

Department 10 - 4-H & Vocational

Junior Beef Cattle

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See animal health rules (Cattle: Sections 3 & 4). The same classes to apply to each breed.

BREEDS

A - ABERDEEN ANGUS	L - LIMOUSIN
B - CHIANINA	M - MAINE ANJOU
C - CHAROLAIS	S - SHORTHORN
D - SIMMENTAL	O - OTHERS - PUREBRED BREEDS
H - HEREFORD	X - CROSSBREDS - Papers not required.
MH - MINI HEREFORD	Percentage animals also. Purebred breed- ing cattle will show in their breed class.

Department 10 - Section 3A - Junior Breeding Beef

Show Tuesday 12 p.m.

CLASS...\$21 \$15 \$12

- 01** Jr. Heifer Calf (Calved after 1/1/24)
- 02** Sr. Heifer Calf (Calved between 9/1/23 - 12/31/23)
- 03** Summer Yearling Heifer (Calved between 5/1/23- 8/31/23)
- 04** Jr. Yearling Heifer (Calved between 1/1/23 - 4/30/23)
- 05** Sr. Yearling Heifer (Calved between 9/1/22 - 12/31/22)
- 06** 2 Yr. Old Heifer (Calved between 1/1/22 -8/31/22)
Champion Female each breed & Reserve Champion Female each
breed - Rosettes
Supreme Champion Female over all breeds Jr. Show - Banner
Reserve Champion Female over all breeds Jr. Show - Banner
- 07** Jr. Bull Calf (Born After 1/1/24)
- 08** Sr. Bull Calf (9/1/23 - 12/31/23)
- 09** Summer Yearling Bull (5/1/23 - 8/31/23)
- 10** Jr. Yearling Bull (1/1/23 - 4/30/23)
- 11** Sr. Yearling Bull (9/1/22 - 12/31/22)
- 12** 2 Yr. Old Bull (1/1/22 - 8/31/22)
Champion Bull & Reserve Champion Bull - Rosettes
- 13** Two Bulls Owned by Exhibitor

Overall Beef Heifer Awards

Open and junior show animals are eligible for these cash awards.
Breed champions will be placed together for overall selection.
Supreme Champion over all breeds - \$500 (Ineligible for County Bred)
Reserve Supreme Champion over all breeds - \$400
County Bred Champion over all breeds - \$350
Reserve County Bred Champion over all breeds - \$250

Department 10 - Section 3B - Junior Market Steers

Show Wednesday 9 a.m.

- 1. An exhibitor may tag a maximum of 2 steers. All entries must have been on feed by January 1st and steers must have been tagged by January 15, 2024. (Project record books must accompany all entries and will be checked by the committee.) Books must be neat, accurate and up to date with proper signatures of advisers, parents and 4-H leaders. Starting weight is required only for Bedford Co. Rural Electric weight gain contest steers.
- 2. All entries must be from beef type breeding and either naturally polled and no horns or scurs. All horns must be removed.
- 3. Animals may be tied out at night from 10:00 p.m. till 10:00 a.m.
- 4. A minimum wt. of 900 lbs. required for all steers to show and to be sold. There will be 9 Junior Market Steer classes divided by weight to as nearly as possible, to have equal numbers of steers shown in each class.
- 5. Jr. Market Steers must be in stalls by 12 noon Sunday and can be weighed Sunday from 12:00 to 2:00 p.m. for classes and sale.

Exhibitors must present health papers identifying animals and up-to-date record books. Steers must have tags in ear to be weighted and exhibited.

- 6. All Market Steers shown are the exhibitor's responsibility until loaded on trucks for buyers.
- 7. Grand Champion and Reserve Champion steers are not eligible for Classes 10 & 11. All others may be shown in either 10 or 11, but not both.
- 8. All exhibited market steers are eligible to be sold at the Junior Live-stock auction Saturday. Grand Champion and Reserve Champion steers must be sold. Steers that are to be exhibited at later shows (ex. Farm Show) can be withdrawn from the sale catalog by notifying the chairman of the steer show immediately following the close of the steer show Wednesday.
- 9. No substitutions of steers may be made after January 15.
- 10. Steers can only be entered in one class: Pure Bred or County Bred/Purchased
- 11. Any animal deemed unsafe may be asked to leave the show and/or fair. Owner is responsible to remove animal.
- 12. **No beef animals will be permitted inside closed tents/structures for fitting, etc. at any time during fair week. Failure to follow this rule may result in the animal not being permitted to show at the discretion of the committee.**

CLASS: \$26 \$25 \$20 \$18 \$17 \$13

LIGHT WEIGHT

- 01** Market Steer - Group 1
- 02** Market Steer - Group 2
- 03** Market Steer - Group 3
Champion Light Weight & Reserve Champion Light Weight - Rosettes and Banners

MIDDLE WEIGHT

- 04** Market Steer - Group 4
- 05** Market Steer - Group 5
- 06** Market Steer - Group 6
Champion Middle Weight & Reserve Champion Middle Weight - Ro-
settes and Banners

HEAVY WEIGHT

- 07** Market Steer - Group 7
- 08** Market Steer - Group 8
- 09** Market Steer - Group 9
Champion Heavy Weight & Reserve Champion Heavy Weight - Ro-
settes and Banners
Grand Champion Steer & Reserve Champion Steer - Rosettes and
Banners

SPECIAL CLASSES - Enter online.

- 10** Pure Bred Steers - Class will consist of the highest placing pure-
bred steer from each of the 9 weight classes. Registration paper and
tattoos needed. NO % steers.
Champion Pure Bred... Rosette and Banner
Reserve Champion Pure Bred... Rosette and Banner
- 11** County bred/purchased award. Class will consist of the highest
placed county bred/purchased steer from each of the 9 weight classes.
Champion County Bred or Purchased... Rosette and Banner
Reserve Champion County Bred or Purchased... Rosette

BEDFORD RURAL ELECTRIC CO-OP will pay each Jr. Market Steer
contestant (who entered) 10 cents per lb. for all pounds gained from
January 1 to the fair weigh-in. Limited to 1 steer only per contestant.
All club advisers or 4-H Leaders will submit a list of the contestants'
names plus weight of animals and date weighed with a nose print and
ear tag or tattoo of steer to Bedford County Extension Office by Janu-
ary 15. Exhibitors must pick up their own checks when they are pre-
sented after the steer show.

Department 10 - Section 3C - Beef Cattle Fitting & Showmanship

Show - Wednesday

Register for this contest on fairentree.com.

FITTING CONTEST RULES:

All exhibitors will receive \$4.00 for fitting steers for the market show.

SHOWMANSHIP CONTEST RULES:

1. Each person who participates in the showmanship contest held during the market steer show & heifer show will receive \$4.00.
2. Steers - Wednesday afternoon, for age classes 8 to 10 yrs., 11 to 13 yrs., 14 to 16 yrs. & 17 yrs. and over.
3. Heifers - Tuesday afternoon after breeding classes.
4. Animals in showmanship must be the exhibitor's animal.

01 Junior Showing Ages 8-10 - Steer

02 Junior Intermediate Showing Ages 11-13 - Steer

Master Junior Showman Ages 8-13

03 Senior Intermediate Showing Ages 14-16 - Steer

04 Senior Showing Ages 17 & over - Steer

Master Senior Showman Ages 14 & over

05 Junior Showing Ages 8-13 - Heifer

06 Senior Showing Ages 14 & over - Heifer

Overall Master showman will compete in Supreme Showmanship on Friday.