DAIRY CATTLE

DIVISION 125: HOLSTEINS

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DIVISION 125: HOLSTEINS

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DIVISION 129: JERSEYS DIVISION 130: MILKING SHORTHORNS

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ENTRY INFORMATION:

We endeavor to have space available for all exhibits entered by the deadline date, however, barn and exhibit space is limited. In the event more entries are received than space allows for, they will be accepted by Superintendents in the following priority: first entries from Clark County will be given preference, and then space will be given to those who have exhibited the past three years. If there is still sufficient space, entries will be accepted in the order received.

Send all entry forms and fees to Fairgrounds Site Management Group (FSMG), 17402 N.E. Delfel Rd., Ridgefield, WA 98642. Entries for each breed must be in the Clark County Event Center at the Fairgrounds Office by Monday, July 15, 2024, and accompanied by a non-refundable entry fee of \$10 per animal. Check should be made out to FSMG. Credit Card payment accepted at the Fairgrounds office.

SPECIFIC RULES: Please also see the General Rules of the Fair.

1. Exhibitors must read the General Rules document that also contains the **General Animal Health Requirements**, available on the Fair's website.

2. All animals entered for exhibition shall be registered in a recognized dairy breed association and the exhibitor shall present registration certificates to the corresponding breed superintendent on the day animals arrive at the Fair. All animals must have a registry of at least 87% in each recognized breed association.

3. The breed superintendent shall check all certificates for age, correct entry in class, identification of animal, and ownership, which will be determined by the name appearing on the registration certificate or transfer, no pending registrations will be accepted. Entries must be filled out completely. All Junior owned animals must be transferred into Junior ownership before May 31, 2024.

4. Dairy cattle can come Thursday, August 1st after 2:00 p.m.

5. Jersey, Ayrshire, Guernsey, Brown Swiss, Milking Shorthorn entries must be in place Friday, August 2nd, by 8 a.m. If animals are coming from another Fair and cannot meet the above times, arrangements must be made with the breed superintendent.

6. Holsteins must be in place Wednesday, August 7th, by 9 a.m. If animals are coming from another fair and cannot meet the above times, arrangements must be made with the breed superintendent.

7. Animals which are in any of the group classes must be shown in individual classes.

8. An exhibitor may enter more than two animals in each lot but will only be paid for the two highest placing animals in each lot.

9. Number of animals an exhibitor may stall will be limited by available space.

10. All breeds wanting milk and breed promotion space in the livestock exhibit building must have the requests in by Saturday, June 29th. **Submit requests to Superintendent, Brad Souders.** A space fee must be paid. Queen Cow space shall be free, selected by milkproduction. Preference will be given to in county entries first, followed by exhibits within the state.

11. Calves must be at least four months old to be entered in calf classes.

12. All cattle are required to have an ownership inspection (Brand) from the state of origin prior to entering the fair.

13. Dress code: Clean white or black trousers are required. Matching farm shirts (polo style) or white button-down shirts are allowed. No tank tops, tee shirts allowed.

14. All changes to exhibits after entry forms are entered must be approved prior to start of Fair.

MILKING PARLOR PROCEDURES

N/A – There will be no Lactating Dairy Cattle at the 2024 Fair. This includes no nursing cattle or hand milking.

AVIAN INFLUENZA - 2024:

Dry Cows should be no closer than 30 days to calving to avoid early calving.

Cattle should be housed only with cattle from the same farm. We are asking that farms are separated by at least 15 feet of space within the barn.

SHOW SCHEDULE

Featured Breed: Jersey

Show first half of Fair: Jersey, Ayrshire, Guernsey, Brown Swiss, Milking Shorthorn, Show: Friday, August 2 through Tuesday, August 6, 2024.

Jersey, Ayrshire, Guernsey, Brown Swiss, Milking Shorthorn, (Each breed will begin with Junior Heifer Calf Class and follow the order listed in the Exhibitor Handbook.)

Judging Monday, August 5, beginning at 9 a.m.

Holsteins: August 7-11, 2024. Judging Friday, August 9.

CLASS H31: HERDSMANSHIP AWARD

First, \$60 Second, \$40 Third, \$20.

JOHN H. SOUDERS MEMORIAL AWARD

Awarded to the first place overall herdsmanship in Open Class Dairy.

FEATURED BREED PREMIUMS:

* Changes are for 2024 only

Classes A - S

1st\$ 1002nd\$ 803rd\$ 644th\$ 485th\$ 306th\$ 15

Milking cow and best udder premiums will be applied to featured breed premiums in cow classes.

Grand Champion featured breed only: \$75.00 Senior Champion featured breed only: \$25.00 Junior Champion featured breed only: \$25.00

ALL OTHER BREED PREMIUMS:

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Classes A-S

 1st
 \$ 90

 2nd
 \$ 75

 3rd
 \$ 60

 4th
 \$ 45

 5th
 \$ 30

 6th
 \$ 15

Amount added to the milking classes:

1st \$5

2nd \$5

3rd \$5

4th \$4

5th \$2

Amount added for the first- and second-best udder in each milking class:

1st \$10

2nd \$5.

CLASS:

- A. Junior Heifer Calf, March 1 or after and at least 4 months old.
- B. Intermediate Heifer Calf, December 1, 2023, to February 28, 2024.
- C. Senior Heifer Calf, September 1, 2023, to November 30, 2023.
- D. Summer Junior Yearling Heifer, June 1, 2023, to August 31, 2023.
- E. Junior Yearling Heifer, March 1, 2023, to May 31, 2023.
- F. Winter Yearling Heifer, December 1, 2022, to February 28, 2023.
- G. Senior Yearling Heifer, September 1, 2022, to November 30, 2022.
- H. Junior Best Three Females All bred by, and at least two owned by exhibitor. One entry per exhibitor.

JUNIOR CHAMPION, RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION – Ribbon only JUNIOR CHAMPION, RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION, JR. HEIFER SHOW – Ribbon only

- I. Junior Two-Year-Old Cow, March 1, 2022, to August 31, 2022.
- J. Senior Two-Year-Old Cow, September 1, 2022, to February 28, 2021
- K. Three-Year-Old Cow, September 1, 2019, to August 31, 2020
- L. Four-Year-Old Cow, September 1, 2018, to August 31, 2019
- M. Five-Year-Old Cow, September 1, 2017, to August 31, 2018
- N. Aged Cows, six years old and over, born before September 1, 2017
- O. Dry Cow, any age

SENIOR CHAMPION AND RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION, Ribbon Only SENIOR CHAMPION, RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION, JR. HEIFER SHOW – Ribbon only

GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE, Ribbon Only GRAND CHAMPION, RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION, JR. SHOW – Ribbon only

- P. Best Three Senior Females, three females 2 years and older All bred by, and at least two owned by the exhibitor. One entry per exhibitor.
- Q. Produce of Dam, two animals, any age, and the produce of one cow. Dam must be named. Animals may be owned by one or more exhibitors.
- R. Dam and Daughter, two animals. Limited to one entry for each Dam. Dam must be named. Animals may be owned by one or more exhibitors.
- S. Exhibitor's Herd (five animals). Any combination of five animals that are dry or otherwise, or that have not freshened and are under two years of age. One entry per exhibitor.
- **Premier Exhibitor Banner: To be made to the exhibitor of not to exceed eight animals owned and exhibited in the open single section, but not including the udder section. No limit on number exhibited, but award automatically figured on the top eight animals winning the most money.
- **Premier Breeder Banner: To be made to the breeder of not to exceed eight animals bred, but not necessarily owned in the open single section, but not including the udder section. No limit on number bred, but award automatically figured on top eight animals winning the most money.