

# DEPARTMENT 101 – YOUTH DAIRY CATTLE

Show Superintendent – Larry Bailey (639-5512)

Barn Superintendents – Lori Hoyt (632-5975) & Michele McDonald (677-2338)

Best Dressed Calf Superintendent – Diane Smith (747-6182)

*Showmanship Judging on Tuesday, August 25<sup>th</sup> @ 9:00 am*

*Judging on Tuesday, August 25<sup>th</sup> @ 3:30pm (Guernsey, Ayrshire & Brown Swiss)*

*Judging on Wednesday, August 26<sup>th</sup> @ 9:00am (Holstein, Jersey, & Milking Shorthorn)*

*Best Dressed Calf Judging on Friday, August 28<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00pm*

**\* Copies of registration papers and Health papers must be sent in by Monday, August 17th.**

**SUPERINTENDENTS ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR EXHIBITOR'S BEHAVIOR**

**PARENTS AND CLUB LEADERS SHOULD ARRANGE FOR CHAPERONES THROUGHOUT THE WEEK**

## **Rules & Regulations:**

1. **All youth exhibitors must show in Showmanship to be eligible to show in other classes.**
2. **Registration and Check-in Process:**
  - a) *Schedule for barns will be posted in Entry Office, Judging Arena, Ag. Center and Youth Barn.*
  - b) *Exhibitors will bring registration papers & entry print-outs to Judging Arena at assigned time.*
  - c) *Papers will be checked for dates, entry issues, ownership & to verify that correct animals are entered.*
  - d) *Scratches will be taken at that time; these will not appear in judges' books nor can the animal be shown.*
  - e) *When process is completed, exhibitor will sign office copy of entry report. Show number will then be issued.*
3. Exhibitor will be responsible for installing his or her own stall card after veterinary check.
4. All animals exhibited in this section will be purebred & accompanied by papers in the exhibitor's name showing ownership, or non-ownership certificate, by exhibitor by June 15<sup>th</sup> (to be checked at check-in process). Any 3<sup>rd</sup> generation animal of any breed that is in a Genetic Recovery Program with registration papers showing a GR prefix may be shown in competition. OA & PR animals are ineligible to be shown.
5. All animals must be shown to be eligible for awards.
6. The superintendent may divide large classes for judging if he/she desires.
7. All exhibitors in the Youth Barns will enter the Herdsmanship Contest. **Flagrant violators will receive warnings and persistent violators will be sent home with no awards paid.**
8. No animals may be exhibited that are not properly fitted.
9. All animals in exhibitor's herd will be shown in individual classes.
10. Dress code for shows: **Long white pants & white sleeved shirt must be worn and tucked in.** Farm names & letters are not permitted on show attire. No hats allowed.
11. Exhibitor harnesses must be used.
12. If an animal becomes unmanageable for any reason, the Superintendent has the right to excuse the animal from the class. If an animal is excused for safety reasons, the exhibitor will be awarded the worthy (white) place value.
13. Only one exhibitor/person is allowed in the ring with an animal with the exception of group classes.
14. Cattle Handbook available.

## **SECTION 1 – HOLSTEIN**

## **SECTION 2 – AYRSHIRE**

## **SECTION 3 – GUERNSEY**

## **SECTION 4 – JERSEY**

## **SECTION 5 – BROWN SWISS**

## **SECTION 6 – MILKING SHORTHORN**

### **Class No.**

1. **Spring Heifer Calf**, born on or after March 1, 2009 and 3 months old at show.
2. **Winter Heifer Calf**, born after Nov. 30, 2008 & before March 1, 2009
3. **Fall Heifer Calf**, born after Aug. 31, 2008 & before Dec. 1, 2008
4. **Summer Yearling Heifer**, born after May 31, 2008 & before Sept. 1, 2008
5. **Spring Yearling Heifer**, born after Feb. 28, 2008 & before June 1, 2008
6. **Winter Yearling Heifer**, born after Nov. 30, 2007 & before March 1, 2008
7. **Fall Yearling Heifer**, born after Aug. 31, 2007 & before Dec. 1, 2007
- **Junior Champion & Reserve Junior Champion**, Ribbon only

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8. **Junior Two Year Old Cow**, born after March 1, 2007 & before Aug. 31, 2007
9. **Senior Two Year Old Cow**, born after Sept. 1, 2006 & before Feb. 28, 2007
10. **Junior Three Year Old Cow**, born after March 1, 2006 & before Aug. 31, 2006
11. **Senior Three Year Old Cow**, born after Sept. 1, 2005 & before Feb. 28, 2006  
-- **Intermediate Champion & Reserve Intermediate Champion**, Ribbon only
12. **Four Year Old Cow**, born after Aug. 31, 2004 & before Sept. 1, 2005
13. **Five Year Old Cow**, born after Aug 31, 2003 & before Sept. 1, 2004
14. **Aged Cow - Six Years Old & Over**, born before Sept. 1, 2003
15. **125,000 lb. - Holsteins & 100,000 lb. - Colored Breeds**, proof of production records checked at ringside
16. **Dry Cow Five Years and Under**, must have calved at least once, but is not presently milking. Dry cows cannot be shown in any other individual class, but can be shown in groups.
17. **Dry Cow Six Years and Over**  
-- **Senior Champion & Reserve Senior Champion**, Ribbon only

**NOTE: Papers will be checked before entering the ring for all group classes.**

**REMEMBER TO ENTER THESE CLASSES!!!!**

**All animals entered in the following classes must have been shown in their respective classes.**

18. **Bred by Exhibitor**, no limit, bred & owned by youth exhibitor
19. **Exhibitors Herd**, 3 females that are owned by exhibitor
20. **Daughter-Dam**, a daughter-dam combination of any age, both need not be owned by exhibitor
21. **Produce of Cow**, two females, both need not be owned by exhibitor  
-- **Grand Champion Cow & Reserve Grand Champion Cow**, Ribbon only  
-- **Best Udder**, Ribbon only  
-- **All Breed Champion & Reserve All Breed Champion**, Ribbon only

## **SECTION 7 – SPECIAL CONTESTS**

### **Rules & Regulations:**

1. Each contestant will show his/her own animal which will be designated at check-in. Papers may be checked at ring when entering.
2. Master & Reserve Master Showmanship class will consist of the 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place winners of each division (except novice).
3. The judges will make awards considering the following points:
  - a) *Preparation of Animal for showing:*
    1. Condition of feet and trimming of feet.
    2. Clipping of head, ears, tail, etc. for best advantage.
    3. Cleanliness and condition of hide and hair.
    4. Personal appearance including neatness and cleanliness of clothing of the exhibitor.
  - b) *Control of Animal:*
    1. Control of animal by exhibitor.
    2. Poise and coolness of exhibitor.
    3. Skill in showing animal to best advantage.
    4. The contest will be divided into age classes at the fair.
4. Be sure to include exhibitor's birth date on entry form.

### **Class No.**

1. **Dairy Showmanship Contest** (*must pre-enter*)
2. **Novice Dairy Showmanship Contest** (*must pre-enter*) (*for Youth under 14 & showing for first time at Fair*)
3. **Herdsmanship**, *All exhibitors in the Youth Department area will be automatically entered in this contest. Exhibitors in open barns not included unless space demands that they be moved to open class areas. The judging will take place during the week, everyday, 2 or 3 times a day but not before 9:00 am or after 9:00 pm. Daily results of the judging will be posted by 10:00 pm each evening.*
- **Best Dressed Calf**, Friday @ 7:00 pm Ribbon only.
  - A. Contestants must be exhibitors in Youth Show.
  - B. You may enter as an Individual (max. of 3 helpers) or as a Group of more than one (1) exhibitor (max. of 3 helpers). Helpers must be youth, 19 & under.
  - C. Awards (only) will be given on both the Individual & Group categories.
  - D. Selection of winners will be made by a team of judges.
  - E. Measurements and costume may be prepared ahead of time.
  - F. Only junior or intermediate calves may be used.
  - G. A total of 5 minutes will be allowed to dress calves.