring

Banners must be sent to Ellington Willis at least 2 days prior to the show start date. To ensure you get your name or business name into to our event program book please have your donation and donation form submitted by October 15, 2020.

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Palmetto Shutdown Show

C/O Ellington Willis 1118 Greenpond Road, Fountain Inn, SC 29644

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