

# Department 3

## Beef Cattle

**4-H, FFA & Open Beef Cattle Show** .....Wednesday, August 7 at 9:30 am

**Rules and Regulations:**

1. All cattle exhibited for competition must be registered or eligible for registry.
2. Purity of blood as established by pedigree, symmetry, size, early maturity and general characteristics of the several breeds of animals to be considered; the judges will make proper allowance for age, feeding and other conditions.
3. No exhibitor shall be permitted to win more than two prizes in any one class.
4. Individual animals shown in all of the group and herd classes listed below must have entered and shown in one of the following classes for single animals.
5. A copy of registration papers must be available at all times.
6. All animals must be registered as the property of the exhibitor.
7. No bedding will be provided.
8. All animals will be checked in 8:30 am – 3:00 pm on Sunday, August 4.
9. Pens and stalls will be assigned with adequate tack space on the basis of the number of entries by each exhibitor. Each exhibitor's area will be clearly marked. All exhibitors will use the pens or stalls assigned to them. Management will reassign pens or stalls as deemed necessary. Attempts will be made to honor stall or pen requests placed on the entry form.
10. **No pens to be made for outside tie outs.**
11. A penalty of \$35.00 per animal will be assessed to the owner/exhibitor of any beef animal entered and not exhibited at the fair.
12. At check-in, exhibitors must have an **extra copy of CVI paperwork** for the Fair Office.

**Chairperson**

Sections 1 to 4..... Tad Hoy ..... 724-833-7400  
 Sections 1 to 4..... Tom Brookover..... 724-350-7207

*For additional rules, see Appendixes 1-5.*

### Section 1 Beef Cattle - Cows

Entry Fee: \$3.00 per class per animal. *Fee must accompany entry form. No refunds.*

**BREEDS**

A – Angus    B – Charolais    C - Hereford    D - Shorthorn    E - Limousin    F - Simmental    G - Maine Anjou  
 H – Red Angus    I - Shorthorn Plus    J - Miniature Hereford    K - Highland Cattle    O – Other\* *(Registered Breeds Not Listed)*

**\*Note: If your registered breed is not listed above, print "O" in the blank for "Breed" on your entry form and print what breed you are entering in the blank for "Article or Animal." Only registered breeds in Section 1. All animals entered in Section 3 must have been entered and shown in either Section 1 or Section 2.**

**CLASSES**

- Class 1 ..... Junior Heifer Calves, born after April 1, and later 2024
- Class 2 ..... Junior Heifer Calves, born after June 1 through March 31, 2024
- Class 3a\*\* ..... Junior Heifer Calf Champion (1st place calves from classes 1 and 2)
- Class 3b\*\* ..... Junior Heifer Calf Reserve Champion (Remaining calves from class 3a and 2nd place calf from class that produced the champion)
- Class 4..... Females born October 1 through December 31, 2023
- Class 5..... Females born July 1 through September 31, 2023
- Class 6a\*\* ..... Intermediate Champion Female (1st place females from classes 4 and 5)
- Class 6b\*\* ..... Reserve Intermediate Champion Female (Remaining females from class 6a and 2nd place female from class the produced the champion)
- Class 7 ..... Females born April 1 through June 30, 2023
- Class 8 ..... Females born January 1 through March 31, 2023
- Class 9a\*\*..... Junior Yearling Champion Female (1st place females from classes 7 and 8)
- Class 9b\*\*..... Junior Yearling Reserve Champion Female (Remaining females from class 9a and 2nd place female from class that produced the champion)
- Class 10..... Females born September 1 through December 31, 2022
- Class 11 ..... Females born May 1 through August 31, 2022
- Class 12 ..... Females born January 1 through April 30, 2022
- Class 13a\*\* ..... Senior Champion Female (1st place females from classes 10, 11, and 12)
- Class 13b\*\* ..... Reserve Senior Champion Female (Remaining females from class 13a and 2nd place female from class that produced the champion)
- Class 14\*\* ..... Cow with natural calf at her side, born January 1, 2024 and later
- Class 15a\*\* ..... Grand Champion Female (Champion females from classes 3a, 6a, 9a, 13a, and 14)
- Class 15b\*\* ..... Reserve Grand Champion Female (Remaining females from class 15a and reserve champion from the class that produced the champion)

Premiums \$23.00 \$18.00 \$15.00 \$11.00 \$8.00

\*\*Designates premiums are ribbons or rosettes

## Section 2 Beef Cattle - Bulls

Entry Fee: \$3.00 per class per animal. *Fee must accompany entry form. No refunds.*  
**All animals entered into Section 3 must have entered and shown in Section 1 or Section 2.**

**BREEDS** (see Section 1)

### CLASSES

- Class 16 ..... Bull Calves, born April 1, 2024 later
- Class 17 ..... Bull Calves, born January 1 through March 31, 2024
- Class 18a\*\* ..... Bull Calf Champion (1st place bull calves from classes 16 and 17)
- Class 18b\*\* ..... Bull Calf Reserve Champion (Remaining calves from class 18a and 2nd place from class that produced the champion)
- Class 19..... Bulls born October 1 through December 31, 2023
- Class 20..... Bulls born July 1 through September 30, 2023
- Class 21a\*\* ..... Intermediate Champion Bull (1st place bulls from classes 19 and 20)
- Class 21b\*\* ..... Intermediate Reserve Champion Bull (Remaining bulls from class 21a and 2nd place from class that produced champion)
- Class 22 ..... Bulls born April 1 through June 30, 2023
- Class 23 ..... Bulls born January 1 through March 31, 2023
- Class 24a\*\* ..... Champion Yearling Bull (1st place bulls from classes 22 and 23)
- Class 24b\*\* ..... Reserve Champion Yearling Bull (Remaining bulls from class 24a and 2nd place from class that produced champion)
- Class 24c\*\* ..... Grand Champion Bull (Champion Bulls from classes 18a, 21a, and 24a)
- Class 24d\*\* ..... Reserve Grand Champion Bull (Remaining bulls from class 24c and reserve champion bull from class that produced champion)

Premiums \$23.00 \$18.00 \$15.00 \$11.00 \$8.00

\*\*\*Designates premiums are banners

## Section 3 Beef Cattle - Groups

**All animals entered into Section 3 must have entered and shown in Section 1 or Section 2.**  
**It is permissible for family members to combine animals to compete in group classes.**

**BREEDS** (see Section 1)

### CLASSES

- Class 25 ..... Group of Two Females - bred and owned by exhibitor (*cannot have competed in cow/calf class*)
- Class 26 ..... Get of Sire - 3 animals, all of the same sire
- Class 27 ..... Produce of Dam - 2 animals, of the same dam
- Class 28 ..... Best Five Head - owned by the exhibitor
- Class 29\*\* ..... Supreme Champion Female
- Class 30\*\* ..... Supreme Champion Bull

Premiums \$23.00 \$18.00 \$15.00 \$11.00 \$8.00

## Section 4 Beef Cattle - Commercial

Entry Fee: \$3.00 per class per animal. *Fee must accompany entry form. No refunds.*

**This section is for Commercial Cattle Only!**

**4-H steers, Department 10 entries, and entries from above are NOT eligible to be entered in these classes.**

### CLASSES

- Class 32 ..... Heifer Calves, calved between Jan. 1 and June 30, 2023
- Class 33 ..... Heifer Calves, calved between July 1 and Dec. 31, 2023
- Class 34 ..... Heifer Calves, calved between Jan. and Feb. 28, 2024
- Class 35 ..... Heifer Calves, calved between Mar. 1 and May 31, 2024
- Class 36 ..... Heifer Calves, calved between June 1 and Aug. 1, 2024
- Class 37\*\*\* ..... Champion Female
- Class 38\*\*\* ..... Champion Male
- Class 39 ..... Steer Hip Height Classes, calved between Jan. 1, 2024 and June 30, 2024 (Steers in this class will be broken into individual group classes by hip height measurement on Monday of the fair from 9:00 am to 11:00 am.)
- Class 40 ..... Pair Heifers owned by exhibitor
- Class 41 ..... Pair steers owned by exhibitor
- Class 42 ..... Pen of 3, both sexes must be represented, bred and owned by exhibitor
- Class 43 ..... Best 5 Head, owned by exhibitor

Premiums \$23.00 \$18.00 \$15.00 \$11.00 \$8.00

\*\*\*Designates premiums are banners