

# 2023 HARTFORD FAIR

## DEPARTMENT 104 DAIRY FEEDER STEER



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# DAIRY FEEDER SCHEDULE

## PRE- FAIR MANDATORY

DAIRY FEEDER STEER	PRE-FAIR TAGGING	SATURDAY, JUNE 3RD	WEST END OF GRUBB ARENA	8:00 AM - 11:00 AM
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## FAIR WEEK SCHEDULE

### AUGUST 6TH

DAIRY FEEDER	WEIGHING & TAGGING	SUNDAY	WEST END OF GRUBB ARENA	1:00 PM
DAIRY FEEDER	SKILLATHON	SUNDAY	SOUTH END OF BEEF BARN	12:30 - 2:00 PM

### AUGUST 9TH

DAIRY FEEDER	SHOWMANSHIP	WEDNESDAY	EAST END OF GRUBB	8:30 AM
DAIRY FEEDER	SHOW	WEDNESDAY	EAST END OF GRUBB	FOLLOWS SHOWMANSHIP

### AUGUST 12TH

DAIRY FEEDER	LIVESTOCK SALE	SATURDAY	GRUBB ARENA	FOLLOWS MKT LAMBS
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# DEPT. 104 DAIRY FEEDER STEERS ENTRY CODES

## DAIRY FEEDER STEER

DEPT	LOT	DESCRIPTION	A	B
104	1	DAIRY FEEDER STEER	\$6	\$4

MAXIMUM 6 ENTRIES FOR DEPARTMENTS 102, 103, 104 & 105

## ATTENTION ALL LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS

**IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO READ THE "LIVESTOCK RULES & REGULATIONS".**

## DAIRY FEEDER STEER RULES

**MAXIMUM OF 6 ENTRIES FOR DEPARTMENTS 102, 103, 104 & 105.**

1. DAIRY FEEDER STEERS MUST ATTEND PRE-FAIR TAGGING ON SATURDAY, JUNE 3RD FROM 8:00 AM – 11:00 AM AT GRUBB ARENA (WEST END) ON THE HARTFORD FAIRGROUNDS. MANDATORY VACCINATION PROGRAM WILL BE IN PLACE WITH THE TOTAL COST PER CALF BEING SET AT \$10.
2. ALL DAIRY FEEDER STEERS MUST HAVE NECK STRAP OR ROPE CHAIN IN ADDITION TO A HALTER WHILE TIED.
3. BEDDING MUST BE STRAW OR PINE SHAVINGS ONLY. NO FLOOR FANS ALLOWED.
4. ANIMAL MUST BE OF 100% DAIRY BLOODLINES, HOLSTEIN, OR BROWN SWISS ONLY.
5. MUST BE BORN AFTER JANUARY 1ST OF EXHIBITION YEAR.
6. ANIMAL MUST BE DEHORND AND CASTRATED PRIOR TO TAGGING.
7. EXHIBITOR MUST OWN AND CARE FOR CALF AS OF MAY 1ST.
8. THERE IS A LIMIT OF FOUR (4) STEERS ENTERED BY ANY ONE EXHIBITOR. WEIGHT RANGE WILL BE 400 LBS - 650 LBS. NO STEER 399 LBS OR UNDER WILL SELL. STEER 651 LBS AND OVER WILL SELL. UNDER/OVERWEIGHT STEERS MAY SHOW FOR CLASS GRADE ONLY (NO CHAMPIONSHIP OR RATE OF GAIN).
9. ONLY ONE MKT STEER PROJECT IS ALLOWED TO BE SOLD AT THE HARTFORD FAIR SALE. EX: 1 STEER POOL (MUST SELL) OR 1 DAIRY FEEDER OR 1 4-H STEER/HEIFER.
10. ALL DAIRY FEEDER STEERS WILL BE STALLED IN THE DESIGNATED DAIRY FEEDER AREA OF KOHMAN WING OF GRUBB ARENA.
11. BARN CLOSSES AT 11:00 PM EVERY NIGHT.

## WEIGHING

1. DAIRY FEEDER STEERS WILL BE WEIGHED FOR SHOW CLASSIFICATION ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 6TH AT 1PM IN THE NW KOHMAN WING OF GRUBB ARENA. SHOW WEIGHT IS ALSO OFFICIAL SALE WEIGHT. ALL STEERS WILL BE SHOWN BY WEIGHT CLASSES WITH A MAXIMUM OF 12 PER CLASS.
2. EACH EXHIBITOR IS EXPECTED TO TAKE ENTIRE CHARGE OF THE CARE OF HIS/HER CATTLE AFTER ARRIVING AT THE FAIR. THE EXHIBITOR MAY RECEIVE ASSISTANCE FROM THE FOLLOWING ELLIGIBLE PERSONS: HARTFORD FAIR DISTRICT 4-H ADVISORS AND/OR FFA ADVISORS, STEER POOL ADVISORS, IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBERS AND OTHER HARTFORD FAIR JUNIOR FAIR EXHIBITORS.
3. ANY FRAUD, TAMPERING OR ALTERATIONS OF ANIMAL WILL BE DEALT WITH ACCORDING TO THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE RULES. VIOLATIONS WILL RESULT IN THE IMMEDIATE REMOVAL OF THE ANIMAL FROM THE FAIRGROUNDS AND FORFEITURE OF ALL RIGHTS TO SHOW/SELL AND/OR AWARD(S).

# DAIRY FEEDER CONTESTS

## DAIRY FEEDER SHOWMANSHIP

### Contest Rules

DAIRY FEEDER STEER SHOWMANSHIP WILL BE HELD WEDNESDAY AT 8:30 AM. CLASSES WILL BE BROKEN TO HAVE NO MORE THAN TWELVE EXHIBITORS IN ANY CLASS, (I.E., IF EIGHTEEN JUNIOR EXHIBITORS REGISTER, TWO CLASSES WOULD BE HELD WITH THE JUDGE PICKING THE TOP THREE IN EACH CLASS TO BRING BACK TO SHOW FOR CLASS DIVISION WINNER). SHOW SCHEDULE WILL BE SENIOR (AGES 15-19), INTERMEDIATE (AGES 12-14), JUNIOR (AGES 9-11), BEGINNER (AGES 8-9), THEN EXPERT. IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING EXPERT SHOWMANSHIP, THE EXPERT WINNER WILL COMPETE AGAINST OTHER BEEF EXPERT SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS TO DETERMINE THE SUPER SHOWMANSHIP PARTICIPANT. ANIMALS WILL SHOW UNGROOMED. PLEASE SEE OFFICIAL RULES FOR EXPERT/SUPER SHOWMANSHIP POSTED AT THE BEGINNING OF THE JUNIOR FAIR SECTION IN FAIR BOOK.

## DAIRY FEEDER HERDSMAN AWARD

### WILL BE JUDGED ON THE FOLLOWING:

1. CLEANLINESS & NEATNESS OF GENERAL EXHIBIT AREA (FEED, TACK, AISLE, ETC).
2. CARE OF ANIMALS (CLEAN & WELL GROOMED)
3. COOPERATION WITH OTHERS (FAIR OFFICIALS, OTHER EXHIBITORS AND FAIR VISITORS).
4. EFFORT PUT FORTH BY INDIVIDUAL.
5. PREVIOUS YEAR WINNERS ARE INELIGIBLE.

## RATE OF GAIN

EXHIBITOR WITH THE DAIRY FEEDER STEER GAINING THE MOST WEIGHT BETWEEN THE JUNE WEIGH-IN AND AUGUST WEIGH-IN. SPECIAL PREMIUMS AS LISTED ON SPONSORS PAGE.

THE KRISTI J. BRUCE MEMORIAL FUND WILL GIVE AN APPROPRIATE AWARD TO THE JUNIOR EXHIBITOR WHO SHOWS THE MOST TENDER LOVING CARE TO HIS OR HER PROJECT.