



2026 Jackson County Youth Fair Calf Scramble

Thursday, October 8th @ Brackenridge Recreation Complex Main Event Center

REGISTRATION IS ONLINE ONLY AT
JACKSON.FAIRWIRE.COM

Calf Scramble Rules and Regulations

1. Participants must be a 2026 registered Livestock Exhibitor, high school student, and a member in good standing with Jackson County 4-H or FFA.
2. **Entry Fee is \$25 per participant. Entry fee is non-refundable.**
3. Cash awards will be given as a reimbursement of Livestock Exhibitor expenses on their 2026 Livestock Project. Applicable receipts will have to be turned in to redeem the cash award. The 1st participant who catches and brings a calf across the line will be awarded a **belt buckle** along with a **\$600.00** cash reimbursement price. The 2nd place = **\$400.00** cash reimbursement price and 3rd place **\$200.00** cash reimbursement price.
4. **Parent or legal guardian must sign in the presence of a notary, the “consent for minor to participate” portion of the Jackson County Calf Scramble Entry form.**
5. Incomplete entry forms will not be accepted.
6. Completed entry forms must be mailed to the Jackson County Youth Fair, PO Box 457, Edna, TX 77957, no later than Tuesday, October 6th, or turned in to Fair Office at BRC, to be considered eligible to participate in the calf scramble.
7. Number of Scramblers to scramble will be at the committee’s discretion.
8. **All scramble contestants and parents/legal guardians must attend the mandatory “Roll Call” and meeting at 5:45 p.m. in the Meeting Room located near the BRC Main Office on October 8th.**
9. Calf Scramble participants will go to the Main Arena as a group.

The JCYF Calf Scramble Committee reserves the authority to determine the number of eligible participants, calves and awards.

The Jackson County Youth Fair and its members will not be responsible for any accident that may occur to any participant in the Calf Scramble; before, during, or after the Jackson County Youth Fair.

BRC Main Arena JCYF Calf Scramble Rules

1. Participants must wear appropriate attire and running shoes. No jewelry.
2. Participants will be using rope halters that are supplied by the JCYF Calf Scramble Committee.
3. Halters cannot be used as a lariat.
4. Halters must be placed on the head of the animal in the usual way. (It is suggested that the supervisors of all participants instruct them of the proper use of rope halter and how to place it on the head of calf before coming to the show to participate in the scramble).
5. At no time will participants be permitted, to tie the rope/halter to his/her body or belt.
6. Each participant will attempt to catch and halter one of the calves released.
7. The participant catching a calf is required to lead it across the finish line without aide.
8. If a participant has hold of a calf, no other participants will be allowed to touch the calf until it breaks away.
9. If a participant catches the calf by the tail, he or she will be allowed a reasonable amount of time to work around to the calf's head: otherwise, the referee/committeeman will order them to let the calf go.
10. If two or more participants catch the same calf, the calf will be turned lose.
11. A participant who secures and properly halters a calf and leads it across the finish line will be a winner, when so indicated by the committee/referee.
12. Undue roughness will not be allowed.
13. Poor sportsmanship automatically disqualifies scramble contestant.
14. All Jackson County Youth Fair Calf Scramble winners will take pictures with sponsors and other winners immediately following Calf Scramble contest at Photo area next to stage.

****IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE
JCYF CALF SCRAMBLE,
THE ENTRY MUST BE COMPLETED ONLINE AND
CONSENT FOR MINOR TO PARTICIPATE
NEED TO BE COMPLETED AND
TURNED IN TO THE FAIR OFFICE
BY THE DEADLINE!**

**JACKSON COUNTY YOUTH FAIR
CALF SCRAMBLE
ENTRY FORM**



**MINOR'S RELEASE, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND
INDEMNITY AGREEMENT**

All information on this form must be entered into the Online Registration Portal or minor will not be considered for Calf Scramble participation. **Minor agrees to abide by all rules and regulations printed in the Calf Scramble Rules.**

Registration must be completed by Thursday, October 8 at 4PM. The following information is needed to register online and the last page must be printed and brought to the event for Notary Signature and Verification.

Contestant's Name

Home Address

City, State, Zip

Phone

Date of Birth

Grade in School

School Name

Height Weight

Club/Chapter Name

Current Livestock Project

Parent /Guardian Name

Parent/Guardian Cell phone #

ANYONE ACCOMPANYING A SCRAMBLER MUST PURCHASE TICKET AT GATE IN ORDER TO BE ADMITTED INTO THE JCYF.

If you have any questions, please contact Justin Bonnot 361-781-4980.

**JACKSON COUNTY YOUTH FAIR
CALF SCRAMBLE
CONSENT FOR MINOR TO PARTICIPATE**

For the purpose of enabling _____, a minor child of the age of _____ to participate in the Jackson County Youth Fair Calf Scramble, I, _____, do hereby agree and consent that the aforesaid minor child may participate in the Jackson County Youth Fair Calf Scramble competition held during the annual Jackson County Youth Fair in Edna, Jackson County, Texas. I further warrant that I am the natural parent of, or the legal guardian of the aforesaid minor child, and that this consent and waiver is freely and voluntarily given by me, and with having read and the knowledge of the Scramble Rules and Regulations and BRC Main Arena Rules.

For myself and for the aforesaid minor child, I hereby release, waive, discharge and indemnify, and forever hold harmless the Jackson County Youth Fair, Inc., Fair Board and Committee Members, Lavaca-Navidad River Authority, and Brackenridge Recreation Complex and Main Event Center and/or any employees of, each and all (herein sometimes collectively called the "Organizers") from any and all liabilities and/or damages, however caused and whatever nature, to us and/or to the aforesaid minor child resulting from his or her participation in the Calf Scramble Competition during the Jackson County Youth Fair.

I further agree that in all suits and actions which may hereafter be instituted by said minor in connection with participating in the Calf Scramble Competition, this consent shall constitute and be a complete and total bar to any recovery by us (whether acting on behalf of ourselves personally or as next friend, etc. of the aforesaid minor child), by such minor child and by me; and that the Organizers (either alone or together) may urge and take advantage of, in bar to any recovery by us (acting in any capacity), by such minor child or by me, all and singular the defense which might be urged and taken advantage of by them (either alone or together) in bar to recovery by said minor in any suit instituted on account of such injuries, for the benefit of said minor alone (including the defense of this consent).

Exhibitor's Signature: _____
Date

Exhibitor's Printed Name: _____

State of Texas
County of _____

This instrument was acknowledged before me on _____, 20____
for _____.

Notary Public's Signature

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: _____
Date

Parent/Legal Guardian Printed Name: _____

State of Texas
County of _____

This instrument was acknowledged before me on _____, 20____
for _____.

Notary Public's Signature