

G.A.S. PREVIEW JACKPOT CATTLE SHOW

SATURDAY JUNE 17TH, 2023

GRATIOT AG SOCIETY FAIRGROUNDS

932 S. PINE RIVER ST. ITHACA, MI 48847

JUDGE: RANDY BARNES

SHOW SCHEDULE:

FRIDAY JUNE 16TH, 2023 :

OPTIONAL EARLY CHECK IN FROM 5 PM TO 7PM

SATURDAY JUNE 17TH, 2023

7-9 AM CHECK IN

10 AM BULL SHOW

HEIFER SHOW

SHOWMANSHIP: (PEEWEE FOLLOWED BY SENIOR, INTERMEDIATE, JUNIOR, AND BEGINNER

MARKET ANIMAL SHOW

PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED TO TOP 5 HEIFERS, TOP 5 MARKET ANIMALS, AND TOP 5 SHOWMAN IN EACH DIVISION.

RULES AND REQUIREMENTS

- 1. EXHIBITOR ELIGIBILITY: THE SHOW IS OPEN TO ALL U.S. RESIDENTS.**
- 2. ENTRIES: ENTRY FEES ARE NON REFUNDABLE \$35 FOR EACH ANIMAL ENTERED. ENTRIES CAN BE MADE ONLINE OR MAILED IN ON OR BEFORE JUNE 10th. Late Entries (\$100 each) will be accepted at check in. Online registration will be available at the following :**
- 3. MAILED FORMS CAN BE MAILED TO: MEGAN FALOR 10331 W. BUCHANAN RD. SUMNER, MI 48889.**
- 4. CHECK IN WILL BE THE NIGHT BEFORE FROM 5 PM TO 7 PM OR THE DAY OF FROM 7 AM TO 9 AM. RFID TAGS REQUIRED. REGISTRATION PAPERS ARE APPRECIATED AND WILL BE REVIEWED. FOR CATTLE WHO HAVE NOT YET RECEIVED PAPERS, YOU WILL BE ALLOWED TO SHOW IN THE BREED SHOW WITH PROOF OF PURCHASE AND OR SIMILAR DOC.**

5. **YOUTH SHOWMANSHIP WHICH WILL BEGIN AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF THE HEIFER SHOW WITH PEEWEE, SENIORS (18-21) , INTERMEDIATE 15-17, JUNIORS 12-14 AND BEGINNER 8-11 AND PEEWEE IS UNDER 8. CLASSES WILL BE DIVIDED BY AGE AS OF 1-1-23, EXHIBITORS MUST SHOW THEIR OWN ANIMALS.**
6. **GROOMING REGGULATIONS: NO FORCED ADMINISTRATION OF FLUIDS TO CREATE GUT FLL WILL BE ALLOWED. VIOLATION WILL RESULT IN THE DISQUALIFICATION OF THE ENTRY AND EXHIBITOR.**
7. **RESPONSIBILITY: SHOW COMMITTEE, SPONSORS, AND GAS WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY LOSS BY DEATH, INJURY, CRIPPLING, BRUISES, THEFT, OR CONDEMNATION. IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO FOLLOW RECOMMENDED GUIDELINES REGARDING SOCIAL DISTANCING AND PERSONAL HYGIENE.**
8. **FACILITY: ALL EXHIBITORS MUST CLEAN THE AREA AROUND THEIR TRAILERS BEDDING AND WASTE MUST BE PLACED IN THE PROPER AREAS.**
9. **BREED REQUIREMENTS: IF LESS THAN 4 ANIMALS IN 1 BREED THEY MAY SHOW AS AOB**

ANGUS HEIFER AND STEER: PUREBRED ANGUS REGISTRATION PAPERS

CHI HEIFER AND STEER: ALL REGISTRATION PAPERS ISSUED BY THE ACA

HEREFORD HEIFER AND STEER: PURBRED REGISTRATION PAPERS

MAINETAINER HEIFER AND STEER: 25%-74%ALL REGISTRATION PAPERS ISSUED BY THE MAINE ASSOC.

SHORTHORN HEIFER AND STEER: 15/16 SHORTHORN REG PAPERS

SHORTHORN PLUS HEIFER: MINIMUM 50%

SHORTHORN PLUS STEER: 25% AND UP

PUREBRED SIMMENTAL HEIFER: 7/8 OR GREATER SIMMENTAL REGISTRATION PAPERS

PERCENTAGE SIMMI HEIFER AND STEER MINIMUM 50% BUT NOT GREATER THAN 7/8 REGISTRATION PAPERS

(AOB) ALL ANIMALS WITH REGISTRATION PAPERS, BUT NOT MEETING THE REQUIREMENTS LISTED ABOVE. INCLUDE: CHAROLAIS, CHAROLAIS COMPOSITE, LIMOUSIN, MAINE, RED ANGUS, PB SIMMENTAL STEERS, LOWER PERCENTAGE SIMMENTAL AND SHORTHORN PLUS.

COMMERCIAL HEIFER: HEIFERS THAT ARE NOT ELIBIGLE FOR REGGISTRATION. AGE REQUIREMENTS ARE IN EFFECT HEIFERS WIL SHOW BY WEIGHT.

MARKET HEIFER: HEIFERS THAT ARE SHOWN BY WEIGHT IN THE MARKET CLASS

CROSSBRED STEER: STEERS THAT ARE NOT REGISTERED

- 10. DUAL REGISTERED ANIMALS MAY ONLY PARTICIPATE IN ONE DIVISION. HEIFERS SHOWING IN A BREED DIVISION MAY ALSO ENTER AS A MARKTE HEIFER.**
- 11. DISPUTES/PROTESTS: ALL ISSUES MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE SHOW CHAIRPERSON (MEGAN FALOR) IN WRITING. RESOLUTION OF ALL DISPUTES AND PROTESTS ARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CHAIRPERSON AND THEIR DESIGNEES.**
- 12. MARKET ANIMALS: WILL SHOW BY BREED THEN BY WEIGHT LIGHT TO HEAVY.**
- 13. ORDER: ANGUS, CHI, HEREFORD, MAINE, SHORTHORN, SHORTHORN PLUS, PERCENTAGE SIMMENTAL, AOB, CROSSBRED, MARKET HEIFERS.**
- 14. AGES: HEIFERS MUST HAVE A BIRTHDATE AFTER SEPTEMBER 1, 2021.**
- 15. HEIFERS WILL SHOW FROM YOUNGEST TO OLDEST. COMMERCIAL HEIFERS, WILL SHOW BY WEIGHT LIGHT TO HEAVY BUT MUST ALSO MEET THE AGE REQUIREMENTS (WEIGHT MAY NOT EXCEED 1000 LBS) ALL HEIFERS MUST BE REGISTERED IN THE NAME OF THE EXHIBITOR. REGISTRATION PAPERS OR BILL OF SALE, MUST BE PRESENT AT CHECK IN.**
- 16. ORDER: ANGUS, CHI, HEREFORD, MAINE, SHORTHORN, SHORTHORN PLUS, PERCENTAGE SIMMENTAL, AOB, CROSSBRED, MARKET HEIFERS.**
- 17. CLASS BREAKS WILL BE DETERMINED AFTER ALL ENTRIES HAVE BEEN PROCESSED.**
- 18. CAMPING IS AVALABLE FOR A FEE OF \$30, ELECTRIC HOOKUP AVAILABLE BUT DOES NOT SUPPORT A.C. USE IN CAMPERS. SPOTS WILL BE ASSIGNED PRIOR TO SHOW AND EMAIL CONFIRMATION WILL BE SENT.**
- 19. NO TRAILERS WILL BE ALLOWED IN CAMPING AREAS, TRAILER PARKING WILL BE MARKED UPON ENTRANCE TO FAIRGROUNDS.**
- 20. PLEASE COME READY TO HAVE FUN AND LEAVE BAD ATTITUDES AT HOME 😊**

TB AND HEALTH REQUIREMENTS:

ALL CATTLE PARTICIPATION IN THE 2023 SHOWS MUST HAVE AN RFID TAG. NEITHER AN OFFICIAL USDA ALPHANUMERIC METAL EAR TAG NOR AN OFFICIAL BREED REGISTRY TATTOO WILL BE ACCEPTED IN PLACE OF AN RFID TAG. PLEASE REFER TO THE 2022 HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR NATIVE MICHIGAN LIVESTOCK EXHIBITED IN MICHIGAN: www.michigan.gov/mda-exhibitinfo

entries can be made online at: