

DEPARTMENT 1 – DAIRY

Judging: Wednesday at 8:30 AM

See Department 10, Division A for more opportunities

RULES:

- Age Definitions
 - Spring Calf - Born March 1st or after of exhibit year
 - Winter Calf - Born December of the year preceding exhibit year, January and February of exhibit year
 - Fall Calf – Born September, October and November of the year preceding exhibit year
 - Summer Yearling – Born June, July and August of the year preceding exhibit year
 - Spring Yearling – Born March, April and May of the year preceding exhibit year
 - Winter Yearling – Born December of the second year preceding the exhibit year and January and February of the year preceding exhibit year
 - Fall Yearling – Born September, October and November of the second year preceding the exhibit year
 - 2 year old, Born on or between September 1, and August 31 of the second year preceding the exhibit year
 - 3 year old, Born on or between: September 1, and August 31 of the third year preceding the exhibit year
 - Aged Cow – Born on or before: August 31 of the fifth year preceding the exhibit year
 - Dry Cow – Born on or before: September 1, of the fourth year preceding the exhibit year
- Registered animals can only exhibit as a registered animal if the exhibitor shows the Certificate of Registration from the respective breed association.
- Exhibitors must provide a vet slip for each animal dated within 14 days of check-in to the Department Superintendent from Noon and 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday. Failure to provide this paper will result in animal(s) being sent home.
- A bulk cooler will be provided for all exhibitors with milking cows.
 - The milk house superintendent will have scheduled milking hours. Signs will be posted in the dairy barn and the milk house on Tuesday of the Fair.
 - It has become increasingly difficult to find a producer to purchase the milk from County Fairs. If the Fair has a buyer for milk – the following procedure will be used for milk checks (If no buyer - NO milk checks will be issued). Exhibitors will be notified closer to Fair of the status of a buyer.
 - Milk will be weighed and exhibitors will receive a check for their milk, based on average butterfat.
 - No antibodies or other drugs allowed.
 - Exhibitors must notify tester of any treated cows. Treated cows must be milked into the bucket/not the tank.
 - Fair management reserves the right to deduct a dollar amount from all milk checks for expenses incurred in the operation and management of the milk house.
- All dairy cattle older than 6 months of age, regardless of breed, must be dehorned, including regrowth, in order to be eligible for exhibition.
- Animals will be judged based on the Dairy Unified Score Card:

DAIRY COW UNIFIED SCORE CARD

Frame	15%
Udder	40%
Rear Feet and Legs	20%
Dairy Strength	25%
Total	100%

- Exhibitors with more than one animal showing at a time may have another exhibitor show their animal, but he or she must be in show whites.
- The top two winners from each age class of the respective breed will return to the Showing for selection of Junior or Senior Champion of the grade and registered shows.
- Breed Champions will be selected from the Junior and Senior Champions and Reserve Champions of each breed.
- Junior Supreme Champion and Junior Reserve Supreme Champion will be selected from the Champion animal of each breed.

DAIRY SHOW ORDER

- Showmanship: Classes 105, 104, 103, 102, 101 then selection of Over-All Showman
- 2 year old Cows to Dry Cows – Breeds to be rotated alphabetically yearly
- Senior Champions of Each Breed
- Spring Calves to Fall Yearlings – Breeds to be rotated alphabetically yearly
- Junior Champions of Each Breed
- Breed Champions (Judge will decide when Champions should be milked for judging)
- Junior Supreme Champion & Junior Reserve Champion of the Dairy Show
- Supreme Champion Female and Reserve Champion of the Dairy Show
- Best Three Females
- Club Herd
- Produce of Dam
- Dam & Daughter



All exhibitors must know and follow the General Fair Rules in addition to Dept. specific rules

Division A – Showmanship

RULES:

1. Registration for showmanship is required on Entry Form in Fair Entry.
 - a. Grade levels for showmanship classes are based on exhibitor's grade level as of January 1 of the current calendar year.
 - b. Exhibitors may show a calf, yearling, or cow in lots 101-105.
 - c. Exhibitor may use a different animal on day of show but must be signed up under the exhibitor's name in a breed class.
2. **Exhibitors must show their own animal in Showmanship Classes.**
3. Show of Champions will consist of the first blue ribbon of each Showmanship class
 - a. The winner receives a traveling trophy and a personal trophy

Premiums: Blue \$3.00 Red \$2.50 White \$2.00 Pink \$1.50

Class No.	Description
101.	Advanced, Exhibitor in grades 11 and above
102.	Senior, Exhibitor in grades 9 & 10
103.	Intermediate, Exhibitor in grades 7 & 8
104.	Junior, Exhibitor in grades 5 & 6
105.	Beginner, Exhibitor in grades 3 & 4

Divisions B – H – Breeds (Danish Judging)

Division B – Any Other Recognized Dairy Breed or Dairy Breed Cross

Division C – Ayrshire Division

Division D – Brown Swiss

Division E – Guernsey

Division F – Holstein (includes Red & White)

Division G - Jersey

Division H – Milking Shorthorn

Class No.	Description	Premiums			
		Blue	Red	White	Pink
101.	Reg. Heifer Calf, Spring	9.00	8.00	7.00	5.00
102.	Reg. Heifer Calf, Winter	9.00	8.00	7.00	5.00
103.	Reg. Heifer Calf, Fall	9.00	8.00	7.00	5.00
104.	Reg. Heifer, Summer Yearling	11.00	9.00	7.00	5.00
105.	Reg. Heifer, Spring Yearling	11.00	9.00	7.00	5.00
106.	Reg. Heifer, Winter Yearling	11.00	9.00	7.00	5.00
107.	Reg. Heifer, Fall Yearling	11.00	9.00	7.00	5.00
108.	Reg. Cow, 2 Years	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00
109.	Reg. Cow, 3 Years	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00
110.	Reg. Cow, Aged Cow (4 years & older)	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00
111.	Reg. Dry Cow (3 years & older)	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00
112.	Grade Heifer Calf, Spring	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00
113.	Grade Heifer Calf, Winter	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00
114.	Grade Heifer Calf, Fall	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00
115.	Grade Heifer, Summer Yearling	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00
116.	Grade Heifer, Spring Yearling	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00
117.	Grade Heifer, Winter Yearling	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00
118.	Grade Heifer, Fall Yearling	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00
119.	Grade Cow, 2 Years	9.00	8.00	7.00	5.00
120.	Grade Cow, 3 Years	9.00	8.00	7.00	5.00
121.	Grade Cow, Aged Cow (4 years & older)	9.00	8.00	7.00	5.00
122.	Grade Dry Cow (3 years & older)	9.00	8.00	7.00	5.00

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Division I – Club Herd

RULES

1. A club herd will consist of six (6) animals.
 - a. Large Herd consists of 11 or more animals, all breeds;
 - b. Small Herd consists of 6-10 animals, all breeds.
2. An animal can be shown in only one clubherd.
3. One club steward per herd is allowed. Person must be a youth exhibitor and a member of the club showing.
4. A club may only enter one herd. Animals must have exhibited in breed class of dairy show.

SCORECARD FOR DAIRY CLUB HERD

Excellence of Animals	40
Fitting and Preparation for Fair	30
Maturity of Animals	20
Showmanship of the herd standing properly with one member as heel	10
Total	100

Premiums: Blue \$3.00 Red \$2.50 White \$2.00 Pink \$1.50

Class No.	Description
101.	Club Herd, Large
102.	Club Herd, Small

Division J – Best Three Females

RULES:

1. A 4-H club, FFA chapter, etc. may enter one group of the best three animals from that show string.
2. Clubs must exhibit three of their best animals, with a maximum of one (1) fresh cow.
3. Each group is allowed one club steward in the ring, and he or she must be a member of the same club
4. All animals must have exhibited in breed class of the dairy show.

Premiums: Blue \$3.00 Red \$2.50 White \$2.00 Pink \$1.50

Class No.	Description
101.	Best Three Females

Division K – Produce of Dam

RULES:

1. Shall consist of two animals of any age, which are the produce of one cow. Dam must be named.
2. Each exhibitor is limited to one entry from the same dam.

Premiums: Blue \$3.00 Red \$2.50 White \$2.00 Pink \$1.50

Class No.	Description
101.	Produce of Dam

Division L – Dam and Daughter

RULES:

1. Two animals, a dam and daughter. Dam must be named.
2. Animals do not need to be shown by the same exhibitor.
3. Each exhibitor is limited to one entry from the same dam.

Premiums: Blue \$3.00 Red \$2.50 White \$2.00 Pink \$1.50

Class No.	Description
101.	Dam and Daughter



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