

YOUTH BEEF COMMERCIAL SHOW



Livestock Chairmen: Dr. Howard Acree, Jr. and Mike Sweat

Vice Chairman: Stephanie Toelle, Duval County Extension Director

Fair Livestock Coordinator: Jackie Turner

Youth Beef Cattle Superintendent: Duval County Extension

Barn Superintendents: Shelly Terrell and Joshua Rivers

Receiving: Tuesday, November 12th - 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Youth Showmanship: Wednesday, November 13th, 2:00 p.m.

Youth Show: Wednesday, November 13th, 4:00 p.m.

Release: Thursday, November 14th, 8:00 p.m.

Cattleman's Dinner: Tuesday, November 12th, 5:00 p.m. in the Hospitality Tent

REFER TO THE YOUTH BEEF PAGE FOR SPECIFIC INFORMATION

REFER TO GENERAL LIVESTOCK RULES FOR SPECIFIC INFORMATION

Youth Beef Shows are \$10 per application (not each animal)

OCTOBER 1ST IS THE DEADLINE FOR LIVESTOCK ENTRIES

ENTRY INSTRUCTIONS: You will register online. Complete the entry form and pay online.

[Click Here To Register Online](#)

PARKING: Exhibitors participating in the Open and Youth Cattle Shows will be given parking passes for the Exhibitor Lot . Parking Lot # 2 is reserved for 11-day exhibitors, admission control, Fair Board Members, staff, security, Jacksonville Sheriff Officers, and for Fire and Rescue Trucks that may be needed for any emergency that may arise during the Fair. This lot will be monitored to assure that it is not used by anyone except those previously listed and who have a Lot #2 parking pass hanging on the rearview mirror with the correct name. This will be strictly enforced.

PASSES: Gate passes will be issued on the following basis. 1-6 animals, six (6) daily admission tickets and three one day Exhibitor Lot parking passes (one per day), 7-12 animals, nine (9) daily admission tickets and six one day Exhibitor Lot parking passes (two per day), 13 and over animals, twelve (12) daily admission tickets and six one day Exhibitor Lot parking passes (two per day). No additional parking or admission passes will be given if showing in the Youth Show as well.

NOTE: An admission ticket will be for a single day. Be sure to utilize your tickets to cover every day you are at the fair. There will be no additional tickets issued. If additional tickets are required, you may purchase them for half price (\$5.00) from the Livestock Office or the Administration Office. Additional tickets may also be bought online for half price before the fair opens.

FDACS Cattle Movement Requirements:

<https://www.fdacs.gov/Agriculture-Industry/Livestock/Animal-Movement/Cattle-Movement-Requirements-Including-Bison>

WHY DO WE REQUIRE PERSONAL INFORMATION: Why do we require personal information and social security numbers? We understand your concerns, and we want you to know why this info is needed. Many of our 4-H and FFA youths take part in various contests and events-rabbits, poultry, dog show, horse show, and other open and youth shows. It is possible our kids can earn multiple premiums and accumulate a sum of money that requires us to report their earnings to the IRS. It would be difficult to contact parents after the fair to get the information needed and still get checks written and to the winners in a timely manner. We want you to know their information is guarded and entry forms are shredded when they are no longer needed.

Photography Release

Photographs will be taken during these events and the images will be used to help promote the fair and educate the public about our different programs and competitions.

I authorize the Greater Jacksonville Agricultural Fair or their assignees to record and photograph my image and/or voice (or that of my child if under 18) for use in research, educational and promotional programs. I also recognize that these audio, video and image recordings are the property of the Greater Jacksonville Agricultural Fair.

If anyone has an objection to the use of their child's image please send a request to jackie@jacksonvillefair.com.

RULES:

1. Exhibitors must adhere to the requirements as outlined in the Youth General Livestock Rules and Regulations.
2. Exhibitors must show their own animal(s).
3. For showmanship and show, all youth exhibitors will be required to be clean, neat, and dressed according to the standards of the youth organization they are representing. FFA- black jeans, white collared shirt, FFA jacket and tie. 4-H- Black/dark jeans, white collared shirt. 4-H vest, jacket, and/or tie is strongly recommended. No caps or hats. Closed-toed shoes or boots are required. **Exhibitors not conforming to the Dress Code will not be allowed to enter the Show Ring.**
4. Speak and act in a responsible, courteous, and respectful way. Harassment, threats or bullying of any type is prohibited. Act responsibly to maintain a safe environment for all participants. Acting in a manner that could endanger the health, safety or welfare of yourself or others is prohibited.
5. Only 4-H or FFA members may exhibit animals in this Youth Show. The exhibitor must show their own animal(s). If an exhibitor has more than one animal in any one class, the exhibitor can have another youth exhibitor show that second animal.
6. No exhibitor shall be permitted to win more than two premiums in any one class.
7. Modified Danish System will be used.
8. All decisions by the Barn Superintendents regarding eligibility in the Youth Show(s) are final.

ETHICS COURSE: Completion of the Youth Livestock Show Ethics and Animal Care workshop is required for all youth (except Cloverbuds).

Ethics courses can be found here:

[2024/2025 YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW ETHICS AND ANIMAL CARE WORKSHOP - Google Docs](#)

SHOWMANSHIP: If you wish to compete for Showmanship, you must indicate this on your registration form.

Showmanship Ages Are As Follows:

Senior Showmanship.....14 - 18 years of age as of September 1, 2024 (High School Student)
Intermediate Showmanship.....11 - 13 years of age as of September 1, 2024
Junior Showmanship.....8 - 10 years of age as of September 1, 2024

Showmanship Awards:

Youth Beef Showmanship: Division winners will each receive a belt buckle.

2nd & 3rd Place: Winners will receive an award.

Belt buckles are sponsored by The Duval County Cattlemen's Association and the Duval County Farm Bureau

Commercial Classes are as follows:

Class 1 Spring Heifer Calf Born between March 2024 and after

Class 2 Junior Heifer Calves - Born January 1 - February 29, 2024

Class 3 Jr Heifer Calf Champion

Class 4 Reserve Jr Calf Champion

Class 5 Winter Heifer Calf - calved November 1 -December 31, 2023

Class 6 Sr Heifer Calf - calved September 1- October 31, 2023

Class 7 Sr Heifer Calf Champion

Class 8 Reserve Sr Heifer Calf Champion

Class 9 Late Summer Yearling Heifer - calved July 1 - August 31, 2023

Class 10 Early Summer Yearling Heifer - calved May 1 - June 30, 2023

Class 11 Summer Champion Heifer

Class 12 Reserve Summer Champion Heifer

Class 13 Spring Yearling Heifer - calved March 1 - April 30, 2023

Class 14 Jr Yearling Heifer - calved January 1 - February 28, 2023

Class 15 Junior Champion Heifer

Class 16 Reserve Junior Champion Heifer

Class 17 Late Senior Yearling Heifers - calved November 1 to December 31, 2022

Class 18 Early Senior Yearling Heifers - calved September 1 to October 31, 2022

Class 19 Sr Heifer Champion

Class 20 Reserve Sr Heifer Champion

Class 21 GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE

Class 22 RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE

PREMIUM MONEY WILL BE AWARDED FOR CLASSES

1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 10, 13, 14, 17, 18

ROSETTES AWARDED FOR CLASSES

3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 12, 15, 16, 19, 20

SPECIAL AWARDS PRESENTED TO CLASSES

21, 22

PREMIUMS

Commercial

Blue.....\$40.00

Red.....\$30.00

White.....\$20.00

RELEASE RULE:

Exhibitors will be released by zones. Consideration will first be given to exhibitors living farthest away within and outside of the State of Florida. No exhibitor will be released without first having their barn and tack areas cleaned, checked, and cleared by the Barn Superintendents who shall issue an all-clear notice.

