



— OZARK EMPIRE —  
FAIRGROUNDS & EVENT CENTER

# BEEF HANDBOOK

**BEEF CATTLE**

1. Exhibitors entering open classes in this division should familiarize themselves with the General Rules and Regulations and Livestock Entry Rules of the Ozark Empire Fair.
2. Exhibitors entering junior classes should familiarize themselves with Junior Show Rules, General Rules and Livestock Entry Rules before completing entry.
3. Junior shows are open to all youth who are 8 years of age as of January 1, but not over 22 years of age as of January 1. Entries from in-state and out-of-state exhibitors will be accepted in the junior shows of all OEF breeding beef divisions with the exception of the Supreme Beef Female Show. To be eligible for the Supreme Beef Female Show, the exhibitor's primary residence must be in one of the following counties: Barry, Barton, Bates, Benton, Camden, Cedar, Christian, Dade, Dallas, Douglas, Greene, Henry, Hickory, Howell, Jasper, Laclede, Lawrence, McDonald, Miller, Morgan, Newton, Ozark, Polk, Pulaski, St. Clair, Stone, Taney, Texas, Vernon, Webster and Wright. Entries outside of the counties listed above will be accepted for the junior show and are eligible to compete for grand and reserve grand champion, but they will not be eligible to compete for the Supreme Female Awards. Should entries from outside of the counties listed be selected as grand champion and/or reserve grand champion in a breed, a grand and/or reserve grand champion will be selected from the southwest region that represents the counties listed as eligible to represent such breed in the Supreme Female Drive.
4. **A Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Bred & Owned Female will be selected during the Supreme Female Drive. Grand Champion Bred & Owned Female will receive \$1,000, Reserve Grand Champion Bred & Owned Female will receive \$500. Exhibitors residing in the state of Missouri are eligible to compete for the Bred and Owned Female Awards. Females can compete in both the Supreme Female Drive and Bred & Owned Champion Drive and receive awards in both divisions if residence requirements specified above are met for the Supreme Female Drive.**
5. **There is no cap on the number of breeding beef divisions a junior exhibitor may show in or how many entries they can qualify to compete in the Supreme Drive or Bred & Owned Championship Drive. However, an exhibitor will only be eligible for one premium in the Supreme Drive and one Bred & Owned Championship Drive. Females will be picked until five different exhibitors in the Supreme Drive and two different exhibitors in the Bred & Owned Championship have been selected to pay premiums. For example, an exhibitor could win Supreme, Third and Fifth but will only be paid for Supreme and additional six, seven, eight or more females may have to be selected until five separate exhibitors receive an award.**
6. **In order for a beef division to be eligible for the Supreme Drive and Bred & Owned Awards, a \$500 contribution will be required of each breed. This payment is due in the OEF Livestock office on or prior to June 16. The \$500 will be distributed as follows: \$250 will be awarded to the breed grand champion and \$250 will be awarded to the breed's bred and owned grand champion. Breed grand champions & bred and owned grand champions must be shown in the Supreme Drive and/or Champion Bred & Owned Drive in order to receive the \$250 award. Otherwise the award will be presented to the reserve breed champion. Should a breed's grand champion be selected as a top five female and/or Grand or Reserve Grand Champion Bred & Owned, \$250 will NOT be awarded on top of the supreme winnings. Any exhibitor who resides in the state of Missouri will be eligible for the bred and owned award in each breed, but will not be eligible for the Supreme Drive unless primary residence is in one of the counties listed in #3 above. A breed may elect to contribute \$250 to the bred & owned grand champion and not the \$250 for the breed grand champion and vice versa. However, breeds who elect not to contribute funds to the breed grand champion and/or bred and owned champion will not be permitted to compete in the Supreme Drive and/or Bred & Owned Champion Drive. In addition, the \$250 bred & owned award will not be presented unless sponsored. Checks should be made payable to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.**
7. A Grand Champion Female will be selected in the Junior, Bred and Owned, and Open shows to find the entry eligible to compete in the Supreme Drive. For the breeds selecting a Champion Heifer and Champion Cow/Calf Pair, those two champions will show against each other to select a Champion Female to represent the breed in the Supreme Drive shows.
8. An alternate in each show will be selected in the event the Grand or Reserve Grand Champion is deemed unable to participate in the Supreme Beef Drive.
9. All entries are to be made online at [www.ozarkempirefair.com](http://www.ozarkempirefair.com) through our online portal, ShoWorks.
10. Each animal must have correct registration papers, health papers, tattoos and/or identifying marks recognized by respective breed associations. These will be checked against the information given on the entry form. All fields in ShoWorks must be filled out to the best of your knowledge.
11. **All cattle will be bedded with material provided by the Ozark Empire Fair. NO OTHER BEDDING MAY BE USED. Exhibitors are responsible for tie-out bedding. No top dressing the mulch provided.**
12. **SEE SHOW RING CODE OF ETHICS IN LIVESTOCK ENTRY RULES.**
13. Entries close **June 15**. Late entries may be accepted through July 1. Entry fees will be added after the June 15 entry deadline.
14. Stalls and location in the barns will be designated only by the division superintendent. **Cow/Calf entries must purchase calf stall if calf is not entered individually.**
15. Animals shall be brought to the barns by 9 a.m. each day and remain in the barns, except when showing, until tie-out time at 7 p.m. Tie-out space (three feet) per head is provided. No tie-outs permitted in the trailer lot area.
16. **GROOMING CHUTES:** Exhibitors may pay a \$20 charge for a grooming chute space with their stall assignments, if room permits. **Please indicate on entry blank if you are paying for a grooming chute space.** Exhibitors who do not choose to pay for a chute space will be allowed to have a grooming chute in the barn or proximity of the barn on show day only. Chutes are to be used only in assigned stalling and make-up areas. Any chutes outside this area are subject to removal and exhibitor will be fined \$25.
17. **NOSE RINGS:** All bulls born prior to 2024 must be shown with a nose lead.
18. Calves on cow/calf pairs are eligible to show in individual classes if allowed in their respective breeds. Must be entered and additional entry paid by entry deadline.
19. Cow/calf pairs will be considered as two head in group classes. Calves must be registered and tattooed.
20. Group classes must be entered prior to the July 1st deadline. No ringside entries will be accepted upon arrival at the fairgrounds. Each group class is \$5 to enter.
21. All junior shows, including showmanship, will be no fit - including no use of aerosols. Full fitting will be allowed for the Supreme Drive as governed by the Fitting Rule found in Section L (Show Ring Code of Ethics and Conduct) under Livestock Rules found in Administration and General Rules.
22. If an animal must be disqualified from the show for breaking the published fitting guidelines, the exhibitor is still eligible to compete with other animals who do meet the Fitting Rules.



**OPEN SHOW SUPREME CHAMPION FEMALE**

**Following Junior Supreme Female Drive- Sunday, July 28**

The OZARK EMPIRE FAIR FOUNDATION will award \$1,000 to the Open Supreme Champion Female. The exhibitor must have shown their animal in the breeding beef division show to qualify for Supreme. All breed grand champion females are invited to compete for Ozark Empire Fair Open Supreme Champion Female. (Santa Gertrudis, Braunvieh and American Registered Breeds cattle will not be eligible for Open Supreme Champion Female) Fitting Rule: See Section L (Show Ring Code of Ethics and Conduct) under Livestock Rules found in Administration and General Rules. Exhibitor Dress: Western attire consisting of nice jeans and a collard shirt. Only western boots or dark leather shoes allowed. Cowboy hats are permitted; No ball caps allowed. A mandatory Supreme Beef Meeting will be held for all qualifiers Saturday evening following the conclusion of the final show.

**OPEN SHOW SUPREME CHAMPION BULL**

**Following Open Supreme Female Drive- Sunday, July 28**

The OZARK EMPIRE FAIR FOUNDATION will award \$1,000 to the Open Supreme Champion Bull. The exhibitor must have shown their animal in the breeding beef division show to qualify for Supreme. All breed grand champion bulls are invited to compete for Ozark Empire Fair Open Supreme Champion Bull. (Santa Gertrudis, Braunvieh and American Registered Breeds cattle will not be eligible for Open Supreme Champion Bull) Fitting Rule: See Section L (Show Ring Code of Ethics and Conduct) under Livestock Rules found in Administration and General Rules. Exhibitor Dress: Western attire consisting of nice jeans and a collard shirt. Only western boots or dark leather shoes allowed. Cowboy hats are permitted; No ball caps allowed. A mandatory Supreme Beef Meeting will be held for all qualifiers Saturday evening following the conclusion of the final show.

**JUNIOR SUPREME CHAMPION FEMALE | 10 a.m. Sunday, July 28**

The **OZARK EMPIRE FAIR FOUNDATION** and **SUPREME BEEF COMMITTEE** will award \$2,500 to the Junior Supreme Champion Female and \$1,500 to the Junior Reserve Supreme Champion Female. In addition, third, fourth and fifth place exhibitors will also be selected and awarded \$1,000; \$750 and \$500, respectively. If the junior exhibitor cannot be present to show their animal, another Ozark Empire Fair junior exhibitor in good standing may show in their place. The exhibitor must notify management and submit their replacement showman for approval by the end of the day the animal qualifies for the Supreme Drive. The exhibitor must have shown their animal in the breeding beef division show to qualify for Supreme. Santa Gertrudis, Braunvieh and American Registered Breeds cattle will **not** be eligible for Junior Supreme Champion Female. **Fitting Rule:** See Section L (Show Ring Code of Ethics and Conduct) under Livestock Rules found in Administration and General Rules. **Exhibitor Dress:** Western attire consisting of nice jeans and a collard shirt. Only western boots or dark leather shoes allowed. Cowboy hats are permitted. No ball caps allowed. A mandatory Supreme Beef Meeting will be held for all qualifiers Saturday evening after the conclusion of the final show.

**Supreme Beef Herd Builder Program**

2023 Junior Breeding beef exhibitors are eligible to win a \$1,000 herd builder Voucher who's primary residence is in one of the counties listed above in Beef Cattle Rules #3 as eligible for the Junior Supreme Champion Female Show. **Anyone who has been awarded the voucher in previous years is not eligible to win.** Vouchers are valid until May 1, 2024 and will be good toward the purchase of a registered beef animal, registerable genetics (including semen or embryos, etc.) or beef cattle show equipment (excluding feed). The voucher is to be submitted to the Supreme Beef Committee for reimbursement on or before the expiration date. Vouchers must be accompanied by a paid receipt or bill of sale, and registration papers where applicable. All documents are to be solely in the name of the junior exhibitor awarded the voucher. The number of vouchers awarded will depend upon the amount of money raised and the drawing will follow the conclusion of the Jr. & Open Supreme Drives. **Junior Exhibitors must be present at the time of the drawing to win. Both waves of junior beef cattle exhibitors in the SW district are eligible.**

PRIZE MONEY OFFERED	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th
Open Class .....	\$45	\$35	\$25	--	--	--	--
Group Class .....	\$30	\$20	\$10	--	--	--	--
Junior Class .....	\$15	\$13	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$6	\$5

Grand & Reserve Champions - Award ONLY

**Junior Entries:** Use same division numbers as open shows. Use class numbers listed in the left-hand column of each section. **Junior animals are NOT automatically entered in open shows.** Each animal must be entered into the respective junior and open classes. No refund of entry will be made for junior exhibitors who wish to not participate in the open show.

**JUNIOR BEEF SHOWMANSHIP**

Three classes will be offered with each "Wave" of cattle based on age of youth as of January 1 at the conclusion of each "Waves" junior show day. Classes;

**Y17: Junior** (Ages 8-11); **Y16: Intermediate** (Ages 12-15); **Y15: Senior** (Ages 16-21)

**Division 12- Wave 1 Showmanship- Jr./Int./Sr. (07/25-07/28)**

**Division 13- Wave 2 Showmanship- Jr./Int./Sr. (08/01-08/03)**

1. Pre-Entry is required by the entry deadline. An entry fee of \$10.00 will be required.  
- Entry fee's will be "Jackpotted" with 80% of the total fee's paid back to the top three (3) showman in each division, with 45% awarded to first, 35% to second, and 20% to third.

**2. NO FIT SHOWMANSHIP**

**Earl K. Nau Scholarship**

-An endowment fund in memory of Earl K. Nau has been established at the Ozark Empire Fair to provide an annual scholarship to a junior beef cattle exhibitor at the Fair. The Nau Family provides the funding of the scholarship to honor their late father.

-Applicants must be at least 15 years old and have exhibited breeding beef cattle at the Ozark Empire Fair for at least two years. Applicants will achieve scores based on winnings in: Junior beef classes, showmanship classes, open beef classes, Herdsmanship awards and other 4-H/FFA exhibit classes

-Applicants will also receive points for participation (and ranking) in district 4-H/FFA livestock judging competition, as well as, for service at the Fair as a volunteer in either the 4-H or FFA Exhibit Buildings or activities. The period of participation to be evaluated is from the 2023 Ozark Empire Fair through July 15, 2024.

-The scholarship winner will receive \$1,500 for tuition, textbooks or other fees associated with the pursuit of a post-secondary education. **Applications must be received (mailed or delivered) in the Fair Office no later than 4 p.m., July 15.** Applications are available at [www.ozarkempirefair.com](http://www.ozarkempirefair.com).

-The scholarship will be presented at the Angus Show on Saturday, July 27.

Contributions to the **Earl K. Nau Scholarship** are being accepted at this time. All donations are tax deductible & will be applied to the fund balance. Donations should be made to **Earl K. Nau Scholarship**, c/o Community Foundation of the Ozarks, 901 St. Louis St., Springfield, MO, 65806.

## ANGUS | DIVISION 1

**Junior Show: 8 a.m., Friday, July 26 - Wilson Logistics Arena**

**Open Show: 8 a.m., Saturday, July 27 - Wilson Logistics Arena**

**ARRIVAL:** Must be in place by 10 a.m., Thursday, July 25. No arrival prior to 12 p.m., Tuesday, July 3

**RELEASE:** After Supreme Drive on July 28th. Must be gone by 6 p.m.

### JUNIOR SHOW PARTICIPATION STATEMENT FROM THE AMERICAN ANGUS ASSOCIATION

- The American Angus Association®, 3201 Frederick Avenue, St. Joseph, Mo., will participate in premiums offered in individual classes for junior Angus heifers, as included in its standard show classifications, according to the premium schedule based on the number of head shown. The premium assistance provided by the American Angus Association for participation in this show is in addition to the premiums offered by the show itself. The premium assistance should not be used to offset show expense and shall be included in the premium payments distributed by the show to the exhibitors.
- A minimum of fifteen (15) head must be shown in the junior Angus heifer classes to receive American Angus Association premium participation. The show is not required to have all classes to be eligible for premiums.
- Separate classes for bred and owned heifers may be held if the size of the show merits a separate class.
- To be eligible for Association premiums the 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. The Association's contribution is included in the total premiums listed in each class.
- Premiums from the Association are paid only to registered Angus cattle and only if the registration number is a part of the show report provided to the Association. Therefore, all cattle should be registered at the time of entry to make certain they receive the Association's portion of premiums. The Association does not pay on premiums offered in championship classes. An animal may only be counted one time toward the total count for premium participation by the Association.
- Exhibitors must have the original registration certificate issued by the American Angus Association available for inspection at the show for each animal or another current proof of ownership issued by the American Angus Association pedigree look up. Any animal, upon check-in, which does not have a legible permanent identification mark (ear tattoo marks, freeze-branded marks or hot-branded marks) corresponding to the permanent identification mark on the registration certificate, is ineligible to show. Once disqualified due to an incorrect or illegible permanent identification mark, animals cannot be re-identified (tattooed/branded) and rechecked at the show.
- Any female shown with a calf at side: the calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf, and the calf must be registered by show day and have proof of registration at check in.
- Only one person at a time shall lead an animal into the show ring.
- *Exhibitors who participate in shows that accept premium monies contributed by the American Angus Association are subject to the Association Rules as found in the Breeders Reference Guide of the Association. These rules are found in Part 2; Association Rules. The rules relating directly with the exhibition of Angus cattle are Part 2: Association Rules; Rule 800 Series; including Rule 800 - 810. These rules can be found at [www.angus.org](http://www.angus.org).*
- Altering the conformation and/or appearance of an animal for exhibition is prohibited. This includes the use of chin straps, covering of white skin, false tail heads (or use of any false hair), with the exception of false tail switches. The use of graphite, powders, hemp or other similar substances used externally are also prohibited. Other prohibited products include those used internally such as steroids, illegal or unlicensed pharmaceuticals or artificial filling. Any animal found to be in violation will be barred from showing.
- At any show for which the American Angus Association appropriates funds toward the payment of premiums, no exhibitors, individuals assisting exhibitors or member owners at such show shall be allowed to use any coloring agents, on any animal exhibited. The Association may adopt and implement various tests designed to monitor this prohibition, including but not limited to a "white towel" or "white glove" test. No aerosol cans or other pressurized containers will be allowed in designated line up areas.
- All animals exhibited are subject to DNA marker or blood type test to verify accuracy of parentage as covered under the Association Rules and for other testing as required by the individual show.
- Authorized representatives of the Association have the authority to enforce the rules set forth herein as well as in the Association Rules, including the barring of a registered animal from a livestock show at which it is to be shown, if there are reasonable grounds to believe a violation has occurred.

**OPEN SHOW PARTICIPATION STATEMENT FROM THE AMERICAN ANGUS ASSOCIATION**

- The American Angus Association®, 3201 Frederick Avenue, St. Joseph, Mo., will participate in premiums offered for open class Angus breeding cattle classes according to the premium schedule based on the number of head shown. The premium assistance provided by the American Angus Association for participation in this show is in addition to the premiums offered by the show itself. The premium assistance should not be used to offset show expense and shall be included in the premium payments distributed by the show to the exhibitors.
- A minimum of 50 head must be shown in the open class division to receive American Angus Association premium participation for the following year.
- Premiums from the Association are paid only to registered Angus cattle and only if the registration number is a part of the show report provided to the Association. Therefore, all cattle should be registered at the time of entry to make certain they receive the Association's portion of premiums. The Association does not pay on championship or any group classes, (i.e. get-of-sire, junior get-of-sire or breeder six-head).
- Exhibitors must have the original registration certificate issued by the American Angus Association available for inspection at the show for each animal or another current proof of ownership issued by the American Angus Association pedigree look up. Any animal, upon check-in, which does not have a legible permanent identification mark (ear tattoo marks, freeze-branded marks or hot-branded marks) corresponding to the permanent identification mark on the registration certificate, is ineligible to show. Once disqualified due to an incorrect or illegible permanent identification mark, animals cannot be re-identified (tattooed/branded) and rechecked at the show.
- Any female shown with a calf at side: the calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf, and the calf must be registered by show day and have proof of registration at check in.
- Only one person at a time shall lead an animal into the show ring.
- *Exhibitors who participate in shows that accept premium monies contributed by the American Angus Association are subject to the Association Rules as found in the Breeders Reference Guide of the Association. These rules are found in Part 2; Association Rules. The rules relating directly with the exhibition of Angus cattle are Part 2: Association Rules; Rule 800 Series; including Rule 800 - 810. These rules can be found at [www.angus.org](http://www.angus.org).*
- Altering the conformation and/or appearance of an animal for exhibition is prohibited. This includes the use of chin straps, covering of white skin, false tail heads (or use of any false hair), with the exception of false tail switches. The use of graphite, powders, hemp or other similar substances used externally are also prohibited. Other prohibited products include those used internally such as steroids, illegal or unlicensed pharmaceuticals or artificial filling. Any animal found to be in violation will be barred from showing.
- At any show for which the American Angus Association appropriates funds toward the payment of premiums, no exhibitors, individuals assisting exhibitors or member owners at such show shall be allowed to use any coloring agents, on any animal exhibited. The Association may adopt and implement various tests designed to monitor this prohibition, including but not limited to a "white towel" or "white glove" test. No aerosol cans or other pressurized containers will be allowed in designated line up areas.
- All animals exhibited are subject to DNA marker or blood type test to verify accuracy of parentage as covered under the Association Rules and for other testing as required by the individual show.
- Authorized representatives of the Association have the authority to enforce the rules set forth herein as well as in the Association Rules, including the barring of a registered animal from a livestock show at which it is to be shown, if there are reasonable grounds to believe a violation has occurred.

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**AMERICAN REGISTERED BREEDS | DIVISION 2**

**JR Show: 15 minutes following braunvieh show, Saturday, August 3– Wilson Logistics Arena**

**Open Show: 15 minutes following the braunvieh show, Saturday, August 5 - Wilson Logistics Arena**

**ARRIVAL:** Must be in place by 7 p.m., Wednesday, July 31. No arrival prior to noon, July 30.

**RELEASE:** 2 p.m., Saturday, August 3 OR after all breed divisions have shown

1. All entries must be at least 1/4 (25%) Brahman or more. Must have registration papers from a brahman influenced breed association.
2. All entries must be recorded with their own breed association and exhibitors must be in good standing with that association.
3. All animals' tattoos will be checked for legibility and must match the registration papers for that animal. Animals with illegible tattoos or incorrect papers will not be allowed to show.
4. Any animal upon check-in which 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.
5. Animals entered in group classes, must have been shown in an individual class.
6. Cows that are exhibited with calves at side must be in lactating stage. Calves must be shown and exhibited with their dams and must not exceed 240 days of age on day of judging. Calves over 60 days MUST have registration papers.
7. Calves under 60 days of age that are being shown in an individual class, besides the cow/calf class, must have registration and tattoos.
8. Animals are eligible for entry in only one individual class with the exception of a calf at the side of a cow. That calf may be entered in an individual class if the appropriate fees are paid and the calf follows the above guidelines.
9. Heifers exhibited at 24 months of age or older must be accompanied by a veterinary attested certificate of pregnancy.
10. All prize monies will be awarded in individual classes.
11. No paint or adhesive in fitting practices.
12. Hair coats must be 3/8 inch or shorter and be lying flat against the body.

## FEMALES

## AMERICAN REGISTERED BREEDS

JR	OPEN	
Y201	201	Spring heifer calf, after 3/1/2024
Y202	202	Junior heifer calf, 1/1 - 2/29/2024
Y203	203	Winter heifer Calf, 11/1/ -12/31/2023
Y204	204	Senior heifer calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023
Y205	205	<b>Heifer Calf Champion</b>
Y206	206	<b>Reserve Heifer Calf Champion</b>
Y207	207	Late summer yearling female, 7/1 - 8/31/2023
Y208	208	Early Summer yearling female, 5/1 - 6/30/2023
Y209	209	Spring yearling female, 3/1 - 4/30/2023
Y210	210	Early spring yearling female, 1/1 -2/28/2023
Y211	211	<b>Champion Yearling Heifer</b>
Y212	212	<b>Reserve Champion Yearling Heifers</b>
Y213	213	Late Senior yearling heifer, 10/1 - 12/31/2022
Y214	214	Early Senior Yearling Heifer, 7/1 - 9/30/2022
Y215	215	Late two-year old heifer, 4/1 - 6/30/2022
Y216	216	Early two-year-old heifer, 1/1 - 3/31/2022
Y217	217	<b>Senior Champion Female</b>
Y218	218	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Female</b>
Y219	219	**Cow/Calf— All Cow Calf Pairs
Y220	220	<b>Grand Champion Cow/Calf</b>
Y221	221	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Cow/Calf</b>
Y222	222	<b>Grand Champion Female</b>
Y223	223	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>
Y224	--	<b>Regional Grand Champion Female</b>
Y225	--	<b>Regional Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>
Y226	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Female</b>

## BULLS

## AMERICAN REGISTERED BREEDS

JR	OPEN	
Y227	227	Spring Bull Calves, after 3/1/2024
Y228	228	Junior bull calf, 1/1 - 2/29/2024
Y229	229	Winter Bull calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023
Y230	230	Senior bull calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023
--	231	<b>Champion Bull Calf</b>
--	232	<b>Reserve Champion Bull Calf</b>
Y233	233	Late summer yearling Bull, 7/1 - 8/31/2023
Y234	234	Early Summer yearling Bull, 5/1 - 6/30/2023
Y235	235	Spring yearling Bull, 3/1 - 4/30/2023
Y236	236	Early spring yearling Bull, 1/1 -2/28/2023
--	237	<b>Champion Yearling Bull</b>
--	238	<b>Reserve Champion Yearling Bull</b>
Y239	239	Late Senior yearling Bull, 10/1 - 12/31/2022
Y240	240	Early Senior Yearling Bull, 7/1—9/30/2022
Y241	241	Late two-year-old Bull, 4/1 - 6/30/2022
Y242	242	Early two-year-old Bull, 1/1 - 3/31/2022
--	243	<b>Senior Champion Bull</b>
--	244	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Bull</b>
Y245	245A	<b>Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y246	245B	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y247	--	<b>Regional Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y248	--	<b>Regional Reserve Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y249	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Bull</b>
250		Produce of Dam: two animals, out of the same dam. Can be both sexes and out of different sires
251		Get of Sire: three head of both sexes by one sire; can be of any age in current classifications.



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## BRAUNVIEH | DIVISION 3

**Junior Show: 10 a.m., Friday, Aug. 2 - Wilson Logistics Arena**

**Open Show: 10 a.m., Saturday, Aug. 3 - Wilson Logistics Arena**

**ARRIVAL:** Must be in place by 7 p.m. Wed., July 31 No arrival prior to noon Tues., July 30.

**RELEASE: 2 p.m. Saturday, August 3 OR after all breed divisions show.**

1. The rules of the Braunvieh Association of America (BAA) and the Ozark Empire Fair will govern the show.
2. Animals competing in the Braunvieh Show must be duly registered in the BAA Herd Book. A copy of the registration may be used for Braunvieh check-in.
3. Exhibitors must be in good standing with the BAA.
4. All animals exhibited must have a DNA profile on file with the Braunvieh Association of America. A hair, tissue or blood sample on the subject animal must be received by the BAA or BAA representative prior to the show. Nursing calves showing only at side of their dam are exempt from the DNA requirement. If nursing calves show in individual classes, they must then have a DNA sample on file.
5. All animals exhibited must have a known Braunvieh dam or sire and are subject to DNA verification.
6. Animals must be Fullblood or Purebred to qualify for the FB/PB Braunvieh Show. Braunvieh Beef Builders will be shown in a separate Beef Builder Show. Cattle recorded as "Braunvieh Influence" with a "BI" prefix are not eligible.
7. The BAA reserves the right to provide the judge and audience with the Expected Progeny Difference (EPD) values, ultrasound data (collected by a certified technician), scrotal circumference for bulls, weights and ratios for performance and weights with weight-per-day of age. Performance figures, (including weights, hip heights, and frame scores), can be presented in their entirety or any combination deemed necessary by the BAA.
8. Heifers born Sept. 1, 2021 and after will show in the heifer show but can show with natural calves at side and still be eligible to show for champion female/heifer.
9. Heifers exhibited at 20 months of age or older (not females in cow/calf class) must be pregnant and accompanied by a certificate of pregnancy by a licensed veterinarian, or show with a natural calf at side. For heifers used in embryo transfer, a certificate of positive fertility issued by a licensed veterinarian must be available for inspection. Any protest on pregnancy will be handled with a blood test to prove the pregnancy status.
10. Females born on or prior to Aug. 31, 2021 must show in the cow/calf class with a natural born calf at side. The pair will not be eligible for champion female/heifer. The registration status of the cow (FB/PB or Beef Builder) will determine the division the pair shows in. Calves from the cow/calf class can be no more than 230 days of age by date of show and calves can also be entered as individuals in the show (additional entry fee).
11. Bulls exhibited at 14 months of age or older must have a positive semen test and a certificate to that effect. The certificate must be available for inspection. Bulls 12 months and older will have a nose ring or nose lead to be shown
12. Altering animals' natural color will not be allowed, violation will result in disqualification.
13. No cosmetic surgeries other than surgical dehorning will be allowed, violation will result in disqualification.
14. Only generally accepted fitting practices will be allowed. Violation will be cause for disqualification. Show committee will make ruling on case by case basis. Animals disqualified will forfeit entry fees, awards and show points.
15. Protests can be made to the Show committee with a \$150.00 protest fee, within 24 hours of the show or prior to release, whichever is first, in writing to BAA staff or show committee members. Show committee will make rulings on a case-by-case basis. Animals disqualified will forfeit entry fees, awards and show points. If ruling in favor of protest, fee will be refunded. If ruling against, the fee will be forfeited.
16. Appeals can be made to the Show committee with a \$150 appeal fee. Appeals will be forwarded with all information to the ethics committee and Executive Vice President. If appeal is granted, fee will be returned with reinstatement of show points and any other forfeited entry fees and awards. If appeal is denied, fee will be forfeited. Decision of ethics committee and Executive Vice President will be final.

BEEF BUILDER

- The Missouri Braunvieh Association has provided premium support for this show.
- 1. All rules for the Open Braunvieh Show and Ozark Empire Fair rules apply.
  - 2. Individual classes will be made up and divided after entries are received. They will be judged from the youngest class to the oldest class with each class made up of no more than ten (10) head to keep the age spread in each class as narrow as possible. Classes will be broken at the discretion of the show staff in concurrence with the Superintendent.

JR	OPEN	
Y300	300	Beef Builder Females
Y301	301	Beef Builder Bulls

\*Champions in the Beef Builder division will not be eligible to compete for overall grand champion females in the open or junior shows, and therefore are not eligible for the Junior Supreme Champion Female Show.

BRAUNVIEH CLASSES

BRAUNVIEH			CLASS	CLASS
JR	OPEN		JR	OPEN
Y302	302	Junior heifer calf, after 1/1/2024	Y331	326 Junior bull calf, after 1/1/2024
Y303	303	Heifer Calf Champion	--	327 Bull Calf Champion
Y304	304	Reserve Heifer Calf Champion	--	328 Reserve Bull Calf Champion
Y305	305	Winter heifer calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023	Y332	329 Winter bull calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023
Y306	306	Senior heifer calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023	Y333	330 Senior bull calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023
Y307	307	Senior Heifer Calf Champion	--	331 Senior Bull Calf Champion
Y308	308	Reserve Senior Heifer Calf Champion	--	332 Senior Reserve Bull Calf Champion
Y309	309	Late summer yearling heifer, 7/1 - 8/31/2023	Y334	333 Summer yearling bull, 5/1 - 8/31/2023
Y310	310	Early summer yearling heifer, 5/1 - 6/30/2023	Y335	334 Spring yearling bull, 3/1 - 4/30/2023
Y311	311	Intermediate Champion Heifer	--	335 Junior Champion Bull
Y312	312	Reserve Intermediate Champion Heifer	--	336 Reserve Junior Champion Bull
Y313	313	Late junior yearling heifer, 4/1 - 4/30/2023	Y336	337 Junior yearling bull, 1/1 - 2/28/2023
Y314	314	Early junior yearling heifer, 3/1 - 3/31/2023	Y337	338 Senior yearling bull, 9/1 - 12/31/2022
Y315	315	Junior yearling heifer, 1/1 - 2/28/2023	--	339 Two-year-old bull, 1/1 - 8/31/ 2022
Y316	316	Junior Champion Heifer	--	340 Senior Champion Bull
Y317	317	Reserve Junior Champion Heifer	--	341 Reserve Senior Champion
Y318	318	Senior yearling heifer, 9/1 - 12/31/2022	Y338	342 Grand Champion Bull
Y319	319	Senior Champion Heifer	Y339	343 Reserve Grand Champion Bull
Y320	320	Reserve Senior Champion Heifer	Y340	-- 4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Bull
Y321	321	Grand Champion Heifer	--	344 Produce-of-Dam: two animals, either sex from one dam, may be owned by more than one exhibitor.
Y322	322	Reserve Grand Champion Heifer	--	345 Get of Sire: Four animals all by one sire both sexes represented, may be owned by more than one exhibitor.
Y323	323	Cow/Calf Class - Must be natural calf at side. Calf to be no more than 230 days of age by show date.	--	346 Breeder's Best Four: Four animals, either sex bred by exhibitor. Animals must be shown in their individual classes to be eligible for group classes
Y324	324	Champion Cow/Calf		
Y325	325	Reserve Champion Cow/Calf		
Y326	--	Grand Champion Female		
Y327	--	Reserve Grand Champion Female		
Y328	--	Regional Grand Champion Female		
Y329	--	Regional Reserve Grand Champion Female (Winners of Classes Y524A and Y524B are eligible to compete in the Junior Supreme Champion Drive.)		
Y330	--	4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Female		

## CHAROLAIS | DIVISION 4

**Junior Show: 30 minutes following the Shorthorn Show, Friday, July 26 - Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility**

**Open Show: 30 minutes following the Shorthorn Show, Saturday, July 27 - Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility**

**ARRIVAL:** Must be in place by 10 a.m., Thursday, July 27. No arrival prior to noon, Tues., July 25.

**RELEASE:** After the Supreme drive on Sunday, July 30th. Must be gone by 6 p.m.

All animals to be eligible for an Open Charolais Breeding Class must be purebred and registered with the American-International Charolais Association (AICA). Only bona fide (original) certificates of registration will be accepted as evidence of registration and ownership; NO PHOTOCOPIES.

An animal is eligible to enter or compete in an open Charolais breeding class if registered in country of origin outside the United States and is eligible for purebred registry in the AICA Herdbook.

Animals registered in the AICA Colored Division Registry (QF and QM initialed registration numbers) must meet the parameters of the AICA Color Card.

All animals to be eligible may be approved by a sifting committee designated by the AICA. Stall space will not be provided for any Charolais cattle that have not been accepted by the sifting committee.

All animals are subject to a medical examination in order to determine age, and each animal will be present in the show ring in its natural conformation without alteration or modification. Use of artificial tailheads is not permitted.

Any animal not having a legible tattoo or firebrand number is ineligible and will be barred from showing.

Bulls from classes 36, 37, 40, 41, and 42 must have a valid, satisfactory semen test certificate in possession. This certificate is valid for the entire show season.

All animals shown in individual classes must be weaned, with the exception of the Cow-Calf Class and calves at the side of females calved after September 1, 2022. Calves at side must be purebred and registered with the AICA. Females calved after September 1, 2022, must show in individual female class appropriate to age. Nurse cows are not permitted.

All females 20 months and older exhibited at AICA sanctioned shows must be accompanied by a certificate of pregnancy from a licensed veterinarian or have produced fertile eggs as certified in a written statement by a licensed veterinarian or embryologist or have a calf at side.

AICA requires that all animals be shown with a halter and suggest that all bulls be shown with a nose lead.

ALL EXHIBITS OF CHAROLAIS BREEDING CATTLE SHALL BE GOVERNED BY THE AICA RULES AND REGULATIONS, ARTICLE XV, TITLED EXHIBITION OF ANIMALS. THE INSPECTION OF EXHIBIT CATTLE IS SPECIFIED IN ARTICLE XV, PARAGRAPH C, OF THE ASSOCIATION RULES AND REGULATIONS AND NON-COMPLIANCE OF EXHIBIT INSPECTION IS SPECIFIED IN PARAGRAPH D OF THE SAME ARTICLE XV.

ARTICLE XV, PARAGRAPH B, POINT 2: "Each animal will be presented in its natural conformation and structure without alteration or modification. Alteration or modification shall be defined to include any surgical, chemical, electrical or other (including banding or other circulatory constriction) appearance change for cosmetic purpose, save only branding, tattooing, foot trimming or dehorning. The act of artificially filling animals internally, which would include stomach pumping, drench tubes, or any other method per os (by esophagus) is prohibited. Silicone injection or other injection for cosmetic purpose shall be prohibited. Anabolic steroid use shall likewise be prohibited and any animal testing positive for anabolic steroid or diuretic use shall be presumed to be altered and modified."

**Effective October 22, 2004, at any American-International Charolais Association (AICA) sanctioned show (including shows receiving AICA premium funding and/or qualifying as a Roll of Excellence Show), the use of a coloring agent, flock and powder is prohibited. Use of these products will result in the immediate disqualification of a given animal at such show.**

**ALL RULES OF SHOW APPLY.**

CHAROLAIS		FEMALES	CLASS	CLASS	BULLS
JR	OPEN		JR	OPEN	
Y401	401	Spring heifer calf, after 3/1/2024	Y426	426	Spring bull calf, after 3/1/2024
Y402	402	Junior heifer calf, 1/1 - 2/29/2024	Y427	427	Junior bull calf, 1/1 - 2/29/2024
--	<b>403</b>	<b>Junior Calf Champion Female</b>	--	<b>428</b>	<b>Junior Calf Champion Bull</b>
--	<b>404</b>	<b>Reserve Junior Calf Champion Female</b>	--	<b>429</b>	<b>Reserve Junior Calf Champion Bull</b>
Y405	405	Winter heifer calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023	Y430	430	Winter bull calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023
Y406	406	Senior heifer calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023	Y431	431	Senior bull calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023
--	<b>407</b>	<b>Senior Calf Champion Female</b>	--	<b>432</b>	<b>Senior Calf Champion Bull</b>
--	<b>408</b>	<b>Reserve Senior Calf Champion Female</b>	--	<b>433</b>	<b>Reserve Senior Calf Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y409</b>	--	<b>Calf Champion Female</b>	Y434	434	Late summer yearling bull, 7/1 - 8/31/2023
<b>Y410</b>	--	<b>Reserve Champion Female</b>	Y435	435	Summer yearling bull, 5/1 - 6/30/2023
Y411	411	Late summer yearling female, 7/1 - 8/31/2023	--	<b>436</b>	<b>Intermediate Champion Bull</b>
Y412	412	Summer yearling female, 5/1 - 6/30/2023	--	<b>437</b>	<b>Reserve Intermediate Champion Bull</b>
--	<b>413</b>	<b>Intermediate Champion Female</b>	Y438	438	Spring yearling bull, 3/1 - 4/30/2023
--	<b>414</b>	<b>Reserve Intermediate Champion Female</b>	Y439	439	Junior yearling bull, 1/1 - 2/28/2023
Y415	415	Late spring yearling female, 4/1 - 4/30/2023	--	<b>440</b>	<b>Junior Champion Bull</b>
Y416	416	Early spring yearling female, 3/1 - 3/31/2023	--	<b>441</b>	<b>Reserve Junior Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y417</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>Junior Champion Female</b>	Y442	442	Senior yearling bull, 9/1 - 12/31/2022
<b>Y418</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>Reserve Junior Champion Female</b>	--	443	Summer senior yearling bull, 5/1 - 8/31/2022
Y419	419	Junior yearling female, 1/1 - 2/28/2023	--	444	Two-year-old bull, 1/1 - 4/30/2022
Y420	420	Senior yearling female, 9/1 - 12/31/2022	--	<b>445</b>	<b>Senior Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y421</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>Senior Champion Female</b>	--	<b>446</b>	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y422</b>	<b>422</b>	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Female</b>	<b>Y447A</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y423	423	**Cow/Calf	<b>Y447B</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Bull</b>
		**Calf must be cow's natural calf, not embryo trans-	<b>Y448</b>	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Bull</b>
		plant. Calf no more than 250 days of age by day of	--	451	Produce-of-Dam: two animals, either sex, from one
		show. Calf must be purebred and registered with			dam to be shown in individual classes to be eligible.
		AICA. No age restriction on cow. Calf not eligible to	--	452	May be owned by more than one exhibitor.
		compete in individual calf classes if shown with dam.			Junior Get-of-Sire: three all by one sire, both sexes to
		Pair is eligible for Grand or Reserve Grand Champion			be represented, may be animals owned by more than
		Female. Cow and/or calf may be included in group			one exhibitor. All animals must be shown in individual
		class entries as individual, not as a pair comprising a			classes to be eligible. Bulls from classes 626, 627, 630,
		single animal unit.			631; females from classes 601, 602, 605, 606.
<b>Y424A</b>	<b>424A</b>	<b>Grand Champion Female</b>	--	453	Get-of-Sire: Three animals all by one sire, both sexes to
<b>Y424B</b>	<b>424B</b>	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>			be represented, may be owned by more than one ex-
<b>Y425A</b>	--	<b>Regional Grand Champion Female</b>			hibitor. All animals must be shown in individual clas-
<b>Y425B</b>	--	<b>Regional Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>			ses to be eligible. This get must have a minimum of
		<b>(Winners of Classes Y625A and Y625B are eligible</b>	--	454	two animals born before 9/1/2023.
		<b>to compete in the Junior Supreme Champion</b>			Breeders' Herd: four animals, either sex, bred and
		<b>Drive)</b>			owned by exhibitor. All animals must be shown in
<b>Y425C</b>	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Female</b>			their individual classes to be eligible.
<b>Y425D</b>	--	<b>Bred &amp; Owned Champion Female</b>	--	455	Group of Five Head: five animals of either sex owned
					by exhibitor from either calf classes, junior classes,
					senior classes or a combination.

## HEREFORD | DIVISION 5

**Junior Show: 30 minutes after the Angus Show, Friday, July 26 - Wilson Logistics Arena**

**Open Show: 30 minutes after the Angus Show, Saturday, July 27 - Wilson Logistics Arena**

**ARRIVAL:** Must be in place by 10 a.m., Thursday, July 25. No arrival prior to noon, Tues., July 23.

**RELEASE:** After the Supreme Drive, Sunday July 38th. Must be gone by 6 p.m.

Exhibitors in Hereford classes are subject to the association's special rule on class qualification and any animal without a legible tattoo will not be eligible for show. All Hereford animals must be officially recorded at show time to be eligible to show. Entries with registrations "Pending" or "Applied for" will be ineligible.

HEREFORD		FEMALES	CLASS	CLASS	BULLS
JR	OPEN		JR	OPEN	
Y501	501	Spring heifer calf, calved after 3/1/2024	Y522	522	Spring bull calf, calved after 3/1/2024
Y502	502	Junior heifer calf, 1/1 - 02/29/2024	Y523	523	Junior bull calf, 1/1 - 2/29/2024
Y503	503	<b>Junior Heifer Calf Champion</b>	--	524	<b>Junior Bull Calf Champion</b>
Y504	504	<b>Reserve Junior Heifer Calf Champion</b>	--	524B	<b>Reserve Junior Bull Calf Champion</b>
Y505	505	Winter heifer calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023	Y525	525	Winter bull calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023
Y506	506	Senior heifer calf, 8/1 - 10/31/2023	Y526	526	Senior bull calf, 8/1 - 10/31/2023
Y507	507	<b>Senior Heifer Calf Champion</b>	--	527	<b>Champion Bull Calf</b>
Y508	508	<b>Reserve Senior Heifer Calf Champion</b>	--	527B	<b>Reserve Champion Bull Calf</b>
Y509	509	Late summer yearling heifer, 6/16 - 7/31/2023	Y528	528	Late summer yearling bull, 6/16 - 7/31/2023
Y510	510	Early summer yearling heifers, 5/1 - 6/15/2023	Y589	529	Early summer yearling bulls, 5/1 - 6/15/2023
Y511	511	<b>Intermediate Champion Heifer</b>	--	530	<b>Intermediate Champion Bull</b>
Y511B	511B	<b>Reserve Intermediate Champion Heifer</b>	--	530B	<b>Reserve Intermediate Champion Bull</b>
Y512	512	Spring yearling heifer, 3/1 - 4/30/2023	Y531	531	Spring yearling bulls, 3/1 - 4/30/2023
Y513	513	<b>Spring Yearling Champion Heifer</b>	Y532	532	Junior yearling bull, 1/1 - 2/28/2023
Y513B	513B	<b>Reserve Spring Yearling Champion Heifer</b>	--	533	<b>Champion Junior Yearling Bull</b>
Y514	514	Junior yearling heifer, 1/1 - 2/28/2023	--	533B	<b>Reserve Champion Junior Yearling Bull</b>
Y515	515	<b>Junior Yearling Champion Heifer</b>	Y534	534	Senior yearling bull, 8/1 - 12/31/2022
Y515B	515B	<b>Reserve Junior Yearling Champion Heifer</b>	--	535	Two-year-old bull, 1/1 - 7/31/2022
Y516	516	Senior yearling heifer, 8/1 - 12/31/2022	--	536	<b>Senior Champion Bull</b>
Y517	517	<b>Senior Champion Heifer</b>	--	536B	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Bull</b>
Y517B	517B	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Heifer</b>	Y537	537	<b>Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y518	518	<b>Grand Champion Heifer</b>	Y537B	537B	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y518B	518B	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Heifer</b>	Y538	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y519	519	* Cow/calf (cow older than above ages w/ calf at side) * Calf older than 240 days of age on the show date is not eligible to show in cow/calf class. Calf is eligible for individual classes but must be entered in the appropriate class. Open: Cow/calf does not compete for Grand Champion.	--	541	Get of Sire: four animals shown in above single entry classes with both sexes represented and all progeny of one sire. It is permissible to use either the cow or calf from a cow-calf pair for the get-of-sire. Get-of-sire may be comprised of animals from one or more owners and of both horned and/or polled animals
Y520A	--	<b>Grand Champion Female</b>	--	542	Best Six Head: All animals must have been shown in their respective single entry classes and they must be owned by the exhibitor or by a member of his/her immediate family. A cow-calf will be considered as two head in the best six head class. Best six head may be comprised of both horned and/or polled animals.
Y520B	--	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>	<b>Animals in group classes must be shown in individual classes.</b>		
Y521A	--	<b>Regional Grand Champion Female</b>	<b>All group class entries must be submitted prior to the July 1st entry deadline. No ringside entries will be accepted or entries upon arrival at the fair.</b>		
Y521B	--	<b>Regional Reserve Grand Champion Female</b> (Winners of Classes Y821A and Y821B are eligible to compete in the Junior Supreme Champion Drive)			
Y521C	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Female</b>			
Y521D	--	<b>Grand Champion Bred &amp; Owned Female</b>			



# LIMOUSIN | DIVISION 6

**MOE Level II Show****Junior Show: 30 minutes after the Charolais Show, Friday, July 28 - Noel Boyd Arena****Open Show: 30 minutes after the Charolais Show, Saturday, July 29- Noel Boyd Arena****ARRIVAL:** Must be in place by 10 a.m., Thursday, July 27. No arrival prior to noon, Tues., July 25.**RELEASE:** After the Supreme Drive, Sunday, July 31st. Must be gone by 6 p.m.**North American Limousin Foundation - Standard Rules & Regulations for the Exhibition of Limousin and Lim-Flex® Cattle - Level II**

1. Animals must be registered with the North American Limousin Foundation (NALF).
2. **All cattle shown including calves at the side of the dam must be:**
  - A. **75% Limousin (NALF percentage, not actual) or greater as indicated on orange NALF registration certificates OR B. Purple-papered Lim-Flex cattle as indicated by NALF registration certificates. Percentage, fullblood, purebred and Lim-Flex cattle shall compete in the same classes and championships.**
3. If a show does not abide by the NALF MOE show rules exhibitors will not be awarded points for that show.
4. Animals must be properly tattooed and will be inspected at the show. Tattoos must be legible and match the registration certificates. If an animal's tattoo is not legible or cannot be read upon initial processing, it will be ineligible to show and not be allowed to return with a new or corrected tattoo.
5. To maintain a high degree of confidence in Limousin shows NALF reserves the right to disqualify any animal that has been fitted in an unethical manner. Unethical fitting shall include the following:
  - a) Any use of paints, colored show foam, graphite, colored powders or other substances; animals may be subject to a white-towel test;
  - b) The addition of any hair or hair like substances, including false tail heads and false polls (false tail switches are allowed);
  - c) The cutting, tearing or gluing of the hide or underneath the hide or removal of tissue in an attempt to alter the shape of the animal or the injection of any gas, solid or liquid under the hide to alter the normal conformation;
  - d) Any products, solutions or liquids administered internally or externally to alter the conformation of the animal is prohibited. That includes the use of steroids, growth stimulants and the act of artificially filling animals internally, which would include stomach pumping, drench tubes or any other method.**EXCEPTION:** In the case of severely sick or dehydrated animals, the exhibitor may have fluids or electrolytes administered by the licensed official show veterinarian with the approval of the show superintendent or a NALF representative. That exception is not applicable on show day or weigh-in/check-in day.
6. Bulls older than one (1) year must show with a nose lead. The Limousin show superintendent and the show management reserve the right to disqualify animals deemed unmanageable.
7. Protests against exhibitors, individual animals or fitting violations must be submitted in writing, signed by five (5) active members of the NALF and presented to the show superintendent within 12 hours of the show's completion.
8. NALF reserves the right to mouth animals for dental development.
9. NALF reserves the right to collect hair samples from any animal.
10. Class size shall be to the discretion of the show superintendent and may not contain more than 20 head. The given classes may be split or combined only within their given division.
11. Calves exhibited alongside dams in the cow-calf division are not eligible to show as individuals.
12. Animals shown must be solid red or black above the flanks, excluding birth marks.

**OTHER REQUIREMENTS - The following performance-data-submission requirements must be met by Dec. 1 to receive Medal of Excellence points.**

- a. Birth weight (bulls and heifers)
- b. Weaning weight (bulls and heifers)
- c. Yearling weight (bulls and heifers)
- d. Yearling scrotal circumference
- e. Pregnancy test (females older than test (600 days at season's end)
- f. Breeding Soundness Exam and semen bulls older than 400 days)

**NOTE:** Failure to have performance data on file at NALF will result in disqualification from the MOE program and no points will be awarded. It is the responsibility of the breeder/owner/exhibitor to submit that information without special requests from NALF.

**Credibility Requirement:**

To maintain a high degree of integrity and credibility in all Limousin shows, all owners and exhibitors are expected to adhere to all NALF rules and regulations regarding the exhibition of Limousin cattle and to adhere to rules and regulations of particular shows, fairs and exhibitions.

LIMOUSIN		FEMALES	CLASS	CLASS	BULLS
JR	OPEN		JR	OPEN	
Y601	601	Spring heifer calf, after 3/1/2024	Y632	626	Spring bull calf, after 3/1/2024
Y602	602	Junior heifer calf, 1/1 - 2/29/2024	Y633	627	Junior bull calf, 1/1 - 2/29/2024
----	<b>603</b>	<b>Division I Champion Female</b>	----	<b>628</b>	<b>Division I Champion Bull</b>
----	<b>604</b>	<b>Division I Reserve Champion Female</b>	----	<b>629</b>	<b>Division I Reserve Champion Bull</b>
Y605	605	Winter heifer calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023	Y634	630	Winter bull calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023
Y606	606	Senior heifer calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023	Y635	631	Senior bull calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023
----	<b>607</b>	<b>Division II Champion Female</b>	----	<b>632</b>	<b>Division II Champion Bull</b>
----	<b>608</b>	<b>Division II Reserve Champion Female</b>	----	<b>633</b>	<b>Division II Reserve Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y607</b>	----	<b>Champion Heifer Calf</b>	Y636	634	Late summer yearling bull, 7/1 - 8/31/2023
<b>Y608</b>	----	<b>Reserve Champion Heifer Calf</b>	Y637	635	Summer yearling bull, 5/1 - 6/30/2023
Y609	609	Late summer yearling female, 7/1 - 8/31/2023	----	<b>636</b>	<b>Division III Champion Bull</b>
Y610	610	Summer yearling female, 5/1 - 6/30/2023	----	<b>637</b>	<b>Division III Reserve Champion Bull</b>
----	<b>611</b>	<b>Division III Champion Female</b>	Y638	638	Spring yearling bull, 3/1 - 4/30/2023
----	<b>612</b>	<b>Division III Reserve Champion Female</b>	Y639	639	Junior yearling bull, 1/1 - 2/28/2023
<b>Y611</b>	----	<b>Intermediate Champion Female</b>	----	<b>640</b>	<b>Division IV Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y612</b>	----	<b>Reserve Intermediate Champion Female</b>	----	<b>641</b>	<b>Division IV Reserve Champion Bull</b>
Y613	613	April Junior yearling female, 4/1 - 4/30/2023	Y640	642	Senior yearling bull, 9/1 - 12/31/2022
Y614	614	March Junior yearling female, 3/1 - 3/31/2023	----	643	Summer senior yearling bull, 5/1 - 8/31/2022
Y615	615	Junior yearling female, 1/1 - 2/28/2023	----	644	Two-year old bulls, 1/1 - 4/30/2022
----	<b>616</b>	<b>Division IV Champion Female</b>	----	<b>645</b>	<b>Division V Champion Bull</b>
----	<b>617</b>	<b>Division IV Reserve Champion Female</b>	----	<b>646</b>	<b>Division V Reserve Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y616</b>	----	<b>Junior Champion Female</b>	<b>Y641</b>	<b>647</b>	<b>Grand Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y617</b>	----	<b>Reserve Junior Champion Female</b>	<b>Y642</b>	<b>648</b>	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y618	618	Late yearling female, 11/1 - 12/31/2022	<b>Y643</b>	----	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y619	619	Fall yearling female, 9/1-10/31/2022	--	651	Produce-of-Dam: 2 head shown in individual classes produced by one dam. May be owned by different exhibitors. Both sexes may be represented.
Y620	620	Summer senior yearling female, 7/1-8/31/22	--	652	Junior Get-of-Sire: 3 head shown in individual classes calved on or after 9/1/2023. Both sexes represented.
<b>Y621</b>	<b>621</b>	<b>Division V Champion Female</b>	--	653	Senior Get-of-Sire: 4 head shown in individual classes, any age. Both sexes represented.
<b>Y622</b>	<b>622</b>	<b>Division V Reserve Champion Female</b>	--	654	Breeders' Best Five Head: 5 head shown in individual classes. Must be bred by and owned or co-owned by single exhibitor. Both sexes may be represented.
Y623	623	Cow/Calf Pair: Cows must be purple-papered Lim-Flex or at least 75% Limousin with natural calf at side. Calf must be registered Limousin, percentage Limousin or Lim-Flex and not more than 250 days old on date of show.			
<b>Y624</b>	----	<b>Senior Champion Female</b>			
<b>Y625</b>	----	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Female</b>			
<b>Y626</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>Grand Champion Female</b>			
<b>Y627</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>			
<b>Y628</b>	----	<b>Regional Grand Champion Female</b>			
<b>Y629</b>	----	<b>Regional Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>			
<b>Y630</b>	----	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Female</b>			
<b>Y631</b>	----	<b>Grand Champion Bred &amp; Owned Female</b>			

## ALL OTHER BREEDS | DIVISION 7

**Junior Show: 30 minutes following the Simmental Show, Friday, July 26 - Wilson Logistics Arena**

**Open Show: 30 minutes following the Simmental Show, Saturday, July 27 - Wilson Logistics Arena**

**ARRIVAL:** Must be in place by 10 a.m., Thursday, July 25. No arrival prior to noon, Tues., July 23

**RELEASE:** After the Supreme Drive, Sunday, July 28. Must be gone by 6 p.m.

1. Limited to beef breeds for which specific competition is not offered in Sections of the Ozark Empire Fair beef division.
2. All animals must be registered in their respective associations.
3. The Ozark Empire Fair reserves the right to hold separate breed shows within this division, based on the number of entries, otherwise all breeds in this section will show together.
4. Breed and registration number must be listed on entry form.
5. Crossbred females do not qualify for the All Other Breeds Division.

FEMALES			BULLS		
AOB			CLASS	CLASS	
JR	OPEN		JR	OPEN	
Y701	701	Junior heifer calf, after 1/1/2024	Y713	713	Junior bull calf, after 1/1/2024
Y702	702	Senior heifer calf, 9/1 - 12/31/2023	Y714	714	Senior bull calf, 9/1 - 12/31/2023
Y703	703	Summer yearling heifer, 5/1 - 8/31/2023	Y715	715	Summer yearling bull, 5/1 - 8/31/2023
<b>Y704</b>	<b>704</b>	<b>Junior Champion Heifer</b>	—	<b>716</b>	<b>Junior Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y705</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>Reserve Junior Champion Heifer</b>	—	<b>717</b>	<b>Reserve Junior Champion Bull</b>
Y706	706	Junior yearling heifer, 1/1 - 4/30/2023	Y718	718	Junior yearling bull, 1/1 - 4/30/2023
Y707	707	Senior yearling heifer, 9/1 - 12/31/2022	Y719	719	Senior yearling bull, 9/1 - 12/31/2022
<b>Y708</b>	<b>708</b>	<b>Senior Champion Heifer</b>	—	720	2-year-old bull, 1/1 - 8/31/2022
<b>Y709</b>	<b>709</b>	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Heifer</b>	—	<b>721</b>	<b>Senior Champion Bull</b>
Y710	710	Cow/Calf. Cows must be lactating. Calves must be at side and under 240 days of age on day of judging. Calf may be shown in individual class if proper entry has been made.	—	<b>722</b>	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y711A</b>	<b>711A</b>	<b>Grand Champion Female</b>	<b>Y723A</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>Grand Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y711B</b>	<b>711B</b>	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>	<b>Y723B</b>	<b>724</b>	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y712A</b>	—	<b>Regional Grand Champion Female</b>	<b>Y724</b>	—	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y712B</b>	—	<b>Regional Reserve Grand Champion Female (Winners of Classes Y712A and Y712B are eligible to compete in the Junior Supreme Champion Drive)</b>			
<b>Y712C</b>	—	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Female</b>			

## RED ANGUS | DIVISION 8

**Junior Show: 8 a.m., Friday, July 26 - Noel Boyd Livestock Facility**

**Open Show: 8 a.m., Saturday, July 27 - Noel Boyd Livestock Facility**

**ARRIVAL:** Must be in place by 10 a.m., Thursday, July 25. No arrival prior to noon, Tues., July 23.

**RELEASE:** After the Supreme Drive, Sunday, July 28th. Must be gone by 6 p.m.

1. Only registered Red Angus cattle in Category 1A (100%) and Category 1B (87% through 99%) will be eligible to show. Category 1A and 1B will show together in the same classes.
2. All animals entered must conform to all rules of the Ozark Empire Fair and eligibility requirements of the Red Angus Association of America.
3. Cattle entered must be officially registered in one of the following: Red Angus Association Herdbook, in the Herdbook of the Canadian Angus Association or any foreign Angus Association Herdbook recognized by the Red Angus Association of America.
4. Entries in classes are accepted with the understanding that each exhibitor agrees to conform to the rules and regulations of the Red Angus Association of America with reference to inspection of entries, such as blood typing, mouthing and such other inspections prescribed by the RAAA or the Ozark Empire Fair.
5. All animals must be properly tattooed and are subject to be inspected at the show. Tattoos must be legible and must match the registration certificate. If an animal's tattoo is not legible or does not match the registration certificate and cannot be read during processing, it will not be allowed to participate in the show.
6. Each exhibitor is required to ensure that each animal will be exhibited in its natural conformation and structure and without any alterations or modifications, with the exception of acceptable fitting, grooming and treatment of hooves.
7. The addition of any hair or hair-like substances shall be considered an unethical practice and will not be allowed.
8. All females 20 months of age or older (on announced date of show) must be accompanied by a certificate of pregnancy from a licensed veterinarian or have produced fertile eggs as certified in a written statement by a licensed veterinarian or embryologist or have a calf at side. Failure to show documentation will result in animal being ineligible to show.
9. All bulls 9 months of age or older (on announced date of show) must be shown with a nose lead.

FEMALES			BULLS		
RED ANGUS			CLASS		
JR	OPEN		JR	OPEN	
Y801	801	Junior heifer calf, 1/1/2024 and after	Y830	830	Junior bull calf, 1/1/2024 and after
Y802	802	<b>Junior Heifer Calf Champion</b>	Y831	831	<b>Junior Bull Calf Champion</b>
Y803	803	<b>Reserve Junior Heifer Calf Champion</b>	Y832	832	<b>Reserve Junior Bull Calf Champion</b>
Y804	804	Late senior heifer calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023	--	833	Late senior bull calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023
Y805	805	Early senior heifer calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023	--	834	Early senior bull calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023
Y806	806	<b>Senior Heifer Calf Champion</b>	Y835	--	Senior bull calf, 9/1-12/31/2023
Y807	807	<b>Reserve Senior Heifer Calf Champion</b>	Y836	836	<b>Senior Bull Calf Champion</b>
Y808	808	Late summer yearling heifer, 7/1 - 8/31/2023	Y837	837	<b>Reserve Senior Bull Calf Champion</b>
Y809	809	Summer yearling heifer, 5/1 - 6/30/2023	Y838	838	Summer yearling bull, 5/1 - 8/31/2023
Y810	810	<b>Intermediate Champion</b>	Y839	839	<b>Intermediate Champion</b>
Y811	811	<b>Reserve Intermediate Champion</b>	Y840	840	<b>Reserve Intermediate Champion</b>
Y812	812	April Spring yearling heifer, 4/1 - 4/30/2023	Y841	841	Junior yearling bull, 1/1 - 4/30/2023
Y813	813	March Spring yearling heifer, 3/1 - 3/31/2023	Y842	842	<b>Junior Champion Bull</b>
Y814	814	<b>Senior Intermediate Champion</b>	Y843	843	<b>Reserve Junior Champion Bull</b>
Y815	815	<b>Reserve Senior Intermediate Champion</b>	Y844	844	Senior Yearling, 9/1 - 12/31/2022
Y816	816	February Junior Yearling heifer, 2/1 - 2/28/2023	--	845	Summer Senior Yearling, 5/1 - 8/31/2022
Y817	817	January Junior Yearling heifer, 1/1 - 1/31/2023	--	846	Two-Year-Old, 1/1 to 4/30/2022
Y818	818	<b>Junior Champion Heifer</b>	Y847	847	<b>Senior Champion Bull</b>
Y819	819	<b>Reserve Junior Champion Heifer</b>	Y848	848	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Bull</b>
Y820	820	Senior yearling heifer, 9/1 - 12/31/2022	Y849	849	<b>Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y821	821	2-year-old cow with natural calf - Cow born on or after 1/1/2022. Calf must be under 250 days & still nursing.	Y850	850	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y822	822	Mature cow & natural calf - Cow born prior to 1/1/2022. Calf must be under 250 days & still nursing.	Y851	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y823	823	<b>Senior Champion</b>	--	854	Senior Get-of-Sire: Four animals by the same sire, both sexes represented, need not be owned by the exhibitor*
Y824	824	<b>Reserve Senior Champion</b>	--	855	Junior Get-of-Sire: Three animals by the same sire, both sexes represented, need not be owned by the exhibitor. Entries must have been calved on or after 9/1/2021.*
Y825A	825A	<b>Grand Champion Female</b>	--	856	Produce of Dam: Two animals, either or both sexes. Animals need not be owned by the exhibitor.*
Y825B	825B	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>	* All animals must have been shown in individual classes.		
Y826A	--	<b>Regional Grand Champion Female</b>			
Y826B	--	<b>Regional Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>			
		<b>(Winners of Classes Y1122A and Y1122B are eligible to compete in the Junior Supreme Champion Drive)</b>			
Y827	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Female</b>			
Y828	--	<b>Bred and Owned Champion Female</b>			



**SANTA GERTRUDIS | DIVISION 9****SGBI SUPER POINT SHOW**

**Junior Show: 8 a.m., Friday, August 2 - Wilson Logistics Arena**

**Open Show: 8 a.m., Saturday, August 3 - Wilson Logistics Arena**

**ARRIVAL:** Must be in place by 7 p.m., Wednesday, July 31. No arrival prior to noon Tuesday, July 30.

**RELEASE:** 2 p.m. Saturday, August 3; or after Santa Gertrudis, Braunvieh and the Brahman Influence Show have all ended.

**Rules and Regulations for Approved Santa Gertrudis Open and Junior Shows**

1. All exhibits of Santa Gertrudis breeding cattle must be registered or recorded (50% - 75% with one parent a registered Santa Gertrudis), meeting the requirements for registration or recordation as outlined in the Santa Gertrudis Rules and Regulations for Registration, and shall be governed by the last revised version of the Rules and Regulations for Approved Santa Gertrudis Open and Junior Shows as approved by the Board of Santa Gertrudis Breeders International, PO Box 1257, Kingsville, TX 78364. A copy may be obtained by contacting the association or viewed at [www.santagertrudis.com](http://www.santagertrudis.com).
2. Each owner must be a member in good standing with SGBI. No outstanding balances on an active or junior member's account.
3. ALL animals accepted for exhibition in an SGBI sanctioned show are subject to inspection at each show between arrival on grounds and prior to entering the show ring. The inspection will be conducted by a committee comprised of two (2) members of the Shows and Exhibits Committee and one (1) from the Breed Standards Committee.
4. Heifers twenty-four (24) months of age or older must be safe in calf as verified by a graduate veterinarian or have produced a live, Santa Gertrudis sired calf with that calf at side meeting the Standard of Excellence and the calf must be registered by thirty (30) days of age. All bulls twenty-four (24) months of age or older must provide a passing BSE test per show season.
5. All bulls eleven (11) months of age and older must be exhibited with a permanent nose ring.
6. All animals must be registered or recorded and PERMANENTLY identified before the show with a brand ID or an ear tattoo.
7. **FITTING**
  - a. Purebred Fitting - All purebred animals must be exhibited with the hair brushed down on the entire body, legs and tail with no foreign objects attached to the animal in a manner as to alter the animal's conformation or changes its appearance. Hair may not be trained upwards or forwards and/or pulled upwards or forwards on any part of the animal's body. Exhibitors failing to abide by this rule will not be allowed to show. Specifically, all hair must be brushed down slick; head clipped smooth; underline clipped blending sides; udder and teats clipped with no long hair to emphasize udder; ears clipped as to environmental and local standards; neck and brisket clipped; body clipped using common sense as to season; leg hair clipped and do not leave long from hock or knee to hoof; tail head clipped; pull switch or brush out (no ball, etc.) trim tail to personal preference.
  - b. Star Five Fitting - Star 5 exhibits are not subject to purebred clipping rules. Entries are to be fitted as blow and go. Hair may be brushed according to preference with no paint or adhesives on any part of the body.
9. Each animal exhibited must be exhibited with the correct age and shown in the class corresponding with their correct age.
10. Entries in each class will be placed 1, 2, 3, etc. Animals are to be presented in descending order according to age.
11. Polled classes will be entered at the same time as class entries are required by each show. Animals will be lined up according to age for the judge. To be eligible to show in Best of Polled, animals must be slick polled with no scurs, no scars, no dehorning and with no evidence of horny tissue.
12. Classes with over thirty (30) entries will be divided into heats and heat winners returning for final placing.
13. The judge SHOULD be an SGBI approved judge.
14. Dress for exhibitors participating in SGBI sanctioned Open and Junior shows shall be of neat and clean clothing of collared shirts with sleeves, belts, no midribs showing and appropriate footwear - no tennis shoes. Exhibitors may wear hats or go bareheaded - no caps.
15. Each animal shall be presented in the show ring in its natural conformation and structure without alteration or modification. Alteration or modification shall be defined to include any surgical, chemical, electrical, other

appearance change, save only branding, tattooing, foot trimming or dehorning. Additionally, no pumping or filling of any animal with a liquid, air, or any other substance is allowed. ALL animals and exhibitors found to be in violation of this rule will be banned for life from showing at SGBI approved shows.

16. Every exhibitor, in consideration of his/her entry being accepted, agrees to submit any animal so entered by him/her to inspection and agrees to have such animal submitted to any tests as may be designated and requested by the Shows and Exhibits Committee, or the authorized representative of the relevant show or fair, and agrees that the conclusions reached by the committee/representative as to whether such animal is unethically fitted or over age, shall be final, without recourse, against SGBI and designated personnel. Any false representation, interference or unprofessional conduct on the part of any exhibitor will be dealt with by the Shows and Exhibits Committee according to the equities in the case.
17. For and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in any SGBI approved show, each exhibitor hereby releases SGBI, its officers, directors and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits and judgments, either past, present or future, arising from or connected with the administration of use of such test or examination and the resulting decision therefrom.
18. Any exhibitor desiring to dispute or challenge the results of any test, exam or show rule enforcement, as applied by his/her animals, shall do so in accordance with procedures established by the rules of the association. This refers to, but is not limited to, the procedures to file protest and appeals process.

19. PROCEDURES TO FILE PROTEST:

1. File protest with show that infraction occurred. Follow their protest rules
2. File the same protest with the Shows and Exhibits Committee. Contact the chairman.
3. Three (3) SGBI members in good standing must sign the protest.
4. All protests must be in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$100.00, cash or certified check, which will be forfeited if protest is not sustained. Such protest must state plainly the cause of the complaint or appeal and must be delivered to the Shows and Exhibits Committee within twenty-four (24) hours after the occasion for such protest.
5. Order of hearing a protest: a. Chairman of Shows and Exhibits Committee b. Action by Shows and Exhibits Committee c. Final action by Board of Directors d. Follow appeal procedure as outlined in Rules and Regulations.
6. All rules and regulations that have been properly protested to the Shows and Exhibits Committee shall be subject to the following penalties: a. Loss of premium money. b. Loss of awards. c. Suspension from showing the subject animal as deemed necessary. Penalty may be for one (1) show, two (2) shows or three (3) Shows, or as long as deemed necessary for the offense. d. Suspension of the exhibitor being the same as other SGBI Rules and penalties.

20. APPEALS:

- a. The Chairman of the Shows and Exhibits Committee and the Vice-President of Youth Activities in conjunction with the person(s) responsible for coordinating the individual show(s) will continue to be primarily vested with authority to determine whether animals entered in shows meet the standards formally approved by the Breed Standards Committee.
- b. In the event the Vice-President of Youth Activities or individual show coordinating official disqualifies an animal from participating in a show and the exhibitor wants to appeal the disqualification, the appeal process outlined below must be followed.
- c. In the event the Chairman of Shows and Exhibits or individual show coordinating official disqualifies an animal from participating in a sanctioned show, and the exhibitor wants to appeal the disqualification, the appeal process outlined below must be followed.
- d. Additionally, any exhibitor participating in an individual show or other SGBI sanctioned show that wants to appeal a breed standards disqualification decision by either the Vice-President for Youth Activities/youth show coordinating official or the Chairman of Shows and Exhibits/show coordinating official must follow the appeals process outlined below.

Appeals Committee

The Appeals Committee will be comprised by the following three (3) members – the Vice-President of Breed Improvement, the Vice-President of Marketing and Promotions and the Executive Director of SGBI. All three (3) members must be present to constitute a quorum. All decisions rendered by the Appeals Committee will be binding and final for all appeals submitted to the committee.

Appeals Procedure

- a. All qualification/disqualification appeals and appropriate supporting documentation submitted by exhibitors must be submitted in writing to the Executive Director of SGBI. The written appeal must be accompanied by a \$200 process fee. No waivers will be granted to the requirements for written appeals and the up-front \$200 fee.
- b. Exhibitors must file written appeals postmarked or via e-mail with five (5) business days following the date of the show governing the qualification/disqualification decision by the primary officials (VicePresident of Youth Activities/show coordinating official or Chairman of Shows and Exhibits/event coordinating official).
- c. The Executive Director will be responsible for coordinating meetings of the Appeals Committee and forwarding copies of the appeal and supporting documentation to the other committee members.
- d. The Appeals Committee will render a final decision within five (5) business days following receipt of the written appeal, appropriate supporting documentation and the \$200 fee.
- e. In the event an exhibitor appeals a disqualification decision by the primary official and the Appeals Committee approves the exhibitor's appeal, the animal covered by the appeal will be qualified to participate in all future SGBI sanctioned events.
- f. In the event an exhibitor appeals a disqualification decision by the primary official and the Appeals Committee disapproves the exhibitor's appeal, the animal covered by the appeal will be disqualified from participating in future SGBI sanctioned events. Additionally, any points or awards previously given to the owner of the animal will be forfeited.
- g. In the event an exhibitor appeals a qualification decision by the primary official and the Appeals Committee rules that the animal covered by the appeal does not meet breed standards, the covered animal will be disqualified from participating in future shows and the owner of the animal will forfeit any points and awards previously granted.

## 21. PROCEDURES TO FILE PROTEST:

1. File protest with show that infraction occurred. Follow their protest rules
2. File the same protest with the Shows and Exhibits Committee. Contact the chairman.
3. Three (3) SGBI members in good standing must sign the protest.
4. All protests must be in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$100.00, cash or certified check, which will be forfeited if protest is not sustained. Such protest must state plainly the cause of the complaint or appeal and must be delivered to the Shows and Exhibits Committee within twenty-four (24) hours after the occasion for such protest.
5. Order of hearing a protest:
  - a. Chairman of Shows and Exhibits Committee
  - b. Action by Shows and Exhibits Committee
  - c. Final action by Board of Directors
  - d. Follow appeal procedure as outlined in Rules and Regulations.
6. All rules and regulations that have been properly protested to the Shows and Exhibits Committee shall be subject to the following penalties:
  - a. Loss of premium money.
  - b. Loss of awards.
  - c. Suspension from showing the subject animal as deemed necessary. Penalty may be for one (1) show, two (2) shows or three (3) Shows, or as long as deemed necessary for the offense.
  - d. Suspension of the exhibitor being the same as other SGBI Rules and penalties.

22. Failure to adhere to each show's specific rules shall also be subject to these penalties. Proper protest procedures must be adhered to according to that particular show's rules. SGBI will follow each show's rules, and any action taken by a show will be upheld by SGBI in relation to its bearing on our point show system.

23. DISQUALIFICATIONS: \* An exhibitor who has been disqualified from competition in any livestock show or has had a premium withheld or withdrawn on the grounds of rule violation(s) will not be allowed to compete in other shows. This shall include, but not limited to, disqualification for fraud, misrepresentation, unethical fitting or deception. \* Judging procedures will NOT be interrupted for protest investigation. Depending on the basis of the protest, a decision may be withheld until a thorough investigation is completed. No complaint or appeal regarding a judge's decision or method of selection will be considered. \* Show officials may excuse an

exhibitor from the ring and exclude them from further competition if an exhibitor, in any way, whether in person or by their representative interferes or shows disrespect to a judge or show official. \* In the event that an exhibitor or animal is disqualified after they have been awarded premiums or awards, the exhibitor or animal placing immediately below them may be moved up to fill the vacated position at the discretion of the Shows and Exhibits Committee.

24. RULES FOR HIGH POINT AWARDS: a. For each point show, first place class winner will receive two (2) points; second place class winner receives one (1) point; Division Champion receives three (3) points; Reserve Division Champion receives two (2) points; Grand Champion receives five (5) points and Reserve Grand Champion receives four (4) points; Best of Polled receives one (1) point but does not count toward overall points. b. Get of Sire and Produce of Dam points go toward Exhibitor/Breeder of the Year Awards. c. Points will stay with animal if sold. d. The Sire and Dam of the Year should have points from at least two (2) different offspring. e. All points earned at the National Open Show are to be doubled.
25. DNA Testing SGBI and its representatives have the authority to require such tests as they deem necessary to verify the accuracy of the classification, pedigree of exhibited animals, and parentage verification of Star 5, including calves exhibited at the side of any female. "Said authority shall extend to and cover the enforcement of all show rules as adopted by SGBI."

FEMALES			BULLS		
SANTA GERTRUDIS			CLASS	CLASS	
JR	OPEN		JR	OPEN	
Y900	900	Star Five Female , 9/1/2023 and after	--	922A	Early summer bull calf, calved after 5/1/2024
Y900A	900A	Star Five Female, 6/1 - 8/31/2023	Y922	922B	Late junior bull calf, 3/1 - 4/30/2024
Y900B	900B	Star Five Female, 3/1 - 5/31/2023	Y923	923	Early junior bull calf, 1/1 - 2/29/2024
Y900C	900C	Star Five Female, 9/1/2021-2/28/2023	Y924	924	Late senior bull calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023
Y900D	900D	Star Five Female 1/1/2022-8/31/2022	Y925	925	Early senior bull calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023
Y900E	900E	<b>Grand Champion Star Five Female</b>	--	<b>926</b>	<b>Champion Bull Calf</b>
Y900F	900F	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Star Five Female</b>	--	<b>927</b>	<b>Reserve Champion Bull Calf</b>
Y900G	900G	Star Five Bulls-All ages	Y928	928	Late summer yearling bull, 7/1 - 8/31/2023
Y900H	900H	<b>Grand Champion Star Five Bull</b>	Y929	929	Early summer yearling bull, 5/1 - 6/30/2023
Y900I	900I	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Star Five Bull</b>	Y930	930	Late junior yearling bull, 3/1 - 4/30/2023
--	901A	Early Summer Heifer Calf, calved after 5/1/2024	Y931	931	Early junior yearling bull, 1/1 - 2/28/2023
Y901	901B	Late junior heifer calf, 3/1 - 4/30/2024	--	<b>932</b>	<b>Champion Yearling Bull</b>
Y902	902	Early junior heifer calf, 1/1 - 2/29/2024	--	<b>933</b>	<b>Reserve Champion Yearling Bull</b>
Y903	903	Late senior heifer calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023	Y934	--	Senior yearling bull, 9/1-12/31/2022
Y904	904	Early senior heifer calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023	--	934	Late senior yearling bull, 10/1 - 12/31/2022
Y905	905	<b>Champion Heifer Calf</b>	--	935	Early senior yearling bull, 7/1 - 9/30/2022
Y906	906	<b>Reserve Champion Heifer Calf</b>	--	936	Late two-year-old bull, 4/1 - 6/30/2022
Y907	907	Late summer yearling heifer, 7/1 - 8/31/2023	--	937	Early two-year-old bull, 1/1 - 3/31/2022
Y908	908	Early summer yearling heifer, 5/1 - 6/30/2023	--	938	Aged bull, 7/1 - 12/31/2021
Y909	909	Late junior yearling heifer, 3/1 - 4/30/2023	--	<b>939</b>	<b>Champion Senior Bull</b>
Y910	910	Early junior yearling heifer, 1/1 - 2/28/2023	--	<b>940</b>	<b>Reserve Champion Senior Bull</b>
Y911	911	<b>Champion Yearling Heifer</b>	Y941A	941	<b>Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y912	912	<b>Reserve Champion Yearling Heifer</b>	Y941B	942	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y913	913	Late senior yearling heifer, 10/1 - 12/31/2022	Y942	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y914	914	Early senior yearling heifer, 7/1 - 9/30/2022	--	<b>943</b>	<b>** Best of Polled Award, Male</b>
Y915	915	*Late two-year-old heifer, 4/1 - 6/30/2022			Best of Polled Awards: must be smooth polled with no
Y916	916	*Early two-year-old heifer, 1/1 - 3/31/2022			horny tissue
		*Must have produced a calf or be safe in calf as verified by a graduate veterinarian.	--	946	Produce-of-Dam: two offspring, the produce of one
Y917	917	<b>Champion Senior Female</b>			Cow. Must be within age limits of individual classes
Y918	918	<b>Reserve Champion Senior Female</b>	--	947	and exhibited in their respective class.
Y919A	919A	<b>Grand Champion Female</b>			Get-of-Sire: three animals all by one sire and from at
Y919B	919B	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>			least two dams, both sexes represented, within age
Y920A	--	<b>Regional Grand Champion Female</b>			limits of individual classes and exhibited in their
Y920B	--	<b>Regional Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>			respective classes.
		<b>(Winners of classes Y1220A and Y1220B are eligible to compete in the Junior Supreme Champion Drive)</b>			
Y920C	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Female</b>			
--	921	<b>** Best of Polled Female Award</b>			



# SHORTHORN | DIVISION 10

**Junior Show: 30 minutes following the Red Angus Show, Friday, July, 26 - Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility**

**Open Show: 30 minutes following the Red Angus Show, Saturday, July 27 - Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility**

**ARRIVAL:** Must be in place by 10 a.m., Thursday, July 25. No arrival prior to noon, Tues., July 23.

**RELEASE:** After the Supreme Drive, Sunday, July 28th. Must be gone by 6 p.m.

- All cattle must be purebred to be eligible to show. All animals must be registered as the property of the exhibitor in the records of the American Shorthorn Association by the time of the show.
- Individual animals shown in all of the group classes listed below must have been entered and shown in one of the following classes for single animals. Multiple owned animals must be exhibited in the name of all owners.
- Family bred and raised animals entered by juniors in Junior Classes and subsequently entered in Open classes may be treated as family entries in group classes.
- All Shorthorns and Polled Shorthorns are subject to a tattoo inspection. All Shorthorns and Polled Shorthorns are also subject to an age inspection if deemed necessary. The decision of the examining veterinarian is final. Use of artificial fins on show animals is not permitted.
- **Senior/Junior Yearling Pregnancy Rule for Exhibitors at All Open Shows:** Any senior/junior yearling female 28 months of age or older on or before the date of the show must have natural calf at side and must be shown with such. All females 20 months of age on or before the date of the show must have a 60-day pregnancy verification signed by an accredited, non-owner veterinarian at the time the female is processed for the show. If verification cannot be produced, the female may be allowed to participate if the exhibitor can produce a qualified veterinarian to examine the female at the show site and verify a 60-day pregnancy. Any infractions against this rule will lead to disqualification.

SHORTHORN			FEMALES		BULLS	
JR	OPEN		CLASS	CLASS	JR	OPEN
Y1001	1001	Late spring heifer calves, after 5/1/2024	Y1024	1024	Late spring bull calves, after 5/1/2024	
Y1002	1002	Early spring heifer calves, 3/1 - 4/30/2024	Y1025	1025	Early spring bull calves, 3/1 - 4/30/2024	
Y1003	1003	Junior heifer calves 1/1 - 2/29/2024	Y1026	1026	Junior bull calf, 1/1 - 2/28/2024	
--	<b>1004</b>	<b>Junior Heifer Calf Champion</b>	--	<b>1027</b>	<b>Junior Bull Calf Champion</b>	
--	<b>1005</b>	<b>Reserve Junior Heifer Calf Champion</b>	--	<b>1028</b>	<b>Reserve Junior Bull Calf Champion</b>	
Y1006	1006	Winter heifer calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023	Y1029	1029	Winter bull calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023	
Y1007	1007	Senior heifer calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023	Y1030	1030	Senior bull calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023	
<b>Y1008</b>	<b>1008</b>	<b>Senior Heifer Calf Champion</b>	--	<b>1031</b>	<b>Senior Bull Calf Champion</b>	
<b>Y1009</b>	<b>1009</b>	<b>Reserve Heifer Calf Champion</b>	--	<b>1032</b>	<b>Reserve Senior Bull Calf Champion</b>	
Y1010	1010	Summer yearling female, 7/1 - 8/31/2023	Y1033	1033	Summer yearling bull, 7/1 - 8/31/2023	
Y1011	1011	Late spring yearling female, 5/1 - 6/30/2023	Y1034	1034	Late spring yearling bull, 5/1 - 6/30/2023	
<b>Y1012</b>	<b>1012</b>	<b>Intermediate Champion Female</b>	--	<b>1035</b>	<b>Intermediate Champion Bull</b>	
<b>Y1013</b>	<b>1013</b>	<b>Reserve Intermediate Champion Female</b>	--	<b>1036</b>	<b>Reserve Intermediate Champion Bull</b>	
Y1014	1014	Early spring yearling female, 3/1 - 4/30/2023	Y1037	1037	Early spring yearling bull, 3/1 - 4/30/2023	
<b>Y1015</b>	<b>1015</b>	<b>Junior Champion Female</b>	Y1038	1038	Junior yearling bull, 1/1 - 2/28/2023	
<b>Y1016</b>	<b>1016</b>	<b>Reserve Junior Champion Female</b>	--	<b>1039</b>	<b>Junior Champion Bull</b>	
Y1017	1017	Junior yearling female, 1/1 - 2/28/2023	--	<b>1040</b>	<b>Reserve Junior Champion Bull</b>	
Y1018	1018	Senior yearling female, 9/1 - 12/31/2022	Y1041	--	Senior yearling bull, 9/1 - 12/31/2022	
<b>Y1019A</b>	<b>1019A</b>	<b>Senior Champion Female</b>	--	1041	Senior yearling bull, 7/1 - 12/31/2022	
<b>Y1019B</b>	<b>1019B</b>	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Female</b>	--	1042	Two-year-old bull, 1/1 - 6/30/2022	
<b>Y1020</b>	<b>1020</b>	Cow-Calf Class - Must be natural calf at side. Calf no more than 240 days of age by show date.	--	<b>1043</b>	<b>Senior Champion Bull</b>	
<b>Y1021A</b>	<b>1021A</b>	<b>Grand Champion Female</b>	--	<b>1044</b>	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Bull</b>	
<b>Y1021B</b>	<b>1021B</b>	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>	<b>Y1045A</b>	<b>1045</b>	<b>Grand Champion Bull</b>	
<b>Y1022A</b>	--	<b>Regional Grand Champion Female</b>	<b>Y1045B</b>	<b>1046</b>	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Bull</b>	
<b>Y1022B</b>	--	<b>Regional Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>	<b>Y1046</b>	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Bull</b>	
		<b>(Winners of Classes Y1322A and Y1322B are eligible to compete in the Junior Supreme Champion Drive)</b>	--	1049	Two Bulls: bred and owned/co-owned by exhibitor*	
<b>Y1022C</b>	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Female</b>	--	<b>1050</b>	<b>SuperCow Class: class should consist of two offspring Of one cow, of either or same sex, of show age classification. Offspring <u>do not</u> need to be owned by the same exhibitor. No more than one pair from each cow can win a prize in the class.</b>	
<b>Y1022D</b>	--	<b>Bred &amp; Owned Champion Female</b>	--	1051	Get-of-Sire: four animals by one sire, any age. Offspring Do not need to be owned by same exhibitor. No more than one group from each sire can win a prize in the class.	
--	1023	Two females, bred and owned/co-owned by breeder (exhibitor)	--	1052	Best Six Head: owned or co-owned by exhibitor*	
					* All animals must have also been shown in the individual classes.	

SIMMENTAL | DIVISION 11

Junior Show: 30 minutes following the Hereford Show, Friday, July 26 - Wilson Logistics Arena

Open Show: 30 minutes following the Hereford Show, Saturday, July 27 - Wilson Logistics Arena

ARRIVAL: Must be in place by 10a.m., Thursday, July 25. No arrival prior to noon, Tues., July 23.

RELEASE: After the Supreme Drive, Sunday, July 28th. Must be gone by 6 p.m.

- 1. All animals must be registered with the American Simmental Association. Original registration papers must accompany all animals at time of check in.
- 2. All animals shown in the purebred classes must be 87.5% and higher. Animals shown in the percentage classes must be 50% up to but not including purebreds.
- 3. All calves shown at side of cow must have registration certificate. **Pairs must show in the class in which the cow is eligible.**
- 4. Junior show will be a no-fit show. No paint or adhesives. Open show fitting is left to the discretion of each exhibitor.

PERCENTAGE SIMMENTAL CLASSES

% SIMMENTAL		FEMALES	CLASS	CLASS	BULLS
JR	OPEN		JR	OPEN	
Y1101	1101	Low % Junior heifer calf, after 1/1/2024	Y1130	1130	Low % Junior bull calf, after 1/1/2024
Y1102	1102	Low % Winter heifer calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023	Y1131	1131	Low % Winter bull calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023
Y1103	1103	Low % Senior heifer calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023	Y1132	1132	Low % Senior bull calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023
Y1104	1104	Low % Champion Heifer Calf	--	1133	Low % Champion Bull Calf
Y1105	1105	Low % Reserve Champion Heifer Calf	--	1134	Low % Reserve Champion Bull Calf
Y1106	1106	Low % Summer yearling heifer, 5/1 - 8/31/2023	Y1135	1135	Low % Summer yearling bull, 5/1 - 8/31/2023
Y1107	1107	Low % Late junior yearling heifer, 4/1 - 4/30/2023	Y1136	1136	Low % Spring yearling bull, 3/1 - 4/30/2023
Y1108	1108	Low % Early junior yearling heifer, 3/1 - 3/31/2023	Y1137	1137	Low % Junior yearling bull, 1/1 - 2/28/2023
Y1109	1109	Low % Junior Champion Heifer	--	1138	Low % Junior Champion Bull
Y1110	1110	Low % Reserve Junior Champion Heifer	--	1139	Low % Reserve Junior Champion Bull
Y1111	1111	Low % Junior yearling heifer, 1/1 - 2/28/2023	Y1140	1140	Low % Senior yearling bull, 9/1 - 12/31/2022
Y1112	1112	Low % Senior yearling heifer, 9/1 - 12/31/2022	--	1141	Low % Two-year-old bull, 1/1 - 8/31/2022
Y1113	1113	Low % Senior Champion Heifer	--	1142	Low % Senior Champion Bull
Y1114	1114	Low % Reserve Senior Champion Heifer	--	1143	Low % Reserve Senior Champion Bull
Y1115	1115	Low % Grand Champion Heifer	Y1144	1144	Low % Grand Champion Bull
Y1116	1116	Low % Reserve Grand Champion Heifer	Y1145	1145	Low % Reserve Grand Champion Bull
Y1117	1117	** Low % Two-year-old cow, 1/1 - 8/31/2022	Y1146	--	Low % 4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Bull
Y1118	1118	** Low % Aged cow, born before 12/31/2021	Y1147	--	Low % 4-H/FFA District Reserved Grand Champion Bull
		** Cows in Y1168-Y1169, 1168-1169, must have calf by side born after 1/1/2024.			
Y1119	1119	Low % Cow Champion	LOW % ANIMALS WILL SHOW FIRST, FOLLOWED BY PUREBRED		
Y1120	1120	Low % Reserve Cow Champion			
Y1121	1121	Low % Grand Champion Female			
Y1122	1122	Low % Reserve Grand Champion Female	PUREBRED CLASSES LISTED ON NEXT PAGE		
Y1123	--	Low % Regional Grand Champion Female			
Y1124	--	Low % Regional Reserve Grand Champion Female			
Y1125	--	Low % 4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Female			
Y1126	--	Low % 4-H/FFA District Reserve Grand Champion Female			
Y1127	--	Low % Bred & Owned Champion Female			

## PUREBRED SIMMENTAL CLASSES

FEMALES			Bulls		
PUREBRED SIMMENTAL					
JR	OPEN		CLASS JR	CLASS OPEN	
Y1150	1150	Junior heifer calf, after 1/1/2024	Y1180	1180	Junior bull calf, after 1/1/2024
Y1151	1151	Winter heifer calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023	Y1181	1181	Winter bull calf, 11/1 - 12/31/2023
Y1152	1152	Senior heifer calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023	Y1182	1182	Senior bull calf, 9/1 - 10/31/2023
<b>Y1153</b>	<b>1153</b>	<b>Champion Heifer Calf</b>	--	<b>1183A</b>	<b>Champion Bull Calf</b>
<b>Y1154</b>	<b>1154</b>	<b>Reserve Champion Heifer Calf</b>	--	<b>1183B</b>	<b>Reserve Champion Bull Calf</b>
Y1155	1155	Summer yearling heifer, 5/1 - 8/31/2023	Y1184	1184	Summer yearling bull, 5/1 - 8/31/2023
Y1156	1156	Late junior yearling heifer, 4/1 - 4/30/2023	Y1185	1185	Spring yearling bull, 3/1 - 4/30/2023
Y1157	1157	Early junior yearling heifer, 3/1 - 3/31/2023	Y1186	1186	Junior yearling bull, 1/1 - 2/28/2023
<b>Y1158</b>	<b>1158</b>	<b>Junior Champion Heifer</b>	--	<b>1187A</b>	<b>Junior Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y1159</b>	<b>1159</b>	<b>Reserve Junior Champion Heifer</b>	--	<b>1187B</b>	<b>Reserve Junior Champion Bull</b>
Y1160	1160	Junior yearling heifer, 1/1 - 2/28/2023	Y1188	1188	Senior yearling bull, 9/1 - 12/31/2022
Y1161	1161	Senior yearling heifer, 9/1 - 12/31/2022	--	1189	Two-year-old bull, 1/1 - 8/31/2022
<b>Y1162</b>	<b>1162</b>	<b>Senior Champion Heifer</b>	--	<b>1190A</b>	<b>Senior Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y1163</b>	<b>1163</b>	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Heifer</b>	--	<b>1190B</b>	<b>Reserve Senior Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y1164</b>	<b>1164</b>	<b>Grand Champion Heifer</b>	<b>Y1191A</b>	<b>1191A</b>	<b>Grand Champion Bull</b>
<b>Y1165</b>	<b>1165</b>	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Heifer</b>	<b>Y1191B</b>	<b>1191B</b>	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y1166	1166	** Two-year-old cow, 1/1 - 8/31/2022	<b>Y1191C</b>	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Bull</b>
Y1167	1167	** Aged cow, born before 12/31/2021	--	1192	Get-of-Sire: 3 animals, both sexes represented
		** Cows in Y1117-Y1118, 1117-1118, must have calf by	--	1193	any age, sired by a Simmental bull
		side born after 1/1/2024.	--	1194	Produce-of-Dam: two animals, either sex, the
<b>Y1168</b>	<b>1168</b>	<b>Cow Champion</b>			produce of one dam; dam must be named
<b>Y1169</b>	<b>1169</b>	<b>Reserve Cow Champion</b>			Best Six Head: bred & owned or co-owned by
<b>Y1170</b>	<b>1170</b>	<b>Grand Champion Female</b>			exhibitor
<b>Y1171</b>	<b>1171</b>	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>	Animals must be shown in individual classes to qualify for group classes.		
<b>Y1172</b>	--	<b>Regional Grand Champion Female</b>			
<b>Y1173</b>	--	<b>Regional Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>			
<b>Y1174</b>	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Female</b>			
<b>Y1175</b>	--	<b>4-H/FFA District Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>			
<b>Y1176</b>	--	<b>Bred &amp; Owned Champion Female</b>			