

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

Superintendent – Kelly 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 are due to the Fair Office by July 15th (4:00 pm) preceding the fair. Late registrations will not be accepted.
3. Exhibitors are responsible to adhere to the General Rules and the rules set forth in Department 3.
4. **Each exhibitor is responsible for lanyard registrations.** Lanyard form links are located on our website <https://cambriacofair.com/> or <https://sites.google.com/view/american-legion-co-fair/home> If you have any problems accessing these sites please email us at ccfair@verizon.net.
 - Lanyard registrations submitted after July 15th will not be accepted. Exhibitor Lanyards are \$10 and Family Lanyards are \$20 each.
 - **LANYARD DISTRIBUTION:** Lanyards must be paid for and picked up at the fair office Aug. 19 - 23 Monday thru Friday 9 to 4 or Saturday August 17th 12 to 2 pm. Lanyards will not be available Livestock check-in day.
5. 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
6. Exhibitors must abide by the Department of Agriculture's rules and regulations and the General Livestock rules which are found at the beginning of the Premium Book.
7. 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.
8. Cattle will have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) completed within 30-days of check-in.
9. PA CATTLE - No tuberculosis test is required. No Brucellosis test is required.
10. **All grooming and fitting must occur in the beef barns** no exceptions. A light touch up in the arena during the show is acceptable.
11. The exhibitor is responsible for completing the grooming and fitting of their project animal. Necessary guidance and assistance from others must be done in an ethical manner.
12. Stall decorations must remain on display and maintained until the animals leave the grounds.
13. It is recommended that youth exhibitors use a show stick and show halter with a chain during judging.
14. Unethical practices, including unnecessary drenching, will not be tolerated. Barn Superintendents/Show Stewards will determine what is considered unethical.

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- IMPORTANT SALE INFORMATION** - Market animals may be sold during the Youth Livestock Sale. Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion animals **MUST** be sold at the sale. Exhibitor **MUST be on time and present in the sale ring when their animal is scheduled for sale**. Those that are not, will be sold through the BuyBack program. **Exhibitor MUST take sale paperwork to their buyer** for signature to complete the transaction. Therefore, families **MUST** have a parent/sibling/friend present at ringside to hold the animal while this is done. **Exhibitors MUST care for their market animals through load out on Saturday afternoon**. This includes proper feed/water, pen maintenance and washing any fitting products off the animals. All exhibitors are responsible for leading their animals onto to the buyers truck.
- 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 01/01/24 | 5. Senior Yearling Heifer, Calved 09/01 to 12/31/22 |
| 2. Senior Heifer Calves, Calved 09/01 to 12/31/23 | 6. Grand Champ. Female Breeding Beef - BANNER |
| 3. Summer Yearling Heifer, Calved 05/01 to 08/31/23 | 7. Grand Reserve Champ. Female Breeding Beef - BANNER |
| 4. Junior Yearling Heifer, Calved 01/01 to 04/30/23 | |

MARKET STEERS

Department 10 - **Section 302**

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

Rules

- Animals must be born during the calendar year prior to the show/fair.
- Animal must be dehorned and healed.
- A suitable halter must be left on any steer sold through the sale until the animal is loaded.
- Weight Classes will be determined according to weight
- Champions and reserve champions of weight classes will receive rosettes. Grand and Reserve Champion 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

- 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 in with Entry Form
3. Grand Champion and reserve Grand 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 May 1 and July 1 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.
5. Animals must be clean.
6. Head Tail and underbelly must be clipped.
7. Weight Classes will be determined according to weight.
8. Grand Champion and reserve Grand Champions 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. 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. The Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion MUST be sold at the Youth Livestock Sale.
12. Weight Classes will be determined according to weight.
13. 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	61	Veal Cattle – Ages 8 – 11
56	Beef, Ages 12 – 14	62	Grand Champion Showman – Veal - BANNER
57	Beef, Ages 8 – 11	63	Dairy Beef – Ages 15 & Over
58	Grand Champion Showman – Beef - BANNER	64	Dairy Beef – Ages 12 – 14
59	Veal Cattle – Ages 15 & Over	65	Dairy Beef – Ages 8 – 11
60	Veal Cattle – Ages 12 – 14	66	Grand Champion Showman Dairy Beef - BANNER

STOCKMAN

Department 10 - Section 307:

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

Class Showman

67	Beef, Ages 15 & Over	73	Veal Cattle – Ages 8 – 11
68	Beef, Ages 12 – 14	74	Grand Champion Stockman – Veal - BANNER
69	Beef, Ages 8 – 11	75	Dairy Beef – Ages 15 & Over
70	Grand Champion Stockman – Beef - BANNER	76	Dairy Beef – Ages 12 – 14
71	Veal Cattle – Ages 15 & Over	77	Dairy Beef – Ages 8 – 11
72	Veal Cattle – Ages 12 – 14	78	Grand Champion Stockman Dairy Beef - BANNER

STALL DECORATIONS

Department 10 - Section 308 - CLASS 79

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