# OX DRAWING CONTEST

Superintendent: Bryan Mollison (413) 743-0029

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 20th. Enter via general entry form, online, or with the ShoWorks Passport app.

WEIGH IN TIME: Saturday, 9/2/23, 8:00 – 10:00 AM

Exhibitors should enter the fair via Gate 7 and unload near the Pull Ring.

SHOW TIME: Saturday, 9/2/23, 10:00 AM Oxen, 1st Class

RELEASE TIME: Saturday, 9/2/23, as soon as classes are completed.

NO ENTRY FEES TO ENTER THIS COMPETITION.

### **OX DRAWING RULES**

- Ox Drawing will be run under the 2023 Massachusetts State Fair rules and the New England Ox Teamsters rules.
- Any individual found guilty of administering drugs which may affect the conduct, actions, endurance, strength, speed or performance of any animal competing in any pulling competition within the Commonwealth of Mass, shall forfeit all prize monies won that day and shall be barred from any pulling competition of the next calendar year. Second offenders shall be barred for life in any pulling competition in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
- Any owner and/or teamster who has been convicted, or found in violation in any other state's statute relating to the use of drugs or stimulants, or other animal protection statute shall be barred from participation in any contest, in this state, for the period prescribed by that state.
- Any team disqualified by an agent of Humane Society appointed under Chapter 147, Section 10, of the M.G.L. Shall be taken out of the contest immediately.
- All participants will be properly dressed. The drinking of alcoholic beverages in and around the ring is prohibited. Any foul or abusive language to the public or anyone connected with the draw, by the driver or his helpers will cause the driver and team to be disqualified.
- A twisted whip only with a braided lash or gord stick may be used in the pit or on the fairgrounds.
- The whip shall only be used to guide the oxen outside of the pit area. The whip may be used lightly to place the oxen, after being hitched to the boat. Then the oxen may be touched once only to start the boat and once only while the boat is in motion.
- No driver shall strike the ox in the face or anywhere about the head with the whip.
- All calves over the age of 6 months must be castrated to show or enter any classes.
- All trucks & trailers <u>must park</u> in lot opposite cattle barn. (known as Klecot Lot)
- Any variation of these rules shall be in the spirit of aforesaid rules and at the discretion of the judges.

## Ox Draw – Division 313

### Class

01. 2000-2500# 03. 3300# & Under 02. 2900# & Under 04. Over 3300#

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1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	$6^{th}$	$7^{th}$	8 <sup>th</sup>
\$100	\$80	\$60	\$50	\$40	\$35	\$30	\$20
\$125	\$100	\$85	\$75	\$65	\$55	\$45	\$35
\$150	\$125	\$100	\$75	\$65	\$55	\$45	\$35
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# GENERAL ENTRY FORM

September 1<sup>st</sup> – September 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023

All entries must be mailed, emailed, or faxed to: Three County Fair, P O Box 305, Northampton, MA 01061

Email: laurie@3countyfair.com

Office phone: 413-584-2237 Office fax: 413-586-1297

All entries should be received by Sunday, August 20<sup>th</sup>, with fees, for all competitions except Exhibit Hall A & B, which require entries by Friday, August 25<sup>th</sup>. You can also enter online at www.3countyfair.com or via the *ShoWorks Passport* app

EXHIBITOR#

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		right to utilize particip	ants name	, image		d promote all exhibits in pub comoting, broadcasting and/o sation.	
Please	check one: (age	s as of 1/1/23)	CHII Under		YOUTH 9 – 19 yrs.	ADULT over 20 yrs.	
DIV	CLASS	DESCRIPTION	ON OF AF	RTICLE		ENTRY FEE (if any)	
(300)	(01)	Ayrshire Junio	r Heifer C	alf (exar	nple)	(\$x.00)	
	Entry	form good for all depar	tments ex	cept Boe	r Goat, Rabbit,	& Poultry Competitions.	

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In such instances, entry fees will be refunded.