

## BEEF CATTLE

### Department 3

Superintendent: Laura Kwilos 716-807-9566

Entry Deadline: July 1, 2024

Beef Cattle Entry Fees: \$4.00 per class (including group classes)

Exhibitor Fee: \$3.00 per animal maximum \$25.00 for all Departments

Arrival: Sunday, July 14, 2024. Must be in place no later than 12:00 pm

Show: 10:00 am Monday, July 15, 2024

Release: 3:00 pm Sunday, July 21, 2024

#### General Cattle Rules:

1. An official Registration Certificate must be shown on each animal except for Section G and Section H. **A copy of the registration papers must be included with your entry form.** These will be checked for identification, ownership and birth date. All cattle shown in group classes must be registered or will be shown in the Crossbred Division. Entries in this department will be accepted only from bona fide owners of the cattle. All cattle must be owned by the individuals or farms exhibiting same and have been owned for 30 days before the day of the show. Where a herd is registered in the names of different members of a family, residing on one farm where the herd is a unit, all entries may be considered a single exhibitor. All owners must be listed on the entry form.
2. All breeds in Section F will show together. However, in the event there is enough of a particular breed to warrant a breed show, breed classes will be created at that time. This will be at the discretion of the Cattle Superintendent. All breeds will show under the same rules, classes and premiums.
3. If there are 2 or less exhibitors in any breed or **less than 6 animals** in that same registered breed regardless of the number of exhibitors, that breed will show in Section F- Other Registered Breeds/AOB at the discretion of show management.
4. Youth exhibitors may enter any animal in the Open Class Department. However, when entering in the open class, the youth must pay ALL appropriate fees, this includes the exhibitors fee, entry fees, and late fees if applicable.
5. The management assumes no responsibility in case of damage of stock or other exhibits from any cause; and upon this condition only, are exhibits received.
6. Substitutions within classes of individual animals will be allowed if reported to the Superintendent by 6:00 PM, Sunday prior to show.
7. Stall assignments will be done by the Superintendent. No changes in the barn layout unless approved by the Superintendent. Late entries will be accommodated in the best way possible if there is space.
8. The Superintendent will grant permission only for late arrival or early removal of animals being shown at a competing show which conflicts with above times. A letter from the upcoming show must be faxed to the fair office prior to receiving permission to leave early. Early removal must only be done after the show is complete. Early removal will result in forfeiture of premiums, unless Superintendent has granted permission to release animals. The decision of the judge shall be final in all cases, except where error, mistake, fraud, misrepresentation, or collusion, not discovered at the time of the award is proven. In such cases, the decision of the Superintendent, or such referee appointed shall be final.
9. No exhibitor shall receive more than two premiums in any one class.
10. All trailers MUST be parked BEHIND CAMPING AREA during the week of fair and NO trailers can line up prior to 3PM on the Sunday of release. No exceptions. There will be absolutely NO trailers on the track infield.
11. Early Livestock removal must be approved by a vet and department Superintendent. Early Removal cases must be reported to the state vet prior to animal leaving the fairgrounds. Premiums will be forfeited and entry fees will not be refunded. The Superintendent will have a Form to complete with the exhibitor.

#### Section D-Shorthorn and Shorthorn Plus

#### Section A- Aberdeen Angus

#### Section B- Hereford

#### Section C- Maine Anjou

#### Section E- Simmental

**Section F-Other Registered Beef Breeds/AOB  
Section G-Crossbred**

**Section H- Market Steers  
Section X- Market Heifers**

**Class Numbers:**

1. **Junior Heifer Calves**- Born after 1/1/24 and must be over four months of age.
2. **Senior Heifer Calves**- Born between 9/1/23 and 12/31/23
3. **Champion Heifer Calf**
4. **Reserve Champion Heifer Calf**
5. **Late Summer Yearling Heifer**- Born between 7/1/23 and 8/31/23
6. **Summer Yearling Heifer**- Born between 5/1/23 and 6/30/23
7. **Spring Yearling Heifer**- Born between 3/1/23 and 4/30/23
8. **Junior Yearling Heifer**- Born between 1/1/23 ad 2/28/23
9. **Senior Yearling Heifer**- Born between 9/1/22 and 12/31/22
10. **Champion Yearling Heifer \***
11. **Reserve Champion Yearling Heifer \***
12. **Grand Champion Female \***
13. **Reserve Grand Champion Female \***
14. **Cow and Calf**- Calf born in 2023
15. **Champion Cow and Calf \***
16. **Reserve Champion Cow and Calf \***
17. **Supreme Champion Female \* (Champion and Reserve Champion from each breed including cow and calf will be asked to come back into the ring to compete)**
18. **Reserve Champion Supreme Female\***
19. **Breeder's Special**- 2 head, any age, either sex, shown in classes 1-13, bred and owned or co-owned by Exhibitor. **No Steers in Breeders Special.**
20. **Produce of Dam**- 2 head, any age, either sex, progeny of one dam.
21. **Get-of-Sire**- 3 animals by one sire, both sexes represented, shown in above classes.

All Breeds MUST Have a Minimum of 6 Head to Have a Breed Show Otherwise They Will Show in AOB Division.

All AOB Breeds Will Show Together, Unless There are Enough of a Particular Breed to Warrant a Breed Show.

Animals Must Be Registered With Their National Breed Association With the exception of Crossbreds, Steers and Market Heifers. Any animal Not having a legible tattoo is ineligible to compete in breed classes.

**Premiums for classes 1-27:**

1<sup>st</sup>- \$20.00      2<sup>nd</sup> -\$14.00      3<sup>rd</sup> -12.00      4<sup>th</sup> – \$8.00      5<sup>th</sup> – \$4.00      6<sup>th</sup> –\$2.00

**Section H- Market Animal** -Shown by weight

1. **Market Steer**- Enter all Market Steers as **3-H-1**

**Section X- Market Heifer** -Shown by weight

1. **Market Heifer**- Enter all Market Heifers as **3-X-1**

\*Market Heifers may also show in breed classes.

\*All Market Classes will be determined by weights taken on Sunday.

\*All Market Class Livestock must have been born in previous year.

**Division Champion and Reserve Champion- Market steers & Market Heifers will compete.**

**Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Market Animal.**

**The Premiums for Market Classes listed above:**

1<sup>st</sup>- \$15.00      2<sup>nd</sup>-\$12.00      3<sup>rd</sup>-9.00      4<sup>th</sup>-\$8.00      5<sup>th</sup>-\$6.00      6<sup>th</sup>-\$5.00

**Herdsmen Awards:**

1<sup>st</sup>-\$10.00      2<sup>nd</sup>-\$5.00      3<sup>rd</sup>-\$3.00

Clerk \_\_\_\_\_ Paid \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

OFFICE USE ONLY  
  
\_\_\_\_\_   
Exhibit Number

**DEPARTMENT 3 – BEEF CATTLE**

All cattle entries must be postmarked or hand delivered by July 1st.  
The Chautauqua County Fair reserves the right to refuse any entries due to lack of facilities.  
Preference will be given to residents and/or members of Chautauqua County clubs.

Please mail entries to  
Chautauqua County Fair  
P.O. Box 191  
Dunkirk, NY 14048  
Attn: Entry Clerk

Exhibitor Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
S.S. Number \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Farm Name \_\_\_\_\_ **Must be 5 years or older**  
Cell # \_\_\_\_\_

Qty	Total Entry Fees Fees MUST Accompany this Form	Price	Total Amount
	Exhibitor's Fee <b>Per Animal</b> <b>Max \$25.00</b>	\$3.00	
	Entry Fee Per Class	\$4.00	
	Late Entry Per Animal	\$15.00	
	<b>TOTAL FEES</b>		

**Open Beef Barn** \_\_\_\_\_  
**4-H Beef Barn** \_\_\_\_\_

MARKET STEER ENTRY  
3-H-1

Entries that are not legible or not completely filled out will be sent back to the exhibitor and considered NOT RECEIVED. It is in your best interest to type or PRINT CLEARLY & NEATLY. Entries MUST be made on this form. Photocopies are accepted. All stock trailers need to be parked on the infield. No stock trailers may line up before 3 pm on Sunday. DEPARTMENT 3 IS BEEF CATTLE– Cattle must have proof of rabies inoculation within the past 30 days prior to arrival at fairgrounds. All classes including group classes have a \$4.00 entry fee

\_\_\_\_\_ I do NOT give consent for Publicity Photographs to be published by the Chautauqua County Fair

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