



# 2024 Lonestar Fiesta Nacho Average Llama & Alpaca Show

Dual Sanctioned ALSA & ILR Halter and Performance

**SCLA Sponsored**

**May 3 - 5, 2024  
Heart of Texas Fairgrounds  
4601 Bosque Blvd.  
Waco, Texas**

## **JUDGES**

Mark Smith  
Tor Sorenson

**Entry Deadline – April 15, 2024**

## **HEALTH REQUIREMENTS**

All animals must have an official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued by an accredited veterinarian, dated within 30 days of the show. All CVI must show a detailed record of tests given each animal, date of test, name and registry number of llama. In addition, verification that non-breeders are geldings, vasectomized males or spayed females should be noted on the face of the COVI. NOTE: If you are traveling from out-of-state, be sure to check the requirements for any states you may be traveling through.

## **ENTRIES & FEES**

All entries should be mailed to **Courtnee Onsager, 1161 Red Corral Ranch Rd, Wimberley, Texas 78676**. Entry Fees, forms and copies of ALSA membership card and llama registration papers must be included. Checks should be made out to South Central Llama Association (SCLA).

**You are automatically entered in the ILR-SD and ALSA shows**

## **ENTRY FEES MUST BE PAID FOR ALL ANIMALS BROUGHT TO THIS SHOW.**

Entry Forms must be filled out correctly and in full. All llamas entered in the show MUST be registered with the International Llama Registry (ILR) or the Canadian Livestock Record Corporation (CLRC), except as noted. A copy of ILR registration papers for all animals listed must accompany the entry form. The only exceptions are: non-breeder llamas (unless points are desired); llamas used only in youth classes. Registration papers must be mailed with entry form for verification of name and age. Failure to meet this requirement prohibits entry in the show. All llamas must be entered in the exact name and registration number as shown on their registration certificate. The ALSA number for llamas recorded with ALSA for point accumulation must be provided to Show Management.

Entries in the Youth Division should be made in the name of the Youth Handler, not the llama. Only wool classification may be changed after the entries close. Make sure to enter your llamas in all classes in which you want them shown. Animals may be scratched from a class until time to enter the staging area.

## **GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS**

By application for entry to the Show, each exhibitor certifies that all entries are in accordance with the rules and regulations of ALSA/ILR-SD and that the exhibitor agrees to be governed by these rules.

Any exhibitor or spectator who is abusive or who demonstrates bad sportsmanship toward the judge, show personal or any other exhibitor will be dismissed by the show management.

## **CLASSES**

A list of classes is enclosed. The final schedule will be announced at the Exhibitor Meeting. Take care to choose the correct class number for the class or classes in which you wish to enter your animal(s). NOTE: Animals may only be entered in one division of a class. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to enter the correct class division.

## **YOUTH CLASSES**

Youth classes are open to any and all youth, 7 through 18 years of age (as of January 1, 2024). For ALSA classes, any Youth who turns 7 during the year is eligible to show as of his/her birthday. The same llama may be entered in a Youth class OR a non-youth (Novice or Advance) class, but not both.

### **Youth Age Categories**

Junior 7 through 11 years

Intermediate 12 through 14 years

Senior 15 through 18 years

(Age divisions may be combined if there are fewer than 8 total entries in any two of the age categories.)

## **HALTER CLASSES**

You must show your llama(s) in the AGE Halter Class and the Wool Length Halter Class in which it qualifies. Wool, Sex & Age and class divisions are listed below. NOTE: EXHIBITORS MUST SEND A COPY OF ILR REGISTRATION WITH THEIR ENTRY TO COMPETE IN HALTER CLASSES. Base date for computing age of animal is May 5, 2024.

## **WOOL DIVISIONS**

Shorn Llamas – Shorn llamas must be shown in the wool division in which they would have been shown prior to shearing. Shearing is recommended as it is still warm in September.

## **CLASS DIVISIONS**

### **PACK CLASSES**

Each exhibitor must provide his/her own pack. ALSA rules require packs to have a minimum of two body cinches with saddle. Supply your own weights. You will be on the honor system as pack will not be weighed. The panniers are to be bulged out with newspaper to give the appearance of a full pack. Llamas 5 to 36 months old must carry a pack system or training pack filled with lightweight material to simulate a full pack. Llamas 36 months or older must have a pack with removable panniers and carry a minimum weight of 20 lbs.

### **YOUTH PACK CLASSES**

The llama must be 5 months or older and carry a two-cinch pack. Panniers do not have to be removable – up to 36 months, only lightweight material. Llamas over 36 months may carry up to 20 lbs. in the Intermediate and Senior classes.

## **PERFORMANCE CLASSES**

Performance classes are designed to present or simulate conditions and obstacles that could be encountered in certain situations where llamas are required to perform. These classes should demonstrate the intelligence and versatility of the llama and the rapport between animal and handler. Llamas may only be shown in one Performance Division: Masters, Advanced, Novice, or Youth.

Pack llamas 5 to 36 months carry no weight. Llamas 36 months and over must carry 20 lbs. Intermediate and Senior Youth, the llama may carry weigh up to 20 lbs. if the animal is 36 months of age and older.

## **BEING LATE**

Exhibitors are encouraged to be prompt for each of their classes during show time. Announcements will be made to have classes proceed to the holding area at the show arena. Once the class has entered the arena, late exhibitors may not enter the class. Handlers are encouraged to take all animals to the "facilities" provided in the holding area BEFORE they enter the show ring. Let's all try to keep the ring clean for showing!!