

Beef Show Rules

1. Tie-out bedding must be provided by the exhibitor.
2. NO CHUTES IN TIE SPACES IN THE CATTLE BARN - Stall chutes and " EZstay , Straight Up type bars" are allowed in stalls when in use only and cannot take up cattle space. ON SHOW DAY ONLY- during show time chutes may be placed in aisles. Steer exhibitors only on Saturday. Heifer exhibitors only on Sunday. Please angle and space so that cattle can be moved to ring, do not block entire aisle. Chutes may be placed in open space along North and East walls of the barn and in open space in the Southeast part of the tie barn/ Prairie Pavilion. Please plan and coordinate chute sharing with others from your county.
3. NO PENS OR PANELS IN TIE OUTS - Absolutely NO pens, extra panels or end panels will be allowed in the tie outs. If pens/panels are set up you will receive one warning to remove immediately on your own, any not removed will be removed by KSF staff. Tie out space is limited to only the animals that are checked- in to the show - not the number of cattle that you entered.
4. "Tying out" in the dairy barn or to chain link fence is not allowed. Tie out space is not assigned by club/county if excessive space is used by an exhibitor the show management and KSF staff have the right to condense your space.
5. NO floor standing fans or Port-A-Cools will be permitted in the barns. Fans must be hung on either a fan cage (rear of animal) or on a fan bar (on side of animal). Fans on wheeled carts are not allowed in the alley way. Exhibitor must provide frames. Electrical service is limited.
6. Fans in each aisle must blow the same direction. Each aisle will blow opposite directions; direction will be designated by show officials.
7. No aerosols are allowed in the make up area.

Market Beef Show

1. Exhibitors will turn in the official show weight of their market beef. To be eligible for the show all market beef must weigh a minimum of 1,000 pounds to qualify for exhibiting. Market Beef will not be allowed to re-weigh once they have checked in. There will be no maximum weight limit provided the packing company processing animals does not set a limit. Any animal with a declared weight not meeting the minimum weight limit will not be allowed to show.
2. All market beef must have an official Kansas 4-H/FFA EID ear tag by May 1. Nominations must be completed online and DNA must be submitted to Weber Hall, Manhattan by May 1. This nomination does not constitute an entry into the show.
3. Market Beef will be shown by breed as nominated or as AOB if not crossbred. Papers must match breed nomination or will show as a crossbred.
4. For a breed class to be offered, the class must be sponsored. There must be at least ten head in a breed class to offer full class payback. For a class with less than ten head, class payback will be prorated. Classes will be set at discretion of the show management.
5. Exhibitors MUST bring registration papers or the necessary credentials as per breed standards set by their respective national breed associations.
6. Any animal upon check-in which does not have a legible tattoo corresponding to its registration certificate will be shown as a crossbred. Breed associations are responsible for classification and acceptance of all animals. The decisions of the breed classification committee are final.
7. All market heifers must be preg checked thirty days prior to the show by a local veterinarian. Heifers must be open to show. At check-in, **ALL market heifer entries** must be accompanied by an officially signed health paper or statement from a licensed veterinarian guaranteeing that the entry has been preg checked open within thirty days of the show date. Failure to produce documentation upon check-in will result in dis-qualification. The KSF reserves the right to preg check any market heifer.

Breeds: Angus, Charolais, Chianina, Herford, Maine Anjou, Red Angus, Shorthorn, Simmental, AOB, Crossbred and Market Heifer.

Breeding Heifer Show

1. Heifers must be born after September 1, 2021. Classes will be formed after check-in by breed and birth date. Kansas State Fair show management may combine or alter classes as entries deem necessary.
2. All heifers must be registered in the exhibitor's name no later than June 15 of the current year. Registration will be determined according to each breed association's guidelines. Registration must be in the sole name of the exhibitor, multi/sibling ownership or farm ownership is not allowed unless the national breed association of the respective breed allows sibling ownership for junior shows— check your breed's junior ownership and registration rules. Date of ownership is not necessarily the same as date of registration. All registered heifers must be identified with a permanent tattoo corresponding with registration papers. Original registration papers or a copy faxed directly to KSF from the breed association must accompany all breeding heifers at check-in on Friday.
3. All registered purebred and registered composites will show under the breed rules, ownership and standard for registration and ear tattoo set forth by their respective national breed associations. Registered heifers for which a separate breed division is not established will be shown in the AOB class.
4. All commercial heifers must have an official Kansas 4-H/FFA EID ear tag by June 15. Nominations must be completed online and DNA must be submitted to Weber Hall, Manhattan by June 15. This nomination does not constitute an entry into the show.
5. A legible tattoo is to be in the heifer's ear by June 15 for registered heifers. Heifers that check in without a tattoo, a n illegible tattoo will not be allowed to show.

Breeding Heifer classification is as follows: Registration papers must be presented at the show. Heifers entering AOB class must e registered (not commercial). AOB is only for breeds not otherwise represented.

Angus: The American Angus Association, St. Joseph, Missouri, will participate in the Kansas State Fair junior heifer show based on the number of head shown. To be eligible for Association premiums, heifer entries must be recorded in the sole name of the Junior exhibitor and the issue date on the registration certificate must conform to the individual show's requirements regarding ownership. Premiums from the Association are paid by registration number. The Association does not pay a percentage on premiums offered in championship classes. Exhibitors must have the original registration certificate on each animal available for inspection at the show. Any animal upon check-in that does not have a legible tattoo corresponding to its registration certificate is ineligible to show. Once disqualified due to an incorrect or illegible tattoo, animals cannot be re-tattooed and rechecked at the show. Only one person at a time shall lead animals into the show ring. Any product administered internally or used externally to alter the conformation and/or appearance of an animal for exhibition is prohibited. This includes the covering of white skin, false tail heads (or use of any false hair), use of graphite, powders, hemp or other similar substances externally, and steroids, growth stimulants, or artificial filling internally. Any animal found to be in violation will be barred from showing. The exhibition of cattle displaying false hair will not be allowed, with the exception of false tail switches. For an exhibitor to be eligible at shows for premium moneys contributed by the American Angus Association, each exhibitor is subject to Part 3, Section IX of the Association's rules entitled "Eligibility, Conformation and Structure of Animals Presented for Exhibition". Junior fitting rule may allow fitting that is NOT allowed by breed. Please make sure to follow the breed rules listed even if the overall show rules allow us of a specific product.

DNA for Parentage Verification: Under the American Angus Association Rules, each animal for which entry application (registration) is received, may be subject to a DNA marker type or blood test to verify ACCURACY OF PARENTAGE as covered under Association Rules Part 3, Section II, Rule 2(F). Staff of the American Angus Association must supervise the collection of DNA samples. Animals are often sampled at shows, fairs or events where the American Angus Association contributes premiums or where Association personnel participate. If a recorded parent is excluded (as a parent) as a

result of DNA, the owner may request, at his own expense, the Association to determine the actual parent. Failure to determine the sire and dam disqualifies the animal's eligibility in the Angus Herd Book, and registration certificate becomes null and void.

Charolais: Must have an American-International Charolais Association purebred registration certificate.

Percentage Charolais: Must have an American-International Charolais Association registration certificate showing 50% Charolais.

Chianina: Heifers must meet registration requirements as defined by the American Chianina Association, be registered with ACA and have a legible tattoo corresponding to the registration papers. This class will include composite breeds: Chiangus, Chiford, Chimaine & CAX papers. Heifers in the Chianina breed division must be registered 6% or higher.

Gelbvieh & Balancer: Will show together. Must be registered and identified in accordance with the AGA rules. Gelbvieh must be 69.1% to 100%. Balancer® must meet the AGA Balancer trademark rules.

Hereford & Polled Hereford: Must have an American Hereford Association registration certificate. The Kansas Hereford Association reserves the right to take DNA on any entry.

Limousin: Must have a North American Limousin Foundation registration certificate showing at least 75% Limousin (orange paper).

Lim-Flex: Must have a North American Limousin Foundation Lim-Flex® registration certificate (purple paper).

Maine - Anjou, MaineTainer, Maine -Angus: Exhibitors are subject to all rules and regulations of the American Maine-Anjou Association (AMAA). When an entry is made, exhibitors agree to abide with the rules and regulations established by the AMAA as well as the rules of the Show Management. Entries found to be misrepresented, or persons not abiding by the show rules, may be disqualified from showing. All animals must be registered in the AMAA or CMAA and the original certificate is required for presentation before the show.

Maine-Anjou: Must have an American Maine-Anjou registration certificate designating high Maine, Purebred, or Full-blood (brown paper).

Maine-Angus: All Maine Angus Females must be 3/8 – 5/8 Maine-Anjou, TH and PHA Free by either parents or test have an AMAA issued Maine Angus registration paper and meet Maine Angus color requirements. (Blue Paper)

Mainetainer: Must have an American Maine-Anjou registration certificate designating Mainetainer (green paper).

Red Angus: Must have a Red Angus Association of America registration certificate showing category 1A or 1B. Categories 2 or 3 are not eligible for Red Angus classes but may be entered in the AOB classes if they meet requirements and are registered in the RAAA.

Shorthorn: Must have an American Shorthorn Association registration certificate with minimum 93% Shorthorn blood (red paper).

Shorthorn Plus: Must have an American Shorthorn Association registration certificate with 50-92% Shorthorn blood (green paper).

Simmental: Must have an American Sim mental Association registration certificate showing 7/8 Simmental.

Percentage Simmental: Must have an American Simmental Association registration certificate showing a minimum of ½ Sim-mental, but not exceeding 7/8 Simmental.

AOB: Registered heifers for which a separate breed division is not established will be shown in the AOB class. The show manager will make the determination which heifers are eligible for the AOB class.

Commercial: All commercial heifers must have an official Kansas 4-H/FFA EID ear tag by June 15. Nominations must be completed online, and DNA must be submitted to Weber Hall, Manhattan by June 15. This nomination does not constitute an entry into the show.

Breeds: Angus, Charolais, Percentage Charolais, Chianina, Gelb/Balancer, Hereford, Limousin, Lim Flex, Maine Anjou, Maine Angus, MaineTainer, Red Angus, Shorthorn, Shorthorn Plus, Simmental, Percentage Simmental, AOB, Commercial.