

DEPT 4 - BEEF

Monday, July 14 - 1:00 p.m.

Superintendent: Marcia Sieber (269) 501-0600

Assistant Superintendent:

J. J. DeVries (269) 329-9079

This department must abide by all VBYF and Large Livestock rules at the back of the book.

Division I - Beef & Dairy Feeder Calf

Feeder Calf Showmanship

Exhibitors in classes 400, 401, 403-405 and 407-408 will receive placing rosettes (1-5 place). First place exhibitors in classes 400, 401, 403-405 and 407-408 will receive a trophy. All exhibitors in classes 407-408 will receive a participation ribbon.

Class 400 - Senior II Feeder Calf Showmanship
(17-19 years old)

Class 401 - Senior I Feeder Calf Showmanship
(15-16 years old)

Class 402 - Senior Champion Feeder Calf
Showmanship Run-off

Class 403 - Junior Feeder Calf Showmanship
(13-14 years old)

Class 404 - Young II Feeder Calf Showmanship
(11-12 years old)

Class 405 - Young I Feeder Calf Showmanship
(9-10 years old)

Class 406 - Junior Champion Feeder Calf
Showmanship Run-off

Class 407 - Pee Wee II Feeder Calf Showmanship
(7 born 1/1 - 6/30 & 8 years old)

Class 408 - Pee Wee I Feeder Calf Showmanship
(6 & 7 born 7/1 - 12/31 years old)

The first place exhibitors in classes 402 and 406 will be the representatives for the Large Livestock Showmanship Sweepstakes.

Differently Abled Showmanship

Class 409 - Differently Abled Showmanship (6-26 years old). This exhibit will be shown in the showmanship age classes listed above based on the exhibitor's age on January 1st.

Beef Feeder Calf Market Animals

Lightweight Class - Minimum of 250 Pounds -
Maximum of 400 Pounds

Heavyweight Class - Minimum of 402 Pounds -
Maximum of 676 Pounds

Weight divisions determined after weigh-in.

Class 410 - Lightweight Beef Feeder

Class 411 - Lightweight Beef Feeder

Class 412 - Lightweight Beef Feeder

Class 413 - Lightweight Grand and Reserve Grand
Champion Beef Feeder

Class 414 - Heavyweight Beef Feeder

Class 415 - Heavyweight Beef Feeder

Class 416 - Heavyweight Beef Feeder

Class 417 - Heavyweight Grand and Reserve Grand
Champion Beef Feeder

Class 418 - Supreme Beef Feeder Champion

Heavyweight Beef Feeder Champion vs
Lightweight Beef Feeder Champion

Dairy Feeder Calf Market Animals

Lightweight Class - Minimum of 250 Pounds -
Maximum of 400 Pounds

Heavyweight Class - Minimum of 402 Pounds -
Maximum of 676 Pounds

Weight divisions determined after weigh-in.

Class 419 - Lightweight Dairy Feeder

Class 420 - Lightweight Dairy Feeder

Class 421 - Lightweight Dairy Feeder

Class 422 - Lightweight Dairy Feeder

Class 423 - Lightweight Grand and Reserve Grand
Champion Dairy Feeder

Class 424 - Heavyweight Dairy Feeder

Class 425 - Heavyweight Dairy Feeder

Class 426 - Heavyweight Dairy Feeder

Class 427 - Heavyweight Dairy Feeder

Class 428 - Heavyweight Dairy Feeder

Class 429 - Heavyweight Grand and Reserve Grand
Champion Dairy Feeder

Class 430 - Supreme Champion Dairy Feeder

Heavyweight Dairy Feeder Champion vs
Lightweight Dairy Feeder Champion

Beef Dairy Crossbred Feeder Calf Market Animals

Lightweight Class - Minimum of 250 Pounds -
Maximum of 400 Pounds

Heavyweight Class - Minimum of 402 Pounds -
Maximum of 676 Pounds

Weight divisions determined after weigh-in.

Class 431 - Lightweight Beef Dairy Crossbred
Feeder

Class 432 - Lightweight Beef Dairy Crossbred
Feeder

Class 433 - Lightweight Beef Dairy Crossbred
Feeder

Class 434 - Lightweight Beef Dairy Crossbred
Feeder

Class 435 - Lightweight Grand and Reserve Grand
Champion Beef Dairy Crossbred Feeder

Class 436 - Heavyweight Beef Dairy Crossbred
Feeder

Class 437 - Heavyweight Beef Dairy Crossbred
Feeder

Class 438 - Heavyweight Beef Dairy Crossbred
Feeder

Class 439 - Heavyweight Beef Dairy Crossbred
Feeder

Class 440 - Heavyweight Beef Dairy Crossbred
Feeder

Class 441 - Heavyweight Grand and Reserve Grand
Champion Beef Dairy Crossbred Feeder

Class 442 - Supreme Champion Beef Dairy
Crossbred Feeder
Heavyweight Beef Dairy Crossbred Feeder
Champion vs Lightweight Beef Dairy
Crossbred Feeder Champion

Exhibitors in classes 410-412, 414-416, 419-422,
424-428, 431-434, 436-440 will receive A, B, C
ribbons and placing rosettes (1-5 place). First and
second place exhibitors in classes 413, 417, 423,
429, 435 and 441 will receive a Grand and Reserve
Grand Champion trophy and banner. Classes 418,
430 and 442 will receive an award.

Feeder Calf Project Evaluation

See Livestock Project Evaluation at the back of the
book for more details.

Class 443 - Feeder Calf Evaluation

Exhibitors in Class 443 will receive A (\$10), B (\$8),
C (\$6) ribbons and premiums.

Feeder exhibitors will have a short interview with
the judge on Friday beginning at 9:00 a.m. and
ending at 11:00 a.m. Rating will be based on
interview, record book and animal.

Feeder Calf Rate of Gain

Superintendent: Karen Kubiszak (269) 254-4085

Assistant Superintendent:

Marcia Sieber (269) 501-0600

See Rate of Gain Rules at the front of the book.

A Premium (\$5) - 2.25 lbs. per day and above

B Premium (\$4) - 1.80 - 2.24 lbs. per day

C Premium (\$3) - 1.79 lbs. per day and below

Class 444 - Beef Feeder Calf Rate of Gain

Class 445 - Grand and Reserve Grand Champion
Beef Feeder Calf

Class 446 - Dairy Feeder Calf Rate of Gain

Class 447 - Grand and Reserve Grand Champion
Dairy Feeder Calf

Class 448 - Beef Dairy Crossbred Feeder Calf Rate
of Gain

Class 449 - Grand and Reserve Grand Champion
Beef Dairy Crossbred Feeder Calf

Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion
exhibitors will receive an award and a sign will be
placed above the animal pens.

There will be a 30-minute break to allow the judge
time to eat and for exhibitors to get their animals
ready for the next show.

Division II – Beef Breeding

Superintendent: Melinda Burnell (269) 207-3912

Assistant Superintendent:

Brady Burnell (269) 330-2995

Exhibitors must be 9 years of age as of January 1st of the current year to show in Beef Breeding classes 454-455.

Beef Breeding

Class division determined after weigh-in.

Class 450 - Beef Calf-female only- born after 1/1 of current year

Class 451 - Beef Calf-female only- - born after 1/1 of current year

Class 452 - Bull Calf

Born after 1/1 of the current year

Class 453 - Beef Heifer Senior Calf

Born 7/1 last year to 1/1 current year

Class 454 -Beef Heifer

Born 7/1 year before last to 7/1 last year

Class 455 - Beef Cow

Class 456 - Beef Breed Grand and Reserve Grand Champion

Exhibitors in classes 450-455 will receive A, B, C and Placing Rosettes (1-5 place). Premiums for class 450-452 are A (\$5), B (\$4), and C (\$3); class 453 are A (\$6), B (\$5), and C (\$4); classes 454 and 455 are A (\$7), B (\$6), and C (\$5). First and Second place exhibitors in class 456 will receive a Grand Champion or Reserve Grand Champion trophy and banner. The first place winner in class 456 will receive \$15.00. The second place winner in class 456 will receive \$10.00.

Division III – Beef and Dairy Market Animals

Superintendent: Melinda Burnell (269) 207-3912

Assistant Superintendent:

Brady Burnell (269) 330-2995

Exhibitors must be 9 years of age as of January 1st of the current year to show in Beef and Dairy Market Animal classes 465-485.

Beef and Dairy Steer Showmanship

Class 457 - Senior II Showmanship
(17-19 years old)

Class 458 - Senior I Showmanship (15-16 years old)

Class 459 - Senior Champion Showmanship Run-off

Class 460 - Junior Showmanship (13-14 years old)

Class 461 - Young II Showmanship (11-12 years old)

Class 462 - Young I Showmanship (9-10 years old)

Class 463 - Junior Champion Showmanship Run-off

Exhibitors in Classes 457-458, 460-462 will receive placing rosette (1-5). First place exhibitors will receive a trophy.

The first place exhibitors in classes 459 and 463 will be the representatives for the Large Livestock Showmanship Sweepstakes.

Differently Abled Showmanship

Class 464 - Differently Abled Showmanship (6-26 years old). This exhibit will be shown in the showmanship age classes listed above based on the exhibitor's age on January 1st.

There will be a 15-minute break to allow exhibitors to prepare for the next show.

Beef and Dairy Market Animals

Weight divisions determined after weigh-in

Class 465 - Market Beef

Class 466 - Market Beef

Class 467 - Market Beef

Class 468 - Market Beef

Class 469 - Market Beef

Class 470 - Market Beef

Class 471 - Market Beef

Class 472 - Market Beef

Class 473 - Market Heifer

Class 474 - Market Heifer

Class 475 - Beef Market Animal Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion

Class 476 - Market Dairy

Class 477 - Market Dairy

Class 478 - Market Dairy

Class 479 - Dairy Market Animal Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion Steers

Class 480 –Market Beef Dairy Crossbred

Class 481 - Market Beef Dairy Crossbred
Class 482 - Market Beef Dairy Crossbred
Class 483 - Beef Dairy Crossbred Market Animal
Grand Champion & Reserve Grand
Champion Steers
Class 484 – Van Buren County Born & Raised-
Market Beef
Class 485- Van Buren County Born & Raised-
Market Dairy and Market Beef Dairy
Crossbred

Completed forms for classes 484 and 485 must be turned in by December 31st. Ribbons will be awarded to the Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion Van Buren County Born & Raised Market Animal. This class will not affect the Market Placing Sale Order.

Exhibitors in classes 465-474, 476-478, and 480-482 will receive A, B, C ribbons & placing rosettes (1-5 place). First and second place in classes 475, 479, and 483 will receive a Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion trophy, a belt buckle, and a banner.

Beef, Dairy and Cross Market Animal Project Evaluation

See Livestock Project Evaluation at the back of the book for more details.

Class 486 – Beef, Dairy and Cross Market Animal Evaluation
Class 487 - Beef Breeding Stock Evaluation

Exhibitors in classes 486 and 487 will receive A (\$10), B (\$8), or C (\$6) ribbons and premiums.

Beef and Dairy Market Animal exhibitors will have a short interview with the judge on Friday, beginning at 9:00 a.m. and ending at 11:00 a.m. Rating will be based on interview, record book, and animal.

Beef Carcass Class

Superintendent: Carisa Hostetler (269) 377-9998
Assistant Superintendent:
Dan Hostetler (269) 377-9262

Class 488 - Beef Carcass
Class 489 - Grand and Reserve Grand Champion
Beef Carcass

Exhibitors in class 488 will receive A (\$7), B (\$6) and C (\$5) premiums. Exhibitors in class 487 will receive placing rosettes (1-5 place). First and Second place exhibitors in 489 will receive Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion trophies and banners.

See Carcass Rules at the back of the book.

Rate of Gain

Superintendent: Karen Kubiszak (269) 254-4085
Assistant Superintendent:
Marcia Sieber (269) 501-0600

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A Premium (\$5) - 2.25 lbs. per day and above
B Premium (\$4) - 1.80 - 2.24 lbs. per day
C Premium (\$3) - 1.79 lbs. per day and below

Class 490 - Beef Market Animal Rate of Gain
Class 491 - Grand Champion & Reserve Grand
Champion Beef Market Animal Rate of Gain
Class 492 – Dairy Beef Market Animal Rate of Gain
Class 493 - Grand Champion & Reserve Grand
Champion Dairy Beef Market Animal Rate
of Gain
Class 494 – Beef Dairy Crossbred Market Animal
Rate of Gain
Class 495 - Grand Champion & Reserve Grand
Champion Beef Dairy Crossbred Dairy Beef
Market Animal Rate of Gain

Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion exhibitors in classes 491, 493 and 495 will receive an award and a sign will be placed above the animal pen.