2024 Northern WI State Fair ~ **Open** Fair Exhibit Guide

Department Open Beef Cattle #02

Important Information:

- 1. Click Here for Online Entry http://nwsfa.fairwire.com
- 2. Schedule can be found online and on page 1. Exhibitors of livestock must inform themselves when their stock will be judged. Stock must be in the show ring promptly after being called. Any person failing to comply with order will be ruled out from competing.
- 3. Use only this year's entry guide.
- 4. General information that pertains to all departments can be found online and starting on page 2. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to follow all expectations.
- 5. All animals you plan to show MUST be registered prior to the entry deadline. Stall assignments will be made after registration closes.
- 6. Animals may not be unloaded until all paperwork is received by the Superintendent of the department. And fees paid to the office.
- 7. When there are less than three exhibits entered in a Class, the exhibit(s) may be moved to a Miscellaneous Class at the time of judging. Learn more about this rule by researching DATCP, ATCP 160.07(1).
 - The DATCP rule of "less than 3" does not apply to Dairy IF the national breed association certifies that those dairy cattle are recorded in that breed association's qualified herd book.
- 8. All Entries will be judged by certified specialty judges using the single judge system.
- 9. Complete DATCP Animal Health Regulations for Fairs can be found on our website www.nwsfa.com, at the end of this book or at https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/admin_code/atcp/140/160/i/01
 - Age definitions can be found at ATCP 16.08(1)
- 10. PREMISE ID REGISTRATION: If you are entering animals in this department, you <u>must</u> provide us with your Premise Identification Number on your entry form. For more information you may contact: WI DATCP at 608-224-4872 or go to the DATCP website: http://datcp.wi.gov/Animals/Premises_Registration/index.aspx or the WI Livestock Identification Consortium at http://www.wiid.org. A premise ID must be provided before animals can be unloaded and exhibited.
- 11. By participating in the Northern Wisconsin State Fair, you agree to follow the Code of Ethics set forth by the NWSFA Board. Mistreatment of any animal will not be tolerated. Any exhibitor or person found mistreating animals during the exhibition will be dismissed from the fairgrounds with loss of premiums.
- 12. By participating you authorize the use of your image in pictures, audio, and video productions for advertising and marketing needs of the NWSF.
- 13. Exhibitors of livestock are required to display over each stall or pen occupied by their stock, a printed placard containing the name, breed, and age, with registry of the animal exhibited.

Specific to this department:

- 14. A charge of \$10 per head will be made in this department. Cows with suckling calf to count as one.
- 15. Competition Open to Wisconsin Residents Only
- 16. If there are eight or more animals in a breed not listed, a show may be formed for that breed.
- 17. Blue-ribbon exhibitors from Junior Fair may show in open class for ribbon only, if space allows.
- 18. Cattle entered must be owned by the individuals or firms exhibiting them, but the get, or progeny of animals may not be owned by the individuals or firms exhibiting them, qualifying without ownership.
- 19. All purebred animals in the Department to be entitled to compete shall show certificate of registry in the government recognized Stud, Herd and Flock Books of their respective breeds.
- Exhibitors of livestock must inform themselves when their stock will be judged. Stock must be in the show ring promptly after being called. Any person failing to comply with order will be ruled out from competing.
- 21. Entries must specify with full pedigree and post office address, the name, age, sex and breed or description with full pedigree and registered number. No animal may be entered in the name of any other person than the legal owner or owners, and should any prove to be otherwise entered, premiums awarded them will be forfeited to the Association.

Age Definitions per DATCP:

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Individual Classes

- (a) A junior calf is one born on or after January 1 of the exhibit year. The calf shall be at least 4 months old at the time of exhibit.
- (b) A senior calf is one whose date of birth is between September 1 and December 31 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
- (c) A summer yearling is one whose date of birth is between May 1 and August 31 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
- (d) A junior yearling is one whose date of birth is between January 1 and April 30 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
- (e) A senior yearling is one whose date of birth is between September 1 and December 31 of the second year preceding the exhibit year.
- (f) A 2-year-old or older cow is one born before September 1 of the second year preceding the exhibit year and which has calved during the past year.

Group Classes

- (a) A dairy junior get of sire shall consist of 3 animals which are the offspring of the same bull. All of these animals shall be under 2 years of age, and not more than one may be a bull. A beef junior get of sire shall consist of 3 animals which are the offspring of the same bull and are animals in the junior calf, senior calf, or the summer yearling, bull and heifer classes, with both sexes to be represented.
- (b) A dairy and beef senior get of sire shall consist of 3 animals which are the offspring of one sire. All of these animals shall be 2 years of age or over. In either a dairy or beef breed get of sire, the name of the sire shall be designated by the exhibitor. The animals need not be owned by a single exhibitor.
- (c) A produce of dam shall consist of 2 animals of any age or sex which are the produce of one cow.
- (d) A group of 3 best female cattle shall consist of 3 animals of any age which were bred and are owned by the exhibitor.

<u>Department Open Beef #02</u> Notice the new terminology Department – Division – Class

Division A: Registered Purebred Angus

Division B: Registered Purebred Hereford

Division C: Registered Purebred Shorthorn

Division D: Registered Purebred Shorthorn Plus

Division E: Registered Purebred Simmental

Division F: Registered Purebred Miniature Breeds

Division G: Any other Registered Breed

Division H: Commercial

Class # - Description	Premium	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
1. Bull calf, junior		\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5
2. Bull calf, senior		\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5
Bull, summer yearling		\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
Bull, junior yearling		\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
Bull, senior yearling		\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8
Champion Bull		Ribbon			
Reserve Champion Bull, any age	•	Ribbon			
Heifer calf, junior		\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5
7. Heifer calf, senior		\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5
Heifer, summer yearling		\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8
9. Heifer, junior yearling		\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8
Heifer, senior yearling		\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8
11. Cow, over 2 years old		\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
12. Cow and offspring		\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
Champion Female		Ribbon			
Reserve Champion Female, any	age	Ribbon			
13. Junior get of sire		\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
14. Senior get of sire		\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
15. Breeders herd		\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6

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16. Pair of calves-1 bull/1 heifer		\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6			
Grand Champion Beef Female								
Grand Champion Beef Cow/Ca	lf							
Division I - Market								
Class # - Description	Premium	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4th			
Feeder Calf Steer		\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5			
Summer Yearling Steer		\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6			
Junior Yearling Steer		\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6			
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