



4-H BEEF DIVISION

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BEEF STEERS

1. Read General Rules & Regulations.
2. All animals in this division must have been born after Jan. 1, 2016.
3. The Classifications for judging will be based upon weights. Animals in each breed to be divided by weight deemed advisable by the superintendents so as to make two or more uniform classes.
4. Entry to be made by breed only.
5. Steers must weight 1000 pounds to be in sale.

NOTE: If calves are wild and pose a safety hazard to the exhibitor or fellow exhibitors, the exhibitor himself will have to take the responsibility for his calf. A committee of beef superintendents will make arrangements with the judge to evaluate the calf outside the ring. Steer will not be allowed to compete for champion placings NOR will be allowed to sell in the Premium Auction.

6. All Market steers must be identified with a State approved 4-H ear tag to be eligible for show and sale.

CLASS

600 - Hereford

601 - Angus

602 - Shorthorn

603 - Crossbred and Other Breeds

604 - Dairy Beef

605 - Red

606- Gelbvieh

607 - Feeder steers - This class is for steers that cannot make the 1000 lb. Minimum weight for market steers

608 - Bucket Calf Feeder Steers - This class is for previous year's bucket calves that cannot make the 1000 lb. Minimum weight for market steers.

NOTE: Dairy Beef -- Those breeds of cattle generally accepted as Dairy Cattle

AWARDS

Champion Angus Steer Trophy - Sponsored by Quivira Insurance - Stafford, KS

Champion Crossbred Steer Trophy - Sponsored by Keith and Sharilyn McNickle - Stafford, KS

Champion Red Steer Trophy - Sponsored by Doyle Wilson Cattle—Macksville, KS

Grand Champion Market Steer Trophy - Sponsored by Alpers Farm (Marion, Kevin, and Tyler)-Hudson, KS

Res. Grand Champion Market Steer Trophy - Sponsored by Kayla, Katie, Kristine, Jena Clowers - In Memory of Brian Clowers - Belpre, KS

4-H BEEF SHOWMANSHIP

609 - Showmanship 12 and under

610 - Showmanship 13 and over

NOTE: EXHIBITORS ELIGIBLE FOR BOTH REGULAR AND BUCKET CALF SHOWMANSHIP WILL HAVE TO DESIGNATE EITHER ONE CLASS OR THE OTHER TO COMPETE IN -- BUT WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE FOR BOTH.

AWARDS:

Champion Beef Junior Showmanship Trophy - - Sponsored by Quivira Insurance - Stafford, KS

Champion Beef Senior Showmanship Trophy - Sponsored by Stafford County 4-H Council

CARCASS EVALUATION AND SHOW RULES

1. The 4-H'er must be enrolled in the Market Beef Project.
2. Only one animal per individual member can be designated for the Carcass Evaluation.
3. All animals in the contest need to be officially weighed and tagged in at the Official County Weigh Date.
4. All animals need to be exhibited at the County Fair in their respective classes.
5. Each 4-H member and their family will be responsible for the sale, disposition, and monetary collection of their own carcass (Example: You will be responsible for finding your own buyers)
6. Each member will be responsible for their animal's care following the fair and its delivery to the processing plant (Ellinwood Packing) on the afternoon of July 16th or before 8:00 am on July 17th.

AWARDS:

Champion Beef Carcass Trophy - Sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Siefkes - Hudson, Kansas

Beef Carcass Show Awards— Sponsored by Carl Dudrey— St. John, KS

4-H BREEDING BEEF

NOTE: Cows and calves both will be shown at halter and the 4-H owner may utilize another 4-H member to help hold and set up the animals.

NOTE: Bull calves exhibited must be born after September 1, 2016. Bull calves must be eligible for registration.

EACH BREED WILL USE THE SAME CLASS NUMBERS, BUT ADD THE LETTER H-Hereford; A - Angus; S - Short-horn; C-Crossbreed; E -Exotic after each Class Number.

CLASS

- 615. Junior Heifer calf** - born after Jan. 1, current year
- 616. Senior Heifer calf** - born September 1-December 31, previous year
- 617. Summer Yearling Heifer** - born between May 1 and August 31, previous year
- 618. Junior Yearling Heifer** - born between January 1 - April 30, previous year
- 619. Senior Yearling Heifer** - born between September 1 - December 31, 2 years previous
- 620. Two year old or over** - BORN BEFORE September 1, 3 years previous
- 621. Cow-Calf Pair** - Commercial and/or Registered, with a calf dropped after January 1, current year. FEMALE MUST BE A PROJECT. Animals will be halter shown
- 622. Junior Bull Calf** - born after January 1, current year
- 623. Senior Bull Calf** - born between September 1 - December 31, previous year

AWARDS:

- Overall Supreme Breeding Female Trophy** - Sponsored by Seibert Feeding, Gary Seibert - Macksville, KS
- Overall Reserve Supreme Breeding Female Trophy** - Sponsored by Ag360 Insurance- St. John, KS

4-H BUCKET CALF CLASSES

JUDGING GUIDELINE FOR BUCKET CALVES

- Knowledge 75 points
How much the exhibitor knows about his animal (Sex, Breed, Feeding, Health Care, and General Management)
- Quality 25 points
General overall health and condition of the animal along with the good beef or dairy characteristics represented by the animal
- Fitting 00 points
The trimming, clipping, and grooming of the animal
- Showing 00 points
Exhibiting and handling of the animal

CLASS

- 625 - Jr. Bucket Calf—Exhibitor Age 7-9**
- 626 - Sr. Bucket Calf—Exhibitor Age 10-12**
- 627 - Bucket Calf - Showmanship - 12 and under**

Bucket Calf Feeder Steers-REFER TO CLASS #608

NOTE: EXHIBITORS ELIGIBLE FOR BOTH REGULAR BEEF AND BUCKET CALF SHOWMANSHIP WILL HAVE TO DESIGNATE ONE SHOWMANSHIP CLASS TO COMPETE IN -- BUT WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE FOR BOTH.

NOTE: Heifers shown will be subject to Brucellosis requirements listed in the general livestock rules.

Bucket calves are to be born between January 1, 2017 and April 15, 2017 and raised by the 4-H member on milk replacer.

AWARDS:

- Champion Junior Bucket Calf Trophy** - Sponsored by Stafford County Flour Mills Hudson/Macksville, KS
- Champion Senior Bucket Calf Trophy** - Sponsored by Doyle Wilson Cattle, Macksville, KS
- Grand Champion Bucket Calf Showmanship Trophy** - Sponsored by Randy and Kim Fritzemeier Stafford, KS
- Res. Grand Champion Bucket Calf Showmanship Trophy** - Sponsored by Dunn Seed, St. John, KS

4-H DAIRY CATTLE

NOTE: Members exhibiting Bull Calves must be carrying a breeding cow project. Bull calves must be born after September 1, previous year. Calves must be eligible to register.

EACH BREED WILL USE THE SAME CLASS NUMBERS, BUT ADD THE LETTER A - Ayrshire; BS - Brown Swiss; G - Guernsey; HO - Holstein; J - Jersey; MS - Milking Short-horn after each Class Number.

CLASS

- 630 - Bull Calf** - born after September 1, previous year
- 631 - Heifer Calf** - born after July 1, previous year
- 632 - Yearling Heifer Calf** - born between July 1 - August 31, previous year
- 633 - Two year old or over** - born before July 1, 3 years previous