

DIVISION 4 YOUTH BEEF CATTLE

Superintendent: Paul Robakiewicz • Co-Superintendent: Lisa Preuss

Show Time: Wednesday - 7:00 p.m.

Stall Fee: \$3.00 per head

Rules:

1. See General Dairy and Livestock Rules.
2. See General Rules Dairy, Livestock and Horse Division, Rule #20 for Bovine Tuberculosis testing and movement requirements.
3. An exhibitor may not show more than one animal per class except where progeny necessitates duplication and market ribbon classes, where two may then be shown. Premiums paid only on one animal, if duplicate entries in a class.
4. All steers must be dehorned. Horn stumps must not be over 2 inches in length from the clipped hairline.
5. Steers eligible must have been on feed and owned by the exhibitor since March 1st of the year shown.
6. In addition to the conformation class, an exhibitor must enter and compete in the Showmanship class, or premiums will be forfeited for this division.
7. Entry deadline is **JUNE 1. ALL CLASS ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED BY JUNE 1 AND PAYMENT ENCLOSED OR A \$1.00 PER HEAD LATE FEE WILL BE CHARGED.**
8. Exhibitor must be 9 years old as of January 1st of current year.
9. Grand & Reserve Champion steer must be sold at auction.
10. Market animals must be weighed on arrival at Fairgrounds.
11. All market animals shall not be more than 18 months of age as of Fair date.
12. All Market animals must be in possession and tagged according to livestock rules. Ear notches or color markings must correspond to the registration papers.
13. Market animals will be judged according to weight. Classes will be divided into Lightweight, Middleweight, and Heavyweight. Weight divisions will be determined after weigh in. Consideration will be given to class size.
14. All cattle with warts will not be allowed on the fairgrounds.
15. Due in stall on Sunday, August 1, 2010 between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.
16. All beef cattle must have access to fresh, clean water at all times.
17. All livestock shows will be a **"NATURAL SHOW"** which is defined as not using any products on the animal for fitting and showing. Clipping, sheering, and trimming of livestock animals will still be allowed. Failure to follow these guidelines may result in disqualification and loss of premiums.
18. Animals will not be released from their stalls until August 8, 2010 at 8:00 a.m. Early removal will result in the loss of all premiums. Market animals may leave with processor after 11pm on Saturday of Fair week. Auction animals may be taken to a livestock sale barn after 11pm on Saturday of Fair week.
19. All stalls must be cleaned by the youth and inspected by the barn superintendent upon final departure. Failure to clean stalls and have them inspected will result in the loss of all premiums.
20. All barn decorations may be removed after 11:00 p.m. on August 7, 2010. Early removal will result in the loss of all premiums.

SECTION - 1: Breeding Animals - Angus

SECTION - 2: Breeding Animals - Limousin

SECTION - 3: Breeding Animals - Hereford

SECTION - 4: Breeding Animals - Shorthorn

SECTION - 5: Breeding Animals - Crossbreed

SECTION - 6: Breeding Animals - Others Purebreds

1st thru 3rd - Ribbon	1st	2nd	3rd
Class:	\$9.00	\$6.00	\$4.00

630. Bull calf, born after Aug. 31, 2007

631. Jr. heifer, calved after Jan. 2008

632. Sr. heifer, calved between July 1 & Dec. 31, 2007

633. Summer yearling heifer, calved between Jan. 1 & June 30, 2007

634. Jr. yearling, calved between Jan. 1 & April 30, 2006

635. Sr. yearling heifer calved between Sept. 1 & Dec. 31, 2006

636. Two year old heifer calved between May 1 & August 31, 2006

637. Cow, 2 years old & over calved before Sept. 1, 2006

Grand Champion - Best of Show - Trophy, Rosette

Reserve Champion - Best of Show - Rosette

SECTION - 7: Future Beef

Rules:

1. Future Beef animals do not require ear tags as they are not market ready due to age and are not eligible for auction.
2. Future beef should be steers.

A thru C - Ribbon

	A	B	C
Class:	\$12.00	\$9.00	\$6.00

638. Future Beef

Champion Future Beef - Trophy, Rosette

SECTION - 8: Market Animals

Rules:

1. These animals are judged on market readiness.
2. Exhibitor must be the owner of all market livestock.

A thru C - Ribbon

	A	B	C
Class:	\$12.00	\$9.00	\$6.00

639. Lightweight

640. Middleweight

641. Heavyweight

Champion Lightweight - Trophy, Rosette

Champion Middleweight - Trophy, Rosette

Champion Heavyweight - Trophy, Rosette

Grand Champion - Market Overall - Trophy, Rosette

Reserve Grand Champion - Market Overall - Trophy, Rosette

SECTION - 9: Beef Showmanship

Rule: Contestants will wear blue jeans, western shirts, and hard soled shoes.

1st thru 5th - Ribbon

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Class:	Trophy/\$7.00	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00

642. Junior Class: 9 – 13 years old

643. Senior Class: 14 & older

SECTION - 10: Rate of Gain/Record Books

Rules:

1. All youth participating in the beef market class are required to enter the Livestock Rate of Gain/Record Book Classes.
2. The purpose of the Record Book is to keep record of purchases and expenditures associated with the market project. Proper management skills and record keeping for the market animal project is the goal.
3. Records will be judged on the following:
 - a. Accuracy: 50%
 - b. Completeness: 30%
 - c. Neatness: 20%
4. Market Beef projects entered in this class must have met the possession/tagging date.
5. Market Record Books are available from Laurie Rivetto (4-H Educator).
6. All record books must be completed and turned in to Laurie Rivetto on Tuesday, August 3, 2010 from 12 (noon) – 2pm.
7. Exhibitors and parents are not allowed to be present during the evaluation of the record books.

Class

1406. Record Book: Beef – Trophy

1407. Rate of Gain: Beef - Trophy