

# SUPER POINT SANTA GERTRUDIS SHOW

Division 21

## Superintendent

Darrell Pitchford

**Entry Deadline:** Friday, August 25, 2023

**May Begin Arrival:** Wednesday, September 27, 8 am

**In Place By:** Friday, September 29, 12 pm

**Check In:** Friday, September 29 by 12 pm

**Judging:** Saturday, September 30 immediately following the Open Brangus Show in Ford truck Arena 1

**Released:** Released upon the conclusion of the Open Red Angus show on Saturday, September 30. Must be moved out by 7 pm on Sunday, October 1.

## DIVISION RULES

1. All exhibits of Santa Gertrudis cattle must meet the requirements for registration as outlined in the Santa Gertrudis Standard of Excellence and shall be governed by the last revised version of the Rules and Regulations for Approved Santa Gertrudis Open & Junior Shows as approved by the board of directors of Santa Gertrudis Breeders International, P.O. 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. Heifers 24 months of age or older to be eligible must have produced a calf or be safe in calf as verified by a graduate veterinarian. If animal is open due to being in an embryo transfer program this fact must be verified by a written statement signed by a licensed embryo technician.
3. A cow shown with calf at side: calf must be her natural calf meeting the standard of excellence.
4. All senior bull classes (late junior yearling bull and over) must have either a nose ring or a nose clip for show purposes.
5. All animals must be individually identified by tattoo, numerical firebrand, or freeze brand.
6. All 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 change its appearance. \*Exhibitors failing to abide by this rule will be dismissed from the arena and/or forfeit premiums, awards and points won by same exhibitors.
7. Each animal exhibited must be exhibited with the correct age and shown in the class corresponding with their age.
8. Entries in each class will be placed 1, 2, 3, etc. Animals are to be presented in descending order according to age.
9. 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.
10. There must be at least five (5) exhibitors and twenty-five (25) head of cattle, or a minimum of fifty (50) head of cattle to constitute a recognized Santa Gertrudis Show.
11. To be eligible to show in Best of Polled, animals to be slick polled with no scurs, no scars, no dehorning and with no evidence of horny tissue.
12. In all shows in which fifty (50) head or less entered, all early and late classes may be combined at the discretion of the show officials.
13. Classes with over thirty (30) entries should be divided into sections and section winners return for final placing.
14. The judge must be an SGBI approved judge.
15. Dress for showing in an approved SGBI show shall be of clean and neat clothing. Hats or bareheaded with no caps. This is for both Open and Junior shows. No tennis shoes.
16. Juniors showing in open shows is allowed and encouraged. Entry must be shown by the owner or immediate family member (sister, brother, mother, father, grandparents). Refer to junior ownership rules.
17. 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, or other appearance change for cosmetic purposes, save only branding, tattooing, foot trimming or dehorning. Silicon injection or other injections for cosmetic purpose shall be prohibited.
18. If entries are not properly fitted and good herdsman'ship followed the owner may be asked to not display their cattle until adhering to the proper procedures as outlined in our herdsman'ship paper.
19. Every exhibitor, in consideration of his entry being accepted, agrees to submit any animal so entered by him to inspection and agrees to have such animal submitted to any tests as may be designated and requested by the Shows and Exhibits Committee and agrees that the conclusions reached by the committee as to whether such animal is unethically fitted or overage, 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 of the case. Any person who furnished the birthday of the animal to SGBI either on the IPRA or some other document (whereby that birthday information is transferred to the registration certificate) and that animal is exhibited in a SGBI approved show with an incorrect age and the age determined by the SGBI designated veterinarian exceeds the age listed on the registration certificate by more than 30 days, the person furnishing the birthday above and such person furnishing said information to SGBI for inclusion on the registration certification shall be barred from showing in a SGBI approved show for a period of six (6) months for the first offense, one year for the second offense and for life for

the third offense. However, the animal, if transferred to another owner, may be placed in the correct class and be shown again.

20. 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 judgment past, present or future, arising from or connected with the administration or use of such test or examination and the resulting decision.

21. Any exhibitor desiring to dispute or challenge the results of any test, exam, or show rule enforcement, as applied to his animals, shall do so in accordance with procedures established by the rules of the association.

22. APPEALS: An appeal from the decision of the veterinarian or designated association representation designated by the SGBI under sections 1 and 4 of the Inspection of Exhibits may be made to the Executive Committee of SGBI if the following requirements are satisfied:

(1) the appeal is in writing and is signed by the appealing party; and

(2) the appealing party files the written appeal with SGBI Board of Directors or SGBI Representative or fair officials as soon as possible after the veterinarian's or designated association representatives' decision is rendered and in any event within six (6) hours of the time of the veterinarian's or designated association representatives' decision was made. If an appeal satisfying the foregoing requirements is filed with the SGBI Board of Directors, the Board of Directors shall hold a hearing at which the appealing party and the Veterinarian or designated association representatives whose decision is being appealed shall present statements and other evidence that is relevant to the matter, following which the Board of Directors shall render a decision which shall be final and conclusive.

23. PROCEDURES TO FILE PROTEST:

a. File protest with show that infraction occurred. Follow their protest rules.

b. File the same protest with the Shows and Exhibits Committee. Contact the chairman.

c. Three exhibitors must sign the protest.

d. 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 24 hours after the occasion for such protests.

e. Order of hearing a protest:

i. Chairman of Shows and Exhibits Committee

ii. Action by Shows and Exhibits Committee

iii. Final action by Board of Directors

iv. Follow appeal procedure as outlined in Rules and Regulations

f. All rules and regulations that have been properly protested to the Shows and Exhibits Committee shall be subject to the following penalties:

i. Loss of Premium money

ii. Loss of Awards

iii. Suspension from showing that animal as deemed necessary. Penalty may be for one show, two or three or as long as deemed necessary for the offense.

iv. Suspension of the exhibitor being the same as other SGBI Rules penalties.

24. 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 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.

25. 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 is not limited to, disqualification for fraud, misrepresentation, unethical fitting or deception. Judging procedures will not be interrupted for protest investigation; and depending on the basis of the protest, a decision may be withheld until a thorough investigation is completed. No complaint or appeal that a judge over-looked an animal will be considered. If any exhibitor, in any way, whether in person or by their representative, interferes with the judge(s), or shows any disrespect to them or to show officials, the existing show may excuse him/her from the ring and exclude them from further competition; exhibitor premiums, that may have been awarded may also be withheld. If an animal is disqualified after having won awards or premiums, the animals placing below him may be moved up (at the option of the Shows and Exhibits Committee) to fill the vacated position.

26. **Premiums:** 1<sup>st</sup> - \$50, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$40, 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$30, 4<sup>th</sup> - \$20

**Breed Representative: Darrell Pitchford**

<b>FEMALE CLASSES</b>			
1.	Early Summer Heifer Calf	calved May 1, 2023, or later	Premium
2.	Late Junior Heifer Calf	March 1 - April 30, 2023	Premium
3.	Early Junior Heifer Calf	January 1 - February 28, 2023	Premium
4.	Late Senior Heifer Calf	November 1 - December 31, 2022	Premium
5.	Early Senior Heifer Calf	September 1 - October 31, 2022	Premium
6.	<b>Champion Heifer Calf</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
7.	<b>Reserve Champion Heifer Calf</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
8.	Late Summer Yearling Heifer	July 1 - August 31, 2022	Premium
9.	Early Summer Yearling Heifer	May 1 - June 30, 2022	Premium
10.	Late Junior Yearling Heifer	March 1 - April 30, 2022	Premium
11.	Early Junior Yearling Heifer	January 1 - February 28, 2022	Premium
12.	<b>Champion Yearling Heifer</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
13.	<b>Reserve Champion Yearling Heifer</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
14.	Late Senior Yearling Heifer	October 1 - December 31, 2021	Premium
15.	Early Senior Yearling Heifer	July 1 - September 30, 2021	Premium
16.	Late Two-Year-Old Heifer	April 1 - June 30, 2021	Premium
17.	Early Two-Year-Old Heifer	January 1 - March 31, 2021	Premium
18.	<b>Champion Senior Female</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
19.	<b>Reserve Champion Senior Female</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
20.	<b>Grand Champion Female</b>		<b>Banner</b>
21.	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Female</b>		<b>Banner</b>
22.	<b>Best of Polled Female Award</b>	Must be smooth polled with no horny tissue	<b>Rosette</b>
<b>BULL CLASSES</b>			
23.	Early Summer Bull Calf	calved May 1, 2023, or later	Premium
24.	Late Junior Bull Calf	March 1 - April 30, 2023	Premium
25.	Early Junior Bull Calf	January 1 - February 28, 2023	Premium
26.	Late Senior Bull Calf	November 1 - December 31, 2022	Premium
27.	Early Senior Bull Calf	September 1 - October 31, 2022	Premium
28.	<b>Champion Bull Calf</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
29.	<b>Reserve Champion Bull Calf</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
30.	Late Summer Yearling Bull	July 1 - August 31, 2022	Premium
31.	Early Summer Yearling Bull	May 1 - June 30, 2022	Premium
32.	Late Junior Yearling Bull	March 1 - April 30, 2022	Premium
33.	Early Junior Yearling Bull	January 1 - February 28, 2022	Premium
34.	<b>Champion Yearling Bull</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
35.	<b>Reserve Champion Yearling Bull</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
36.	Late Senior Yearling Bull	October 1 - December 31, 2021	Premium
37.	Early Senior Yearling Bull	July 1 - September 30, 2021	Premium
38.	Late Two-Year-Old Bull	April 1 - June 30, 2021	Premium
39.	Early Two-Year-Old Bull	January 1 - March 31, 2021	Premium
40.	Aged Bull	July 1 - December 31, 2020	Premium
41.	<b>Champion Senior Bull</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
42.	<b>Reserve Champion Senior Bull</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
43.	<b>Grand Champion Bull</b>		<b>Banner</b>
44.	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Bull</b>		<b>Banner</b>
45.	<b>Best of Polled Award, Male</b>	Must be smooth polled with no horny tissue	<b>Rosette</b>
<b>GROUP CLASSES</b> - All animals must have been shown in individual classes.			

46.	Produce-of-Dam	Two offspring, the produce of one cow, within the age limits of individual classes and exhibited in their respective classes	<b>Rosette</b>
47.	Get-of-Sire	Three animals, all by one sire and from at least two dams, both sexes represented, within age limits of individual classes and exhibited in their respective classes.	<b>Rosette</b>
<b>STAR FIVE CLASSES</b>			
48.	Star Five Females	October 31 – May 1, 2022, and Later	Premium
49.	Star Five Females	January 30 – August 31, 2021	Premium
50.	Star Five Females	July 1, 2020 – December 31, 2021	Premium
51.	<b>Grand Champion Star Five Female</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
52.	<b>Reserve Grand Champion Star Five Female</b>		<b>Rosette</b>
53.	Star Five Bulls		Premium