

Junior Fair Dairy Rules-2019

Fair Check-in: Sunday, July 28, 10:00 am–4:00 pm

Fair Release: Sunday, August 4, 6:00 am-Livestock Sale / 8:00 pm-All Other Animals

Show Times: BROWN SWISS, GUERNSEY, JERSEYS – Wednesday, July 31 WITH OPEN CLASS-Beginning with Showmanship for All Junior Fair Dairy Exhibitors.

HOLSTEINS, MILKING SHORTHORNS, AYRSHIRE – Friday, August 2, WITH OPEN CLASS

NOTE: ALL SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES WILL BE ON WEDNESDAY, July 31.

Rules:

1. *Completion of a Quality Assurance (QA) education program by Jr. Fair Exhibitors and at least 1 parent or legal guardian will be mandatory to exhibit lactating dairy cattle, lactating dairy goats, market beef, dairy beef finished steers, dairy starter calves, market lambs, market goats, market hogs, all meat poultry, and meat rabbits. Those exhibitors or those with parents/legal guardians who do not attend a QA program will not be allowed to show their animals at the Medina County Jr. Fair.*
2. ***In order to show:*** Exhibitors must file a Jr. Fair Animal Entry for all dairy to be shown at the fair.
 - Entries must be submitted online no later than 11:59 pm, June 1.
3. Exhibitors may take only 1 entry per class **per breed**.
4. Exhibitors are required to submit the following with Jr. Fair Entry by 11:59 pm, June 1.
 - For Grade Dairy Animals a photograph and Grade ID papers.
 - For Registered Dairy Animals registration papers.
5. Grade animals are allowed to show in Junior Fair.
6. All exhibitors must appear as Owner or Co-Owner on all Registered Cattle Papers.
 - An immediate family member may show a registered animal from his/her own farm without being listed as owner or co-owner on registration paper.
 - Immediate family is defined as parent, grandparent, sibling-full or step, or legal guardian's and their children.
 - If the animal you originally showed proof has changed, registration must be submitted with June 1 entry.
7. Exhibitor may not enroll in this project after April 15.
8. Exhibitor must show their own animal in a Showmanship Class.
9. Registration certificates and health papers must be presented prior to unloading and be available for inspection at any time.
10. Exhibitors must wear traditional white clothing for showing their dairy animals unless alternate apparel is approved by committee prior to show.
11. Dairy exhibitors will be allowed to sell one (1) heifer in the Livestock Sale.
12. Review General Regulations for Junior Fair Livestock Exhibitors.
13. Premier Exhibitor Award placing – See Regulations for all Livestock Exhibitors.

NEW FOR 2018: All Showmanship classes will be on Wednesday, July 31. See a committee member for time.

Show Order:

1. Senior Showmanship – 14-18 years old by January 1 of current year. Past winners are ineligible.
2. Intermediate Showmanship – 11-13 years old by January 1 of current year. Past winners are ineligible.
3. Junior Showmanship – 8 [and in the 3rd grade]-10 years old by January 1 of current year. Past winners are ineligible.
4. First Year Showmanship – 1st year exhibitors regardless of ages. Not eligible for other Showmanship Classes.
5. Advanced Showmanship – Open to past and current year Showmanship Winners.

Show Order: Wednesday, July 31 AND Friday, August 2 – with Open Class. See a committee member for time.

6. Spring Heifer Calf – born March 1-April 1 of 2019.
7. Winter Heifer Calf – born December 1, 2017-February 28, 2019.
8. Fall Heifer Calf – born September 1-November 30, 2018.
9. Summer Yearling Heifer – born June 1-August 31, 2018.
10. Spring Yearling Heifer – born March 1-May 31, 2018.
11. Winter Yearling Heifer – born December 1, 2016-February 28, 2018.
12. Fall Yearling Heifer – born September 1-November 30, 2017.
 - *Jr. Champion*
13. Junior Two-Year-Old Cow – born March 1-August 31, 2017.
14. Senior Two-Year Old Cow – born September 1, 2016-February 28, 2017.
15. Three-Year-Old Cow – born September 1, 2015-August 31, 2016.
16. Four-Year Old Cow – born September 1, 2014-August 31, 2015.

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- 17. Five-Year Old Cow – born September 1, 2013-August 31, 2014.
- 18. Aged Cow--born before September 1, 2013.
- 19. Dry Cow – 3 years and over to have calved at least once, born prior to August 31, 2016.
 - *Sr. Champion*