

Department 10 - 4-H - MARKET STEERS, DAIRY BEEF, BREEDING BEEF & VEAL

Superintendent – Kellie Myers

Beef Show - Wednesday at 9:00 AM

IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY AS AN EXHIBITOR TO READ AND BE AWARE OF ALL RULES AND REGULATIONS

GENERAL RULES

Exhibitors must abide by the Department of Agriculture's Health Requirements which may be found at the beginning of the Livestock Department, along with General Rules and Regulations for all Exhibitors.

1. Registration is \$5.00 per head .
2. Registration forms complete with ear tag number and are due to the Fair Office by July 15th (4:00 pm) preceding the fair. Late registrations will not be accepted.
3. Cattle shall be identified by an official ear tag or other unique identification device approved by PDA. Official identification includes:
 - A USDA-issued National Uniform Ear tagging system or
 - A 15 digit Animal Identification Number (AIN) ear tag starting with "840" and having a US shield or
 - Other identification approved by the PDA
4. Exhibitors must abide by the Department of Agriculture's rules and regulations and the General Livestock rules which is found at the beginning of the Premium Book.
5. Each exhibitor may enter 2 Steers, 2 Veal Calves, and 2 Dairy Beef. All animals may be sold during the Youth Livestock Sale. Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion animals MUST be sold at the Youth Livestock Sale.
6. Cattle will have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) completed within 30-days of check-in.
7. PA CATTLE - No tuberculosis test is required. No Brucellosis test is required.
8. If you wish to show in the County Bred market class, you are required to fill out the registration form in its entirety. A breeder signature is required either on the registration form or on a signed copy of a sales receipt. Sales receipt must describe the animal as a "Cambria County Bred Market Steer" and have a tag number as a reference. A "Cambria County Bred Market Steer" must meet all the County Bred requirements. The requirements are: the animal must be born from a female that is owned by a Cambria County resident that has taken the responsibility to breed the female and for that female to bear offspring while in their possession in Cambria County and that offspring be raised in Cambria County. Cambria County Breeder signature, address, phone number is required, e-mail is optional.
9. It is recommended that youth exhibitors use a show stick and show halter with a chain during judging.
10. Unethical practices, including unnecessary drenching, will not be tolerated. Barn Superintendents/Show Stewards will determine what is considered unethical.
11. The PA Beef Council will deduct an additional \$1 per head for all animals sold at the Youth Livestock Auction.

BREEDING BEEF CATTLE

Department 10 - **Section 301**

PREMIUMS: 1st \$10.00 2nd \$8.00 3rd \$6.00 4th \$4.00 5th \$2.00

Class Breeding Beef Cattle

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| 1. Junior Heifer Calves, Calved after 01/01/22 | 5. Senior Yearling Heifer, Calved 09/01 to 12/31/20 |
| 2. Senior Heifer Calves, Calved 09/01 to 12/31/21 | 6. Champion Female Breeding Beef - ROSETTE |
| 3. Summer Yearling Heifer, Calved 05/01 to 08/31/21 | 7. Reserve Champ. Female Breeding Beef - ROSETTE |
| 4. Junior Yearling Heifer, Calved 01/01 to 04/30/21 | |



MARKET STEERS

Department 10 - **Section 302**

PREMIUMS: 1st \$10.00 2nd \$8.00 3rd \$6.00 4th \$4.00 5th \$2.00

Rules

1. Animals must be born during the calendar year prior to the show/fair.
2. Animal must be dehorned and healed.
3. There is no minimum or maximum weight. Steers weights will be divided evenly for classes.
4. A suitable halter must be left on any steer sold through the sale until the animal is loaded.
5. Weight Classes will be determined Check-in Day.
6. Champions and reserve champions of weight classes will receive rosettes. Grand and Reserve Champions will receive banners.



COUNTY BRED MARKET STEERS

Department 10 - **Section 303**

PREMIUMS: 1st \$10.00 2nd \$8.00 3rd \$6.00 4th \$4.00 5th \$2.00

Rules

1. If you wish to show in the County Bred market class, you are required to fill out the registration form in its entirety. A breeder signature is required either on the registration form or on a signed copy of a sales receipt. Sales receipt must describe the animal as a "Cambria County Bred Market Steer" and have a tag number as a reference. A "Cambria County Bred Market Steer" must meet all the County Bred requirements. The requirements are: the animal must be born from a female that is owned by a Cambria County resident that has taken the responsibility to breed the female and for that female to bear offspring while in their possession in Cambria County and that offspring be raised in Cambria County. Cambria County Breeder signature, address, phone number is required, e-mail is optional.
2. County Bred form must be turned with Entry Form
3. Champions and reserve champions will receive banners.

VEAL

Department 10 - **Section 304**

PREMIUMS: 1st \$10.00 2nd \$8.00 3rd \$6.00 4th \$4.00 5th \$2.00

Rules

1. Project animal must be born Between June 1 and July 15 of the current year.
2. All calves should be fed the special veal high fat milk replacer or whole milk *ONLY! NO GRASS, HAY OR GRAIN.
3. All veal calves must be of a dairy breed, not a beef-dairy cross.
4. The minimum veal calf weight is 180 pounds. There is no maximum weight limit for veal calves. Any calf that is underweight is eligible to show in the showmanship class. They are not eligible for the Youth Livestock Sale.
5. Animals must be clean.
6. Weight Classes will be determined Check-in Day.
7. Champions and reserve champions of weight classes will receive banners.



DAIRY BEEF

Department 10 - **Section 305**

PREMIUMS: 1st \$10.00 2nd \$8.00 3rd \$6.00 4th \$4.00 5th \$2.00

Rules

1. The animal must be 100% Red & White or Black & White Holstein steer. SIGNATURE of Holstein Breeder is required on Registration form or ATTACH A SIGNED SALES RECEIPT WITH THIS INFORMATION to Registration form.
2. Dairy Beef must be a steer, no heifers.
3. Project animals must be born between January 1st and March 15th of the current year.
4. Animal must be castrated by June 1st.
5. Animal must be dehorned and healed.
6. The maximum weight for Junior Dairy Beef project is 900 pounds, there is no minimum weight. Classes will be determined according to weight.
7. THE HEAD, TAIL, AND UNDERBELLY MUST BE CLIPPED. (It is recommended that this be done approximately 1 week before the fair.)
8. VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS: Dairy Cattle include a health certificate, signed by an accredited veterinarian that includes a statement that the animal(s) identified have been immunized against IBR, PI3, and BVD. Animals that have never been vaccinated against BVD or have not been vaccinated against BVD during the previous 12 months, must receive one dose of modified live virus vaccine given at least 21 days, and not more than 180 days before the show, or two doses of killed vaccine, two to four weeks apart, with the last dose given at least 15 days and not more than 180 days before the show.

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Animals that have been vaccinated against BVD within the previous 12 months must receive at least a single injection of modified live virus or killed vaccine given not less than 15 days and not more than 180 days before the show.

9. IMPORTANT! The date of the last live virus vaccination, or the dates of the last two killed virus vaccinations must be recorded on the Health Certificate.
10. Hyper immune serum may not be used as a substitute for the above vaccination requirement. No Animals will be admitted to the American Legion County Fair unless these requirements have been met.
11. Dairy Beef exhibitors who do not sell their calf through the Youth Livestock Sale are eligible to use the same animal for a Junior Dairy Market Steer project the following year.
12. The Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion MUST be sold at the Youth Livestock Sale.
13. Weight Classes will be determined Check-in Day.
14. Champions and reserve champions of weight classes will receive rosettes. Grand and Reserve Champions will receive banners.



SHOWMAN

Department 10 - Section 306:

PREMIUMS: 1st \$10.00 2nd \$8.00 3rd \$6.00 4th \$4.00 5th \$2.00

Class Showman

55 Beef, Ages 15 & Over

56 Beef, Ages 12 – 14

57 Beef, Ages 8 – 11

58 Grand Champion Showman – Beef

59 Veal Cattle – Ages 15 & Over

60 Veal Cattle – Ages 12 – 14

61 Veal Cattle – Ages 8 – 11

62 Grand Champion Showman – Veal

63 Dairy Beef – Ages 15 & Over

64 Dairy Beef – Ages 12 – 14



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65 Dairy Beef – Ages 8 – 11

66 Grand Champion Showman Dairy Beef



STALL DECORATIONS

Department 10 - Section 308 - CLASS 79

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