

Morgan County Junior 4-H Dairy Judging Team Captures First and the Senior 4-H Dairy Judging Team places Third at State Dairy Judging Contest

The Morgan County Junior 4-H Junior Dairy Judging Team finished as Georgia Champions at the State 4-H Dairy Judging Contest held on Friday, April 8th in Athens. The Junior team was first placing ahead of Gordon, Oconee, and Burke Counties. The Morgan County Junior Team (4th through 8th grade) was composed of team members: Allison Bell, James Cagle, Constance Johnson, Hunter Moon, Jay Moon, Ben Porter, Will Porter, and Will Woodard. Ben Porter was named High Individual in the Junior contest with Constance Johnson finishing 3rd and Will Porter finishing 5th individually.

In the State Senior 4-H Judging Contest Morgan County placed third behind Putnam and Oconee Counties. The Morgan County Senior 4-H Team (8th thru 12th grade) was composed of Katelin Benkoski, Victoria Cagle, Bryce Kiepper, and Claire Woodard. Katelin Benkoski was 2nd high individual in the Senior Contest.

There were 52 contestants on 9 teams in the 4-H Junior and Senior Contests, which judged 5 classes of Holstein and Brown Swiss cattle. The Senior 4-H judges gave 3 sets of oral reasons in justification of their placings and the Junior 4-H judges gave 1 set of oral reasons. The State 4-H Dairy Judging Contest was held at the Livestock Teaching Arena in Athens, in conjunction with the UGA Spring Dairy Show.



The Georgia Champions in Junior 4-H Dairy Judging from Morgan County

The Georgia Third Place Senior 4-H Dairy Judging Team from Morgan County

