# **DEPARTMENT • 35**

## ANTIQUE TRACTOR RESTORATION

Judge - Raymond A Kauffman, Millersville, PA; Landis Zimmerman, Ephrata, PA Chair - Carole Fay, Palmyra, PA

Entries must be PRE-ENTERED

ENTRY FORMS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE:

www.pafaa.org/Assocation, PA Farm Show Documents

Tractors may also participate in the Farm Show Antique Tractor Pull subject to the rules found at:

https://www.media.pa.gov/pages/Agriculture\_details.aspx?newsid=861

Appropriate entry forms can be downloaded and completed application must be sent to Attn: Department 35, c/o Mike Brammer, 2301 N. Cameron St., Harrisburg, PA 17110.

Entries close June 1, 2019

## Subject & Eligibility

- 1. Theme "Antique Tractor Restoration."
- This is a competition event for the FFA Chapters within the state of Pennsylvania. All projects shall be designed and created by the members of the FFA Chapter. Participation is limited to 15 FFA Chapters.
- 3. Each FFA Chapter will be required to give one live, 15-minute presentation on the Lancaster Farming stage in the Exposition Hall on Saturday, January 11, 2020, and produce a four- to six-minute video.
- 4. Each FFA Chapter must display their restored Antique Tractor at the 2020 PA Farm Show. In addition, Farm Show will provide Velcro trifold boards. Total size is 6 feet wide by 3 feet high. Each of the three panels is 2 feet wide by 3 feet high. Each chapter is responsible for setting up and tearing down the trifold displays and returning the display boards to their proper storage.
- The tractors used cannot have been carried as an FFA Farm Show Project in past years.
- 6. FFA Chapters who have an intent to participate must submit the application and a one-page project plan by mail to: Attn: Department 35, c/o Mike Brammer, 2301 N. Cameron St., Harrisburg, PA 17110 by May 1, 2019. Accepted FFA Chapters will be notified by May 20, 2019.

#### Rules

- 1. Tractors must have been manufactured in 1975 or earlier and have an internal combustion engine.
- 2. Restoration may be completed by an individual or a group of students.
- 3. Each Pennsylvania FFA Chapter may enter one tractor.
- 4. Information must be gathered and obtained upon procuring the tractor. This information must include photos, location it was found, and the previous owners (if known).
- 5. Documentation on restoration project must also be gathered and submitted. This documentation must include photos, narrative, and expenses. Participants must journal their involvement using the AET recordkeeping system.
- 6. Create a four- to six-minute video of the restoration process, including the end result and the tractor running. Follow the directions from Lancaster Farming How to Upload a Video. Completed presentations must be uploaded here.
- 7. Submit your completed SAE book.
- 8. Display your tractor, information, and documentation at the PA Farm Show. Electricity will not be available for displays.
- **9.** Complete an on-stage presentation during the PA Farm Show.
- 10. Complete and submit the Lancaster Farming questionnaire about your project. The details provided by the questionnaire will be developed into an article and published in Lancaster Farming prior to Farm Show.

### **Presentation**

- 1. Each FFA Chapter will be required to give one live, 15-minute presentation on stage in the Exposition Hall beginning at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday, January 11, 2020. The Awards Presentation will be at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, January 11, 2020 on the Exposition Hall stage.
- 2. The presentation should include but not be limited to: an introduction to the topic, what was learned through the project undertaken, and end with a request for questions from the audience. Students are encouraged to utilize the video that they have created intermittently throughout their presentation.
- 3. Exhibitors must correspond with the Department Chairperson to make arrangements for presentation schedule.
- 4. Video must be completed by December 11, 2019, and submitted to Lancaster Farming.

**Awards** 

PREMIUMS: ALL PARTICIPANTS \$200

SPECIAL AWARDS: Presented by Lancaster Farming and the Friends of Farm Show Foundation

ALL PARTICIPANTS
BEST OF SHOW
MOST AUTHENTIC
BEST VIDEO
MOST IMPROVED
BEST PRESENTATION
BEST RECORD BOOK
\$600 & Silk banners
\$250 & Walnut Plaque
\$250 & Walnut Plaque
\$250 & Walnut Plaque
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