TO: Special Education Program Representatives

The Montgomery County Fair Association is preparing for the 66th Annual Fair and Rodeo. In an effort to involve all county youth, we have a very special day at the Fair--the Sunshine Day Field Trip and Sunshine Day Show--set for Friday, March 24, 2023!!

The Sunshine Day Field Trip is an action-packed opportunity for your group to come to the first day of the fair, see the animals, ride free carnival rides, enjoy a complimentary lunch and take part in many other activities! The best part is… admittance, lunch and the rides are FREE!

Online registration for the field trip is NOW OPEN. Visit https://mcfa.org/events/sunshine-day-field-trip-show/ and click the 'Register' button. Complete and submit the online form, and you are all done!

A few weeks prior to the field trip, we'll have a packet ready for you with information including maps, entertainment, lunch details and armbands required for gate admittance. An email will go out to all classes registered with details on getting your information packet from the Fair Office.

In addition to the field trip, your group members are encouraged to participate in our Sunshine Day Show!! In the Sunshine Day Show, the participants compete in age groups:

Division I- ages 5-14
Division II- ages 15-21
Division III ages 22 and older.

The seven (7) categories they may enter include: Baked Goods, Arts, Handicrafts, Woodcraft, Creative Arts, Horticulture and Photography. In each of the categories and in all three divisions, the following is awarded:

Grand Champion - $350
Reserve Champion - $325
3rd Place - $300

If your exhibitor places in the top 3, he/she will receive all of the money except for a nominal fee for pictures. One of these pictures will be for the exhibitor and one for the buyer. The Awards Presentation for these prize-winning entries is Monday, March 28, 2022, at 4:30 PM; the student meets the buyer of the project, and each are recognized!

If you will have participants in the show, the following will need to be completed:

1. Fill out the Exhibitor Entry Form for each participant. Please include the exhibitor's contact number on this form. Their number is only used if the Fair Office needs to make contact for unclaimed checks or pictures after the show.
2. Fill out the Group Summary Form to submit with entries, we will use this to confirm and double-check entries when submitted.
3. All forms may be scanned and emailed to info@mcfa.org or mailed to MCFA at P.O. Box 869, Conroe, TX 77305.

Visit https://mcfa.org/events/sunshine-day-field-trip-show/ to find the Entry and Group Summary forms required to enter your students into the Sunshine Day Show.

Please note, you do not have to participate in the show in order to bring your students to the Fair on Friday to enjoy the day. Please call the Fair Office with any questions.

Sincerely,
The Montgomery County Fair Association