

BEEF

Superintendent: Clay Brown (719) 480-2369

Division: BREEDING BEEF

Entry fee: \$5 per head/pair

Breeding Beef Regulations:

1. All entries are subject to the General Livestock Rules & Regulations.
2. Open to both registered and commercial breeding beef cattle.
3. Bulls over one year of age cannot be shown.
4. Breeding beef cattle over six months of age must have an official bangs tattoo, or test negative for brucellosis within 30 days prior to Fair. Health papers must be available upon request.
5. The superintendent will establish breed divisions as necessary and classes for breeds and/or divisions will be determined when entries are completed.
6. Classes without three or more entries may be shown individually or in combined classes at the discretion of the Superintendent/Judge(s).
7. All cattle in the tie out area of the livestock barn must be tied with a halter at all times, a neck rope is also required at night.
8. All decisions of the superintendent and judges are final.
9. Coloring is permissible below the knee, provided it does not alter the natural color of the hair coat.

Entries

BREEDING BEEF CLASSES

- Heifer Calf-calved after January 1, 2025
- Yearling Heifer-calved in 2024
- Cow-calf pair
- Bull Calf-calved after January 1, 2025
- FFA Heifer Wrangler exhibitors (please see CO FFA Association for more information)

AWARDS

Supreme and Reserve Supreme Overall Female

(Selected from Grand Champion female from each division)

Premiums: Premiums are paid on classes within each division, as established by the superintendent.

1 st	\$10
2 nd	\$9
3 rd	\$8
4 th	\$7
5 th & down	\$5

No more than 2 premiums will be awarded to an exhibitor under any one class. Premiums will be mailed.

Division: MARKET BEEF

Entry fee: \$5 per head. No fee for Bred & Fed classes.

Market Beef Regulations:

1. All entries are subject to the General Livestock Rules & Regulations
2. Market Beef must have been weighed and tagged at the beginning weigh-in February. Please bring brand inspection papers to weigh in. All market beef must be dehorned by beginning weigh-in.
3. A committee of 3, appointed by the SLV Fair Board, will evaluate and determine market readiness of market beef entries. An animal deemed not finished will show in a feeder class, regardless of weight, and WILL NOT SELL IN THE SLV FAIR JUNIOR MARKET LIVESTOCK SALE.
4. All market beef must be tied with a halter and a neck rope in the tie out area of the livestock barn.
5. No beef animals over 24 months will be allowed to exhibit at fair
6. All heifers must be accompanied by a veterinarian's certificate verifying they are preg-checked open within 30 days of fair.

Entries

MARKET BEEF CLASSES

1. Market Beef, as determined by weight
2. Born and Raised (see rules [Here](#), enter general Market Beef and Born and Raised classes to participate)

AWARDS

Grand & Reserve Champion Market Beef

Grand & Reserve Champion Born & Raised

MARKET CLASSES DO NOT RECEIVE PREMIUMS

Division: BEEF SHOWMANSHIP

Entry fee: None

See General Showmanship rules and awards on [Here](#).

BEEF SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES

1. Junior
2. Intermediate
3. Senior

Division: Dairy Cattle

Entry fee: \$5 per head/pair

General Dairy Rules

1. All entries are subject to the General Livestock Rules & Regulations.
2. Open to both registered and commercial breeding beef cattle. If registered, original registration papers must be provided at time of entry.
3. Bulls be shown.
4. Cattle over six months of age must have an official bangs tattoo, or test negative for brucellosis within 30 days prior to Fair. Health papers must be available upon request.
5. The superintendent will establish breed divisions as necessary and classes for breeds and/or divisions will be determined when entries are completed.
6. Classes without three or more entries may be shown individually or in combined classes at the discretion of the Superintendent/Judge(s).
7. All cattle will be tied in the tie out area, with a halter and neck rope.
8. Producing cows may be kept at a dairy. Exhibitors will be expected to visit the dairy during each month and make a one-page report. Exhibitors will be expected to care for mature cows during dry period.
9. All decisions of the superintendent and judges are final.

Entries

Age Classifications are as follows for all breeds:

Junior Females

Junior Heifer Calf - born between January 1, 2025-April 30, 2025

Senior Heifer Calf - born between September 1, 2024-December 31, 2024

Junior Yearling Heifer - born after February 28, 2024 and before September 1, 2024

Senior Yearling Heifer - born after August 31, 2023 and before March 1, 2023 (Senior Yearlings in milk must show in two-year-old class)

Senior Females

Two-Year Old - born after August 31, 2023 and before September 1, 2023

Three-Year Old - born after August 31, 2022 and before September 1, 2021

Four-Year Old - born after August 31, 2021 and before September 1, 2021

Aged Cow - five years old and over, born before September 1, 2021

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Dairy Showmanship

There will not be a showmanship class