



BC Agricultural Expo – Virtual Fair

Online Auction: September 24-26, 2020



FRED NICHOL BEEF EVENT REGULATIONS

1. The Fred Nichol Event will be restricted to Members of Clubs that have attended previous BC Ag Expo's.
2. Club members who have won a calf in a previous 4-H Event are not eligible.
3. Qualifications for contestants are:
 - i. Be a member of a 4-H Beef Club competing at the current year BC Ag Expo.
 - ii. Must be a senior member (14-18 YEARS OLD) and have Junior Proficiency Certificate. Must be a member of a regularly organized Beef Club attending BC Ag Expo the following year.
 - iii. Must be able to feed and care for a beef animal and have the necessary facilities for care, feeding and training of beef animals.
 - iv. Must comply with all terms as stated on the "Entry Form" and email to the BC Ag Expo Committee (secretary@bcagexpo.ca), duly signed and witnessed as required on the form.
 - v. Must have completed one full year in club work previous to this current year.
 - vi. The calf **MUST** be entered as a 4-H or Open project and must be exhibited in the Fred Nichol Class at BC Agricultural Expo the following year.
 - vii. Fred Nichol Event winners must insure the calf.
 - viii. 4-H Members must provide the Fred Nichol Event Committee with Bill of Sale of their calf once they have used the sponsorship funds to purchase their calf.

Failure to comply with any of the above prescribed regulations will result in forfeiture of the sponsorship funds used to purchase the calf. The 4-H member will need to refund the full sponsorship amount to the Fred Nichol Event Committee within 30 days.

4. Signed Entry Forms and Minor Release Form must be completed and emailed to secretary@bcagexpo.ca prior to **August 15th**. Enter the class online at <https://bcagexpo.fairwire.com>
5. Successful contestants **MUST** write their sponsors (some have more than one sponsor) a "thank you" letter which should be done as soon as possible after the Expo.

PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY, RULES WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCE

Members must submit all three of the following. Only the digital marketing poster and essays will be marked.

- a. **A minimum 500 word essay (50% of total score) – upload as PDF1**
 - i. What does BC Ag Expo mean to you?
 - ii. Who was Fred Nichol?
- b. **A digital marketing poster (50% of total score) – upload as PDF2**
 - i. Poster must be marketing one of your current year 4-H projects.
 - ii. Poster must be created by the member.
 - iii. Poster must be created using computer technology.
- c. **A video of you making a rope halter – upload as video.** Video must be 5 minutes or less.



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FRED NICHOL EVENT ENTRY FORM



1. I hereby make application to enter the Fred Nichol Event.
2. I hereby certify that I have adequate facilities for the care, feeding, and training of a beef animal.
3. **I hereby acknowledge that I will own the calf jointly with the BC Ag Expo Committee until such time as the calf is exhibited and sold at the BC Ag Expo the following year since the steer is purchased using sponsorship funds.**
4. If I win a calf, I am responsible for giving the calf the applicable veterinary services throughout the year.

Name of 4-H Member: _____

Name of 4-H Club: _____ # of years in 4-H _____

Members Address: _____ Postal Code: _____

Member's Phone # _____ Member's Email: _____

Members Signature _____

Parents Signature _____

Club Leader's Name: _____

Club Leader Address: _____

Club Leader Phone: _____

Club Leader email: _____

Club Leader Signature: _____