

DEPARTMENT 1 - BEEF CATTLE—A MARKET SHOW (OPEN)

The Open & Junior Beef Show will be combined

ASST. SUPERINTENDENT: BOB BOCK------(309) 565-0551
ASST. SUPERINTENDENT: AMY DOWN STEWARD -----(479) 283-3196

JUDGING DATE & TIME:	3:00 P.M. <u>FRIDAY, JULY 21, 2017</u>	
<u>All Beef judging will be done on Friday, July 21, 2017</u>		
	JUDGING PROGRAM	
MARKET HEIFER	FRIDAY, JULY 21, 2017	3:00 P.M.
MARKET STEER	FRIDAY, JULY 21, 2017	TO FOLLOW MARKET HEIFER
JR. BEEF SHOWMANSHIP AGES (8-19)	FRIDAY, JULY 21, 2017	TO FOLLOW JR. STEER

REGULAR ENTRY DEADLINE:	JULY 1, 2017	12:00 MIDNIGHT
LATE ENTRY DEADLINE:	JULY 12, 2017	12:00 NOON

REGULAR ENTRY FEE:	\$25.00 PER ENTRY (\$20.00 ENTRY/\$5.00 STALL FEE) NO FIT
LATE ENTRY FEE:	ADDITIONAL \$4.00 PER ENTRY
BUILDING FOR JUDGING:	DAIRY BARN

HEALTH PAPERS CHECKED:	JULY 21, 2017 12:00 Noon DAIRY BARN
FAIR VETERINARIANS:	DUNLAP VETERINARY CLINIC (309) 243-7784 WYOMING VETERINARY SERVICE (309) 695-2561
STALLING:	ANIMALS MUST BE IN PLACE BY 9:00 A.M., FRIDAY, JULY 21, 2017
WEIGHING:	ALL ANIMALS IN THE SHOW WILL BE WEIGHED BEGINNING AT 12 NOON ON FRIDAY, JULY 21, 2017
BREEDING STOCK JUDGE:	TBD

DEPARTMENT AND HEART OF ILLINOIS FAIR GENERAL RULES

1. PREMISE REGISTRATION IS VOLUNTARY TO EXHIBIT LIVESTOCK (beef, dairy, horses, swine, sheep, goats, poultry and rabbits). Choosing to register your premises puts you on the frontline of controlling and preventing the spread of animal disease. A disease outbreak can't be predicted but it can impact every segment of animal agriculture. Participation ensures that you have the information you need, when you need it most, to protect your animals and your investment. Registering a premises involves obtaining a seven-character alpha-numeric "identifier" for the farm, ranch, veterinary clinic or other site where livestock or fowl are handled, housed, managed or processed. If an exhibitor wants to register their animals an application form can be found on-line at www.agri.state.il.us/premiseid. Exhibitors who register on-line will receive a premises registration number immediately. An application can also be obtained by calling 1-866-299-9256. If completing application and returning by mail, it may take up to 4 weeks to receive the number. Return applications to: Food Safety & Animal Protection Bureau, Illinois Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 19281, Springfield, IL 62794-9281
2. Entries close July 1, 2017. All entries by mail must be postmarked not later than midnight, July 1, 2017, and must be accompanied by the full entry fee. **LATE ENTRY DEADLINE--Entries submitted after the July 1ST regular deadline will be accepted IN PERSON at the Heart of Illinois fair office between July 1, 2017, and Noon, July 12, 2017, under the late entry rule. Entries made during the late entry time period will be charged an additional \$4.00 per entry. Entries close when pens/or stalls are full.**
3. Fees: Entry fee of \$20.00 per animal, plus \$5.00 per animal stall fee. One (1) day exhibitor per exhibitor will be issued at no charge. No refunds will be made. Please use the WHITE entry form marked OPEN LIVESTOCK ENTRY ONLY. Please complete all sections of the entry form fully. **AN ENTRY BLANK IS REQUIRED FOR EACH DEPARTMENT.**
4. **CATTLE HEALTH PAPERS WILL BE CHECKED FRIDAY, JULY 21, 2017, AT 12:00 NOON IN THE BEEF BARN. NO PREMIUMS WILL BE PAID AND NO ANIMALS WILL BE ALLOWED TO SHOW IF REGISTRATION PAPERS ARE NOT CHECKED.**
5. Please check both the GENERAL RULES section and the Illinois Department of Agriculture Rules at the front of the book as they may apply to your entry. **A HEALTH CERTIFICATE IS REQUIRED FOR BEEF CATTLE PLEASE SEE THE BEEF SECTION OF THE DEPT. OF AG RULES SECTION.**
6. Competition is open to the world. The management reserves the right to close the entries when a sufficient number have been received fill the stalls.
7. Beef cattle will be dismissed at 9:00 P.M., Friday, July 21, 2017.
8. Not more than two prizes will be awarded an exhibitor under one lot number.

COMPETITION

CALL OF LOTS

- 9. **NO ANIMALS WILL BE RELEASED EARLY.**
- 10. Exhibitors must submit their animals for examination by the official veterinarian, when so ordered by the superintendent of the department.
- 11. **CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRY MUST BE SHOWN, IF CALLED FOR BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THIS DEPARTMENT.**
- 12. **NO TIE OUTS ARE AVAILABLE. LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS WILL BE REQUIRED TO BRING THEIR OWN GATES FOR TIE OUT PURPOSES.**
- 13. At the discretion of the superintendent, and if numbers warrant, an additional heifer will be added.
- 14. All waste straw and manure must be placed in containers provided on NORTH SIDE of livestock barns. Exhibitors failing to do so shall forfeit premium money earned.
- 15. **All exhibitors will be responsible for cleaning their own tie out areas.**

MARKET HEIFERS

**CLASS
A – ALL BREEDS**

**BE SURE TO INCLUDE BIRTH DATE OF ANIMAL ON ENTRY FORM.
THIS WILL EXPEDITE THE PROCESSING OF YOUR ENTRY.**

PREMIUMS

**\$20.00 OF EACH ENTRY WILL BE TOTALED AND JACKPOT PAYOUT WILL BE MADE AFTER ALL ENTRIES ARE IN. PAYOUT PERCENTAGES
WILL BE CALCULATED AFTER ALL ENTRIES ARE IN**

Lot

- 1. *Market Heifers calved January 1, 2016 through January 1, 2017
- 2. *After all entries are in, Superintendent will break into class/lots in the show ring
- 3. *Use Lot 1 for all entries on the entry form.

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- 6.

***On entry form enter Lot 1. only. You will be assigned the correct lot number after all cattle arrive.**

MARKET HEIFERS

**CLASS
A – ALL BREEDS**

Lot

- 7. GRAND CHAMPION MARKET FEMALE--No Entry Fee--**\$250.00 AND SPECIAL AWARD IN MEMORY OF DAVID DOWN**
- 8. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MARKET FEMALE--No Entry Fee--**\$150.00**

**MARKET STEERS
CLASS
A – ALL BREEDS**

**BE SURE TO INCLUDE BIRTH DATE OF ANIMAL ON ENTRY FORM--THIS WILL EXPEDITE THE PROCESSING OF YOUR ENTRY
PREMIUMS**

**\$20.00 OF EACH ENTRY WILL BE TOTALED AND JACKPOT PAYOUT WILL BE MADE AFTER ALL ENTRIES ARE IN. PAYOUT PERCENTAGES
WILL BE CALCULATED AFTER ALL ENTRIES ARE IN**

Lot

- 9. *Market Steers
- 10. *After all entries are in, Superintendent will break into class/lots by weight
- 11. *Use Lot 9 for all entries on the entry form

- 12.
- 13.
- 14.

***On entry form enter Lot 9 only. You will be assigned the correct lot number after all cattle arrive.**

**MARKET STEERS
CLASS
A – ALL BREEDS**

Lot

- 15. GRAND CHAMPION MARKET STEER--No Entry Fee--**\$250.00 & BANNER DONATED BY THE BOCK FAMILY**
- 16. GRAND RESERVE CHAMPION MARKET STEER--No Entry Fee--**\$150.00**

**OPEN TO ALL JUNIOR BEEF EXHIBITORS
CLASS A - JUNIOR BEEF SHOWMANSHIP--No Entry Fee**

Lot

- 17. Junior Beef Showmanship-No Entry Fee-♥

♥ TROPHY FOR JUNIOR BEEF SHOWMANSHIP DONATED BY STEVE & RUTH BOCK, HANNA CITY, IL, IN MEMORY OF RON BOCK.

THANK YOU

The following individuals and companies have generously donated cash sponsorships which have been applied to the Beef Classes to increase the total premiums offered.

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