

**FREMONT COUNTY HAY SHOW**  
**DEPARTMENT 9 DIVISION 901**  
**Hay Coordinator:**  
**Chance Marshall**

**Hay Show Information:**

Entry Forms Due: Thursday, July 18 to the Fair Office from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Pick up entry tags and deliver your hay exhibits or cube box to the Agri Center on July 20 from 8 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Tagged Hay Set up: Thursday July 25 8 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Release: Sunday August 4, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.; Monday, August 7, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Hay Exhibits not picked up by August 5 will become the property of the Fremont County Fair Board.

**The Wyoming State Fair will not have a Hay show in 2024. Entries will only be for the Fremont County Fair Hay Show.**

**Policies:**

1. Any Fremont County Hay Producer is eligible to enter hay produced in 2023 or 2024. Hay exhibited in the 2023 Fremont County Fair may not be entered again.
2. Exhibitors may make one entry per class; each hay show entry should represent an actual harvest lot of commercially produced hay.
3. Each Entry must be identified as a specific harvest lot and included name and address of owner/exhibitor and the following:
  - A. Harvest Lot (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> cutting)
  - B. Acres represented by Harvest Lot
  - C. Estimated Tons of Hay from Harvest Lot
  - D. Year Produced
  - E. Estimated Total Season Production by Exhibitor.
4. For small baled hay classes, three (3) small square bales will constitute one entry. Bales may be wire or string tied.
5. Entries from large bales will be allowed and encouraged. An entry from a large bale package shall consist of a 50 lb. sample in an enclosed box or tote, secured by tape or cord.
6. All three bales of each entry will be probed with a hay coring tool by the County Extension Agent to collect a forage sample. An aggregated sample from each entry will be sent by the Agent to a designated lab.
7. Judging factors to be considered will include nutritive content (relative feed value); crude protein; maturity; texture; leaf capture and retention; color; bale conformation; odor; and freedom from foreign material and mold.

<b>ALFALFA HAY, BALED</b>	<b>CLASS</b>
RFV up to 150	001
RFV 151 to 200	002
RFV 201 to 250	003
RFV 251 and above	004

<b>MIXED HAY, BALED</b> (Legume content 25%, up to 75%)	
RFV up to 140	006
RFV 141 to 180	007
RFV 181 and above	008

<b>GRASS HAY</b> (100% grass, no legumes)	
RFV up to 115	009
RFV 116 and above	010

**HAY, CUBES** (one bushel) 011

**CERTIFIED ORGANIC HAY, BALED OR CUBED** 012

Entries will be placed into appropriate classes as Defined above, but judged only against other certified organic hay entries), Entries must be certified Organic under USDA Organic Certification Rules.

**Best of Show Exhibit(s) Rosette**



**HAY SHOW AWARDS AND DONORS**

**FREMONT COUNTY FAIR PROVIDES:  
 Special Cash Awards for each class  
 1<sup>st</sup> - \$10, 2<sup>nd</sup> \$7, 3<sup>rd</sup> \$5**

**Fremont County Fair Board Provides  
 Rosettes for each Best of Show  
 Alfalfa Hay - Best of Show  
 Grass Hay - Best of Show  
 Mixed Hay - Best of Show  
 Cubed Hay - Best of Show  
 Organic Hay - Best of Show**