

# DEPT. 2 – OPEN BEEF CATTLE

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## OPEN CLASS BEEF SHOW

Tuesday, August 5<sup>th</sup> – Grubb Arena - West – 4:00 pm  
Registered Beef Check-in – 2:30 – 3:30 pm – Kohman Wing

**CLASS A – ANGUS   CLASS B – SIMMENTAL   CLASS C – HEREFORD**  
**CLASS D – CROSSBREED**  
**CLASS E – HIGH ALL OTHER BREEDS   CLASS F – LOW ALL OTHER BREEDS**

| LOT | DESCRIPTION  | 1 <sup>st</sup> | 2 <sup>nd</sup> | 3 <sup>rd</sup> | 4 <sup>th</sup> |
|-----|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1   | <b>Junior Heifer</b><br>Born after December 31, 2024           | \$20            | \$15            | \$10            | \$5             |
| 2   | <b>Winter Heifer</b><br>Born November 1 – December 31, 2024    | \$20            | \$15            | \$10            | \$5             |
| 3   | <b>Senior Heifer</b><br>Born September 1 – October 31, 2024    | \$20            | \$15            | \$10            | \$5             |
| 4   | <b>Late Summer Yearling</b><br>Born July 1 – August 31, 2024   | \$20            | \$15            | \$10            | \$5             |
| 5   | <b>Summer Yearling</b><br>Born May 1 – June 30, 2024           | \$20            | \$15            | \$10            | \$5             |
| 6   | <b>Spring Yearling</b><br>Born March 1 – April 30, 2024        | \$20            | \$15            | \$10            | \$5             |
| 7   | <b>Junior Yearling</b><br>Born January 1 – February 29, 2024   | \$20            | \$15            | \$10            | \$5             |
| 8   | <b>Senior Yearling</b><br>Born September 1 – December 31, 2023 | \$20            | \$15            | \$10            | \$5             |
| 9   | <b>Cow with Calf</b><br>Born after December 31, 2024           | \$20            | \$15            | \$10            | \$5             |

1. Entries close **Friday, June 27<sup>th</sup> at midnight**
2. Entry must be made whether a single animal or a group. The entrance fee is \$5 per lot entered.
3. Check the health regulations printed in this tabloid. Health papers must be presented before unloading.
4. Open Class Beef Only – exhibitors have the option of arriving on the day of the show and are excused to leave at the conclusion of the show. Barn space **will not** be provided for Open Class only cattle.
5. Bedding must be straw or pine shavings. All exhibitors must clean up their own bedding before leaving the fairgrounds or forfeit premiums and no entry the following year.
6. **NO** floor fans are allowed.
7. Each breed must have a minimum of five (5) animals and three (3) families exhibiting, or the following year the class will be re-evaluated by the fair board for inclusion.
8. All cattle, regardless of age, showing under breed or all other breed classification must be registered/recorded and appear in the name of the exhibitor or immediate family member, or family farm on the records of the respective association. All unregistered animals must be entered and shown as crossbreeds. Simmentals must be ½ or higher.
9. All breed exhibitors must enter their registration number during online entry. All Breed Open Class exhibitors must present registration documents and animals to the Registered Beef Check-in location between 2:30 and 3:30 pm on the day of the show. Animals must correspond to the description, tattoo, and ownership as shown by registration and transfer certificates. Failure to comply forfeits all rights to show and/or awards.
10. Exhibitor number cards must be displayed on the back of exhibitors in the show ring.
11. Champion Heifers from each class will come back to compete for Supreme and Supreme Reserve Champion
12. The barn closes at 11:00 pm every night.

## OPEN FEEDER CALF

### NO PRE-ENTRY

Enter your feeder calf day of the show.

Monday, August 4<sup>th</sup>

Entry/Weigh in: 1:30 – 2:30 pm – show at 4:00 pm

1. Open show for heifers and steers born **January 1 or after in the current year.**
2. Enter the day of the show. The entry fee is \$20 per calf and is due day of weigh-in
3. All steer calves must be castrated before June 1. Any steers with testicular tissue will be ineligible to show.
4. Cattle must be dehorned to be eligible.
5. May exhibit up to four **(4)** animals.
6. Feeder calf's minimum weight is 300 pounds, and maximum weight of 700 pounds.
7. Stalls in the Beef Barn are allowed only if the exhibitor has other beef projects and barn space is available.
8. Calves will be shown by weight, no breed classes – no more than 10 calves per class.
9. The top five **(5)** overall will be paid as follows: 1st-\$150; 2<sup>nd</sup>-\$100; 3<sup>rd</sup>-\$75; 4<sup>th</sup>-\$50; 5<sup>th</sup>-\$25 or 70% of entry fee (whichever is greater).
10. Hartford Fair Cash Premium: All Open Class premiums, except for Goats and exhibits located in the Arts/Crafts building, will be paid cash premiums at the Hartford Fair Bank. Any premium not picked up by the fair's last day will be forfeited.

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### Supreme Reserve Champion Plaque

Licking County Cattlemen's Association

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