

Feeding Management

Memo

To:	Agricultural Science Teachers / County Extension Agents
From:	Karl Hengst Managing Director, Livestock Competitions
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Date:	May 18, 2015
Re:	2016 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo [™] Junior Commercial Steer Contest

The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo [™] will be limiting the number of the exhibitors for the 2016 Junior Commercial Steer Feeding Management Contest. This decision was made due to facility and time limitations we have to conduct this contest. The first 175 exhibitors to submit an intent form will have a space reserved in the contest.

For 2016, an electronic intent form will be available on the Rodeo Houston website. Electronic submission of intent forms will be available the first week of July and remain open until 175 intent forms have been received or October 1, 2015, the deadline for original scale tickets to be submitted, whichever comes first. Once an exhibitor has received confirmation of the intent form being received, exhibitors may purchase steers and mail in original scale tickets for the 2016 Junior Commercial Steer Feeding Management Contest. Each pen of steers will consist of 3 steers as in past years.

Additional information regarding the entry intent form will be sent electronically to AST/CEA's and past Junior Commercial Steer exhibitors in June. The information will include instructions for the entry intent form submission, the link to the submission page, and the date and time that the form will be available.

Should you have any new exhibitors for 2016 that you would like to add to the contact list, please email their information to <u>livestock@rodeohouston.com</u> with the subject line of "New JCS Exhibitor".