



DEPARTMENT J DAIRY CATTLE

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Pre-Entry: Entry forms must be received at Fair Office by Tuesday, August 1.
Entry Day: Animals arrive Monday, August 14, 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Entry Location: Beef & Dairy Barn

Entry Fee: \$10.00 per animal through August 1; \$15.00 per animal after August 1
Release day & time: Thursday, August 17, tack carry out - 5:00 PM
Animals – 6:00 PM

GENERAL RULES

1. Completed Open Class Livestock Entry Forms (available at <http://southwestwashingtonfair.org> or at the Southwest Washington Fair Office) shall be in the Fair Office by July 29. Superintendent reserves right to reject entries if stall space has been filled prior to the closing date of entries.
2. All open class dairy cattle will be exhibited during the first half of the Fair. (Tuesday through Thursday, August 15 - 17). Animals may enter the grounds on Monday, August 14, between 8 AM – 8 PM. Animals will be excused Thursday at 6:00 PM. Tack may be carried out Thursday at 5:00 PM.
3. Exhibitors are required to keep quarters and cattle clean and neat. No animals other than dairy exhibits will be allowed in the barn.
4. Owners will be responsible for entire care of their animals. Bedding will be furnished by the Fair. Owners will be required to secure their own feed for exhibits. Someone representing each exhibitor will be in the barns at 6 AM for milking animals. Wheelbarrows will not be furnished, but small tools may be checked out. For clipping chutes please notify the superintendent.
5. Entry fee: \$10.00 per animal through August 1; \$15.00 per animal after August 1. Entry fees are not refundable.
6. Substitutions will be allowed, but will only be accepted until 10 AM Tuesday, the first day of the Fair. Substitution cards must be completed.
7. Cattle entered in this department must be accompanied by registration papers which will be checked to the animals Tuesday beginning at 10 AM. Transfer evidence of animals recently acquired and absolute proof of purchase must be presented at registration paper check. All animals in barn must be exhibited and shown.
8. All 4-H and FFA exhibitors entering open class competition must present registration papers to the dairy department superintendent Tuesday at 3 PM in the dairy barn. Failure to abide by this rule will disqualify exhibitor and entry fees will be forfeited.
9. In any class in which only one exhibitor is represented, the judge may in his discretion, award premium or premiums of such grade as the exhibit deserves.
10. All animals shown in group classes must have been shown in individual open classes.
11. All entries, whether owned by one person or more than one person (individually or jointly), which are maintained on one farm, are considered as a single exhibitor in both individual and group classes.
12. The Fair Veterinarian will be on grounds at unloading area and livestock barns on Monday, the day before Fair, from 8 AM until 8 PM. It is his duty to refuse admission to any animal showing evidence of communicable disease, including warts, ringworm, pneumonia, etc. The Fair's minimum health requirements are the same as the recommended minimum health requirements by the State Veterinarian. The Fair Veterinarian will have the final say on the animal's health, ability to be showed and fairgrounds livestock health requirements. BRUCELLOSIS – All female animals must be blood tested (certificate in hand) or calthood vaccinated.



13. Rigid compliance with Fair Veterinarian decisions will be compulsory through the run of the Fair.
 - a. Animals will not be accepted in any livestock departments after 8 PM Monday before Fair opens.
 - b. Animal health treatment required while at the fairgrounds shall be the sole obligation of the exhibitor. Any veterinarian of exhibitor's choice may be called.
 - c. Any animal showing evidence of communicable disease after having been admitted to the barns shall be removed at any time at the request of the Fair Veterinarian.
15. It shall be understood by the exhibitor that if at any time during the course of the fair his animal seriously detracts from the overall esthetic value of the department, the fair management shall request the Fair Veterinarian to dismiss the animal.
16. Any exhibitor requesting the removal of an animal at any time during the fair for health reasons must have the animal examined by the Fair Veterinarian and abide by his decision. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture of premiums and exhibiting privileges in the future.
17. Judging will be done Wednesday during the Fair at 10 AM sharp. If an animal is not ready to enter the ring when it is called, the exhibitor will automatically forfeit his entry fee paid and will be scratched from the judge's sheet for that competition.
AM with alternating classes.
18. Lunch break when judge deems appropriate.
19. A herdsman will be allowed to enter a breeder's animal in the name of the herdsman. Breeder's name must also be shown on the entry form.
20. All departments must be in show shape by 9 AM.
21. Animals in 4-H and FFA Departments will be eligible to exhibit the same animal or animals in the same or similar CLASSES or classes in the open class dairy department. All 4-H AND FFA MEMBERS exhibiting in open class dairy department must conform in a strict sense to those rules and regulations applicable to the open class dairy department. This includes the payment of entry fees and entry deadline. All animals exhibited in the open class department must be stalled in the 4-H and FFA livestock buildings and adhere to the rules and regulations set forth by FFA and 4-H dairy departments.
22. Anyone not in compliance with the above may be refused entry the following year.
23. Premier breeder & exhibitor will be judged on the top six animals.
24. There must be one or more entries in a class to qualify for premiums. If there is only 1 entry per class it will be given \$25.00.
25. No exhibitor may receive more than two payments in any one class.
26. Exhibitors may not bed down or setup any type of sleeping apparatus in the exhibit area.
27. Parking regulations will be strictly enforced. All vehicles must be off the fairgrounds by 9:45 AM unless prior arrangements have been made with Fair Management.
28. A tent, no larger than 10'x10'x5' high, for exhibitor's personal use or tack storage is acceptable within exhibitor's stall space.
29. Animals are not to be released except by a vet's recommendation.

OPEN CLASS HERDSMANSHIP AWARDS

Large herds – 9+	Small herds – 8 or less
1st Prize – \$50.00	1st Prize – \$50.00
2nd Prize – \$30.00	2nd Prize – \$30.00
3rd Prize - \$15.00	3rd Prize - \$15.00



DEPARTMENT J01 – Dairy Cattle

- Division 1 – Ayrshire
- Division 2 – Brown Swiss
- Division 3 – Guernsey
- Division 4 – Holstein
- Division 5 – Jersey
- Division 6 – Milking Shorthorn

CLASS:	Points Allowed			
	1st	2nd	3rd	
1. Junior Heifer calf born after Feb. 28, 2017 and over four months of age.....	\$50	\$40	\$30	
2. Winter heifer calf born December 1, 2016 to Feb. 28, 2017.	\$50	\$40	\$30	
3. Fall heifer calf born Sept. 1 to Jan. 30, 2017.	\$50	\$40	\$30	
4. Summer yearling heifer born June 1 to Aug. 31, 2016.	\$50	\$40	\$30	
5. Spring yearling heifer born March 1 to May 31, 2016.....	\$50	\$40	\$30	
6. Winter yearling heifer born Dec. 1, 2015 to Feb. 28, 2016....	\$50	\$40	\$30	
7. Fall yearling heifer born Sept. 1 to Nov. 30, 2015.....	\$50	\$40	\$30	
8. Junior best three females, three females shown in CLASSES 1-7, all bred by exhibitor.	\$50	\$40		\$30
9. Junior two-year-old born March 1 to Aug. 31, 2015.	\$70	\$60	\$50	
10. Senior two-year-old cow born Sept. 1, 2014 to Feb. 28, 2015...	\$70	\$60	\$50	
11. Three-year-old cow born Sept. 1, 2013 to Feb. 28, 2014...	\$70	\$60	\$50	
12. Four-year-old cow born Sept. 1, 2012 to Aug. 31, 2013...	\$70	\$60	\$50	
13. Five-year-old cow born Sept. 1, 2011 to Aug. 31, 2012...	\$70	\$60	\$50	
14. Aged cow, six year and over, born prior to Sept. 1, 2011.	\$70	\$60	\$50	
15. Senior best three females shown in classes 9-14 all bred by exhibitor.	\$50	\$40	\$30	
16. Exhibitors Herd. Five females all owned by exhibitor. Two freshened, two unfreshened, and one female any age. One entry per exhibitor	\$50	\$40	\$30	
17. Produce of Dam. Group consists of 2 animals any age, heifers only, the produce of one cow. Dam must be named.	\$50	\$40	\$30	
18. Daughters and Dam. To consist of 2 animals, a dam and her daughter of any age. The dam and				



daughter must be named. Both animals need
not be owned by exhibitor.....\$50 \$40 \$30

Release time: Tack (carry out) at 5 PM - Animals at 6 PM Thursday during Fair.

CHAMPIONS

Supreme Grand Champion (Trophy & Picture from Country Insurance)
Reserve Supreme Champion(Trophy & Picture from Don Keeler)
Junior Champion–Reserve Junior Champion–Classes 1–7;
Honorable Mention Junior Champion
Senior Champion–Reserve Senior Champion–Classes 9–15
Grand Champion Breed
Reserve Grand Champion Breed; Honorable Mention Champion Breed
Premier Breeder
Premier Exhibitor