



# News Release

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### **Festival's Mosaic Youth Steer Showmanship Contest Exhibitors win top honors**

PLANT CITY, Fla. (March 11, 2023) – Exhibitors in the Florida Strawberry Festival's Mosaic Youth Steer Showmanship Contest competed against one another last night to find the event's top showman.

In the showmanship contest, which takes place in the Patterson Co. Livestock Arena in the Grimes Family Agricultural Center, exhibitors are judged on their ability to present their animals to the judge. They are separated into three categories based on age: senior, intermediate or junior.

In the senior division, Morgan Walls placed first.

In the intermediate division, Brielee Bedenbaugh placed first.

In the junior division, Bella Ballard placed first.

The Mosaic Youth Steer Sale will take place Saturday, March 11 at 7 p.m.

### **About the Florida Strawberry Festival**

The Florida Strawberry Festival is an 11-day community event celebrating the strawberry harvest of Eastern Hillsborough County. Each year, more than 600,000 visitors enjoy the festival's headline entertainment, youth livestock shows, exhibits of commerce and, of course, its strawberry shortcake. The 2024 Florida Strawberry Festival will take place February 29 through March 10 in Plant City, Fla. For more information, visit [www.flstrawberryfestival.com](http://www.flstrawberryfestival.com), Facebook, Instagram and Twitter (#berryfest24).

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