

2022 Southern Regional Dairy Challenge		
November 17-19, 2022		
North Carolina State University and University of Mount Olive		Holiday Inn & Conference Center Charlotte Airport 2707 Little Rock Road Charlotte, NC 28214 <a href="http://www.hicharlotteairport.com">www.hicharlotteairport.com</a>
Activities will be held at Holiday Inn Conference Center unless noted otherwise		ver111322
Schedule of Events		
Dates and Times (all times are Eastern Time Zone)	Event	
<b>Thursday, November 17</b>		
2:00-4:00 PM	Pre-Challenge dairy tour	Piedmont Research Station 8530 Sherril's Ford Rd Salisbury, NC 28147 <a href="https://www.ncagr.gov/research/prs.htr">https://www.ncagr.gov/research/prs.htr</a>
4:00 PM	Hotel check-in	Holiday Inn Charlotte Airport
4:00- 10:15 PM	Dairy Challenge Central & IT	Wright Bros C
5:30-6:00 PM	Contest registration: Dairy Challenge Central	Wright Bros C
6:00 PM	Dinner & Welcome – Stephanie Ward and Heather Glennon	Earhart ABC
6:30 PM	Group activity/ice breaker	
6:45 PM	Mentors meeting – Dave Whitlock	Kitty Hawk
7:00 PM	Key financial indicators	Earhart ABC
7:00 PM	Volunteer meeting	Orr Boardroom
7:40 PM	When the boots hit the ground	Earhart ABC
8:00 PM	Data distribution	Earhart ABC
	Coaches meeting	Kitty Hawk
	Judges meeting	Orr Boardroom
10:00 PM	Instructions and review Friday schedule	Earhart ABC
<b>Friday, November 18</b>		
6:00-8:00 AM	Breakfast available	The Hub Bar & Grill at Holiday Inn
9:00 AM - 6:00 PM	Dairy Challenge Central	Wright Bros C
6:30 AM	Instructions – All students and coaches must be present	Earhart ABC
6:45 AM	Depart for farm	Hotel lobby
8:00 AM	Contest teams and judges arrive at dairies Group photo - 15 min Dairy managers welcome teams, provide overview and guidelines - 2 hours On-site assessment of contest dairies - 20 min All teams gather with dairy managers for group interview with judges observing	
10:15 AM	Question and answer session with farm owners	
10:35 AM	Distribute boxed lunches, depart for hotel	
12:00 PM	Teams and Judges return	Holiday Inn
12:15 - 5:30 PM	Judge presentation prep	Orr Boardroom
12:15 - 5:30 PM	Team presentation prep in hotel rooms	
2:00 - 2:30 PM	Teams 1-5 interviews with farm management - all team members should be present	Earhart ABC
2:30 - 3:00 PM	Teams 6-10 interviews with farm management - all team members should be present	Earhart ABC
3:00 - 3:30 PM	Judges' interviews with farm management	
2:00-4:00 PM	IT and Resource Room: coffee, donated snacks available	Suite 246
6:00 PM	Collection of team presentations - upload to Dropbox AND return USB to IT 246	Suite 246
	Collection of Judge presentation - upload to Dropbox AND return USB to IT 246	Suite 246
7:00-9:00 PM	Student/Sponsor Dinner and Networking	Queen Park Social Club - <a href="https://www.queenparksocial.com/">https://www.queenparksocial.com/</a> 4125 Yancy Road Charlotte, NC 28217

Saturday, November 19		
6:00-10:00 AM	Breakfast available	The Hub Bar & Grill at Holiday Inn
6:00-11:00 AM	Hotel check-out	
6:00 AM – 3:30 PM	Dairy Challenge Central	Wright Bros C
7:00 AM	Volunteer meeting (meet with prep room volunteers Fri night)	Earhart A
7:00 AM	Judges meeting	Earhart C
6:30 AM	Team 1 prep room	Orr Boardroom
	Team 6 prep room	Lindbergh
7:30 AM	Team 1 presentation	Earhart A
	Team 6 presentation	Earhart C
	Team 2 prep room	Orr Boardroom
	Team 7 prep room	Lindbergh
8:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Debriefing	Earhart B
8:30 AM	Sponsors set up displays	Kittyhawk Lobby
8:30 AM	Team 2 presentation	Earhart A
	Team 7 presentation	Earhart C
	Team 3 prep room	Orr Boardroom
	Team 8 prep room	Lindbergh
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM	Sponsor Displays	Kittyhawk Lobby
9:30 AM	Team 3 presentation	Earhart A
	Team 8 presentation	Earhart C
	Team 4 prep room	Orr Boardroom
	Team 9 prep room	Lindbergh
10:30 AM	Team 4 presentation	Earhart A
	Team 9 presentation	Earhart C
	Team 5 prep room	Orr Boardroom
	Team 10 prep room	Lindbergh
11:30 AM	Team 5 presentation	Earhart A
	Team 10 presentation	Earhart C
11:30 AM - 1:30 PM	Lunch available	Kittyhawk
12:30 PM - 1:15 PM	Lunch break for judges	Kittyhawk
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Educational programming for all teams	Earhart ABC
1:15 PM	Judges finalize scoring for awards and meet with host farm	Orr Boardroom
2:00 PM	Judges' presentation to students	Earhart ABC
2:30 PM	Recognition and awards	Earhart ABC
3:00 PM	Depart for home	