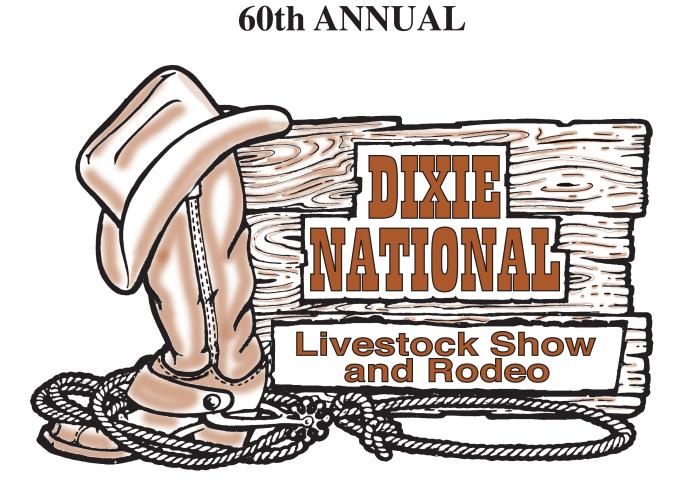
2025 PREMIUM BOOK



January 2 - February 16, 2025

Open Livestock Show

Mississippi Coliseum - State Fairgrounds JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI www.dixienational.org



STATE OF MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE

ANDY GIPSON COMMISSIONER

It's a milestone year for the Dixie National Rodeo—60 years of excitement and tradition! Let's saddle up and celebrate the spirit of the rodeo together. This "Genuine Mississippi" event draws in passionate rodeo enthusiasts, talented 4-H and FFA members, rodeo queens, and spectators to the Mississippi State Fairgrounds for six thrilling weeks. The Fairgrounds transform into a hub of equine and livestock shows, the Dixie National Rodeo, the prestigious Sale of Junior Champions, the Dixie National Marketplace, the Dixie National Steakhouse and the Dixie National Parade.

We are so excited to announce that Southern AgCredit will be returning for three more years as the title sponsor for the Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo. Be sure to join us for the exciting rodeo action taking place from February 7-9, and February 12-15, at the Mississippi Coliseum. Don't miss out on the incredible entertainment of the biggest rodeo east of the Mississippi River, complete with concerts after each performance.

The Dixie National Parade will make its way through downtown Jackson on February 8. The theme this year will be "Celebrating 60 Years in the Saddle", in celebration of the Dixie National Rodeo's diamond anniversary and establishment in 1965. The parade will feature an array of rodeo queens, marching groups, floats, car and tractor clubs, riding groups, dignitaries, the famous Dixie National Wagon Train and much more.

Make the most of your time at the Rodeo by exploring the incredible events happening at the Mississippi Trade Mart. You can catch the Dixie National Marketplace from February 7-9, and the annual Ag and Outdoor Expo from February 14-16. The Dixie National Marketplace and Ag and Outdoor Expo will offer Rodeo enthusiasts a chance to explore the world of agriculture and rodeo and all things outdoors. Witness the electrifying Dixie National Rodeo up close through educational exhibits and retail vendor that caters to all ages.

The pinnacle of the junior livestock show circuit in Mississippi is the annual Dixie National Sale of Junior Champions. Last year 1,225 Mississippi 4-H and FFA youth exhibited 2,084 head of livestock during the Dixie National Junior Livestock Round-up. Fifty-three of the animals were sold during the Sale of Junior Champions grossing a total of \$484,010. This set a new record sale total over the 55-year history of the Sale. Additionally, the Sale of Champions Promotion Committee awarded 39 scholarships totaling \$61,500, bringing the total scholarship money awarded since 1993 to over \$1.2 million.

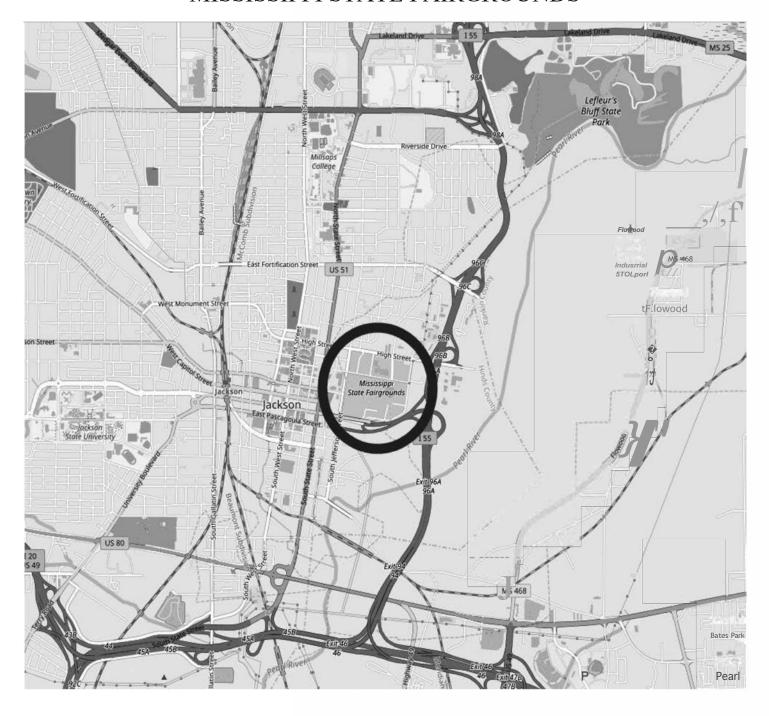
We can't thank our amazing sponsors enough for their unwavering support, which allows us to bring you top-notch entertainment and the best rodeo talent year after year. It's incredible to witness the remarkable growth of this event, now standing as the most prestigious rodeo east of the mighty Mississippi River. We're thrilled to carry on this tradition and invite you to join us in experiencing the "Greatest Show on Dirt!"

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Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce

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LOCATION OF DIXIE NATIONAL LIVESTOCK SHOW MISSISSIPPI STATE FAIRGROUNDS

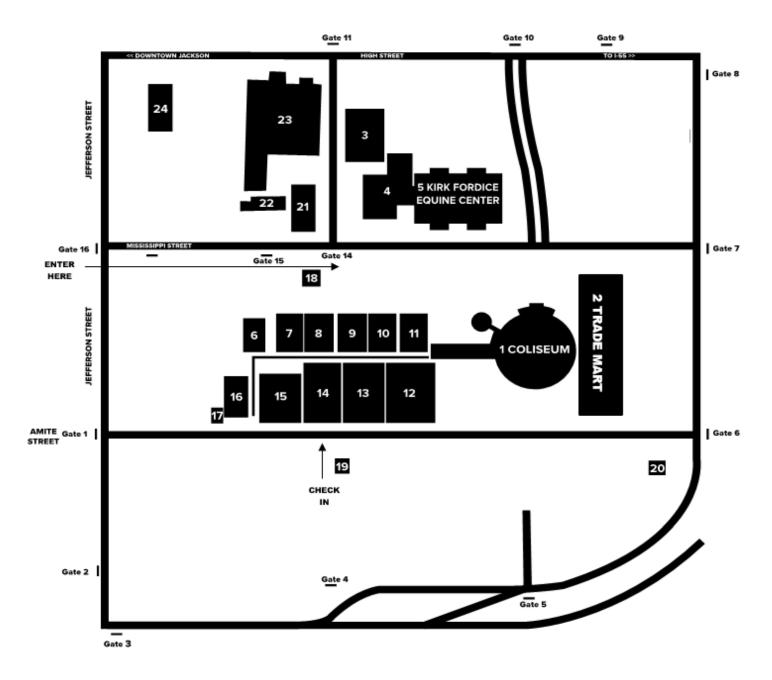


Livestock exhibitors must enter the fairgrounds at gate #14 on Mississippi Street From 1-55:

Take exit 96-A <u>High Street</u>. Turn left on <u>Jefferson Street</u>,

Then left on <u>Mississippi Street</u>. Proceed to Gate #14.

MISSISSIPPI FAIRGROUNDS COMPLEX



- 1. Coliseum
- 2. Trade Mart
- 3. Horse Barn 3
- 4. Multipurpose Building (Horse)
- 5. Kirk Fordice Equine Center
- 6. Swine Arena
- 7. Hog Barn 7/ Small animal scales
- 8. Sheep Barn 8

- 9. Horse Barn 9
- 10. Horse Barn 10
- 11. Corral Barn 11/ Livestock Scales
- 12. Livestock Barn 12
- 13. Livestock Barn 13
- 14. Judging Arena, Livestock Office, Barn 14
- 15. Livestock Barn 15
- 16. Livestock Barn 16

- 17. Biscuit Booth/Red Barn
- 18. Shavings Office
- 19. Comfort Station
- 20. Comfort Station
- 21. Law
- Enforcement
- 22. Maintenance
- 23. Horse Barn 23
- 24. Farmers Market

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS 2025 DIXIE NATIONAL LIVESTOCK SHOW

8:00 a.m.	THURSDAY, JANUARY 2 Dixie National Horse Cutting Horse Show - Equine Center
8:00 a.m.	FRIDAY, JANUARY 3 Dixie National Cutting Horse Show - Equine Center
8:00 a.m.	SATURDAY, JANUARY 4 Dixie National Cutting Horse Show - Equine Center
	SUNDAY, JANUARY 5
8:00 a.m.	Dixie National Cutting Horse Show - Equine Center SATURDAY, JANUARY 11
9:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	Dixie National Pageant Horsemanship- Equine Center Dixie National Pageant – Trade Mart
8:00 a.m.	SATURDAY, JANUARY 25 Dixie National Fired It Up Team Roping - Equine Center
8:00 a.m.	SUNDAY, JANUARY 26 Dixie National Fired It Up Team Roping - Equine Center
8:00 a.m.	WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29 Dixie National Horse and Mule Color Bonanza Show - Equine Center
8:00 a.m.	THURSDAY, JANUARY 30 Dixie National Horse and Mule Color Bonanza Show - Equine Center
8:00 a.m.	FRIDAY, JANUARY 31 Dixie National Horse and Mule Color Bonanza Show - Equine Center
8:00 a.m.	SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1 Dixie National Horse and Mule Color Bonanza Show - Equine Center
8:00 a.m.	SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2 Dixie National Horse and Mule Color Bonanza Show - Equine Center
9:00 a.m.	TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4 Equestrians with Disabilities Horse Show - Equine Center
9:00 a.m.	<u>WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5</u> Equestrians with Disabilities Horse Show - Equine Center

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7

5:00 p.m. Deadline for Arrival Open Livestock Show

6:00 p.m. Santa Gertrudis Sale – Barn 14 7:00 p.m. Dixie National Rodeo – Coliseum

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8

7:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Dixie National Rodeo Breakfast – Red Barn Near Barn 16 (FREE BREAKFAST)

7:30 a.m. Intercollegiate Beef Judging Contest - Equine Center

8:00 a.m. National Santa Gertrudis Show - Barn 14
10:30 a.m. Dixie National Parade - Jefferson Street
2:00 p.m. Dixie National Rodeo - Coliseum
3:00 p.m. Open Brangus Show - Barn 14 (Ring 1)

12:00 p.m. Arrival for open swine and barrows (Barn 6)

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Receive open swine entries and weigh barrows (Barn 6)

7:00 p.m. Dixie National Rodeo – Coliseum

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9

8:00 a.m. Dixie National Quarter Horse Show - Equine Center

9:00 a.m. Open Beefmaster Show – Barn 14 (Ring 1)

Open Braford/F1 Show – Barn 14 (Ring 2) Open Barrow Show – Barn 6 (Swine Arena)

Open Swine Show (15 minutes following Open Barrow Show - Barn 6)

11:00 a.m. Open Longhorn Show – Barn 14 (Ring 1)

Open Waygu Show – Barn 14 (Ring 2)

2:00 p.m. Dixie National Rodeo – Coliseum

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10

8:00 a.m. Dixie National Quarter Horse Show - Equine Center

9:00 a.m. Open Brahman Show - Barn 14

9:00 a.m. Dixie National Rodeo Slack – Coliseum

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11

8:00 a.m. Dixie National Quarter Horse Show - Equine Center

9:00 a.m. Dixie National Rodeo Slack – Coliseum

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

8:00 a.m. Dixie National Quarter Horse Show - Equine Center

7:00 p.m. Dixie National Rodeo – Coliseum

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

8:00 a.m. Dixie National Quarter Horse Show - Equine Center

12:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. Deadline Arrival for Red Angus, Mini Hereford, Gelbvieh/Balancer, Charolais -

Barn 14

7:00 p.m. Dixie National Rodeo – Coliseum

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14

8:00 a.m. Dixie National Quarter Horse Show - Equine Center

8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Deadline for Arrival of the Remaining Breeds of Cattle–Barn 14

1:00 p.m. Open Red Angus Show – Barn 14 (Ring 1)

Open Mini Hereford Show – Barn 14 (Ring 2)

3:00 p.m. Gelbveih/Balancer Show – Barn 14 (Ring 1)

Open Charolais Show – Barn 14 (Ring 2)

7:00 p.m. Dixie National Rodeo – Coliseum

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15

8:00 a.m. Open ROV Angus Show – Barn 14

Dixie National Quarter Horse Show - Equine Center

2:00 p.m. Dixie National Rodeo – Coliseum

2:00 p.m. Open Hereford Show – Barn 14 (Ring 1)

Open Shorthorn/Shorthorn Plus Show – Barn 14 (Ring 2)

4:00 p.m. Simmental/Simbrah Sale - Sales Arena (Barn 12)

7:00 p.m. Dixie National Rodeo – Coliseum

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16

8:00 a.m. Dixie National Quarter Horse Show - Equine Center

9:00 a.m. Open Simmental, Percentage Simmental, Simbrah – Barn 14

2:00 p.m. Dixie National High School Rodeo – Coliseum

Premium List and Rules Governing Awards of the

2025

DIXIE NATIONAL LIVESTOCK SHOW

January 2 - February 16, 2025

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 892 Jackson, MS 39205-0892

Street Address: 1207 Mississippi Street Jackson, MS 39202-3536

(601) 961-4000

www.dixienational.org

GENERAL INFORMATION

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

The Fairgrounds administrative offices are in the North Side of the Coliseum. The Superintendents of the various departments may be contacted in the building in which their exhibits are displayed.

EXPRESS

Express shipment must be prepaid if addressed to the Mississippi State Fairgrounds and will be delivered to any location designated.

MAIL

Mail addressed to anyone in care of the Dixie National will be placed in the Manager's office in the Mississippi Coliseum.

RESTROOMS

Restrooms are located on the Fairgrounds in connection with exhibit buildings and along the Midway.

AUTOMOBILE PARKING

Parking is available inside and outside the Fairgrounds. Security officers will be on the Fairgrounds to prevent theft. However, the Dixie National will assume no responsibility for any loss or damage that may occur.

HAY, WHEAT STRAW & SHAVINGS

Exhibitors of livestock may purchase hay, wheat straw and shavings from the shaving office located in Barn 3.

ADVERTISING

No person shall be allowed to distribute any printed advertising matter on the Fairgrounds or in the buildings, except for an exhibitor distributing their own business information from their assigned exhibit space.

****FIRE SAFETY****

Officials of the State Fire Marshal's Office have worked very closely with the staff of the MS Fair Commission to help ensure your safety and enjoyment while at the Mississippi State Fairgrounds.

For your safety and the safety of others, the livestock exhibitors and visitors will be required to use only heating and cooking devices that are described as follows:

- All heating devices used in livestock buildings must be UL approved and equipped with an oxygen shutoff sensor (ODS) automatic shutoff.
- No heating or cooking fuels may be stored in barns. Any cooking devices left unattended will be removed from barns. No charcoal grills or smokestack type heaters that use any type of liquid fuel will be allowed in the barns. All cooking and heating devices must be kept away from hay or other flammable materials.
- All electrical cords must be grounded.

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

NOTICE: All exhibitors are cautioned to read carefully the following rules and regulations. They will be enforced strictly with no exceptions.

- 1. The Dixie National Livestock Show reserves to its Staff and Management the final absolute right to interpret these rules and regulations, and to arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions and differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of, connected with, or incident to the Livestock Show.
- 2. The Management reserves the right to amend or add to these rules as it, in its judgment, may deem advisable.
- 3. Any person who violates any of the general rules or special rules, as published in this Premium List, will forfeit all privileges and premiums won.
- 4. Every exhibit must be in place and properly installed and remain intact under the rules and regulations of each department, unless other provisions have been approved.
- 5. All livestock of every breed, cross breed or variety entered for competition or display, or any other purpose or being anywhere on the Fairgrounds, shall be subject to the control of the Show Management, but in no case shall the Dixie National be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury of any character to any such livestock while such entries are on the Fairgrounds or at any time or place. Livestock owners and exhibitors, or others interested in such livestock, desiring protection against loss or injury from any other cause must make arrangements for such protection.
- 6. No claim for injury to any person or to any livestock shall ever be asserted, no suits instituted or maintained against the Dixie National, or its officers or agents, by or on behalf of any person, firms or corporations, or other agents, representatives, servants or employees, having license or privilege to exhibit on the Fairgrounds or to occupy any space on the Fairgrounds.
- 7. LIABILITIES: All exhibits will be under the control and direction of the Management. However, the Dixie National will in no case be responsible for any loss, injury or damage that may occur. Each exhibitor will be solely responsible for any consequential or other loss, injury or damage done to, occasioned by, or arising from, any animal or article exhibited by him and for its description, as given in the Premium List. He shall indemnify the Dixie National against all legal or other proceedings in regards thereto, as well as the exhibitor or any of the animals exhibited by him, or arising out of, or in any way connected with such exhibition or any of the animals so exhibited.
- 8. The Management reserves the right to remove from the grounds any exhibit animal that may be falsely entered or may be deemed unsuitable or objectionable, without assigning a reason, and if necessary, to return any money already paid for space, or stall, which shall exonerate them from any claim whatsoever on the part of the exhibitor or purchaser.
- 9. All owners of livestock, or other property or others having same in charge shall care for, guard, protect and preserve the same, as the Dixie National does not undertake to do so, and it shall not be held responsible for any loss or damage to said property or livestock.
- 10. SALES Sales held during the Dixie National must be sponsored by the state, regional or national association or sponsoring agency of a breed participating in the Dixie National. Entry fee for sale or display cattle is \$30.00/head.
- 11. ALL ELECTRICAL CORDS MUST BE GROUNDED.
- 12. A designated tie-out area is located in the northwest corner of the fairgrounds.
- 13. No 4-Wheelers or scooters allowed on the Mississippi State Fairgrounds. Golf carts are allowed only if driver is 18 years old or older.
- 14. No dogs are allowed in any barn or building on the show grounds, except for certified service dogs to aid the handicapped.

ENTRIES

All rules and regulations concerning the individual entry, or entries, of livestock of any breed, cross-breed or variety specified in this Premium List will be found under the respective heading for such breed, cross-breed or variety.

- 1. All livestock entering the Dixie National showground must be accompanied by an official health certificate and must be apparently free of any contagious, infectious or communicable disease. In addition, adherence to any special rules required by the MS Board of Animal Health for that particular species of livestock is required.
- 2. Any animal not meeting the requirements of the Premium List, as to pedigree and registration, will be barred from competition.
- 3. Each entry in the Dixie National Livestock Show will be assigned a number in the Official Livestock Catalog. This number will identify animals in the show and will correspond with an Official Livestock Catalog number, which must be properly displayed when the entries are being judged.
- 4. Exhibits that have been erroneously entered may, at the discretion of the Management, be transferred to their proper classes prior to judging.
- 5. STALLS: No stalls or pens will be reserved without the required fee. Stall space and pens will be assigned in order of receipt of entries. Because of the critical shortage of space, no stalls will be rented or reserved for equipment boxes, advertising or feed.
- 6. ENTRIES:
 - a. All entries must be made online at www.dixienational.org. All fees must accompany the online entry. Deadline to register is January 24, 2025. Due to the large number of entries, no late entries will be excepted.
 - b. Premiums will be paid only to the exhibitor in whose name the entry is made. Social Security Number or Federal Tax I.D. number must be provided to receive premium payout.
- 7. Sale cattle must be halter broken and tied in the cattle barn.
- 8. TIME OF ENTRIES: Entry deadline will be January 24, 2025. Exhibitors are urged to make entries as soon as possible.
- 9. FEES:

Entry Fees: \$ 15.00 per Head - Barrows

\$ 15.00 per Head - Boars & Gilts

\$ 30.00 per Head - Cattle

\$ 30.00 per Head - Display Cattle/Sale Cattle

Entry forms may be found on the web at www.dixienational.org

- 10. FEED & BEDDING: Each exhibitor will be responsible for providing his own feed and bedding.
- 11. ARRIVAL TIME:

CATTLE to arrive between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Friday, February 7th, between 12:00 p.m and 5:00 p.m., Thursday, February 13th, between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m., Friday, February 14th. Cattle arriving earlier will not be stalled but may be tied out.

SWINE to arrive between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m., Saturday, February 8th.

- 12. STALL ASSIGNMENTS will be made between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Friday, February 7th, between 12:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m., Thursday, February 13th, between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m., Friday, February 14th. Cattle arriving earlier will not be stalled but may be tied out.
- 13. RELEASE TIME: All cattle shown on Saturday, February 8th, and Sunday, February 9th, will be released Sunday, February 9th at 5:00 p.m. All cattle shown on Monday, February 10th will be released at the conclusion of the show. All cattle shown on Friday, February 14th and Saturday, February 15th will be released Saturday, February 15th. All cattle shown on Sunday, February 16th will be released after the show.
- 14. TIE OUT TIME: 5:00 p.m.

- 15. If it be ascertained that any exhibitor has made or caused to be made any false statement in regard to any animal or equipment exhibited, or if any exhibitor shall attempt to interfere with the judges in the performance of their duties, such exhibitor shall be excluded from competition or exhibition in the Dixie National Livestock Show; and any premium or premiums previously awarded to such exhibitor shall be forfeited.
- 16. Animals entered in the Adult Division must be owned by the exhibitor thirty days prior to the opening date of the show. All exhibitors of breeding stock must be prepared to show certificates of registry in standard associations and identification of animals with such certificates when required by the superintendent. If entry is not made, as required by the rules, premium will not be paid although awarded by the judge.
- 17. A single animal may be exhibited as one of a pair, a herd, or a group if classes are offered. Animals shown in group classes must be shown in single classes and must meet age requirements for those shown in classes for single animals.
- 18. No substitution of any animal will be allowed after the entries are officially closed, unless approval has been secured from the Show Manager. Any exhibitor having an animal which will not be shown must notify the Superintendent or the Livestock Show office before the class is called.
- 19. No animal may be entered in more than one show.
- 20. By making entry in the Dixie National Open Cattle Shows, exhibitors give their consent to permit the use of cattle in the Dixie National Collegiate Beef Judging Contest.

PHOTOGRAPHS

Photographs of Champion and Grand Champion livestock will be taken by the Official Photographer of the Dixie National. All owners, exhibitors and herdsmen handling such animals are required to cooperate with the Official Photographer in arranging for taking such pictures.

PROTESTS AND APPEALS

- 1. All protests must be made in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$25.00, which deposit will be forfeited if protest is not sustained. The protest must be filed with the Management within five hours after the award was made, considering that award was made when ribbon or premium card is placed. Appeals must contain at least one specific charge stating at length the facts or the rule violated, and naming witnesses and address who can substantiate the charge.
- 2. No complaint or appeal based upon the statement that the judge or judges are incompetent or have overlooked an animal or article will be considered by the Management.
- 3. The right of an exhibitor to appeal from the decisions of a judge to the Management will lie only when it is charged that the award has been made in violation of the rules governing the exhibit; or when it is charged that the decision of the judges had been influenced or interfered with by another.

PREMIUMS AND AWARDS

- 1. The judge will award premiums only on articles regularly mentioned in the schedule of premiums. The decision of the judge shall be final, and no appeal will be considered. Examinations for premium awards in all departments will begin at the time specified in the schedule of events and will continue until all classes have been passed upon.
- 2. The judges in all departments will be appointed by the Rules and Regulations Committee. No one will be allowed to act as judge in the class or ring in which he exhibits.
- 3. All premiums awarded under the rules and regulations of this premium list will be paid according to the rules.
- 4. The Management reserves the right to return entries and cancel any class in which, in its judgment, the number of entries is insufficient to insure adequate competition. Where there are fewer entries in a class than the number of premiums offered, the judge may, at his discretion, award prizes of such grade as the animal/animals deserve(s), but in any event, regardless of the number of entries listed in the catalog, where the

animals of only one exhibitor or his immediate family are shown, the judge will award only one prize, which may be of the grade to which the judge feels that the exhibit is entitled, and need not necessarily be a first or second prize.

- 5. Errors in premiums statement will not be corrected after May 31, 2025.
- 6. Premium checks must be cashed within sixty days of issuance, or they become void.
- 7. Only two premiums will be paid to any one exhibitor in one class.
- 8. The Dixie National will not pay premiums on championship classes.
- 9. The following colors will be used in designation awards:

Champion or Grand Champion	Purple
Reserve Grand Champion	White
First	Blue
Second	Red
Third	White

MISSISSIPPI BOARD OF ANIMAL HEALTH

Health Requirements Governing Admission of Livestock for Dixie National Livestock Show Jackson, Mississippi

All livestock entering the Mississippi State Fairgrounds shall be accompanied by an Official Health Certificate and be apparently free of any contagious, infectious or communicable disease and individually identified with Official USDA Identification.

All out-of-state animals must meet the Entry Requirements for the State of Mississippi. It is important to check these regulations prior to entry into Mississippi as the information below may have been changed. These regulations may be found at: https://www.mbah.ms.gov/regulations/chapter-12/

SECTION I - CATTLE

All cattle except nursing calves, must be individually identified (with Official USDA ID) on the Health Certificate.

A. Brucellosis

Calfhood Vaccination for females is not required.

B. Tuberculosis:

All beef cattle of all ages shall:

- Originate from an Accredited Free State or;
- Originate from an Accredited Tuberculosis Free Herd. Certificate number of the herd and date certified shall be entered on the Health Certificate.

Or

- Have been negative to a test made within sixty (60) days prior to the date of shipment, and in addition from a non-quarantine herd in a modified accredited tuberculosis free area.
- All Dairy Cattle must be from an Accredited Free Herd or have negative TB Test within 30 days of entry.

C. Trichomoniasis

- Bulls under 18 months of age must have a "Virgin Bull Statement" or a negative Trich Test.
- Bulls 18 months of age or older must have a negative Trich Test.
- Bulls for exhibition only may enter without a Trich Test, but if sold while in the state must have a negative Trich Test.

The Trichomoniasis Regulation should be examined for information about testing. It may be found at: https://www.mbah.ms.gov/regulations/chapter-19/

SECTION II - HORSES

All horses shall be accompanied by:

- 1. Official interstate health certificate stating horse is apparently free of any contagious, infectious, or communicable disease with Lab date, number and test results recorded.
- 2. <u>Original</u> laboratory chart of negative Equine Infections Anemia (Coggins Test) made within twelve (12) months, with proper animal identification listed thereon. Photocopies **WILL NOT** be accepted (unless they have the signature of the submitting veterinarian).

SECTION III - SWINE

General: All swine for breeding purposes must be accompanied by an official health certificate and a permit prior to movement obtained with the number of the permit shown on the certificate. All swine must be individually identified (Official USDA Identification) on the health certificate and must originate from herds that have not had an infectious or communicable disease within the past 30 days prior to movement, and this statement written on the health certificate: "To the best of my knowledge, swine represented on this certificate have not originated from a premise known to be affected by an infectious or contagious disease within the last 30 days."

SECTION IV - DUTIES OF CARRIERS

- A. Owners and operators of private and common carriers, trucks, and other conveyances are forbidden to move any livestock into or through this state except in compliance with provisions set forth in these regulations.
- B. All trucks and other conveyances used for the transportation of livestock and poultry shall be maintained in a sanitary condition.
- C. Owners and operators of trucks and other conveyances shall have such vehicles thoroughly cleaned and disinfected under official supervision, before their use for the transportation of livestock into the State of Mississippi.
 - All livestock entering Mississippi must meet Title 9, Sub-chapter C, Interstate Transportation of Animals and Poultry, and Part 83 of the Federal Screwworm Regulation, as adopted April 20, 1966.

DIXIE NATIONAL LIVESTOCK SHOW OFFICIALS

Greg Young	Livestock Director
Melissa Morgan	Assistant/Official Records
Shelby Bearden	General Livestock Superintendent
Mike Keene	Assistant Beef Superintendent
Roy Higdon	Assistant Beef Superintendent
Phillip Vandevere	Swine Superintendent
Alex Deason	Swine Superintendent
John Giesemann	Show Programs/Records

R.O.V. ANGUS

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 15, 2024, 8:00 a.m. (Barn 14) ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 14, 2025, 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES CLOSE: JANUARY 24, 2025

OPEN CLASS PARTICIPATION STATEMENT AMERICAN ANGUS ASSOCIATION

The American Angus Association, 3201 Frederick Avenue, St. Joseph, Missouri, will participate in premiums offered for open class Angus breeding cattle classes according to the premium schedule based on the number of head shown. The premium assistance provided by the American Angus Association for participation in this show is in addition to the premiums offered by the show itself. Premium assistance should not be used to offset show expenses and shall be included in the premium payments distributed by the show to the exhibitors.

A minimum of 50 head must be shown in the open class division to receive American Angus Association premium participation for the following year.

Premiums from the association are paid only to registered Angus cattle and only if the registration number is a part of the show report provided to the Association. Therefore, all cattle should be registered at the time of entry to make certain they receive the Association's portion of premiums. The Association does not pay on championship or any group classes (i.e. get-of-sire, junior get-of-sire, or breeder six-head).

Exhibitors must have the original registration certificate issued by the American Angus Association available for inspection at the show for each animal or another current proof of ownership issued by the American Angus Association pedigree look-up. Any animal, upon check-in, which does not have a legible permanent identification mark (ear tattoo marks, freeze-branded marks, or hot-branded marks) corresponding to the permanent identification mark on the registration certificate, is ineligible to show. Once disqualified due to an incorrect or illegible permanent identification mark, animals cannot be re-identified (tattooed/branded) and rechecked at the show.

Any female shown with calf at side: The calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf, and the calf must be registered by show day and have proof of registration at check in.

Only one person at a time shall lead animals into the show ring.

Exhibitors who participate in shows that accept premium monies contributed by the American Angus Association are subject to the Association Rules as found in the Breeders Reference Guide of the Association. These rules are found in Part 2; Association Rules. The rules relating directly with the exhibition of Angus cattle are Part 2; Association Rules; Rule 800 Series; including Rule 800 - 810. These rules can be found at www.angus.org.

Altering the conformation and/or appearance of an animal for exhibition is prohibited. This includes the covering of white skin, false tail heads (or use of any false hair), with the exception of false tail switches. The use of graphite, powder, hemp or other similar substances externally are also prohibited. Other prohibited products include those used internally such as steroids, illegal or unlicensed pharmaceuticals or artificial filling. Any animal found to be in violation will be barred from showing.

At any show for which the American Angus Association appropriates funds toward the payment of premiums, no exhibitors, individuals assisting exhibitors or member owners at such show shall be allowed to use any coloring agents on any animal exhibited. The Association may adopt and implement various tests designed to monitor this prohibition, including but not limited to a "white towel" or "white glove" test. No aerosol cans or other pressurized containers will be allowed in designated line up areas.

All animals exhibited are subject to DNA marker or blood type tests to verify accuracy of parentage as covered under the Association Rules and for other testing as required by the individual show.

Authorized representatives of the Association have the authority to enforce the rules set forth herein as well as in the Association Rules, including the barring of a registered animal from a livestock show at which it is to be shown, if there are reasonable grounds to believe a violation has occurred.

ANGUS PREMIUM SCHEDULE

1st	2nd	3rd
\$100	\$75	\$50

OPEN SHOW AMERICAN ANGUS ASSOCIATION

Any classes listed in this classification, which exceeds 15 head per class, should be broken into smaller classes. This should be accomplished by dividing the class as evenly as possible without splitting animals with the same birth date.

Example 1: If 16 head are entered in class 4, the class should be broken into two classes of 8; a class of 7 and 9; or a class of 10 and 6.

Example 2: If 32 head are entered in class 4, the class should be divided into three classes consisting of two classes with 11 head and one class of 10 head or similar without putting animals with the same birth date in different classes.

Class breaks will be at the discretion of the American Angus Association staff in attendance.

SHOW CLASSIFICATION FOR ANGUS

Only registered Angus cattle that meet the age requirements listed within the classification are eligible to receive premium participation and be counted in the total number of head shown.

Champion and Reserve Champion placings are not counted in number of head shown. Any female that qualifies for female classes in the Association's standard classifications are not eligible to show in the cow/calf classes. However, the calf at the side of the female is eligible to show in its respective class.

- 1. COW/CALF CLASS cows three (3) years of age and younger, cows must be born on January 1, 2022 through August 31, 2023. Calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf and be no more than 280 days of age on the day of the show.
- 2. COW/CALF CLASS cows four (4) years of age and older, cows must be born December 31, 2021 or earlier. Calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf and be no more than 280 days of age on the day of the show.

GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR (1, 2) RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR

Grand and Reserve Grand Champion cow/calf pairs do not show for grand champion female and are ineligible to compete in the get-of-sire, junior get-of-sire and breeder's six-head classes.

- 3. Late Fall Heifer calves calved November 1, 2024, and after
- 4. Early Fall Heifer calves calved September & October 2024

FALL HEIFER CALF CHAMPION (3,4)
RESERVE FALL HEIFER CALF CHAMPION

- 5. Late Summer Heifer calves calved July & August 2024
- 6. Early Summer Heifer calves calved May & June 2024

SUMMER HEIFER CALF CHAMPION (5,6)
RESERVE SUMMER HEIFER CALF CHAMPION

- 7. Late Junior Heifer calves calved March & April 2024
- 8. Early Junior Heifer calves calved January & February 2024
 JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION (7,8)
 RESERVE JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION
- 9. Late Senior Heifer calves calved November & December 2023
- 10. Early Senior Heifer calves calved September & October 2023
 SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION (9,10)
 RESERVE SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION
- 11. Late Summer Yearling Heifers calved July & August 2023
- 12. Early Summer Yearling Heifers calved May & June 2023
 INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE (11,12)
 RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE
- 13. Late Junior Yearling Heifers calved March & April 2023
- 14. Early Junior Yearling Heifers calved January & February 2023

 JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE (13,14)

 RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE
- 15. Late Senior Yearling Heifers calved November & December 2022
- 16. Early Senior Yearling Heifers calved September & October 2022 SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE (15,16)
 RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE

Grand Champion Female and Reserve Grand Champion Female (Champions and reserve champions competing)

- 17. Late Fall Bull calves calved November 1, 2024, and after
- 18. Early Fall Bull calves calved September & October 2024
 FALL BULL CALF CHAMPION (17,18)
 RESERVE FALL BULL CALF CHAMPION
- 19. Late Summer Bull calves calved July & August 2024
- 20. Early Summer Bull calves calved May & June 2024 SUMMER BULL CALF CHAMPION (19,20) RESERVE SUMMER BULL CALF CHAMPION
- 21. Late Junior Bull calves calved March & April 2024
- 22. Early Junior Bull calves calved January & February 2024
 JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION (21,22)
 RESERVE JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION
- 23. Late Senior Bull calves calved November & December 2023
- 24. Early Senior Bull calves calved September & October 2023
 SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION (23,24)
 RESERVE SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION

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- 25. Late Summer Yearling Bull calves calved July & August 2023
- 26. Early Summer Yearling Bull calves calved May & June 2023

INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL (25,26) RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL

- 27. Late Junior Yearling Bulls calved March & April 2023
- 28. Early Junior Yearling Bulls calved January & February 2023

JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL (27,28) RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL

- 29. Senior Yearling Bulls calved September through December 2022
- 30. Summer Senior Yearling Bulls calved May through August 2022
- 31. Two-year-old Bulls calved January through April 2022

SENIOR CHAMPION BULL (29,30,31) RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL

GRAND CHAMPION BULL AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL (Champions and reserve champions competing)

- 32. JUNIOR GET-OF-SIRE- Three animals by one sire, both sexes represented, shown in classes 3, 4, 5 and 8, 9, and 10.
- 33. GET-OF-SIRE- Four animals by one sire shown in the above classes (3, 4, 5 and 8, 9, and 10), both sexes represented.
- 34. BREEDER SIX HEAD The exhibitor of the breeders' six head must be breeder and first owner, identified by the same member code for the animals exhibited. Cattle owned by other exhibitors may be included provided the exhibitor of the breeders' six head is the breeder and first owner of the included animals(s). Animals must be exhibited in individual classes. Cattle bred and owned by a junior member(s) may be included if the exhibitor of the breeders six head is an individual or married couple and is the parent or legal guardian of the junior member(s).

BEEFMASTER

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 9, 2025, 9:00 a.m. (Barn 14) ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 7, 2024, 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES CLOSE: JANUARY 24, 2024

- 1. Beefmaster Promotion Group, 541 State Hwy. 75N, Fairfield, TX 75840.
- 2. Any individual who has an entry in a BPG approved show must be a member of the Beefmaster Promotion Group and must be at least 6 years of age as of the day of the show.
- 3. Beefmaster Promotion Group, 541 State Hwy. 75N, Fairfield, TX 75840 pays some percent of premiums awarded for this show.
- 4. All cattle must be registered with BBU.
- 5. Only one (1) person per animal is permitted in the show arena during the exhibition of individual classes, with exceptions made by one of the following: a.) A physical or mental disability that prevents the proper handling of the animal without assistance or, b.) a handler has a physical injury (sprained ankle, broken arm, etc.) that requires assistance. Any request for an assistant shall be presented to an attending BPG Director or Officer before the beginning of the show for a ruling. In the event that an assistant is required and approved, the assistant shall provide the least amount of interference as possible for the handler to properly display the animal and shall not interfere with any other entrant or otherwise block the path or view of the Judge.
- 6. All animal tattoos may be checked for legibility and must match the registration papers for that animal. Animals with illegible tattoos or incorrect papers will not be allowed to show.
- 7. Heifers exhibited at 24 months of age or older must be accompanied by a certificate of pregnancy or be nursing their natural calf-at side. If calf is over 6 months old, cow must be palpated safe in calf and so stated on health papers.
- 8. All bulls 12 months and older must be led with a nose lead at all times.
- 9. Animals entered in group classes, must have been shown in an individual class.
- 10. All BBU registered animals must be shown with their hair coats lying downward and flat against their entire body. Hair trimming is permissible and must be done in those few areas such as the neck and portions of the topline of the animal which may not lay flat against the body. Hair may not be trained upwards or forwards and/or pulled upwards or forwards on any part of the animal's body. No animals may have any foreign object(s) attached to it in any manner or have its natural color altered in a manner so as to change the conformation or appearance. An exhibitor who fails to abide by this rule will be dismissed from the arena and/or forfeit premiums, awards and points from the show.
- 11. Each animal must be presented in the show ring in its natural conformation and structure without alteration or modification. Alteration or modification shall be defined to include any surgical, chemical, electrical, or other appearance change for cosmetic purposes (such as silicon injections or other injections for cosmetic purposes), save only branding, tattooing, foot trimming or dehorning.
- 12. All bulls 20 months of age or older that are exhibited must have passed a fertility examination given by a licensed veterinarian to be eligible to show and the results must be presented at check in. Once a bull has a positive exam, retesting is not required.
- 13. Determinations regarding classes and the splitting of classes shall be made in the sole discretion of the show official or coordinator and are not subject to review or protest.
- 14. Any and all protests must be written and be filed with a BPG officer or Director no later than 1 hour after the conclusion of the show, accompanied by a \$150 non refundable protest fee.
- 15. For and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in a BPG approved show, each exhibitor hereby releases Beefmaster Promotion Group and their respective officials, sponsors, agents, officers, directors, employees and representatives, from any and all claims, liabilities, suits and judgments, arising from or connected with the administration or use of any animal test, rule enforcement and the resulting decision or action based there on.
- 16. The BPG Code of Conduct will be enforced.

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CODE OF CONDUCT

- 1. Exhibitors of animals at livestock shows shall at all times deport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship. Their conduct in this competitive environment shall always reflect the highest standards of honor and dignity to promote the advancement of agriculture
- 2. All persons, exhibitors, owners, trainers, fitters, parents, show officials, etc., are under an affirmative responsibility to do more than avoid improper conduct or questionable acts. Their moral values must be so certain and positive that those younger and more pliable will be influenced by their fine example. Obscene or discriminatory language or insubordination of any kind will NOT be tolerated. Parents, guardians, exhibitors, owners, trainers, fitters, family members who violate the code of conduct will forfeit awards, premiums, etc. and shall be prohibited from future exhibition in accordance with the rules adopted by the respective fairs, livestock shows and the Beefmaster Promotion Group (BPG). Exhibitors who violate this code of conduct demean the integrity of all livestock exhibitors and should be prohibited from competition at all livestock shows in the United States.
- 3. All exhibitors shall provide animal health certificates from licensed veterinarians upon request by fair or livestock show officials.
- 4. Member exhibitor and member owners, as well as their family members, representatives and employees, shall act in a sportsmanlike and professional manner while attending any BPG show, sale or event. Judges, show officials, fellow exhibitors and all event attendees shall be treated with courtesy and respect. Exhibitors or owners shall not engage in or direct any abusive, threatening or obscene conduct toward judges, show officials, other exhibitors or any BPG event attendees.
- 5. There shall be no consumption of alcohol in the show ring or make ready area of a BPG sanctioned show or event. While the consumption of alcohol is permitted in other areas as deemed appropriate by the fair or livestock show, disorderly conduct while intoxicated is strictly prohibited and anyone exhibiting disruptive behavior will be asked to leave immediately and will face possible expulsion from the BPG.
- 6. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the parent, guardian, exhibitor, owner, fitter, trainer, family member to have disciplinary action taken by the fair, livestock show, breed association or the Beefmaster Promotion Group for violation of this Code of Conduct and any other rules of competition of the fair, livestock show or Beefmaster Promotion Group without recourse against the fair, livestock show, or Beefmaster Promotion Group. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent that any proceedings or disciplinary action taken by the fair, livestock show or Beefmaster Promotion Group may be published with the name of the violator or violators in any publication of the International Association of Fairs and Expositions, including any publications of the breed association and the Beefmaster Promotion Group.
- 7. The act of entering of an animal in a fair, livestock show or BPG sponsored event is the giving of verification by the parent, guardian, owner, exhibitor, trainer, fitter, family member that he or she has read these rules and understands the consequences of and penalties provided for actions prohibited by such. It is further a consent that any action which contravenes these rules and is also in violation of federal or state regulations, or rules may be released to appropriate law enforcement authorities with jurisdiction over such infractions.
- 8. Direct criticism or interference with the judge, fair or livestock show management, other exhibitors, breed representatives, or show officials before, during, or after the competitive event is prohibited. In the furtherance of their official duty, all judges, fair and livestock show management, or other show officials shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation and respect and no person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward them.
- 9. Authorized representatives of the BPG Association have the authority to enforce the rules set forth herein,
- 10. All BPG members will abide by the show rules adopted and posted on beefmasterpromotiongroup.com, regardless of show premium book. These rules supersede the Show Rules published by an Association-approved livestock show, to the extent that there is a conflict.
- 11. For and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in any BPG approved show, each exhibitor, owner, family member hereby releases BPG its officers, directors and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits and judgments, either past, present or future, arising from or connected with the administration of use of such test or examination and the resulting decision therefrom.

BEEFMASTER PREMIUM SCHEDULE

1st	2nd	3rd
\$100	\$75	\$50

FEMALE CLASSES

Winter – Spring 2025

- 1. Get Of Sire: Three (3) animals, all by one (1) sire, both sexes represented. No ownership requirement.
- 2. Produce of Dam: Two (2) animals, either or both sexes produced by one (1) dam. No ownership requirement.
- 3. Late Summer Heifer Calves, Calved June 1, 2024 and after
- 4. Summer Heifer Calves, Calved May 1 May 31, 2024

CHAMPION HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER CALF

- 5. Late Spring Heifer Calves, Calved April 1 April 30, 2024
- 6. Early Spring Heifer Calves, Calved March 1 March 31, 2024
- 7. Junior heifer Calves, calved February 1 February 29, 2024
- 8. Early Junior Heifer Calves, Calved January 1 January 31, 2024

CHAMPION SPRING HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION SPRING HEIFER CALF

- 9. Late Senior Heifer Calves, Calved Dec. 1 Dec. 31, 2023
- 10. Late Senior Heifer Calves, Calved Nov. 1 Nov. 30, 2023
- 11. Early Senior Heifer Calves, Calved Oct. 1 Oct. 31, 2023
- 12. Early Senior Heifer Calves, Calved Sept. 1 Sept. 30, 2023

CHAMPION FALL HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION FALL HEIFER CALF

- 13. Late Summer Yearling Heifers, Calved Aug. 1 Aug. 31, 2023
- 14. Early Summer Yearling Heifers, Calved July 1 July 31, 2023
- 15. Spring Junior Yearling Heifers, Calved June 1 June 30, 2023
- 16. Late Junior Yearling Heifers, Calved May 1 May 31, 2023

CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE FEMALE RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE FEMALE

- 17. Early Junior Yearling Heifers, Calved April 1 April 30, 2023
- 18. Early Junior Yearling Heifers, Calved March 1 March 30, 2023
- 19. Early Junior Yearling Heifers, Calved February 1 February 28, 2023
- 20. Early Junior Yearling Heifers, Calved January 1 January 31, 2023

CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE

- 21. *Junior Yearling Females, Calved Dec. 1 Dec.31, 2022
- 22. *Late Senior Yearling Females, Calved Nov. 1 Nov. 30, 2022
- 23. *Early Senior Yearling Females Calved Oct. 1 Oct. 31, 2022
- 24. *Early Senior Yearling Females Calved Sept. 1 Sept. 30, 2022

CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE

RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE

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- 25. **Summer Pairs, calved Aug. 1 Aug. 31, 2022
- 26. **Summer Pairs, calved July1 July 31, 2022
- 27. **Summer Pairs, calved June 1 June 30, 2022
- 28. **Summer Pairs, calved May1 May 31, 2022

CHAMPION SUMMER PAIR

RESERVE CHAMPION SUMMER PAIR

GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE

*Must be palpated safe in calf and so stated on health papers or have natural calf at side.

BULL CLASSES

Winter - Spring 2024

- 1. Summer Bull Calves, Calved May 1, 2024 and after
- 2. Late Spring Bull Calves, Calved April 1 April 30, 2024
- 3. Early Spring Bull Calves, calved March 1 March 31, 2024
- 4. Junior Bull Calves, Calved February 1 February 29, 2024
- 5. Early Junior Bull Calves, Calved January 1 January 31, 2024

CHAMPION BULL CALF RESERVE CHAMPION BULL CALF

- 6. Late Senior Bull Calves, Calved Nov. 1 Dec. 31, 2023
- 7. Early Senior Bull Calves, Calved Sept. 1 Oct. 31, 2023
- 8. Late Summer Yearling Bulls, Calved July 1 August 31, 2023
- 9. Early Summer Yearling Bulls, Calved May 1 June 30, 2023

CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE BULL

RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE BULL

- 10. Spring Junior Yearling Bulls, Calved April 1 April 30, 2023
- 11. Late Junior Yearling Bulls, Calved March 1 March 31, 2023
- 12. Early Junior Yearling Bulls, Calved January 1 February 29, 2023

CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL

RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL

- 13. Late Senior Bulls, Calved Sept. 1 Dec. 31, 2022
- 14. Summer Senior Bulls, Calved May 1 Aug. 31, 2022
- 15. Early Senior Bulls, Calved Jan. 1 April 30, 2022
- 16. Senior Bulls, Calved Sept. 1 Dec. 31, 2021
- 17. Late Senior Bulls, Calves May 1 Aug. 31, 2021

CHAMPON SENIOR BULL

RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL

GRAND CHAMPION BULL RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL

^{**}Must have natural calf at side.

BRAFORD/NATIONAL F1 FEMALE POINT SHOW

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 9, 2025, 9:00 a.m. (Barn 14) ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 7, 2025, 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES CLOSE: JANUARY 24, 2025

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS:

Part of the entry requirements for this show include an additional entry fee per head entered (\$20 due by February 9, 2025) payable and mailed to the UBB, P.O. Box 656, Foreman, AR 71836 in addition to the entry fee paid to the Dixie National.

OFFICIAL UNITED BRAFORD BREEDERS SHOW RULES

- 1. Animals must be registered by the United Braford Breeders to compete in this association-sponsored show. Owners must be members of United Braford Breeders in good standing. Cattle must be classified as 3/8 Brahman 5/8 Hereford Braford to be eligible to show in the Braford Show. F1 Brafords consist of 50% Brahman and 50% Polled or Horned Hereford.
- 2. The UBB sanctioned open Braford and Braford F1 point shows for 2024-2025 season are: Four States Fair, Louisiana State Fair, TBBA Winter Classic, Cattlemen's Congress, Fort Worth, Dixie Nationals and Houston. These seven Purebred and six F-1 Female (excluding Fort Worth) shows are the only shows that constitute the show animals of the year for 2024-2025. A minimum of 20 Braford animals as well as 20 Braford F-1 females must be shown at each of the 7/6 F-1 shows for the year end awards to be presented for 2024-2025 in their respective divisions.
- 3. An animal found to have evidence of incisions, surgical or otherwise, in the following areas: testicles, sheath, navel, or dewlap will be disqualified from showing.
- 4. Animals unethically fitted to alter the conformation or appearance of the animal will be disqualified. Cattle displaying tail ties and hairnest used on the tail will be allowed.
- 5. Calves shown at the side of Braford cows must be registered purebred Brafords. If bred, F1s must be bred to Brahman or Hereford bulls or bulls that will produce purebred Brafords. If shown with a calf at side, the calves must be registered with the UBB and must be purebred Brafords; 3/4 Brahman and 1/4 Hereford; or a 1/4 Brahman and 3/4 Hereford. Bred F1 females shown must have available the registration number of the service sire
- 6. All Braford entries are subject to the provision of a rule of the United Braford Breeders entitled "Inspection of Exhibits."
 - a. The association and its representatives have the authority to require such tests as they deem necessary to verify the accuracy of the classification and pedigree of exhibited animals. "Said authority shall extend to and cover the enforcement of all Show rules as adopted by the UBB."
 - b. Each exhibitor shall submit his registered Braford cattle to such tests and examinations as requested and/ or required by the association, its authorized representatives, or the authorized representatives of the relevant show. These tests and examinations shall include but are not limited to any weighing, measuring, or ultrasound evaluation of the animals as required by the UBB's Show Committee.
 - c. For and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in any Braford function, exhibitor hereby releases the Association, its officers, directors, and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits and judgments past, present or future, arising from or connected with the administration or use of such test or examination and the resulting decisions therefrom.
- 7. All protests must be made in writing and be accompanied by a deposit of \$200.00 which will be forfeited if protest is not sustained. Such protests must state plainly the cause of complaint or appeal and must be delivered to the UBB Show Committee immediately after occasion for each protest. Depending on the basis of the protest, a decision may be withheld until complete investigation is completed.
- 8. Only UBB registered cattle are allowed to compete in UBB sanctioned shows (listed above, no. 3). Golden certificated numbers will not be accepted.

BRAFORD PREMIUM SCHEDULE

1 st	2nd	3rd
\$100	\$75	\$50

FEMALE CLASSES (3/8-5/8 PUREBRED ONLY)

- 1. Summer Heifer Calves (Calved 5/1/2024 and after)
- 2. Late Spring Heifer Calves (Calved 4/1/2024 4/30/2024)
- 3. Early Spring Heifer Calves (Calved 3/1/2024 3/31/2024)
- 4. Junior Heifer Calves (Calved 2/1/2024 2/29/2024)
- 5. Early Junior Heifer Calves (Calved 1/1/2024 1/31/2024)
- 6. CHAMPION HEIFER CALF
- 7. RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER CALF
- 8. Winter Heifer Calves (Calved 10/1/2023 12/31/2023)
- 9. Senior Heifer Calves (Calved 8/1/2023 9/30/2023)
- 10. CHAMPION FALL HEIFER CALF
- 11. RESERVE CHAMPION FALL HEIFER CALF
- 12. Summer Yearling Heifers (Calved 5/1/2023 7/31/2023)
- 13. Late Spring Yearling Heifers (Calved 4/1/2023 4/30/2023)
- 14. Early Spring Yearling Heifers (Calved 3/1/2023 3/31/2023)
- 15. Junior Yearling Heifers (Calved 1/1/2023 2/28/2023)
- 16. CHAMPION YEARLING HEIFER
- 17. RESERVE CHAMPION YEARLING HEIFER
- 18. Late Senior Yearling Females (Calved 10/1/2022 12/31/2022)
- 19. Early Senior Yearling Females (Calved 8/1/2022 9/30/2022)
- 20. CHAMPION SENIOR YEARLING FEMALE
- 21. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR YEARLING FEMALE
- 22. GRAND CHAMPION BRAFORD FEMALE
- 23. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BRAFORD FEMALE

BULL CLASSES (3/8-5/8 PUREBRED ONLY)

- 24. Summer Bull Calves (Calved 5/1/2024 and after)
- 25. Late Spring Bull Calves (Calved 4/1/2024 4/30/2024)
- 26. Early Spring Bull Calves (Calved 3/1/2024 3/31/2024)
- 27. Junior Bull Calves (Calved 2/1/2024 2/29/2024)
- 28. Early Junior Bull Calves (Calved 1/1/2024 1/31/2024)
- 29. CHAMPION BULL CALF
- 30. RESERVE CHAMPION BULL CALF
- 31. Winter Bull Calves (Calved 10/1/2023 12/31/2023)
- 32. Senior Bull Calves (Calved 8/1/2023 9/30/2023)
- 33. CHAMPION FALL BULL CALF
- 34. RESERVE CHAMPION FALL BULL CALF

- 35. Summer Yearling Bulls (Calved 5/1/2023 7/31/2023)
- 36. Late Spring Yearling Bulls (Calved 4/1/2023 4/30/2023)
- 37. Early Spring Yearling Bulls (Calved 3/1/2023 3/31/2023)
- 38. Junior Yearling Bulls (Calved 1/1/2023 2/28/2023)
- 39. CHAMPION YEARLING BULL
- 40. RESERVE CHAMPION YEARLING BULL
- 41. Late Senior Yearling Bulls (Calved 10/1/2022 12/31/2022)
- 42. Early Senior Yearling Bulls (Calved 8/1/2022 9/30/2022)
- 43. Two-Year-Old Bulls (Calved 1/1/2022 7/31/2022)
- 44. CHAMPION SENIOR BULL
- 45. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL
- 46. GRAND CHAMPION BRAFORD BULL
- 47. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BRAFORD BULL

GROUP CLASSES

- 48. PRODUCE-OF-DAM: Two animals shown in single entry classes, either sex, from one dam, may be owned by more than one exhibitor.
- 49. GET-OF-SIRE: Four animals shown in single entry classes, both sexes represented, may be owned by more than one exhibitor.
- 50. BEST-SIX-HEAD: All animals must have been shown in their respective single-entry classes and they must be owned by the exhibitor or by an immediate family member.

BRAFORD F1 CLASS BREAKS

FEMALE CLASSES

- 51. Summer Heifer Calves (Calved 5/1/2024 and after)
- 52. Late Spring Heifer Calves (Calved 4/1/2024 4/30/2024)
- 53. Early Spring Heifer Calves (Calved 3/1/2024 3/30/2024)
- 54. Junior Heifer Calves (Calved 2/1/2024 2/29/2024)
- 55. Early Junior Heifer Calves (Calved 1/1/2024 1/31/2024)
- 56. CHAMPION HEIFER CALF
- 57. RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER CALF
- 58. Winter Heifer Calves (Calved 10/1/2023 12/31/2023)
- 59. Senior Heifer Calves (Calved 8/1/2023 9/30/2023)
- 60. CHAMPION FALL HEIFER CALF
- 61. RESERVE CHAMPION FALL HEIFER CALF
- 62. Summer Yearling Heifers (Calved 5/1/2023 7/31/2023)
- 63. Late Spring Yearling Heifers (Calved 4/1/2023 4/30/2023)
- 64. Early Spring Yearling Heifers (Calved 3/1/2023 3/31/2023)
- 65. Junior Yearling Heifers (Calved 1/1/2023 2/28/2023)
- 66. CHAMPION YEARLING HEIFER
- 67. RESERVE CHAMPION YEARLING HEIFER
- 68. Late Senior Yearling Females (Calved 10/1/2022 12/31/2022)
- 69. Early Senior Yearling Females (Calved 8/1/2022 9/30/2022)
- 70. CHAMPION SENIOR YEARLING FEMALE
- 71. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR YEARLING FEMALE
- 72. GRAND CHAMPION BRAFORD F1 FEMALE
- 73. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BRAFORD F1 FEMALE

BRAHMAN (Red and Grey) SPLIT SHOW

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 10, 2025, 9:00 a.m. (Barn 14)

ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 7, 2025, 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES DEADLINE: JANUARY 24, 2025

ABBA OFFICIAL SPRING SHOW CLASSES

(For ABBA APPROVED SHOWS occurring between January 1 and June 30 each year) *EFFECTIVE JUNE 9, 2023*

Subject to the immediately following ABBA Official Show Class Special Conditions, Animals exhibited at both Sponsored and Sanctioned American Brahman Breeders Association ("ABBA") Open Shows shall be presented for judging as Grey Brahman and Red Brahmans classifications within the Official Classes and Divisions set out herein below:

ABBA OFFICIAL SHOW CLASS SPECIAL CONDITIONS

- A. All Animals exhibited must be registered with the American Brahman Breeders Association ("ABBA") and be appropriately fire branded as provided by ABBA requirements for registration in the ABBA Official Brahman Herdbook.
- B. All Animals exhibited are subject to the ABBA Color Classification Rules as established from time to time. A copy of the most current ABBA Color Classification Rules may be obtained from the ABBA.
- C. All animals exhibited are subject to the ABBA DNA Verification Rules as established from time to time. A copy of the most current ABBA DNA Verification Rules may be obtained from the ABBA.
- D. All Females exhibited in the **Senior Division** must either [1] be accompanied by a certificate of pregnancy issued by a licensed veterinarian (within 90 days prior to the date of the Show) certifying the Animal is pregnant and such certificate shall be made available for inspection and verification upon request, [2] be in a lactating stage and have her natural, nursing calf at side, which Calf has not exceeded 240 days old as of the date of the Show, or [3] have weaned her natural calf which Calf is registered in the ABBA Official Brahman Herdbook and the Calf's registration certificate is available for inspection and verification upon request.
- E. All Females exhibited in the **Aged Senior Division*** must either [1] be in a lactating stage and have her natural, nursing calf at side which Calf has not exceeded 240 days old as of the date of the Show, or [2] have weaned her natural calf which Calf is registered in the ABBA Official Brahman Herdbook and the Calf's registration certificate is available for inspection and verification upon request. *FOR THE SPRING 2024 SHOW SEASON ONLY, FEMALES EXHIBITED IN CLASS 34 LATE AGED SENIOR COWS SHALL BE ALLOWED TO BE EXHIBITED WITHOUT A NATURAL, NURSING CALF AT SIDE PROVIDED THE FEMALE MEETS THE PREGNANCY STATUS REQUIREMENTS OF THE SENIOR DIVISION OF FEMALES.
- F. All Bulls must be exhibited with a permanent or temporary nose ring with an appropriate lead attached.
- G. All Bulls exhibited in the **Senior and Aged Senior Divisions** must be accompanied by a valid, satisfactory Breeding Soundness Exam (BSE) certification issued by a licensed veterinarian (within one year prior to the date of the Show) and such certification shall be made available for inspection and verification upon request.
- H. All Animals in the **Calf and Junior Yearling Divisions** which have been previously disqualified from being exhibited at an ABBA Approved Show based on not meeting Weights and Measures Parameters may not be exhibited at another ABBA Approved Show until such time as [1] the Animal re-qualifies by meeting Weights and Measures Parameters at a subsequent ABBA Approved Show where weights and measures are taken, or [2] the Animal is no longer being exhibited in the Calf or Junior Yearling Divisions at ABBA Approved Shows.

- I. All **Group Classes** will be exhibited at the beginning of the ABBA Approved Show prior to any individual classes being exhibited in such Show. All individual Animals exhibited in Group Classes must be presented by an individual Showman for each participating Animal for the Group to be placed by the Judge(s).
- J. All Animals exhibited in the Get of Sire, Natural Produce of Dam and Embryo Produce of Dam Group Classes at an ABBA Approved Show must be exhibited under the registered color of the represented Sire or Dam; NOT the color of the progeny comprising the Group. The Breeders Genetic Group and Breeder's Herd shall be exhibited under the registered color of the individual Animals (which all must be registered as the same color) comprising the Group.
- K. All Classes which exceed more than fifteen (15) Animals MAY be broken into smaller Classes each no larger than 15 Animals, at the sole discretion of Show Management, by dividing the Classes as evenly as possible without splitting Animals with the same birth date. Additional Classes resulting from splitting Classes shall be treated as new individual Classes (and not as heats of a single Class) for purposes of class placings, competition within Divisions, and ABBA Register of Renown Points awarded.

GROUPS

ALL GROUP CLASSES SHALL BE EXHIBITED AT THE BEGINNING OF THE ABBA APPROVED SHOW PRIOR TO ANY INDIVIDUAL CLASSES BEING EXHIBITED.

- G1. *PRODUCE OF DAM* Two (2) natural born Animals both produced by the same Dam, either or both sexes may be represented. Each Animal in the Group must also be exhibited in the appropriate individual Class for such Animal. No ownership requirement for the participating individual Animals in the Group. No single Exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one entry per Dam. All entries in this Class must be placed by the Judge(s). There will be named a Champion and Reserve Champion of this Group Class.
- G2. *EMBRYO PRODUCE OF DAM* Two (2) Animals both produced by the same Dam via embryo transfer, either or both sexes may be represented. Each Animal in the Group must also be exhibited in the appropriate individual Class for such Animal for the participating individual Animals in the Group. No ownership requirement for the participating individual Animals in the Group. No single Exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one entry per Dam. All entries in this Class must be placed by the Judge(s). There will be named a Champion and Reserve Champion of this Group Class. G3. GET OF SIRE Four (4) Animals all by the same Sire from at least two different Dams, both sexes must be represented. Each Animal in the Group must also be exhibited in the appropriate individual Class for such Animal. No ownership requirement for the participating individual Animals in the Group. No single Exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one entry per Sire. All entries in this Class must be placed by the Judge(s). There will be named a Champion and Reserve Champion of this Group Class.
- G4. BREEDER'S GENETIC GROUP Three (3) genetically similar Animals all by the same Sire and same Dam, either or both sexes may be represented. All individual Animals comprising this Group shall be registered with the ABBA as the same color and shall be exhibited based on the color of the individual Animals comprising the Group as registered with the ABBA. Each Animal in the Group must also be exhibited in the appropriate individual Class for such Animal. No ownership requirement for the participating individual Animals in the Group. No single Exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one entry per Sire and Dam mating combination. All entries in this Class must be placed by the Judges(s). There will be named a Champion and Reserve Champion of this Group Class.
- G5. BREEDER'S HERD Four (4) Animals, both sexes must be represented. All individual Animals comprising this Group must have the same (Breeder's) holding brand. All individual Animals comprising this Group shall be registered with the ABBA as the same color and shall be exhibited based on the color of the individual Animals comprising the Group as registered with the ABBA. Each Animal in the Group must also be exhibited in the appropriate individual Class for such Animal. All entries in this Class must be placed by the Judges(s). There will be named a Champion and Reserve Champion of this Group Class. NO REGISTER OF RENOWN POINTS SHALL BE AWARDED FOR THIS GROUP CLASS.

BRAHMAN PREMIUM SCHEDULE

1st	2nd	3rd
\$100	\$75	\$50

NOTE: ALL GROUP CLASSES WILL BE SHOWN AT THE FRONT OF THE SHOW BEFORE ANY INDIVIDUAL CLASSES

FEMALE CLASSES:

- 1. LATE SUMMER HEIFER CALVES calved July 1, 2024 and after (provided no calf may be shown prior to reaching 150 days old on the date of the Show)
- 2. SUMMER HEIFER CALVES calved June 1 -June 30, 2024
- 3. EARLY SUMMER HEIFER CALVES calved May 1 May 31, 2024
- 4. CALF CHAMPION
- 5. RESERVE CALF CHAMPION
- 6. LATE SPRING HEIFER CALVES calved April 1 April 30, 2024
- 7. SPRING HEIFER CALVES calved March 1 March 31, 2024
- 8. LATE WINTER HEIFER CALVES calved February 1 February 28, 2024
- 9. WINTER HEIFER CALVES calved January 1- January 31, 2024
- 10. JUNIOR YEARLING CHAMPION
- 11. RESERVE JUNIOR YEARLING CHAMPION
- 12. EARLY WINTER HEIFER CALVES calved December 1 December 31, 2023
- 13. LATE FALL HEIFER CALVES calved November 1 November 30, 2023
- 14. FALL HEIFER CALVES calved October 1- October 31, 2023
- 15. EARLY FALL HEIFER CALVES calved September 1 September 30, 2023
- 16. SENIOR YEARLING CHAMPION
- 17. RESERVE SENIOR YEARLING CHAMPION
- 18. LATE SUMMER HEIFERS calved July 1 August 31, 2023
- 19. SUMMER HEIFERS calved June 1 June 30, 2023
- 20. EARLY SUMMER HEIFERS calved May 1 May 31, 2023
- 21. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION
- 22. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION
- 23. LATE SPRING HEIFERS calved April 1 April 30, 2023
- 24. SPRING HEIFERS calved March 1 March 31, 2023
- 25. LATE WINTER HEIFERS calved February 1 February 28, 2023
- 26. EARLY WINTER HEIFERS calved January 1 January 31, 2023
- 27. JUNIOR CHAMPION
- 28. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION
- 29. LATE SENIOR HEIFERS calved November 1 December 31, 2022
- 30. SENIOR HEIFERS calved September 1 October 31, 2022
- 31. EARLY SENIOR HEIFERS calved July 1 August 31, 2022
- 32. SENIOR CHAMPION
- 33. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION

- 34. LATE AGED SENIOR COWS calved May 1 June 30, 2022
- 35. AGED SENIOR COWS calved March 1 April 30, 2022
- 36. EARLY AGED SENIOR COWS calved January 1 February 28, 2022
- 37. AGED SENIOR CHAMPION
- 38. RESERVE AGED SENIOR CHAMPION
- 39. GRAND CHAMPION
- 40. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION

BULL CLASSES:

- 41. LATE SUMMER BULL CALVES calved July 1, 2024 and after (provided no calf may be shown prior to reaching 150 days old on the date of the Show)
- 42. SUMMER BULL CALVES calved June 1 -June 30, 2024
- 43. EARLY SUMMER BULL CALVES calved May 1 May 31, 2024
- 44. CALF CHAMPION
- 45. RESERVE CALF CHAMPION
- 46. LATE SPRING BULL CALVES calved April 1 April 30, 2024
- 47. SPRING BULL CALVES calved March 1 March 31, 2024
- 48. LATE WINTER BULL CALVES calved February 1 February 29, 2024
- 49. WINTER BULL CALVES calved January 1- January 31, 2024
- 50. JUNIOR YEARLING CHAMPION
- 51. RESERVE JUNIOR YEARLING CHAMPION
- 52. EARLY WINTER BULL CALVES calved December 1 December 31, 2023
- 53. LATE FALL BULL CALVES calved November 1 November 30, 2023
- 54. FALL BULL CALVES calved October 1- October 31, 2023
- 55. EARLY FALL BULL CALVES calved September 1 September 30, 2023
- 56. RESERVE SENIOR YEARLING CHAMPION
- 57. LATE SUMMER BULLS calved July 1 August 31, 2023
- 58. SUMMER BULLS calved June 1 June 30, 2023
- 59. EARLY SUMMER BULLS calved May 1 May 31, 2023
- **60. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION**
- 61. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION
- 62. LATE SPRING BULLS calved April 1 April 30, 2023
- 63. SPRING BULLS calved March 1 March 31, 2023
- 64. LATE WINTER BULLS calved February 1 February 28, 2023
- 65. EARLY WINTER BULLS calved January 1 January 31, 2023
- 66. JUNIOR CHAMPION
- 67. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION
- 68. LATE SENIOR BULLS calved November 1 December 31, 2022
- 69. SENIOR BULLS calved September 1 October 31, 2022
- 70. EARLY SENIOR BULLS calved July 1 August 31, 2022
- 71. SENIOR CHAMPION
- 72. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION

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- 73. LATE AGED SENIOR BULLS calved May 1 June 31, 2022
- 74. AGED SENIOR BULLS calved March 1 April 30, 2022
- 75. EARLY AGED SENIOR BULLS calved January 1 February 28, 2022
- 76. AGED SENIOR CHAMPION
- 77. RESERVE AGED SENIOR CHAMPION
- 78. GRAND CHAMPION
- 79. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION

BRANGUS

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 8, 2025, 3:00 p.m. ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 7, 2025, 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES DEADLINE: JANUARY 24, 2025

Eligibility

- 1. The owner(s) of record on all animals entered in an IBBA National or Regional point show must be an active member(s) of the IBBA in good standing.
- 2. Animals must be registered Brangus, Red Brangus, UltraBlack, or UltraRed with the International Brangus Breeders Association (IBBA) to be eligible to compete in an IBBA-sponsored show. Animals recorded in the IBBA Appendix registry are ineligible to show.
- 3. UltraBlacks and UltraReds must show separately from Brangus and Red Brangus, with the exception of calves shown at the side of their dams in both the Female and Cow Calf show. The registration prefix of the dam determines the classification of the pair.
- 4. All calves exhibited at the side of the female must be registered with the IBBA and meet all rules required for show eligibility and inspections of exhibits (refer to Rule 9.a.). The registration prefix of the dam determines the classification of the pair.
- 5. Animals eligible to be shown in group classes must be entered and shown in respective individual classes. Cows exhibited in the cow/calf classes are not eligible for the group classes.

Animal Identification

- 6. The registration certificate (or photocopy) for each entry must be available for presentation to the Superintendent or show manager at the time entries are verified prior to judging. Digital images and herd book data sheets will not be accepted.
- 7. Once an animal's identification has been verified by visual inspection of a brand or ear tattoo, it's registration papers will be stamped with seal of the IBBA with the date of the inspection. In future shows, this registration certificate with the seal will need to be presented at check in for identification purposes only. If this registration certificate is presented with the seal of the IBBA, the additional inspection of a brand or ear tattoo is not required. If a new or unstamped certificate is presented, the animal's identification must be verified again before a stamped is received again.
- 8. Any animal is subject to recheck by the IBBA Ethics Committee at any show at any time.
- 9. Any animal upon check in which does not have a legible tattoo or brand corresponding to its registration certificate is ineligible to show. An animal may be tattooed immediately at a show for reinspection.

Parent Verification

- 10. All animals are required to have complete parent, both sire and dam, verification on file at IBBA prior to the show check-in. If an animal does not have **DNA parent verification** completed at that time, they will be ineligible to show. DNA parent verification is defined as having submitted DNA samples per the IBBA DNA testing process of the animals being entered, their sire and their dam, and then having the show animal's genotype match to that of both parents as determined by the IBBA.
 - a. If the calf at side is over 90 days of age by the date of show check-in, it must have parent verification completed by show check-in. If it is under 90 days, parent verification of the calf is not required.
 - b. Cows in the cow/calf pair classes are exempt from the parent verification requirement if they are born prior to September 1, 2016.
- 11. IBBA reserves the right to collect DNA samples at any IBBA-sanctioned show. Collection will be conducted by random draw for retesting of parentage at the association's expense. At the six national IBBA-sanctioned shows, three random samples will be collected from Brangus and UltraBlack entries and three random samples will be collected from Red Brangus and UltraRed entries. An animal found to not match the stated pedigree must resolve the question before it is allowed to show again. I

Physical Inspection and Eligibility

- 12. Prior to check-in, heads of exhibited animals must be clipped of all hair, including topknots and be free of scurs and/or slick spots. Animals not in compliance at check in will be required to comply before check in is complete, or they will not be allowed to show.
- 13. Any animal found to have scurs and/or slick spots; or evidence of incisions, surgical or otherwise, in the following areas: head, testicles, sheath, navel, or dewlap; including scars from caesarean sections, will be disqualified from showing. They shall be disqualified at the show where the violation is determined and all future IBBA sponsored and sanctioned shows. A veterinary statement of purpose or cause will not be accepted.
- 14. Animals with illegal white (defined as white in front of the naval) or any indication of brindling (a color pattern characterized by red streaks mingled with black), or red animals with any unacceptable coloring (according to the IBBA Red High Color Scale available at gobrangus.com and including Brown, Grey, Yellow, Light to White, White Legs or Black Muzzle) are ineligible for show at the show in which the color issue is found. The animal is eligible for inspection at future shows.
- 15. No animal may be shown that has been pumped with any amount of liquid at any time once the animal enters the grounds of a show. The official show veterinarian may administer liquids orally, if so needed, without disqualifying animal(s) from exhibition.
 - a. A protest of this violation must be submitted per the Violation Policy
 - b. Penalty: The fitter and ranch entity involved with an animal being artificially filled will be banned from the show ring for one year and the animal will be disqualified from exhibition at that particular show.
- 16. All entries may be classified for judging on an age basis and should be entered in class according to age. Teeth may be inspected by a veterinarian designated by the IBBA in order to determine whether dental development is within allowable limits for the class so entered. If the veterinarian determines that in his opinion dental development exceeds maximum allowable limits, the animal shall be disqualified from the show where the error is determined and all future shows.

Fitting and Presentation

- 17. Animals unethically fitted to alter the conformation or appearance of the animal, as determined by the appointed IBBA Ethics Committee or IBBA Staff, will be immediately disqualified at the show in which the violation occurred. This includes:
 - a. No animal may be shown that has had any foreign objects, glued to or otherwise attached in a manner so as to alter its conformation or change its appearance.
 - b. Paint or coloring agents of any kind are not to be used on any animal exhibited at IBBA sponsored shows.
- 18. All bulls must have a nose ring or nose restraint with the lead attached at all times, with the exception of being tied in the stalls and tie outs. This includes but is not limited to being in the show ring and during check in. Bulls 250 days and younger are exempt from this requirement.
- 19. Unruly animals that cannot be kept under control will be disqualified at the said show. If an animal breaks away from its handlers three times, they will be dismissed from the show ring and not eligible to show at that particular show.

Fertility and Performance Requirements

- 20. Weights and scrotal measurements will be taken on all bulls at check-in at all six of the IBBA National Shows.
- 21. All Brangus bulls 18 months of age or older that are exhibited at IBBA sponsored shows must have passed a fertility examination given by a non-owner licensed veterinarian or a non-owner certified technician to the standards of the Society of Theriology to be eligible to show. The results of the examination must be available at check-in. Once a bull has a positive examination, retesting is not required.

22. All females 20 months of age or older exhibited at IBBA sanctioned shows, must have available at the time of check-in, a certificate of pregnancy issued by an accredited non-owner veterinarian, non-owner certified professional or blood test results certificate. If a blood tests results certificate is provided, it must be blood collected by a non-owner veterinarian or non-owner certified professional, and documented. If the female is open due to being in an embryo transfer program, a certified copy of the flush record showing viable embryos produced by the said female must be presented at check-in, by a non-owner embryologist. If verification cannot be produced, the female will be allowed to participate if the exhibitor can produce a qualified veterinarian to examine the female at the show site and verify pregnancy. Females showing in the Senior Heifer Division of Spring Shows (January 1 through May 31) must adhere to the classifications and have an IBBA registered natural calf, not older than 250 days of age on show date.

Show Rules Violation Policy and Penalties

- 23. The IBBA and its representative have the authority to request and require such tests as they deem necessary to verify the accuracy of the classification, pedigree of exhibited animals and enforce all show rules as adopted by the IBBA. IBBA representatives shall include the appointed Ethics Committee at each show. A decision by the Ethics Committee and/or the IBBA representative shall stand at the show in which it is made.
- 24. Owners are responsible for any infraction committed by a non-member or anyone employed or contracted by the owner.
- 25. A valid show rules violation complaint must be accompanied by a written statement describing the violation, the perpetrator of the violation, and signed by an active member of the IBBA. This written complaint will be presented to an Ethics Committee consisting of the Chairman of the Show Committee and the three person Ethics Committee that has been previously appointed for the show where the complaint is presented. All four people will be current members of the Show Committee.
- 26. The Ethics Committee shall rule on the validity of the rule violation. The Ethics Committee shall visit with the perpetrator, present the written complaint, and make a ruling on the complaint if valid. The penalty will be applied according to each stated rule above.
- 27. The perpetrator is entitled to appeal any decision made by an IBBA representative, Ethics Committee, a veterinarian, certified industry professional or designated association representatives to the IBBA Board of Directors. The following requirements must be met: 1) the appeal is in writing and is signed by the appealing party; and 2) the appealing party files the written appeal with the IBBA Board of Directors as soon as possible after the decision is rendered however, the ruling will stand at the show in which the violation occurred. If the IBBA Board of Directors over turns the ruling of the Show Committee Ethics Committee, the exhibitor and or animal in question will be allowed to return to future shows. The IBBA Board of Directors has the right to disqualify the perpetrator from the IBBA approved show after hearing an appeal. The IBBA's Board of Directors decision is final.
- 28. Entries that have not complied with all of the above rules will not be eligible to show, to receive premium monies, or earn points in the IBBA's Show Sire of the Year, Show Dam of the Year, Show Bull of the Year, Show Heifer of the Year and Show Cow Calf Pair awards.
- 29. For and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in any function each exhibitor hereby releases the Association, its officers, directors and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits, and judgments past, present, or future, arising from or connected with the administration or use of such test or examination and the resulting decision there from.

Presentation of Classes for International Brangus & Red Brangus Shows

An IBBA National Point show shall be conducted in the order described below. Regional and non-Point Show may choose to conduct a show in a difference manner.

IBBA National Point Show class order:

- I. The Brangus Show will begin with the Black Female classes. Junior Heifer Calf classes will be judged through Junior Heifer Calf Champion and Reserve Junior Heifer Calf Champion.
- II. Then, the Red Female classes will enter the ring and will be judged through Junior Heifer Calf Champion and Reserve Junior Heifer Calf Champion.
- III. This procedure will be alternated between Black and Red Shows until all age champions have been selected.
- IV. After this, the Black Female Age Division Champions (Junior Heifer Calf Champion, Senior Heifer Calf Champion, Summer Champion Heifer, Yearling Champion Heifer and Senior Champion Heifer) will be brought back to the ring for the Black Female Grand Drive. The judge will select the Grand Champion Black Female and Reserve Grand Champion Black Female.
- V. Upon completion of the Black Grand Drive, the Red Female Age Champions will be brought back to the ring for the Red Female Grand Drive.
- VI. The Cow/Calf classes will begin with the Black females. The Black Cow/Calves will be judged through Champion and Reserve
- VII. Champion Cow/Calf. Then, the Red Cow/Calf classes will be judged through Champion and Reserve Champion Red Cow/Calf.
- VIII. The above procedure will be followed in the bull judging, beginning with the Black classes and alternating between Red and Black Shows. If a division does not have any cattle entered, the division will be skipped.
- IX. Group classes will be judged with Black Group Classes all being exhibited first, followed by all Red Group Classes.

BRANGUS PREMIUM SCHEDULE

1st	2nd	3rd
\$100	\$75	\$50

FEMALE CLASSES:

- 1. Late Summer Heifer Calves: born July 1, 2024 and after
- 2. Early Summer Heifer Calves: born May 1, 2024 to June 30, 2024
- 3. Late Spring Heifer Calves: born April 1 to April 30, 2024
- 4. Early Spring Heifer Calves: born March 1 to March 31, 2024
- 5. Late Junior Heifer Calves: born February 1 to February 29, 2024
- 6. Early Junior Heifer Calves: born January 1 to January 31, 2024
- 7. JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION
- 8. RESERVE JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION
- 9. Winter Heifer Calves: born November 1 to December 31, 2023
- 10. Senior Heifer Calves: born September 1 to October 31, 2023
- 11. SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION
- 12. RESERVE SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION

- 13. Late Summer Yearling Heifers: born July 1 to August 31, 2023
- 14. Early Summer Yearling Heifers: born May 1 to June 30, 2023
- 15. SUMMER CHAMPION HEIFER
- 16. RESERVE SUMMER CHAMPION HEIFER
- 17. Spring Yearling Heifers born: March 1 to April 30, 2023
- 18. Junior Yearling Heifers born: January 1 to February 28, 2023
- 19. YEARLING CHAMPION HEIFER
- 20. RESERVE YEARLING CHAMPION HEIFER
- 21. *Fall Yearling Heifers born: November 1 to December 31, 2022
- 22. *Senior Yearling Heifers born: September 1 to October 31, 2022
- 23. SENIOR CHAMPION HEIFER
- 24. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION HEIFER
- 25. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER
- 26. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER
- 27. *Cow/Calf Pairs Cows: born January 1, 2022, to August 31, 2022
- 28. *Cow/Calf Pairs Cows: born December 31, 2021 and older
- 29. GRAND CHAMPION COW / CALF
- 30. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION COW / CALF

BULL CLASSES:

- 31. Late Summer Bull Calves: born July 1, 2024 and after
- 32. Summer Bull Calves: born May 1, 2024 to June 30, 2024
- 33. Late Spring Bull Calves: born April 1 to April 30, 2024
- 34. Early Spring Bull Calves: born March 1 to March 31, 2024
- 35. Late Junior Bull Calves: born February 1 to February 29, 2024
- 36. Early Junior Bull Calves: born January 1 to January 31, 2024
- 37. JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION
- 38. RESERVE JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION
- 39. Winter Bull Calves: born November 1 to December 31, 2023
- 40. Senior Bull Calves: born September 1 to October 31, 2023
- 41. SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION
- 42. RESERVE SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION
- 43. Late Summer Yearling Bulls: born July 1 to August 31, 2023
- 44. Early Summer Yearling Bulls: born May 1 to June 30, 2023
- 45. SUMMER CHAMPION BULL
- 46. RESERVE SUMMER CHAMPION BULL

^{*} Entries in classes 20, 21 26, & 27 MUST have a calf at side. Calves must be IBBA registered natural calves, not older than 250 days of age on show date.

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- 47. Spring Yearling Bulls: born March 1 to April 30, 2023
- 48. Junior Yearling Bulls: born January 1 to February 28, 2023
- 49. YEARLING CHAMPION BULL
- 50. RESERVE YEARLING CHAMPION BULL
- 51. Senior Yearling Bulls: born September 1 to December 31, 2022
- 52. Summer Two-Year Old Bulls: born May 1 to August 31, 2022
- 53. Spring Three-Year Old Bulls: born January 1 to April 30, 2022
- 54. SENIOR CHAMPION BULL
- 55. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL
- 56. GRAND CHAMPION BULL
- 57. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL

GROUP CLASSES

- 58. Produce-of-Dam: Two animals out of same dam; can be both sexes by different bulls.
- 59. Junior Get-of-Sire: Three head, both sexes by one sire; must be senior calves and younger.
- 60. Senior Get-of-Sire: Four head, both sexes by one sire; can be any age in current classifications. 61. Breeders Herd: Four head; both sexes do not have to be represented; must be bred & owned or bred & co-owned by exhibitor.
- ** Cows exhibited in the cow/calf classes are ineligible for group classes.

CHAROLAIS

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 14, 2025, 3:00 p.m. (Barn 14) ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / HEAD ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 13, 2025, 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES DEADLINE: JANUARY 24, 2025

American-International Charolais Association 2025 Winter / Spring Show Classification January 1 - May 31, 2025

SPECIAL RULES

- 1. All animals to be eligible for an Open Charolais Breeding Class must be purebred and registered with the American International Charolais Association (AICA). Only bona fide (original) certificates of registration will be accepted as evidence of registration and ownership; NO PHOTOCOPIES.
- 2. An animal is eligible to enter or compete in an open Charolais breeding class if registered in country of origin outside the United States and is eligible for purebred registry in the AICA Herdbook.
- 3. All animals to be eligible may be approved by a sifting committee designated by the AICA. Stall space will not be provided for any Charolais cattle that have not been accepted by the sifting committee.
- 4. All animals are subject to a medical examination in order to determine age, and each animal will be present in the show ring in its natural conformation without alteration or modification. Use of artificial tailheads is not permitted.
- 5. Any animal not having a legible tattoo or firebrand number is ineligible and will be barred from showing.
- 6. Bulls from classes 40, 41, 44, 45, and 46 must have a valid, satisfactory semen test certificate in possession. This certificate is valid for the entire show season.
- 7. All animals shown in individual classes must be weaned, with the exception of the Cow-Calf Class and calves at the side of females calved after September 1, 2021. Calves must be purebred and registered with the AICA. Females calved after September 1, 2021, must show in individual female class appropriate to age. Nurse cows are not permitted.
- 8. All females 20 months and older exhibited at AICA sanctioned shows must be accompanied by a certificate of pregnancy from a licensed veterinarian or have produced fertile eggs as certified in a written statement by a licensed veterinarian or embryologist or have a calf at side.
- 9. AICA requires that all animals be shown with a halter and suggests that all bulls be shown with a nose lead.
- 10. ALL EXHIBITS OF CHAROLAIS BREEDING CATTLE SHALL BE GOVERNED BY THE AICA RULES AND REGULATIONS, ARTICLE XV, TITLED EXHIBITION OF ANIMALS. THE INSPECTION OF EXHIBIT CATTLE IS SPECIFIED IN ARTICLE XV, PARAGRAPH C, OF THE ASSOCIATION RULES AND REGULATIONS AND NON-COMPLIANCE OF EXHIBIT INSPECTION IS SPECIFIED IN PARAGRAPH D OF THE SAME ARTICLE XV.

ARTICLE XV, PARAGRAPH B, POINT 2: "Each animal will be presented in its natural conformation and structure without alteration or modification. Alteration or modification shall be defined to include any surgical, chemical, electrical or other (including banding or other circulatory constriction) change for cosmetic purpose, save only branding, tattooing, foot trimming or dehorning. The act of artificially filling animals internally, which would include stomach pumping, drench tubes, or any other method per os (by esophagus), is prohibited. Silicone injection or other injection for cosmetic purpose shall be prohibited. Anabolic steroid use shall likewise be prohibited and any animal testing positive for anabolic steroid or diuretic use shall be presumed to be altered and modified."

Effective October 22, 2004, at any American-International Charolais Association (AICA) sanctioned show (including shows receiving AICA premium funding and/or qualifying as a Roll of Excellence Show), the use of a coloring agent, flock and powder is prohibited. Use of these products will result in the immediate disqualification of a given animal at such show.

ALL OTHER RULES OF SHOW APPLY.

CHAROLAIS PREMIUM SCHEDULE

1 st	2nd	3rd
\$100	\$75	\$50

FEMALE CLASSES:

- 1. Summer heifer calves: born after July 1, 2024
- 2. Late spring heifer calves: born May 1 June 30, 2024
- 3. Early spring heifer calves: born March 1 April 30, 2024
- 4. Junior heifer calves: born January 1 February 29, 2024
- 5. JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION FEMALE
- 6. RESERVE JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION FEMALE
- 7. Winter heifer calves: born November 1 December 31, 2023
- 8. Senior heifer calves: born September 1 October 31, 2023
- 9. SENIOR CALF CHAMPION FEMALE
- 10. RESERVE SENIOR CALF CHAMPION FEMALE
- 11. Late summer yearling females: born July 1 August 31, 2023
- 12. Summer yearling females: born May 1 June 30, 2023
- 13. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE
- 14. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE FEMALE
- 15. Late spring yearling females: born April 1 April 30, 2023
- 16. Early spring yearling females: born March 1 March 31, 2023
- 17. JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE
- 18. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE
- 19. Junior yearling females: born January 1 February 28, 2023
- 20. Senior yearling females: born September 1 December 31, 2022
- 21. SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE
- 22. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE
- 23. Cow-Calf:

First Place – Champion Cow-Calf

Second Place – Reserve Champion Cow-Calf

Calf must be cow's natural calf, not embryo transplant. Calf to be no more than 250 days of age by day of show. No age restriction on cow. Calf not eligible to compete in individual calf classes if shown with dam. Pair is eligible for Grand or Reserve Grand Champion Female. Cow and / or calf may be included in group class entries as individual, not as a pair comprising a single animal unit.

- 24. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE
- 25. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE

BULL CLASSES:

- 26. Late summer bull calves: born after July 1, 2024
- 27. Late spring bull calves: born May 1 June 30, 2024
- 28. Early spring bull calves: born March 1 April 30, 2024
- 29. Junior bull calves: born January 1 February 29, 2024
- 30. JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION BULL
- 31. RESERVE JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION BULL
- 32. Winter bull calves: born November 1 December 31, 2023
- 33. Senior bull calves: born September 1 October 31, 2023
- 34. SENIOR CALF CHAMPION BULL
- 35. RESERVE SENIOR CALF CHAMPION BULL
- 36. Late summer yearling bulls: born July 1 August 31, 2023
- 37. Summer yearling bulls: born May 1 June 30, 2023
- 38. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL
- 39. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL
- 40. Spring yearling bulls: born March 1 April 30, 2023
- 41. Junior yearling bulls: born January 1 February 28, 2023
- 42. JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL
- 43. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL
- 44. Senior yearling bulls: born September 1 December 31, 2022
- 45. Summer senior yearling bulls: born May 1 August 31, 2022
- 46. Two-year-old bulls: born January 1 April 30, 2022
- 47. SENIOR CHAMPION BULL
- 48. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL
- 49. GRAND CHAMPION BULL
- 50. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL

GROUP CLASSES:

- 1. PRODUCE OF DAM -Two animals, either sex, from one dam to be shown in individual classes to be eligible. May be owned by more than one exhibitor.
- 2. JUNIOR GET-OF-SIRE -Three animals all by one sire, both sexes to be represented, may be owned by more than one exhibitor. All animals must be shown in their individual classes to be eligible. Bulls from classes 26, 27, 28, 29, 32 and 33. Females from classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 7 and 8.
- 3. GET-OF-SIRE -Three animals all by one sire, both sexes to be represented, may be owned by more than one exhibitor. All animals must be shown in their individual classes to be eligible. This get must have a minimum of two animals born before September 1, 2018, for the Get-of-Sire competition.
- 4. BREEDERS' HERD -Four animals, either sex, bred and owned by exhibitor. All animals must be shown in their individual classes to be eligible.
- 5. GROUP OF FIVE HEAD Five animals of either sex owned by the exhibitor from either the calf classes, junior classes, the senior classes or a combination.

GELBVIEH and GELBVEIH/BALANCER

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 14, 2025 at 3:00 p.m. (Barn 14) ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 13, 2025 at 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES CLOSE: JANUARY 24, 2025

The 2025 Dixie National will include an Open Gelbvieh Show with an Open Balancer Show beginning 15 minutes after the Gelbvieh Show. The same rules will apply for the Balancer as for the Gelbvieh.

Open Gelbvieh Show Rules

- 1. All animals exhibited must be recorded in the name of the exhibitor prior to entry deadline. A copy of the registration paper or an affidavit of registration must accompany each entry to show.
- 2. Animals are placed in the category based on the rule of the year that animal was born: "Gelbvieh females sixty-nine point one (75%) percent to one hundred (100%) percent will show together in the Gelbvieh show. Gelbvieh bulls sixty-nine point one (75%) percent to one hundred (100%) percent will show together in the Gelbvieh show. A Gelbvieh female or bull that is at least 75% Gelbvieh or more and qualifies for the Balancer® trademark can choose whether to show as Gelbvieh or Balancer at the time of entry. To qualify for the Balancer® Show all cattle must meet the American Gelbvieh Association's Balancer trademark rules for registration as a Balancer.
- 3. Cattle must be entered and exhibited under the recorded ownership at the time of show deadline date. Jointly owned animals must be entered and shown under the multi-ownership (all co-owners) in the individual classes.
- 4. All animals must either be properly tattooed, including herd prefix and will be inspected at the show. If the tattoo is illegible or does not correspond to registration certificate, the animal is ineligible to show or may be re-tattooed by the exhibitor and re-checked at the end of processing. EID numbers will be accepted as permanent forms of animal identification but must be printed on the animals registration paper.
- 5. All cattle must meet the health requirements set out by the Show Management. Any deviation from the health requirements will be just cause for immediate disqualification from the show.
- 6. Show committee prohibits the use of powders of any color, false tailheads and glued-on hair or hair-like substances.
- 7. All bulls must show with a nose lead. Entry into the show ring without one will be an automatic disqualification. The right to disqualify from the show any animal deemed unmanageable is reserved by the show committee.
- 8. Age of calf at side in cow/calf class must not exceed two hundred forty (240) days as of date of show. Calf must be natural calf, not an embryo transfer calf.
- 9. Any person found guilty of misrepresentation, or not abiding by the show rules will be disqualified and denied the privilege of showing.
- 10. Classes will be split as evenly as possible after processing. Splits will be decided using the total entries at processing.
- 11. It is expected and required that all parties involved in any Gelbvieh or Balancer show shall respect, cooperate, and be courteous to the judge, show management, exhibitors, the American Gelbvieh Association, AGA staff, and spectators before, during, or after a show. If an exhibitor, employee, or family member of exhibiting operation should violate this via phone call, text message, email, social media, and/or in person, that operation will be removed from the show and/or be banned from exhibiting in any Gelbvieh or Balancer show for a year including AGJA Junior Nationals and the National Gelbvieh and Balancer show. Any Gelbvieh or Balancer animal co-owned by offending operation will also not be allowed to be exhibited at any AGA sanctioned show for that year.

GELBVIEH PREMIUM SCHEDULE

1st	2nd	3rd
\$100	\$75	\$50

FEMALE CLASSES:

SUMMER HEIFER CALVES: calved after May 1, 2024

SPRING HEIFER CALVES: calved between March 1 and April 30, 2024

WINTER HEIFER CALVES: calved between Jan. 1 and Feb. 29, 2024

SENIOR HEIFER CALVES: calved between Nov. 1 and Dec. 31, 2023

SENIOR HEIFER CALVES: calved between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, 2023

INTERMEDIATE YEARLING HEIFERS: calved between July 1 and Aug. 31, 2023

INTERMEDIATE YEARLING HEIFERS: calved between May 1 and June 30, 2023

JUNIOR YEARLING HEIFERS: calved between March 1 and April 30, 2023

JUNIOR YEARLING HEIFERS: calved between Jan. 1 and Feb. 29, 2023

SENIOR YEARLING HEIFERS: calved between Sept. 1 and Dec. 31, 2022

COW/CALF PAIRS: cows calved between Jan. 1 and Aug. 31, 2022

AGED COW/CALF PAIRS: cows calved prior to Jan. 1, 2022

Calves at side of both groups must be cow's natural calf, not embryo transplant; maximum age of calf is 240 days.

Divisions:

Summer Heifer Calves Class 1
Spring Heifer Calves Class 2
Winter Heifer Calves Class 3

Senior Heifers Classes 4 & 5

Intermediate Yearling Heifers Classes 6 & 7 Junior Heifers Classes 8 & 9

Senior Heifers Class 10 Cow Calf Classes 11&12

(If there are more than 10 animals in a class, the AGA recommends that the class be split. Cow/Calf

DOES compete for overall champion female.)

GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE

BULL CLASSES:

SUMMER BULL CALVES: calved after May 1, 2024

SPRING BULL CALVES: calved between March 1 and April 30, 2024 WINTER BULL CALVES: calved between Jan. 1 and Feb. 29, 2024 SENIOR BULL CALVES: calved between Nov. 1 and Dec. 31, 2023 SENIOR BULL CALVES: calved between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, 2023

 $INTERMEDIATE\ YEARLING\ BULLS:\ calved\ between\ May\ 1\ and\ Aug.\ 31,2023$

JUNIOR YEARLING BULLS: calved between March 1 and April 30, 2023 JUNIOR YEARLING BULLS: calved between Jan. 1 and Feb. 29, 2023 SENIOR YEARLING BULLS: calved between Sept. 1 and Dec. 31, 2022 TWO-YEAR OLD BULLS: calved between January 1 and August 31, 2022

THREE-YEAR-OLD BULLS: calved July 1 - December 31, 2021 THREE-YEAR-OLD BULLS: calved January 1 - June 30, 2021

PAIR OF CALVES: Two animals, both sexes represented. Owned or co-owned by exhibitor.

Born after September 1, 2020. Must have shown in individual classes.

PRODUCE OF DAM: Two head out of one dam. No ownership requirements.

Must have shown in individual classes.

GET-OF-SIRE: Four animals with both sexes represented. Must have two animals born

before September 1, 2020. No ownership requirements. All must have

shown in individual classes.

BEST FOUR HEAD: Four animals, owned or co-owned by the exhibitor. Must

have been shown in individual classes.

STATE FAIR AND REGIONAL SHOW CLASSIFICATIONS

Divisions:

Summer Bull Calves Class 1
Spring Bull Calves Class 2
Winter Bull Calves Class 3

Senior Bull Calves Class(es) 4 & 5

Intermediate Bulls Class 6

Junior Yearling Bulls
Senior Yearling Bulls
Class(es) 7 & 8
Class(es) 8 & 9
Class(es) 10, 11, & 12

GRAND CHAMPION BULL

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL

NOTE: All animals exhibited must be recorded in the name of the exhibitor prior to December 15. A copy of the registration paper or an affidavit of registration must accompany each entry to the show. All cattle will show by the breed percentage rules adopted by the AGA Board of Directors that determines animal category. Animals are placed in the category based on the rule of the year that animal was born: "Gelbvieh females sixty-nine point one (75%) percent to one hundred (100%) percent will show together in the Gelbvieh bulls sixty-nine point one (75%) percent to one hundred (100%) percent will show together in the Gelbvieh show. A Gelbvieh female or bull that is at least 75% Gelbvieh or more and qualifies for the Balancer® trademark can choose whether to show as Gelbvieh or Balancer at the time of entry. No changes can be made after entry deadline. To qualify for the Balancer® Show all cattle must meet the American Gelbvieh Association's Balancer trademark rules for registration as a Balancer. Exhibitor must designate Gelbvieh or Balancer as breed on the entry form.

HEREFORD (Horned and Polled) SHOW

SHOW DATE: February 15, 2025, 2:00 p.m. (Barn 14) ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: February 14, 2025, 5:00 p.m.

ENTRIES CLOSE: January 24, 2025

Exhibitors in Hereford classes are subject to the association's special rule on class qualification, and an animal without a legible tattoo will not be eligible for show. All Hereford animals must be officially recorded at show time to be eligible for show. Entries with registrations "Pending" or "Applied for" will be ineligible to show. The Dixie National will go by the National Show rules.

HEREFORD PREMIUM SCHEDULE

1st	2nd	3rd
\$100	\$75	\$50

Hereford female show classifications

- 1. COW/CALF (Any female older than the below ages with a calf at side.)
 - Calf older than 240 days of age on the show date is not eligible to show in cow/calf class.
 - If the cow is horned and the calf polled, then the pair shows in the horned cow-calf class, and if the cow is polled and the calf is horned, then the pair shows in the polled cow-calf class.
 - Calf is eligible for individual classes but must be entered in the appropriate class.
 - Cow-calf does not compete for overall champion female.
- 2. Spring heifer calves: calved after March 1 to June 30
- 3. Junior heifer calves: calved from January 1 to February 28
- 4. Senior heifer calves: calved from November 1 to Dec. 31.
- 5. Senior heifer calves: calved between August 1 to October 31
- 6. Late summer yearling females: calved June 16 to July 31.
- 7. Early summer yearling females: calved May 1 to May 31.
- 8. Spring yearling females: calved March 1 to April 30.
- 9. Junior yearling females: calved Jan. 1 to Feb. 28.
- 10. Senior yearling females: calved August 1 to Dec. 31
 - For shows occurring January 1 May 1, a senior yearling female class and division will be allowed. Females must show with a calf at side.

Divisions:

Junior Heifer Calves
Senior Heifer Calves
Class(es) 2 & 3
Class(es) 4 & 5
Intermediate Yearling Females
Spring Yearling Females
Junior Yearling Females
Senior Yearling Heifers
Class 9
Class 9
Class 10

*The AHA reserves the right to break classes so a 30-day age span may be maintained in the spring, junior, and senior calf classes (Classes 1-10). If there are more than 10 animals in a class the AHA show committee recommends that the class be split. Cow-Calf does not compete for overall champion female.

HEREFORD

Hereford Bull show classifications

- 1. Spring bull calves: calved after March 1 to June 30.
- 2. Junior bull calves: calved January 1 to Feb. 28.
- 3. Senior bull calves: calved Nov 1 to Dec. 31.
- 4. Senior bull calves: calved August 1 to October 31.
- 5. Late summer yearling bulls: calved June 1 to July 31.
- 6. Early summer yearling bulls: calved May 1 to May 31.
- 7. Spring yearling bulls: calved March 1 and Apr. 30.
- 8. Junior yearling bulls: calved Jan. 1 to Feb. 29.
- 9. Senior yearling bulls: calved August 1 to Dec. 31.
- 10. Two-year old bulls: calved January 1 to July 31.

Divisions

Junior Bull Calves	Class(es) 1 & 2
Senior Bull Calves	Class(es) 3 & 4
Intermediate Bulls	Class(es) 5 & 6
Yearling Bulls	Class(es) 7 & 8
Senior Bulls	Class(es) 9 & 10

^{*}The AHA reserves the right to break classes so a 30-day age span may be maintained in the spring, junior, and senior calf classes (Classes 1-10)

GROUP CLASSES

Get of Sire — Four animals shown in above single-entry classes with both sexes represented and all to be the progeny of one sire. It is permissible to use either the cow or calf from a cow/calf pair for the Get of Sire. Get of Sire may be comprised of animals from one or more owners.

Best Six Head — Owned by Exhibitor. All animals must have been shown in their respective single-entry classes and they must be owned by exhibitor or by a member of his/her immediate family. A cow/calf will be considered as two head in the Best Six Head class.

Premier Exhibitor - Premier Breeder

Awarded with the following point system:

1st place - 5 points 2nd place - 4 points 3rd place - 3 points 4th place - 2 points 5th place - 1 point

No points will be given for champions. Points will be awarded for the Best Six Head for Premier Exhibitor. The same scoring system as above will be used for awarding points for the group classes. It is suggested that banners be given to Premier Exhibitor and Premier Breeder

LONGHORN

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 9, 2025, 11:00 a.m. (Barn 14) ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 7, 2024, 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES CLOSE: JANUARY 24, 2024

Approved Breed Standard - Texas Longhorns

The most distinctive feature of the Texas Longhorn is the horn. Horns should be of moderate diameter, with the diameter of the horn not to exceed that of the poll. Females should have out swept horns with twist or curl preferred. Males can have a wide variety in shape and angle of horn. Horns less than 48" (4 feet) at maturity for both sexes are highly objectionable. Exhibition steers, regardless of age, are considered trophy steers (not market steers) and should have exceptional length or shape to the horn.

The head should be of moderate to pronounced length with moderate width across the forehead and a wide muzzle, giving an almost rectangular profile. The ears will be small and held close to the horn. Long hair in the ear is preferred. The neck should be trim in females and well-muscled in bulls, with no evidence of hump, and should blend in well at the shoulder.

The neck should be trim and tie in smoothly in both sexes. The bull should have a crest over the midpoint of the neck. The shoulder should be free with a moderate slope in both sexes. The topline should be strong and level with good width. Trophy steers may have a slight downward slope from the shoulders to hips. The hip should have a moderate slope from hooks to pins. Level hip/elevated pins or sharply sloped hips should be severely discounted. The tailhead should be balanced and neither square or overly sloped exhibiting a characteristic "fish hook" in the sacral vertebrae. The tail should be long and straight with a tail switch that reaches to at least the mid cannon and preferably the fetlocks at maturity.

The body should be deep in relation to the length of spine with balance between the heart girth and flank depth. Trophy steers will have a deeper heart girth in relation to flank depth. Ribs should be well sprung. The brisket should be clean and free of excessive fleshiness with moderate width.

The feet and legs should be strong with a large foot and well angled pasterns. There should be a moderate set to the hock when viewed from the profile. Fore and hind feet should point forward, being neither pigeon toed nor splay footed. Both sexes should have a strong stride with no knuckling of the pasterns, the rear foot should track precisely in the footprint of the fore foot. Upright pasterns or "post legged" animals are highly objectionable. Excessive space between claws is objectionable.

Muscling should be smooth in both sexes. The topline should be broad when viewed from the rear with good width of loin. The musculature should be carried well down the stifle in the rear and into the forearm on the fore. The hip should be well muscled without appearing square. Larger horned animals may have increased musculature in the neck, to support the increased head weight, but should still maintain appropriate smoothness.

The haircoat should be slick and short (seasonally) as Longhorn cattle are not considered haired cattle. Coat patterns and colors are extremely varied.

The underline should be clean with no prominent navel/prepuce or excessive flesh. The udder should be attached well forward in the front quarters and high in the rear quarters. The udder floor should be level with evenly spaced teats of a small diameter and short to moderate length. The teats should not extend below the level of the hock. Testicles should be even and of an appropriate circumference for age. Testicles should hang level and not show any evidence of twist.

Overall, the animal should appear well balanced and functional. Traditional Longhorn conformation traits are centered around ensuring longevity. The preceding breed standard was created to preserve and promote the characteristics that maintain the identity of the Texas Longhorn.

LONGHORN

FEMALES - HALTERED DIVISION

Class 1 Born September-December 2024

Class 2 Born July-August 2024

Class 3 Born May-June 2024

Class 4 Born March-April 2024

Class 5 Born January-February 2024

Class 6 Junior Champion Haltered Female (Class winners from Classes 1-5)

Class 7 Reserve Junior Champion Haltered Female (Remaining first place winners and second place winner from Junior Champion Class)

Class 8 Born September-December 2023

Class 9 Born May-August 2023

Class 10 Born January-April 2023

Class 11 Born 2022

Class 12 Senior Champion Haltered Female (Class winners from Classes 8-11)

Class 13 Reserve Senior Champion Haltered Female (Remaining first place winners and second place winner from Senior Champion Class)

Class 14 Grand Champion Haltered Female (From Junior Champion and Senior Champion)

Class 15 Reserve Grand Champion Haltered Female (Remaining Champion and the Reserve Champion to the Grand Champion)

HALTERED MATURE FEMALES

Class 16 Born 2019-2021

Class 17 Born 2018 and before

Class 18 Grand Champion Haltered Mature Female (Class winners from classes 16-17)

Class 19 Reserve Grand Champion Haltered Mature Female (Remaining first place winner and second place winner from Grand Champion class).

BULLS (Shown at Halter WITH NOSE LEAD)

Class 20 Born September-December 2024

Class 21 Born July-August 2024

Class 22 Born May-June 2024

Class 23 Born March-April 2024

Class 24 Born January-February 2024

Class 25 Junior Champion Bull (Class Winners from Classes 20-24)

Class 26 Reserve Junior Champion Bull (Remaining first place winners plus second place winner from Junior Champion Class)

Class 27 Born September-December 2023 **

Class 28 Born May-August 2023 **

Class 29 Born January-April 2023 **

Class 30 Senior Champion Bull

Class 31 Reserve Senior Champion Bull ** (Remaining first place winners plus second place winner from Senior Champion Class)

Class 32 Grand Champion Bull (From Junior Champion and Senior Champion)

Class 33 Reserve Grand Champion Bull (Remaining Champion and Reserve Champion to the Grand Champion)

** (Exhibitor must be 13 years of age and/or teen or senior showmanship division)

GROUP CLASSES

(These are not qualifying classes – no qualifying fee is due)

Class 34 Produce of Dam

Two animals, natural birth, any sex, and can have different owners (ET calves not eligible)

Class 35 Get of Sire

Three animals, natural birth, both sex, 2 or more different dams, and can have different owners. (ET calves not eligible)

The Produce of Dam and Get of Sire classes will be offspring shown at halter from age groups of females: Class 11 and under; bulls: from the established classes.

FEMALES – NON-HALTERED DIVISION

Class 1 Born September-December 2024

Class 2 Born July-August 2024

Class 3 Born May-June 2024

Class 4 Born March-April 2024

Class 5 Born January-February 2024

Class 6 Junior Champion Non-Haltered Division Female (Class winners from Classes 1-5)

Class 7 Reserve Junior Champion Non-Haltered Division Female (Remaining first place winners and second place winner from Junior Champion Class)

Class 8 Born September-December 2023

Class 9 Born May-August 2023

Class 10 Born January-April 2023

Class 11 Born 2022

Class 12 Senior Champion Non-Haltered Division Female (Class winners from Classes 8-11)

Class 13 Reserve Senior Champion Non-Haltered Division Female (Remaining first place winners and second place winner from Senior Champion Class)

Class 14 Grand Champion Non-Haltered Division Female (From Junior Champion and Senior Champion)

Class 15 Reserve Grand Champion Non-Haltered Division Female (Remaining Champion and the Reserve Champion to the Grand Champion)

MATURE FEMALES - NON-HALTERED DIVISION

Class 16 Born 2020-2021

Class 17 Born 2018-2019

Class 18 Born 2017

Class 19 Born 2016 and before

Class 20 Grand Champion Non-Haltered Division Mature Female (Class winners from Classes 16-19)

Class 21 Reserve Grand Champion Non-Haltered Division Mature Female (Remaining first place winners plus second place winner from Grand Champion Class)

TROPHY STEER DIVISION

(NOTE: These animals are not required to qualify at a Qualifying Show – no qualifying fee)

Class 1 Junior Steers – 2022-2023

Class 2 Junior Steers – 2020-2021

Class 3 Junior Champion Steer

Class 4 Reserve Junior Champion Steer

Class 5 Senior Steers – 2016-2019

Class 6 Senior Steers – Born 2015 and before

Class 7 Senior Champion Steer

Class 8 Reserve Senior Champion Steer

Class 9 Grand Champion Steer (from Junior Champion Steer and Senior Champion Steer)

Class 10 Reserve Grand Champion Steer

MINIATURE HEREFORD SHOW

SHOW DATE: February 14, 2025, 1:00 p.m. ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: February 13, 2025, 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES CLOSE: January 24, 2025

Special Rules for Open Miniature Hereford Show

- 1. All exhibitors must be a current paid member of the MHBA to be eligible to show.
- 2. All entries must be registered with the American Hereford Association. Animals with "Pending" or "Applied for" registrations at the date of the show are not eligible to compete.
- 3. Animals must be under the ownership of the entrants name with the AHA for a minimum of 30 days prior to show date, with approved exceptions by the Show Superintendent.
- 4. All entries (including Cow/Calf pairs) will be measured, with no exceptions. Maximum height allowed to be shown in these classes is 45" on females and 48" on bulls and steers.
- 5. Any animal exceeding the height limit will not be eligible to show.
- 6. All horned and polled Miniature Hereford cattle will show together.
- 7. The show superintendent reserves the right to combine or split classes depending upon total entries in class.
- 8. Any animal without the correct, legible tattoo will not be eligible to show.
- 9. One exhibitor per animal is allowed in the show ring. Exhibitors with disabilities must communicate their needs to the Show Superintendent prior to show and will be pre-approved for limited assistance in the show ring.
- 10. Classes will not be held for late exhibitor arrivals.
- 11. Exhibitors or cattle that disrupt the class will be removed.
- 12. Use of hemp hair, removed hair, or other hair-like materials added to the animal's body will not be allowed.
- 13. MHBA does not allow surgical or any other alterations (except dehorning) to the animal that alters the animals original color pattern and conformation. Exhibitors found in violation of this rule will be disqualified from the show.
- 14. No <u>artificial filling</u> (pumping/drenching) of animals will be allowed unless under the advice of a licensed, non-owner veterinarian. Exhibitors found in violation of this rule will be disqualified. <u>Medicating</u> with drench guns may be allowed.
- 15. If an animal's registration has been obtained through misrepresentation or fraud, or if the date of birth, tattoo number, sire, dam or service information, or any other fact regarding the animal has been intentionally misrepresented, the entry and exhibitor will be disqualified from the event in its entirety and will not be allowed back for a period of two calendar years. This applies to all of the exhibitors' entries at that show.
- 16. The MHBA reserves the right to DNA any cattle being shown. Should testing reveal that the animal has been misrepresented on its registration papers, the exhibitor will be disqualified from the MHBA event in its entirety and will not be allowed back. This applies to all of that exhibitor's entries.
- 17. Site-specific protests must be filed at the MHBA Sanctioned Show. Any person wishing to have an animal inspected is required to submit a written protest accompanied by a non-refundable \$500.00 fee paid in cash or by cashier's check written to the MHBA. The person placing the protest is responsible for all costs incurred to verify the protest. Written protest must state plainly the cause of the complaint and must be filed before the championship drive at the sanctioned show. Protests will be handled by the Board of Directors from the MHBA or the current Show Superintendent and show committee.
- 18. All persons making entries in a MHBA sanctioned show, participating or attending said event do so at their own risk and agree to abide by all the rules and regulations and will not hold the Miniature Hereford Breeders Association, the Miniature Hereford Youth Foundation, or any person's or companies associated with this event responsible for any and all accidents to any person, animal, article, or personal property.
- 19. All exhibitors must adhere to the Code of conduct and Liability statement

Heifer Show Rules:

- 1. Heifers must be registered with the American Hereford Association.
- 2. All general rules will apply to the heifer show i.e. ownership, participant age, fitting, etc.

Cow/Calf Pair Rules:

- 1. Cow/Calf Pair's must be registered with the American Hereford Association.
- 2. There is no maximum age for cows.
- 3. Cow must be measured for height and not exceed 45" at the hip.
- 4. Calf must be natural calf, no more than 270 days in age as of the day of the show.
- 5. Polled and horned pairs will be combined in one cow/calf show.
- 6. Calves on the side of cow-calf pairs MUST BE the cow's natural calf
- 7. Calves at the side of cow-calf pairs must be shown in separate heifer, bull, or steer classes if classes are offered by the venue.
- 8. All calves on the side of the cow-calf pairs must be registered and tattooed.
- 9. All general rules will apply to the cow/calf show i.e. ownership, participant age, fitting, etc.

Bull Rules:

- 1. Bulls must be registered with the American Hereford Association.
- 2. A bull over one year of age is required to have a ring in his nose (permanent or removable bug).
- 3. All general rules will apply to the bull show i.e. ownership, participant age, fitting, etc.

Steer Rules:

- 1. Effective January 1, 2024, steers must have a DNA profile on file with complete parentage verification (dam and sire verification) with the American Hereford Association before show entry deadline.
- 2. Prospect steers will not have exceeded one (1) year of age as of the day of the show exhibiting.
- 3. Market Steers must exceed one (1) year of age and not exceed twenty four (24) months as of the day of the show exhibiting.
- 4. All steers must be registered with the American Hereford Association. The registration paper must state Steer and be issued in the name of the exhibitor. No steer certificates will be accepted, only registration papers.
- 5. All Steers may be no greater than 48" at the hip.
- 6. Steer classes will be sub-divided by weight. Classes will be determined after check in, weights, and height measurements.
- 7. All general rules will apply to the steer show i.e. ownership, participant age, fitting, etc.

Bred and Owned Rules:

- 1. To show in a "Bred and Owned" show, the animal must be bred by the exhibitor (must own cow at time of breeding), and owned and shown by the exhibitor. For embryo transplant (ET) calves, the exhibitor must have been the owner of the dam at time of the flush and the exhibitors name must be listed as the "breeder" on the animals AHA registration paper.
- 2. Exhibitor entering in the Bred and Owned category must be the breeder and the first and continuous owner of the animal entered.

MINIATURE HEREFORD PREMIUM SCHEDULE

1st	2nd	3rd
\$100	\$75	\$50

MINIATURE HEREFORD

Open Miniature Hereford Female Show Classifications

- 1. Cow-calf (Any female older than the below ages with a calf at side.)
 - Calf older than 270 days of age on the show date is not eligible to show in cow-calf class.
 - Calf is eligible for individual classes but must be entered in the appropriate class.
 - Cow-calf does not compete for overall champion female.
- 2. Winter Heifer Calves: calved Nov 1- Dec 31, 2024
- 3. Fall Junior Heifer Calves: calved Sept 1- Oct 31, 2024

JUNIOR HEIFER CALF DIVISION CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER CALF DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPION

- 4. Late Summer Heifer Calves: calved July 1-Aug 31, 2024
- 5. Early Summer Heifer Calves: calved May 1-June 30, 2024

INTERMEDIATE HEIFER CALF DIVISION CHAMPION
INTERMEDIATE HEIFER CALF DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPION

- 6. Spring Heifer Calves: calved April 1-April 30, 2024
- 7. Early Spring Heifer Calves: calved March 1-March 31, 2024 SENIOR HEIFER CALF DIVISION CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER CALF DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPION
- 8. Early Yearling Heifer: calved Jan 1-Feb 29, 2024
- 9. Winter Yearling Heifer: calved Nov 1-Dec 31, 2023
 JUNIOR YEARLING HEIFER DIVISION CHAMPION
 JUNIOR YEARLING HEIFER DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPION
- 10. Fall Intermediate Heifer: calved Sept 1-Oct 31, 2023
 INTERMEDIATE YEARLING HEIFER DIVISION CHAMPION

INTERMEDIATE YEARLING HEIFER DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPION

11. Yearling Heifers: calved July 1-Aug 31, 2023

YEARLING HEIFER DIVISION CHAMPION
YEARLING HEIFER DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPION

- 12. Early Senior Yearling Heifer: calved May 1-June 30, 2023
- 13. **Late Senior Yearling Heifer: calved Feb 1-April 30, 2023 (must not be 24 months on day of show)

SENIOR YEARLING HEIFER DIVISION CHAMPION

SENIOR YEARLING HEIFER DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPION

• NOTE: Sr. Yearling females are *not allowed* to show after reaching 2 years of age

GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE

14. Pair of Females: Two females (Must be owned by the same individual, must have been entered and shown in their individual classes.)

Open Miniature Hereford Bull Show Classifications

- 15. Fall Jr Bull Calves: calved after Sept 1- Dec 31, 2024
- 16. Late Summer Bull calves: calved July 1-Aug 31, 2024

JUNIOR BULL CALF DIVISION CHAMPION

JUNIOR BULL CALF DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPION

- 17. Early Summer Bull Calves: calved May 1-June 30, 2024
- 18. Spring Bull Calves: calved March 1-April 30, 2024 SENIOR BULL CALF DIVISION CHAMPION SENIOR BULL CALF DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPION
- 19. Early Yearling Bull: calved Jan 1-Feb 29, 2024
- 20. Winter Yearling Bull: calved Nov 1- Dec 31, 2023
 JUNIOR YEARLING BULL DIVISION CHAMPION
 JUNIOR YEARLING BULL DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPION
- 21. Fall Yearling Bull: calved Sept 1-Oct 31, 2023
- 22. Yearling Bull: calved July 1-Aug 31, 2023
 YEARLING BULL DIVISION CHAMPION
 YEARLING BULL DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPION
- 23. Senior Yearling Bull: calved Jan 1-June 30, 2023
 SENIOR YEARLING BULL DIVISION CHAMPION
 SENIOR YEARLING BULL DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPION
- 24. Two-Year-old Bull: calved July 1-Dec 31, 2023
- 25. Sr. Two-year old Bull: calved Feb 1-June 30, 2022 (must not be 3 year of age on show day) SENIOR BULL DIVISION CHAMPION SENIOR BULL DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPION

GRAND CHAMPION BULL RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL

26. Pair of Bulls: Two Bulls (Must be owned by the same individual, bulls must have been entered and shown in their individual classes)

Open Miniature Hereford Steer Show Classifications

- 27. Prospect Steer: up to one year of age on day of show (classes may be divided in up to 3 weight divisions, if needed)
- 28. Market Steer: over 1 year of age but not to exceed 24 months on day of show (classes may be divided in up to 3 weight divisions, if needed)

Open Miniature Hereford Show Group Classifications

- 29. GET OF SIRE: (3 animals, both sexes represented, all animals must be owned by same individual, must have been entered and shown in individual classes)
- 30. PRODUCE OF DAM: (2 animals from the same dam, natural (no ET), all animals must be owned by same individual, must have been entered and shown in individual classes)
- 31. BEST 4 HEAD: (all animals must be owned by same individual, must have been entered and shown in individual classes)

RED ANGUS SHOW

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 14, 2025, 1:00 p.m. Barn 14 ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 13, 2025, 5:00 p.m.

ENTRIES CLOSE: JANUARY 24, 2025

1. APPLICATION OF SHOW RULES AND CLASSIFICATIONS

- a. The Rules and Regulations set forth in Section J of the Red Angus Association of America (RAAA) Rules and Regulations apply to all RAAA sponsored shows:
 - i. Non-RAAAsponsored shows may use any portion of the RAAAShow Regulations and Classifications, but neither RAAA nor its staff will be responsible for interpretation or enforcement of said regulations/ classifications, nor play any role in conducting a non-RAAA sponsored show.

2. OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS (Rev 6-11)

- a. All animals entered will:
 - i. Have at least one owner on record as a Regular or junior member of RAAA.
 - ii. Be registered with RAAA and meet all requirements for Category 1A or 1B.
 - i. Have Official registered Status at the time of processing.
- b. Ownership requirements are also subject to the rules and regulations of the hosting exhibition.
- c. Substitutions will only be permitted for animals already entered and within class, according to the hosting show's deadline, **but no later than 10 business days** prior to the date of processing.

3. GENERAL REGULATIONS

- a. Entries are accepted with the understanding that each exhibitor agrees to conform to the rules and regulations of the RAAA. Enforcement will be at the discretion of the RAAA authorized representation and may include barring an animal or exhibitor.
- b. Exhibitors shall exhibit sportsmanship and professional behavior in and around the show ring. Abusive, discourteous, or threatening behavior towards judges, show officials, fellow exhibitors or RAAA authorized representatives will not be tolerated.
- c. All animals must have legible tattoos which match the Animal ID and Herd Prefix as recorded in the RAAA database prior to processing.
 - i. Animal ID and Herd Prefix verification may be via printed registration certificate or real time electronic representation of the RAAA database.
- d. Each animal will be exhibited in its natural conformation and structure and without any alterations or modifications, with the exception of acceptable fitting and grooming practices.
- e. The use of coloring agents, paints, and/or the addition of any hair or hair-like substances will not be allowed.
- f. No pumping
- g. At the time of processing, all females 20 months of age or older on publicized date of show must have one of the following:
 - i. Certificate of pregnancy from a licensed veterinarian
 - ii. Written statement by a licensed veterinarian or embryologist of having produced fertile eggs
 - iii.Female's own natural born calf at side, which need not be registered, but must be eligible for category 1A or 1B registration in the RAAA
- h. All bulls 9 months of age or older (on announced date of show) exhibited at a show sponsored by the Red Angus Association of America must be shown with a nose lead.
- i. After processing, should the number of entries in any class exceed practicality, authority representative of the RAAA have the authority to "split" classes according to age and the date of birth that best encourages fair competition.
- j. Any calf exhibited at the side of their dam in a cow/calf class may be exhibited in an individual class subject to all pertinent RAAA Show Rules and Classifications
- k. Any exhibitor who loses control of his/her animal twice in the show ring will be required to remove the animal from the show ring.

4. DECLARATION OF PARTICIPATION

Each exhibitor is subject to the following "Declaration of Participation" in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the RAAA:

"I/We, as exhibitor of Red Angus, having made entry application to any Red Angus show or exhibition do hereby agree:

- "To make our cattle available to any tests or examinations called for by authorized representatives of the RAAA or show officials with regard to acceptability of the cattle to be exhibited in the show.
- "To release the RAAA, its Board of Directors, staff and authorized representatives, from any claims for damages resulting from any such examinations or tests requested by authorized representatives of the Association or show officials.
- "To retain the right to challenge the results of any such examination or test in due course and under the provisions of the Right to Appeal, in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the RAAA".

RED ANGUS PREMIUM SCHEDULE

1 st	2^{nd}	3rd
\$100	\$75	\$50

RED ANGUS SHOW CLASSIFICATIONS

Red Angus Show year runs from July 1 to June 30

FEMALES CLASSES

- 1. MAY OR YOUNGER CALVES: calved May 1 and after, same year as beginning of show year
- 2. APRIL CALVES: calved April 1 30, same year as beginning of show year
- 3. MARCH CALVES: calved March 1 31, same year as beginning of show year
- 4. **SPRING CALF CHAMPION:** Class winners from 42, 43 and 44 (Rev 1-08)
- 5. **RESERVE SPRING CALF CHAMPION:** Remaining Class winners and the 2nd place winner from the class of the Spring Calf Champion. (Rev 1-08)
- 6. FEBRUARY CALVES: calved February 1 29, same year as beginning of show year
- 7. JANUARY CALVES: calved January 1 31, same year as beginning of show year
- 8. **JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION:** Winners of Class 47 and 48 (Rev 1-08)
- 9. **RESERVE JR CALF CHAMPION**: Remaining Class winners and 2nd place winner from the Class of Junior Calf Champion. (Rev 1-08)
- 10. WINTER CALVES: calved Nov. 1 Dec. 31, year prior to beginning of show year
- 11. SENIOR CALVES: calved Sept. 1 Oct. 31, year prior to beginning of show year
- 12. FALL CALF CHAMPION: Winners from Class 51 and 52 (Rev 1-08)
- 13. **RESERVE FALL CALF CHAMPION:** Remaining Class Winners and 2nd place winner from Class of Fall Calf Champion (Rev 1-08)
- 14. LATE SUMMER YEARLING: calved July 1 August 31, year prior to beginning of show year
- 15. SUMMER YEARLING: calved May 1 to June 30, year prior to beginning of show year
- 16. **INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION:** Class winners from 55 and 56 (Rev. 9-11)
- 17. **RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION:** Remaining class winners and the 2nd place winner from the Class of Intermediate Champion. (Rev 1-08)
- 18. APRIL SPRING YEARLING: calved April 1 to April 30, year prior to beginning of show year
- 19. MARCH SPRING YEARLINGS: calved March 1 March 31, year prior to beginning of show year
- 20. SENIOR INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION: Class winners from class 59 and 60
- 21. **RESERVE SENIOR INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION:** Remaining class winners and the 2nd place winner from the Class of the Senior Intermediate Champion

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- 22. FEBRUARY SPRING YEARLING: calved February 1 28, year prior to beginning of show year
- 23. JANUARY JUNIOR YEARLINGS: calved January 1 31, year prior to beginning of show year
- 24. **JUNIOR CHAMPION:** Class winners from 63 and 64. (Rev 1-08)
- 25. **RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION:** Remaining Class winners and 2nd place winner from the class of Junior Champion (Rev 1-08)
- 26. WINTER YEARLINGS: calved from November 1 to December 31, Two years prior to the beginning of the show year.
- 27. SENIOR YEARLINGS: calved September 1 October 31, two years prior to beginning of show year
- 28. SENIOR CHAMPION: Winners from Class 67 and 68
- 29. **RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION**: Remaining Class winners and the 2nd prize winner from the Class of the Senior Champion.
- 30. TWO YR OLD COW WITH CALF: Cow must be born after January, two years prior to beginning of show year. Calf may not be an ET calf, must be under 250 days of age and still nursing. (Rev. 1-08)
- 31. MATURE COW AND CALF: Cow must be born before January, two years prior to beginning of show year. Calf may not be an ET calf, must be under 250 days of age and still nursing
- 32. COW CALF CHAMPION: Winners from Class 71 and 72
- 33. **RESERVE COW CALF CHAMPION:** Remaining Class winners and the 2nd prize winner from the Class of the Cow Calf Champion.
- 34. **GRAND CHAMPION:** Winners from Division 45, 49, 53, 57, 61, 65, 69, and 73.
- 35. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION**: Remaining Division winners and the Reserve Division winner from the Division of the Grand Champion.

BULL CLASSES

- 36. MAY CALVES: calved May 1 and after, same year as beginning of show year
- 37. APRIL CALVES: calved April 1 30, same year as beginning of show year
- 38. MARCH CALVES: calved March 1 31, same year as beginning of show year
- 39. **SPRING CALF CHAMPION:** Class winners from 77, 78, and 79
- 40. **RESERVE SPRING CALF CHAMPION:** Remaining Class winners and the 2nd place winner from the class of the Spring Calf Champion. (Rev 1-08)
- 41. FEBRUARY CALVES: calved February 1 29, same year as beginning of show year
- 42. JANUARY CALVES: calved January 1 31, same year as beginning of show year
- 43. JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION: Winners of Class 82 and 83 (Rev 1-08)
- 44. **RESERVE JR CALF CHAMPION:** Remaining Class winners and 2nd place winner from the Class of Junior Calf Champion. (Rev 1-08)
- 45. WINTER CALVES: calved Nov. 1 Dec. 31, year prior to beginning of show year
- 46. SENIOR CALVES: calved Sept. 1 Oct. 31, year prior to beginning of show year
- 47. FALL CALF CHAMPION: Winners from Class 86 and 87 (Rev 1-08)
- 48. **RESERVE FALL CALF CHAMPION:** Remaining Class Winners and 2nd place winner from Class of Fall Calf Champion (Rev 1-08)

- 49. LATE SUMMER YEARLING: calved July 1 August 31, year prior to beginning of show year
- 50. SUMMER YEARLING: calved May 1 to June 30, year prior to beginning of show year
- 51. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION: Class winners from 90 and 91
- 52. **RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION:** Remaining class winners and the 2nd place winner from the Class of Intermediate Champion
- 53. APRIL SPRING YEARLING: calved April 1 to April 30, year prior to beginning of show year
- 54. MARCH SPRING YEARLINGS: calved March 1 March 31, year prior to beginning of show year
- 55. FEBRUARY JUNIOR SPRING YEARLING: calved February 1 28, year prior to beginning of show year
- 56. JANUARY JUNIOR YEARLINGS: calved January 1 31, year prior to beginning of show year
- 57. JUNIOR CHAMPION: Class winners from 94, 95, 96, and 97
- 58. **RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION:** Remaining 1st prize winners and 2nd prize winner from Junior Champion class
- 59. SENIOR YEARLINGS: calved Sept. 1 Dec. 31, two years prior to beginning of show year
- 60. SUMMER SENIOR YEARLING: calved May 1 Aug. 31, two years prior to beginning of show year
- 61. TWO-YEAR-OLD BULLS: Bulls born Jan. 1 April 30, two years prior to beginning of show year
- 62. **SENIOR CHAMPION:** Winners from Class 100, 101, and 102
- 63. **RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION:** Remaining Class winners and 2nd place winner from the Class of the Senior Champion
- 64. **GRAND CHAMPION:** Winners from class 80, 84, 88, 92, 98, and 103.
- 65. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** Remaining Class Winners and the 2nd place winner from the Class of the Senior Champion

GROUP CLASSES - OPEN SHOW

- 66. PRODUCE OF DAM Two animals by the same dam, either or both sexes, both shown in their respective classes. Animals shown in this class need not be owned by the exhibitor
- 67. SENIOR GET OF SIRE Four animals by the same sire, both sexes represented, need not be owned by the exhibitor. All animals must have been shown in their respective classes.
- 68. JUNIOR GET OF SIRE Three animals by the same sire, both sexes represented, need not be owned by the exhibitor. Entries must have been calved on or after September 1, year prior to beginning of show year. All animals must have been shown in their respective classes
- 69. PREMIER BREEDER Will be computed from breeder's placement in individual classes only as follows:

 3 points for each 1st; 2 points for each 2nd; 1 point for each 3rd. Maximum number of placements to be used to determine winner shall be limited to five (5).

 Calculated on breeders of animals for exhibitors only. (In case of a tie, the next highest individual class placement will be used to determine the winner.)
- 70. PREMIER EXHIBITOR Will be computed from exhibitor's placement in individual classes only as follows: 3 points for each 1st; 2 points for each 2nd; 1 point for each 3rd. Maximum number of placements to be used to determine winner shall be limited to five (5). (In case of a tie, the next highest individual class placement will be used to determine winner.)

SANTA GERTRUDIS SHOW

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 8, 2025, 8:00 a.m. (Barn 14) ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 7, 2025, 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES CLOSE: JANUARY 24, 2025

RULES AND REGULATIONS

All exhibits of Santa Gertrudis breeding cattle must be registered or recorded (50% - 75% with one parent a registered Santa Gertrudis), meeting the requirements for registration or recordation as outlined in the Santa Gertrudis Rules and Regulations for Registration, and shall be governed by the last revised version of the Rules and Regulations for Approved Santa Gertrudis Open and Junior Shows as approved by the Board of Santa Gertrudis Breeders International, P.O. Box 1257, Kingsville, TX 78364. A copy may be obtained by contacting the association or viewed at www.santagertrudis.com.

- a. Each owner must be a member in good standing with SGBI. No outstanding balances on an active or junior members account.
- b. ALL animals accepted for exhibition in an SGBI sanctioned show are subject to inspection at each show between arrival on grounds and prior to entering the show ring. The inspection will be conducted by a committee comprised of two (2) members of the Shows and Exhibits Committee and one (1) from the Breed Standards Committee.
- c. Heifers twenty-four (24) months of age or older must be safe in calf as verified by a graduate veterinarian or have produced a live, Santa Gertrudis sired calf with that calf at side meeting the Standard of Excellence and the calf must be registered by thirty (30) days of age. If the animal is open due to being an embryo transfer program this fact must be verified by a written statement signed by a licensed embryo technician in order to show.
- d. All late summer yearling bulls and older must be exhibited with a nose ring or nose clip.
- e. All animals must be registered or recorded and PERMANENTLY identified **before the show** with a brand ID or an ear tattoo.

JUNIOR OWNERS AND POSSESSION RULE

- a. To be eligible to compete in SGBI approved junior shows, animal(s) must be registered or recorded in the name of the junior member. This registered or recorded junior must feed, fit, care for and show the animal entered. Ownership deadline is April 1st for all animals born January 1st of the preceding year and thereafter, and November 1st for all other animals.
- b. Juniors participating in Open Shows are allowed and encouraged. Entry must be shown by owner or family member (sister, brother, mother, grandparent, legal guardian, relative by blood). No animal may be fitted or shown by any open exhibitor at any time during the junior's ownership period. An exception is transportation, feed, and care to a show for the duration of the show. In the event of an emergency another junior member may show the animal with the approval of the Shows and Exhibits Chairman or his/her representative.

FITTING

- a. Purebred fitting All purebred animals must be exhibited with the hair brushed down on the entire body, legs, and tail with no foreign objects attached to the animal in a manner as to alter the animal's conformation or change its appearance. Exhibitors failing to abide by this rule will not be allowed to show. Specifically, all hair must be brushed down slick; head clipped smooth; underline clipped blending sides; udder and teats clipped with no long hair to emphasize udder; ears clipped as to environmental and local standards; neck and brisket clipped; body clip using common sense as to season; leg hair clipped and do not leave long from hock or knee to hoof; tailhead clipped; pull switch or brush out (no ball, etc.) trim tail to personal preference.
- b. <u>Star Five fitting</u> Star Five exhibits are not subject to purebred clipping rules. Entries are to be fitted blow and go. Hair may be brushed according to preference with no foreign substances/fitting materials on any part of the body.

Each animal exhibited must be exhibited with the correct age and shown in the class corresponding with their correct age.

- a. Entries in each class will be placed 1, 2, 3, etc. Animals are to be presented in descending order according to age.
- b. Polled classes will be entered at the same time as class entries are required by each show. Animals will be lined up according to age for the judge. To be eligible to show in Best of Polled, animals must be slick polled with no scurs, no scars, no dehorning and with no evidence of horny tissue.
- c. Classes with over thirty (30) entries will be divided into sections and section winners return for final placing.
- d. The judge SHOULD be an SGBI approved judge.
- e. Dress for exhibitors participating in SGBI sanctioned Open and Junior shows shall be of neat and clean clothing of collared shirts with sleeves, belts, no midriffs showing and appropriate footwear no tennis shoes. Exhibitors may wear hats or go bareheaded no caps.
- f. Each animal shall be presented in the show ring in its natural conformation and structure without alteration or modification. Alteration or modification shall be defined to include any surgical, chemical, electrical, other appearance change, save only branding, tattooing, foot trimming or dehorning. Additionally, no pumping or filling of any animal with a liquid, air, or any other substance is allowed. ALL animals and exhibitors found to be in violation of this rule will be banned for life from showing at SGBI approved shows.
- g. If entries are not properly fitted and good herdsmanship followed, the owner may be asked to not display their cattle until adhering to the proper procedures as outlined in our herdsmanship paper.
- h. Every exhibitor, in consideration of his/her entry being accepted, agrees to submit any animal so entered by him/her to inspection and agrees to have such animal submitted to any tests as may be designated and requested by the Shows and Exhibits Committee, or the authorized representative of the relevant show or fair, and agrees that the conclusions reached by the committee/representative as to whether such animal is unethically fitted or over age, shall be final, without recourse, against SGBI and designated personnel. Any false representation, interference or unprofessional conduct on the part of any exhibitor will be dealt with by the Shows and Exhibits Committee according to the equities in the case.
- i. For and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in any SGBI approved show, each exhibitor hereby releases SGBI, its officers, directors and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits and judgments, either past, present or future, arising from or connected with the administration of use of such test or examination and the resulting decision therefrom.
- j. Any exhibitor desiring to dispute or challenge the results of any test, exam or show rule enforcement, as applied by his/her animals, shall do so in accordance with procedures established by the rules of the association. This refers to, but is not limited to, the procedures to file protest and appeals process.

APPEALS:

- i. The Chairman of the Shows and Exhibits Committee and the Vice-President of Youth Activities in conjunction with the person(s) responsible for coordinating the individual shows will continue to be primarily vested with authority to determine whether animals entered in shows meet the standards formally approved by the Breed Standards Committee.
- ii. In the event the Vice-President of Youth Activities or individual show coordinating official disqualifies an animal from participating in a youth show and the exhibitor wants to appeal the disqualification, the appeal process outlined below must be followed.
- iii. In the event the Chairman of Shows and Exhibits or individual show coordinating official disqualifies an animal from participating in a sanctioned show, and the exhibitor wants to appeal the disqualification, the appeal process outlined below must be followed.
- iv. Additionally, **any** exhibitor participating in an individual youth show or other SGBI sanctioned show that wants to appeal a breed standards disqualification decision by either the Vice-President for Youth Activities/youth show coordinating official or the Chairman of Shows and Exhibits/show coordinating official must follow the appeals process outlined below.

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Appeals Committee

The Appeals Committee will be comprised by the following three (3) members – the Vice-President of Breed Improvement, the Vice-President of Marketing and Promotions and the Executive Director of SGBI. All three (3) members must be present to constitute a quorum. All decisions rendered by the Appeals Committee will be binding and final for all appeals submitted to the committee.

Appeals Procedure

- a All qualification/disqualification appeals, and appropriate supporting documentation submitted by exhibitors must be submitted in writing to the Executive Director of SGBI. The written appeal must be accompanied by a \$200 process fee. No waivers will be granted to the requirements for written appeals and the up-front \$200 fee.
- b. Exhibitors must file written appeals postmarked or via e-mail with five (5) business days following the date of the show governing the qualification/disqualification decision by the primary officials (Vice-President of Youth Activities/show coordinating official or Chairman of Shows and Exhibits/event coordinating official).
- c. The Executive Director will be responsible for coordinating meetings of the Appeals Committee and forwarding copies of the appeal and supporting documentation to the other committee members.
- d. The Appeals Committee will render a final decision within five (5) business days following receipt of the written appeal, appropriate supporting documentation and the \$200 fee.
- e. In the event an exhibitor appeals a disqualification decision by the primary official and the Appeals Committee **approves** the exhibitor's appeal, the animal covered by the appeal will be qualified to participate in all future SGBI sanctioned events.
- f. In the event an exhibitor appeals a disqualification decision by the primary official and the Appeals Committee **disapproves** the exhibitor's appeal, the animal covered by the appeal will be disqualified from participating in future SGBI sanctioned events. Additionally, any points or awards previously given to the owner of the animal will be forfeited.
- g. In the event an exhibitor appeals a qualification decision by the primary official and the Appeals Committee rules that the animal covered by the appeal **does not** meet breed standards, the covered animal will be disqualified from participating in future shows and the owner of the animal will forfeit any points and awards previously granted.

PROCEDURES TO FILE PROTEST:

- 1. File protest with show that infraction occurred. Follow their protest rules
 - 2. File the same protest with the Shows and Exhibits Committee. Contact the chairman.
 - 3. Three (3) SGBI members in good standing must sign the protest.
 - 4. All protests must be in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$100.00, cash or certified check, which will be forfeited if protest is not sustained. Such protest must state plainly the cause of the complaint or appeal and must be delivered to the Shows and Exhibits Committee within twenty-four (24) hours after the occasion for such protest.
 - 5. Order of hearing a protest:
 - a. Chairman of Shows and Exhibits Committee
 - b. Action by Shows and Exhibits Committee
 - c. Final action by Board of Directors
 - d. Follow appeal procedure as outlined in Rules and Regulations.
 - 6. All rules and regulations that have been properly protested to the Shows and Exhibits Committee shall be subject to the following penalties:
 - a. Loss of premium money.
 - b. Loss of awards.
 - c. Suspension from showing the subject animal as deemed necessary. Penalty may be for one (1) show, two (2) shows or three (3) Shows, or as long as deemed necessary for the offense.
 - d. Suspension of the exhibitor being the same as other SGBI Rules and penalties.
 - e. Failure to adhere to each show's specific rules shall also be subject to these penalties. Proper protest procedures must be adhered to according to that particular show's rules. SGBI will follow each

show's rules, and any action taken by a show will be upheld by SGBI in relation to its bearing on our point show system.

DISQUALIFICATIONS:

- An exhibitor who has been disqualified from competition in any livestock show or has had a premium withheld or withdrawn on the grounds of rule violation(s) will not be allowed to compete in other shows. This shall include, but not limited to, disqualification for fraud, misrepresentation, unethical fitting or deception.
- Judging procedures will **NOT** be interrupted for protest investigation. Depending on the basis of the protest, a decision may be withheld until a thorough investigation is completed. No complaint or appeal regarding a judge's decision or method of selection will be considered.
- Show officials may excuse an exhibitor from the ring and exclude them from further competition if an exhibitor, in any way, whether in person or by their representative interferes or shows disrespect to a judge or show official.
- In the event that an exhibitor or animal is disqualified after they have been awarded premiums or awards, the exhibitor or animal placing immediately below them may be moved up to fill the vacated position at the discretion of the Shows and Exhibits Committee.

RULES FOR HIGH POINT AWARDS:

- a. For each point show, first place class winner will receive two (2) points; second place class winner receives one (1) point; Division Champion receives three (3) points; Reserve Division Champion receives two (2) points; Grand Champion receives five (5) points and Reserve Grand Champion receives four (4) points; Best of Polled receives one (1) point but does not count toward overall points.
- b. Get of Sire and Produce of Dam points go toward Exhibitor/Breeder of the YearAwards.
- c. Points will stay with animal if sold.
- d. The Sire and Dame of the Year should have points from at least two (2) different offspring.
- e. All points earned at the National Open Show are to be doubled.

DNA Testing

SGBI and its representatives have the authority to require such tests as they deem necessary to verify the accuracy of the classification, pedigree of exhibited animals, and parentage verification of Star 5, including calves exhibited at the side of any female. "Said authority shall extend to and cover the enforcement of all show rules as adopted by SGBI."

SANTA GERTRUDIS PREMIUM SCHEDULE

1st	2nd	3rd
\$100	\$75	\$50

FEMALE CLASSES:

- 1. EARLY SUMMER HEIFER CALF: calved May 1, 2024 or later
- 2. LATE JUNIOR HEIFER CALF: calved March 1 April 30, 2024
- 3. EARLY JUNIOR HEIFER CALF: calved January 1 February 29, 2024
- 4. LATE SENIOR HEIFER CALF: calved November 1 December 31, 2023
- 5. EARLY SENIOR HEIFER CALF: calved September 1 October 31, 2023
- 6. CHAMPION HEIFER CALF: From Classes 1, 2, 3, and 4
- 7. RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER CALF

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- 8. LATE SUMMER YEARLING HEIFER: calved July 1 August 31, 2023
- 9. EARLY SUMMER YEARLING HEIFER: calved May 1 June 30, 2023
- 10. LATE JUNIOR YEARLING HEIFER: calved March 1 April 30, 2023
- 11. EARLY JUNIOR YEARLING HEIFER: calved January 1 February 28, 2023
- 12. CHAMPION YEARLING HEIFER: From classes 7, 8, 9, and 10
- 13. RESERVE CHAMPION YEARLING HEIFER
- 14. LATE SENIOR YEARLING HEIFER: calved October 1 December 31, 2022
- 15. EARLY SENIOR YEARLING HEIFER: calved July 1 September 30, 2022
- 16. *LATE TWO-YEAR-OLD HEIFER: calved April 1 June 30, 2022
- 17. *EARLY TWO-YEAR-OLD HEIFER: calved January 1 March 31, 2022
- 18. CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE: From Classes 13, 14, 15 & 16
- 19. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE
- 20. **GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE:** Senior, Yearling and Calf Champion females competing
- 21. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE**: Remaining Senior, Yearling, or Calf Champion female plus the Reserve Champion from the class that produced the Grand Champion Female
- 22. **BEST OF POLLED FEMALE AWARD:** Must be smooth polled with no horny tissue
- *Must have produced a calf or be safe in calf as verified by a graduate veterinarian.

BULL CLASS

- 23. EARLY SUMMER BULL CALF: calved May 1, 2024 or later
- 24. LATE JUNIOR BULL CALF: calved March 1 April 30, 2024
- 25. EARLY JUNIOR BULL CALF: calved January 1 February 29, 2024
- 26. LATE SENIOR BULL CALF: calved November 1 December 31, 2023
- 27. EARLY SENIOR BULL CALF: calved September 1 October 31, 2023
- 28. CHAMPION BULL CALF: From Classes 22, 23, 24, & 25
- 29. RESERVE CHAMPION BULL CALF
- 30. LATE SUMMER YEARLING BULL: calved July 1 August 31, 2023
- 31. EARLY SUMMER YEARLING BULL: calved May 1 June 30, 2023
- 32. LATE JUNIOR YEARLING BULL: calved March 1 April 30, 2023
- 33. EARLY JUNIOR YEARLING BULL: calved January 1 February 28, 2023
- 34. CHAMPION YEARLING BULL: From classes 28, 29, 30 & 31
- 35. RESERVE CHAMPION YEARLING BULL
- 36. LATE SENIOR YEARLING BULL: calved October 1 December 31, 2022
- 37. EARLY SENIOR YEARLING BULL: calved July 1 September 30, 2022
- 38. *LATE TWO-YEAR-OLD BULL: calved April 1 June 30, 2022
- 39. *EARLY TWO-YEAR-OLD BULL: calved January 1 March 31, 2022
- 40. AGED BULL: calved July 1 December 31, 2021
- 41. **CHAMPION SENIOR BULL**: From Classes 34, 35, 36, 37 & 38
- 42. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL
- 43. GRAND CHAMPION BULL: Senior, Yearling and Calf Champion bulls competing
- 44. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL

- 45. BEST OF POLLED MALE AWARD: Must be smooth polled with no horny tissue
- 46. PRODUCE-OF-DAM: Two offspring, the produce of one cow, within the age limits of individual classes and exhibited in their respective classes
- 47. GET-OF-SIRE: Three animals, all by one sire, and from at least two dams, both sexes represented, within age limits of individual classes and exhibited in their respective classes

STAR FIVE CLASSES - FEMALES

Class I Calved September 1, 2023 & After Class II Calved June 1 – August 31, 2023 Class III Calved March 1- May 31, 2023

Class IV Calved September 1, 2022 – February 28, 2023

Class V Calved January 1 – August 31, 2022

Class VI GRAND CHAMPION

Class VII RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION

STAR FIVE CLASSES - BULLS

Class I Calved Dec. 31, 2021 – May 2024
Class II **GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE**

Class III RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL

SHORTHORN SHOW

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 15, 2025, 2:00 p.m. – (Barn 14) ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 14, 2025, 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES CLOSE: JANUARY 24, 2025

Shorthorn Show System Classifications Purebred Shorthorn & ShorthornPlus Show Season – April 1, 2024 through March 31, 2025

- 1. The fair and/or show must provide both Shorthorn and ShorthornPlus shows.
- 2. All animals must be registered as the property of the exhibitor in the records of the American Shorthorn Association by the time of the Fair or Show. Please refer to specific show guidelines for a junior show ownership deadline.
- 3. American Shorthorn Association staff will accept electronic registration papers at ASA sanctioned shows for check-in, unless otherwise stated by the hosting shows rules.
- 4. The Fair **must** adhere to these Show Divisions regardless of entry numbers. Age divisions (ie. Late Spring Calf, Early Spring Calf, Junior Calf, Senior Calf, Intermediate, Junior, Senior, Cow/Calf) are **not** flexible.
- 5. **All Shows held on or after October 1st** of the show year must have Late and Early Spring Calf Championships added to the Division Championships, and eight Champions will be available for consideration for Grand Champion Awards.
- 6. **Cow/Calf is a division** that will be included with all other female divisions (eight divisions) for selection of Grand Champion Female and Reserve Grand Champion Female.
- 7. Females 20 months of age on the day of the show need to have a pregnancy verification signed by an accredited, non-owner veterinarian at the time the female is processed for the show. If verification cannot be produced upon request, the exhibitor is allowed to find a qualified veterinarian to verify pregnancy prior to time of show.
- 8. Senior Yearling Females who have calved will show based on age. The exhibitor can exhibit the female with or without the calf at side. If a Purebred Female has a ShorthornPlus calf at side, it is <u>not</u> eligible for the Purebred Shorthorn Show, however it is eligible for the ShorthornPlus Show.
- 9. Females entered in a cow/calf class must have a natural born calf at side that does not exceed 280 days of age on show day and the calf must be registered with the ASA. If a Purebred Female has a ShorthornPlus calf at side, it is not eligible for the Purebred Shorthorn Show, however it is eligible for the ShorthornPlus Show.
- 10. All Shorthorns & ShorthornPlus are subject to a tattoo inspection, parentage DNA testing, age inspection and/or females 20 months of age on day of show are subject to a blood test to prove pregnancy if deemed necessary by the ASA. The decision of the examining veterinarian is final.

IMPORTANT: Each of the following classes **MAY** be broken into multiple classes to accommodate large numbers of entries, but separate classes **may NOT** be combined into one. For example, there **MAY** be four "Junior Heifer Calf" classes, but there **may NOT** be one single "Spring Heifer Calf" class (combining Late and Early Spring calves).

BULL CLASSES – Entry in this show binds the exhibitor to all regulations pertaining thereto.

- 1. Late Spring Bull Calves calved after May 1, 2024
- 2. Late Spring Bull Calf Champion
- 3. Late Spring Bull Calf Reserve Champion
- 4. Early Spring Bull Calves calved between March 1 and April 30, 2024
- 5. Early Spring Bull Calf Champion
- 6. Early Spring Bull Calf Reserve Champion
- 7. Junior Bull Calves calved between January 1 and February 29, 2024
- 8. Junior Bull Calf Champion
- 9. Junior Bull Calf Reserve Champion
- 10. Winter Bull Calves calved between November 1 and December 31, 2023
- 11. Senior Bull Calves calved between September 1 and October 31, 2023
- 12. Senior Bull Calf Champion
- 13. Senior Bull Calf Reserve Champion
- 14. Summer Yearling Bulls calved between July 1 and August 31, 2023
- 15. Late Spring Yearling Bulls calved between May 1 and June 30, 2023
- 16. Intermediate Champion Bull
- 17. Intermediate Reserve Champion Bull
- 18. Early Spring Yearling Bulls calved between March 1 and April 30, 2023
- 19. Junior Yearling Bulls calved between January 1 and February 29, 2023
- 20. Junior Champion Bull
- 21. Junior Reserve Champion Bull
- 22. Senior Yearling Bull calved between July 1 and December 31, 2022
- 23. Two-Year-Old Bulls calved between January 1 and June 30, 2022
- 24. Senior Champion Bull
- 25. Senior Reserve Champion Bull
- 26. **Grand Champion Bull** chosen from Late Spring Calf, Early Spring Calf, Junior Calf, Senior Calf, Intermediate, Junior, and Senior Champion bulls
- 27. **Reserve Grand Champion Bull** chosen from Late Spring Calf, Early Spring Calf, Junior Calf, Senior Calf, Intermediate, Junior, and Senior Champion and Reserve Champion bulls

FEMALE CLASSES – Entry in this show binds the exhibitor to all regulations pertaining thereto.

- 30. Late Spring Heifer Calves calved after May 1, 2024
- 31. Late Spring Heifer Calf Champion
- 32. Late Spring Heifer Calf Reserve
- 33. Early Spring Heifer Calves calved in April 2024
- 34. Early Spring Heifer Calves calved in March 2024
- 35. Early Spring Heifer Calf Champion
- 36. Early Spring Heifer Calf Reserve Champion

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- 36. Junior Heifer Calves calved in February 2024
- 37. Junior Heifer Calves calved in January 2024
- 38. Junior Heifer Calf Champion
- 39. Junior Heifer Calf Reserve Champion
- 40. Winter Heifer Calves calved between November 1 and December 31, 2023
- 41. Senior Heifer Calves calved between September 1 and October 31, 2023
- 42. Senior Heifer Calf Champion
- 43. Senior Heifer Calf Res. Champion
- 44. Summer Yearling Females calved between July 1 and August 31, 2023
- 45. Late Spring Yearling Females calved between May 1 and June 30, 2023
- 46. Intermediate Champion Female
- 47. Intermediate Reserve Champion Female
- 48. Early Spring Yearling Females calved between March 1 and April 30, 2023
- 49. Early Spring Champion Female
- 50. Early Spring Champion Female
- 51. Junior Yearling Females calved between January 1 and February 29, 2023
- 52. Junior Champion Female
- 53. Junior Reserve Champion Female
- 54. Senior Yearling Females calved between September 1 and December 31, 2022
- 55. Senior Champion Female
- 56. Senior Reserve Champion Female
- 57. Two-Year Old Cow/Calf Class cows born between January 1, 2022 August 31, 2022
- 58. Three-Four-Year-Old Cow/Calf Class cows born between January 1, 2020 December 31, 2021 Both Cow and calf must be **Purebred Shorthorn** Calf age may not exceed 280 days of age on show day.
- 59. Cow/Calf Pair Champion
- 60. Cow/Calf Pair Reserve Champion
- 61. **Grand Champion Shorthorn Female** chosen from Late Spring Calf, Early Spring Calf, Junior Calf, Senior Calf, Intermediate, Junior, Senior and Cow/Calf Pair Champion females
- 62. **Reserve Grand Champion Shorthorn Female** chosen from Late Spring Calf, Early Spring Calf, Junior Calf, Senior Calf, Intermediate, Junior, Senior and Cow/Calf Pair Champion and Reserve Champion females

Females with calves at side Rule for exhibitors at all Open shows: If a Purebred Female has a ShorthornPlus calf at side, it is not eligible for the Purebred Shorthorn Show, however it is eligible for the ShorthornPlus show. All calves showing alongside a cow must be a registered animal with ASA.

Senior/Junior Yearling Pregnancy Rule for exhibitors at all Open shows: All females 20 months old at the time of the show need to have a 60-day pregnancy verification signed by an accredited, non-owner veterinarian at the time the female is processed for the show and are subject to blood test to prove pregnancy. Exhibitors may be asked to present said verification upon the request of the Show officials or ASA representatives. If verification cannot be produced, the female may be allowed to participate if the exhibitor can produce a qualified veterinarian to examine the female at the show site and verify a 60-day pregnancy. Any infractions against this rule will lead to disqualification of that animal for that specific show.

SHORTHORN PLUS SHOW

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 15, 2025, 2:00 p.m. – (Barn 14) ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 14, 2025, 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES CLOSE: JANUARY 24, 2025

Shorthorn Show System Classifications Purebred Shorthorn & ShorthornPlus Show Season – April 1, 2024 through March 31, 2025

- All cattle must be registered ShorthornPlus (green paper). ShorthornPlus animals must be 50% Shorthorn blood concentration or higher to be eligible for ShorthornPlus shows.
- All animals must be registered as the property of the exhibitor in the records of the American Shorthorn Association by the time of the Fair or Show. Please refer to specific show guidelines for a junior show ownership deadline.
- American Shorthorn Association staff will accept electronic registration papers at ASA sanctioned shows for check-in, unless otherwise stated by the hosting shows rules.
- All Shows held on or after October 1st of the show year must have Late and Early Spring Calf Championships added to the Division Championships, and eight Champions will be available for consideration for Grand Champion Awards.
- The Fair **must** adhere to these Show Divisions regardless of entry numbers. Age divisions (ie. Late Spring Calf, Early Spring Calf, Junior Calf, Senior Calf, Intermediate, Junior, Senior, Cow/Calf) are **not** flexible.
- The Fair and/or show should provide both Purebred Shorthorn and ShorthornPlus classifications. These should duplicate the divisions below in two separate shows (a Purebred Shorthorn show and ShorthornPlus Show).
- Cow/Calf is a division that will be included with all other female divisions (eight divisions) for selection of Grand Champion Female and Reserve Grand Champion Female.
- Animals in a Junior Show may only be in the **sole** name of the individual junior exhibitor.
- All Shorthorns are subject to a tattoo inspection by representatives of the ASA. All Purebred and ShorthornPlus are subject to parentage DNA testing by ASA. All Purebred Shorthorns and ShorthornPlus are also subject to an age inspection if deemed necessary by the ASA and the decision of the examining veterinarian is final. Use of artificial fins on show animals is not permitted.
- Individual animals shown in all of the group classes listed below must have been entered and shown in one of the following classes for single animals. Multiple owned animals must be exhibited in the name of all owners. Family bred and raised animals entered by juniors in Junior Classes and subsequently entered in Open classes may be treated as family entries in group classes. Co-owned animals may be exhibited by either owner in group classes.

IMPORTANT: Each of the following classes **MAY** be broken into multiple classes to accommodate large numbers of entries, but separate classes **may NOT** be combined into one. For example, there **MAY** be four "Junior Heifer Calf" classes, but there **may NOT** be one single "Spring Heifer Calf" class (combining Late and Early Spring calves).

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- **BULL CLASSES** Entry in this show binds the exhibitor to all regulations pertaining thereto.
 - 63. Late Spring Bull Calves calved after May 1, 2024
 - 64. Late Spring Bull Calf Champion
 - 65. Late Spring Bull Calf Reserve Champion
 - 66. Early Spring Bull Calves calved between March 1 and April 30, 2024
 - 67. Early Spring Bull Calf Champion
 - 68. Early Spring Bull Calf Reserve Champion
 - 69. Junior Bull Calves calved between January 1 and February 29, 2024
 - 70. Junior Bull Calf Champion
 - 71. Junior Bull Calf Reserve Champion
 - 72. Winter Bull Calves calved between November 1 and December 31, 2023
 - 73. Senior Bull Calves calved between September 1 and October 31, 2023
 - 74. Senior Bull Calf Champion
 - 75. Senior Bull Calf Reserve Champion
 - 76. Summer Yearling Bulls calved between July 1 and August 31, 2023
 - 77. Late Spring Yearling Bulls calved between May 1 and June 30, 2023
 - 78. Intermediate Champion Bull
 - 79. Intermediate Reserve Champion Bull
 - 80. Early Spring Yearling Bulls calved between March 1 and April 30, 2023
 - 81. Junior Yearling Bulls calved between January 1 and February 28, 202
 - 82. Junior Champion Bull
 - 83. Junior Reserve Champion Bull
 - 84. Senior Yearling Bull calved between July 1 and December 31, 2022
 - 85. Two-Year-Old Bulls calved between January 1 and June 30, 2022
 - 86. Senior Champion Bull
 - 87. Senior Reserve Champion Bull
 - 88. **Grand Champion Bull** chosen from Late Spring Calf, Early Spring Calf, Junior Calf, Senior Calf, Intermediate, Junior, and Senior Champion bulls
 - 89. **Reserve Grand Champion Bull** chosen from Late Spring Calf, Early Spring Calf, Junior Calf, Senior Calf, Intermediate, Junior, and Senior Champion and Reserve Champion bulls

FEMALE CLASSES – Entry in this show binds the exhibitor to all regulations pertaining thereto.

- 90. Late Spring Heifer Calves calved after May 1, 2024
- 91. Late Spring Heifer Calf Champion
- 92. Late Spring Heifer Calf Reserve Champion
- 93. Early Spring Heifer Calves calved in April 2024
- 94. Early Spring Heifer Calves calved in March 2024
- 95. Early Spring Heifer Calf Champion
- 96. Early Spring Heifer Calf Reserve Champion
- 97. Junior Heifer Calves calved in February 2024
- 98. Junior Heifer Calves calved in January 2024
- 99. Junior Heifer Calf Champion
- 100. Junior Heifer Calf Reserve Champion
- 101. Winter Heifer Calves calved between November 1 and December 31, 2023
- 102. Senior Heifer Calves calved between September 1 and October 31, 2023
- 103. Senior Heifer Calf Champion
- 104. Senior Heifer Calf Reserve Champion
- 105. Summer Yearling Females calved between July 1 and August 31, 2023
- 106. Late Spring Yearling Females calved between May 1 and June 30, 2023
- 107. Intermediate Champion Female
- 108. Intermediate Reserve Champion Female
- 109. Early Spring Yearling Females calved between March 1 and April 30, 2023
- 110. Early Spring Champion Female
- 111. Early Spring Reserve Champion Female
- 112. Junior Yearling Females calved between January 1 and February 28, 2022
- 113. Junior Champion Female
- 114. Junior Reserve Champion Female
- 115. Senior Yearling Females calved between September 1 and December 31, 2021
- 116. Senior Champion Female chosen from 1st place winners in Classes 23 & 24
- 117. Senior Reserve Champion Female chosen from 1st & 2nd place winners in Classes 23 & 24
- 118. Two-Year Old Cow/Calf Class cows born between January 1, 2021 August 31, 2021
- 119. Three-Four-Year-Old Cow/Calf Class cows born between January 1, 2019 December 31, 2020 Both Cow and calf must be **Purebred Shorthorn** Calf age may not exceed 280 days of age on show day.
- 120. Cow/Calf Pair Champion chosen from 1st and 2nd place winners from Classes 27 & 28
- 121. Cow/Calf Pair Reserve Champion chosen form 1st and 2nd place winners from Classes 27 & 28

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- 122. **Grand Champion Shorthorn Female** chosen from Late Spring Calf, Early Spring Calf, Junior Calf, Senior Calf, Intermediate, Junior, Senior and Cow/Calf Pair Champion females
- 123. **Reserve Grand Champion Shorthorn Female** chosen from Late Spring Calf, Early Spring Calf, Junior Calf, Senior Calf, Intermediate, Junior, Senior and Cow/Calf Pair Champion and Reserve Champion females

Females with calves at side Rule for exhibitors at all Open shows: If a Purebred Female has a ShorthornPlus calf at side, it is not eligible for the Purebred Shorthorn Show, however it is eligible for the ShorthornPlus show. All calves showing alongside a cow must be a registered animal with ASA.

Senior/Junior Yearling Pregnancy Rule for exhibitors at all Open shows: All females 20 months old at the time of the show need to have a 60-day pregnancy verification signed by an accredited, nonowner veterinarian at the time the female is processed for the show and are subject to blood test to prove pregnancy. Exhibitors may be asked to present said verification upon the request of the Show officials or ASA representatives. If verification cannot be produced, the female may be allowed to participate if the exhibitor can produce a qualified veterinarian to examine the female at the show site and verify a 60-day pregnancy. Any infractions against this rule will lead to disqualification of that animal for that specific show.

SIMMENTAL/PERCENTAGE SIMMENTAL/SIMBRAH SHOW

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 16, 2025, 9:00 A.M. – Barn 14 ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 14, 2025, 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES CLOSE: JANUARY 24, 2025

Official PTP Ring of Champions Show, sanctioned by American Simmental Association (ASA) Sponsored by Mississippi Simmental Simbrah Association (MSSA)

- 1. All animals must be registered with the American Simmental Association.
- 2. This is a Progress Through Performance (PTP) show and an official PTP Ring of Champions event. Ring of Champions points will be awarded only in the Percentage Simmental and Purebred Simmental shows.
- 3. All non-polled animals must be dehorned.
- 4. All bulls twelve (12) months of age or older must be shown with a nose lead or ring.
- 5. Open Show check-in will take place at the ASA Booth, unless otherwise announced. Exhibitors will be asked to declare which of their entries are on site and should be checked in for the show, and corresponding back tags will be issued at this time. Proof of registration is required. Original registration papers, digital certificates, and Herdbook printouts and screenshots will be accepted. Do not bring animals to Open Show check-in.
- 6. Following check-in, ASA Staff and/or AJSA Trustees may verify tattoos on a random 10% of the animals checked in. This will take place in the exhibitors' stalls on the same day as check-in, unless otherwise announced. Additional tattoos may be checked at the discretion of ASA personnel. Any animal with a tattoo or brand that does not match its registration will be automatically disqualified from the show.
- 7. Select EPDs on all entries will be collected and printed in the official show program, with the date of data collection included. Judge(s) will have access to EPDs and their corresponding percentile ranks to use in conjunction with visual appraisal, in accordance with PTP Guidelines.
- 8. At the discretion of Mississippi Simmental-Simbrah Association, each bull 15 months of age or older must have a current semen test/breeding soundness exam and show to be a satisfactory breeder. The test must be done within 60 days prior to the show date. Each female 18 months of age or older must be: a.) certified pregnant by a licensed non-owner veterinarian, b.) have certification that she has been used in embryo transfer, or c.) have a calf at side. Documentation must be provided to an MSSA official before the animal is eligible to show.
- 9. Grand and Reserve Champions will have DNA samples pulled and tested for parentage and genomics. ASA reserves the right to pull additional samples on any animal exhibited. DNA collection will occur at the exhibition site and will be supervised and/or conducted by ASA staff. Failure to submit to DNA testing will result in automatic disqualification.
- 10. Heifer classes will consist of females born January 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024. Bull classes will consist of bulls born January 1, 2022 through June 30, 2024. Cow/calf classes will consist of cows born before January 2023 with a calf at side no older than 205 days of age on the day of the show. Any female that qualifies by age for the heifer classes is not eligible for the cow/calf show.
- 11. Females and bulls will be judged youngest to oldest with no more than 15 head per class. All animals must be in the makeup area prior to the conclusion of the prior class or division. Any animal not ringside when its class enters the ring will be scratched from that class.
- 12. ASA and MSSA reserve the right to bar any animal or exhibitor from the show that does not meet the requirements of this show.

Show order will be: Fullblood Simmental, Percentage Simbrah, Purebred Simbrah, Percentage Simmental, Purebred Simmental. ASA will determine the full show order after the conclusion of check-in.

SIMMENTAL-SIMBRAH PREMIUM SCHEDULE

1st	2nd	3rd
\$100	\$75	\$50

FULLBLOOD SIMMENTAL

All Fullblood Simmental entries must be registered with ASA as Fullblood Simmental. (FB SM).

Class 1: Fullblood Simmental Pairs

A maximum of 3 classes of cow/calf pairs will consist of cows with natural calves at side, with calves not older than 205 days of age on show day. Calves must be registered with ASA and must be at least 1/2 Simmental. No division champions will be named in cow/calf classes.

Class 2: Fullblood Simmental Heifers

A maximum of 12 classes and 5 divisions will consist of females born January 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023.

Class 3: Fullblood Simmental Bulls

A maximum of 10 classes and 6 divisions will consist of bulls born January 1, 2021 through June 30, 2023.

Group Classes – All entries must be Fullblood Simmental.

JUNIOR GET OF SIRE: Three animals by one sire, one or both sexes represented. May be owned by multiple exhibitors. All animals must be shown in individual classes.

GET OF SIRE: Four animals by the same sire, one or both sexes represented. May be owned by multiple exhibitors. All animals must be shown in individual classes.

PRODUCE OF DAM: Two animals out of the same dam, one or both sexes represented. May be owned by multiple exhibitors. All animals must be shown in individual classes.

BREEDERS GROUP: Three animals bred by the same exhibitor, both sexed represented. All animals must be shown in individual classes.

PERCENTAGE SIMBRAH

All Percentage Simbrah entries must be registered with ASA as part of the Simbrah registry and have the potential to produce a Purebred Simbrah calf, but may not be Purebred Simbrah.

Class 1: Percentage Simbrah Cow/Calf Pairs

A maximum of 3 classes of cow/calf pairs will consist of cows with natural calves at side, with calves not older than 205 days of age on show day. Calves must be registered with ASA and must be at least 1/2 Simmental. No division champions will be named in cow/calf classes.

Class 2: Percentage Simbrah Heifers

A maximum of 12 classes and 5 divisions will consist of females born January 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024

Class 3: Percentage Simbrah Bulls

A maximum of 10 classes and 6 divisions will consist of bulls born January 1, 2022 through June 30, 2024.

Group Classes

See Purebred Simbrah

PUREBRED SIMBRAH

All Purebred Simbrah entries must be registered with ASA as Purebred Simbrah (5/8 SM 3/8 BR). Asterisk cattle are eligible for this division.

Class 1: Purebred Simbrah Cow/Calf Pairs

A maximum of 3 classes of cow/calf pairs will consist of cows with natural calves at side, with calves not older than 205 days of age on show day. Calves must be registered with ASA and must be at least 1/2 Simmental. No division champions will be named in cow/calf classes.

Class 2: Purebred Simbrah Heifers

A maximum of 12 classes and 5 divisions will consist of females born January 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024.

Class 3: Purebred Simbrah Bulls

A maximum of 10 classes and 6 divisions will consist of bulls born January 1, 2022 through June 30, 2024.

Group Classes – Entries may be either Percentage Simbrah or Purebred Simbrah in any combination.

JUNIOR GET OF SIRE: Three animals by one sire, one or both sexes represented. May be owned by multiple exhibitors. All animals must be shown in individual classes.

GET OF SIRE: Four animals by the same sire, one or both sexes represented. May be owned by multiple exhibitors. All animals must be shown in individual classes.

PRODUCE OF DAM: Two animals out of the same dam, one or both sexes represented. May be owned by multiple exhibitors. All animals must be shown in individual classes.

BREEDERS GROUP: Three animals bred by the same exhibitor, both sexed represented. All animals must be shown in individual classes.

PERCENTAGE SIMMENTAL

All Percentage Simmental entries must be registered with ASA as at least 1/2 Simmental but less than Purebred Simmental.

Class 1: Percentage Simmental Pairs

A maximum of 3 classes of cow/calf pairs will consist of cows with natural calves at side, with calves not older than 205 days of age on show day. Calves must be registered with ASA and must be at least 1/2 Simmental. No division champions will be named in cow/calf classes.

Class 2: Percentage Simmental Heifers

A maximum of 16 classes and 5 divisions will consist of females born January 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024.

Class 3: Percentage Simmental Bulls

A maximum of 16 classes and 6 divisions will consist of bulls born January 1, 2022 through June 30, 2024.

Group Classes

See Purebred Simmental

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PUREBRED SIMMENTAL

All Purebred Simmental entries must be registered with ASA as Purebred Simmental (PB SM), which is 7/8 Simmental or greater.

Class 1: Purebred Simmental Pairs

A maximum of 3 classes of cow/calf pairs will consist of cows with natural calves at side, with calves not older than 205 days of age on show day. Calves must be registered with ASA and must be at least 1/2 Simmental. No division champions will be named in cow/calf classes.

Class 2: Purebred Simmental Heifers

A maximum of 16 classes and 5 divisions will consist of females born January 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024.

Class 3: Purebred Simmental Bulls

A maximum of 16 classes and 6 divisions will consist of bulls born January 1, 2022 through June 30, 2024.

Group Classes – Entries may be either Percentage Simmental or Purebred Simmental in any combination.

JUNIOR GET OF SIRE: Three animals by one sire, one or both sexes represented. May be owned by multiple exhibitors. All animals must be shown in individual classes.

GET OF SIRE: Four animals by the same sire, one or both sexes represented. May be owned by multiple exhibitors. All animals must be shown in individual classes.

PRODUCE OF DAM: Two animals out of the same dam, one or both sexes represented. May be owned by multiple exhibitors. All animals must be shown in individual classes.

BREEDERS GROUP: Three animals bred by the same exhibitor, both sexed represented. All animals must be shown in individual classes.

PREMIER BREEDER: Points awarded to the breeder or breeders of each entry based on class placings in the Percentage Simmental and Purebred Simmental classes. 5 points will be awarded to each 1st Place entry, 4 for 2nd, 3 for 3rd, 2 for 4th, and 1 for 5th. There will be no points for division or overall champions but such placings may be used in case of a tie.

PREMIER EXHIBITOR: Points awarded to the exhibitor or exhibitors of each entry based on class placings in the Percentage Simmental and Purebred Simmental classes. 5 points will be awarded to each 1st Place entry, 4 for 2nd, 3 for 3rd, 2 for 4th, and 1 for 5th. There will be no points for division or overall champions but such placings may be used in case of a tie

WAGYU

SHOW DATE: FEBRUARY 9, 2025, 11:00 A.M. – Barn 14 ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 / Head ARRIVAL DATE: FEBRUARY 7, 2025, 5:00 p.m. ENTRIES CLOSE: JANUARY 24, 2025

RULES

- 1. Entry form and fee will be completed online through the website. Entry fees \$30.00 per entry until January 24, 2025. All fees payable through website.
- 2. All animals must be registered with either the American Wagyu Association, The Australian Wagyu Association, or the Akaushi Association and recorded in the name of the exhibitor 30 days prior to the show.
- 3. There will be Six breeding group class shows: Fullblood Black, Fullblood Red, Fullblood Red Black, Purebred Wagyu and Percentage Female Wagyu and a Jackpot Prospect Steer Class. Breeding group glasses will not compete with each other. There will be 3 divisions of Jr. Showmanship. Junior (ages 8-12) Intermediate (13-15) Senior (16-21)
- 4. Cattle must be entered under the recorded ownership at the time of the show entry deadline. Jointly owned animals must be entered under the multi- ownership (a] co-owners) in the individual classes.
- 5. All animals must be properly tattooed and will be inspected at the show. Tattoo must be legible and must match registration papers. Any animal, upon check-in, which does not have a legible permanent identification mark (ear tattoo marks, freeze-branded marks or hot-branded marks) corresponding to the permanent identification on the registration certificate, is ineligible to show. Once disqualified due to an incorrect or illegible permanent identification mark, animals cannot be retattooed and rechecked at the show.
- 6. Altering the conformation and/or appearance of an animal for exhibition is prohibited. This includes the covering of white skin, false tail heads (or use of any false hair). The use of graphite, powders, paint, hemp or other similar substances used externally are also prohibited. Animals may not be dyed on the show grounds. Other prohibited products include illegal or unlicensed pharmaceuticals or artificial filling. Any animal found to be in violation will be barred from showing.
- 7. Winning animals in all divisions may be subject to DNA Parentage Verification (sire and dam only). If the Parentage cannot be verified by the lab, the exhibitor will not be awarded the prize money and the animal will forfeit its winning position.
- 8. All cattle must meet the health requirements set out by the Dixie National Livestock Show Management. Any deviation will be just cause for immediate disqualification from the show.
- 9. All bulls above one year of age must show with nose lead. The right to disqualify from the show any animal deemed unmanageable is reserved by the show committee.
- 10. All females shown in the cow/calf classes must be shown with a calf at side.
- 11. Calf at side in the cow/calf classes must be her last natural born calf (not an embryo calf born to another recipient).
- 12. Any person found guilty of misrepresentation of any kind, including age of animal or not abiding by the show rules, will be disqualified and denied the privilege of showing.
- 13. Juniors may not show bulls. Jr's do not need to own the animal they show however their family must be a registered member of one of the three named Wagyu Associations and must currently own Wagyu cattle.
- 14. If for any reason an exhibitor or their animal is disqualified, their placing/winnings will go to the exhibitor that placed next behind them.
- 15. There will be a Jr. Showmanship Division. Unlike the confirmation show it is the handlers that are judged. Points will be awarded for the youth handlers' ability to display an "animal to its greatest advantage." Jr. Showmanship class's will have the following divisions: Junior (8-12) Intermediate Showmanship (13-15) and Senior Showmanship (16-21).

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CLASS: HEIFERS, Black Fullblood

101	Summer Heifer Calf	calved May or later of 2024
102	Spring Heifer Calf	calved January - April of 2024

103 Senior Heifer Calf calved September - December of 2023

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION BLACK FULLBLOOD HEIFER CALF

104	Summer Yearling Heifer	calved May - August of 2023
105	Spring Yearling Heifer	calved January - April of 2023
106	Senior Yearling Heifer	calved October - December of 2022

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION BLACK FULLBLOOD YEARLING HEIFER GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BLACK FULLBLOOD HEIFER

CLASS: HEIFERS, Red Fullblood

107	Summer Heifer Calf	calved May or later of 2024
108	Spring Heifer Calf	calved January - April of 2024

109 Senior Heifer Calf calved September - December of 2023

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION RED FULLBLOOD HEIFER CALF

110	Summer Yearling Heifer	calved May - August of 2023
111	Spring Yearling Heifer	calved January - April of 2023
112	Senior Yearling Heifer	calved October - December of 2022

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION RED FULLBLOOD YEARLING HEIFER GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION RED FULLBLOOD HEIFER

CLASS: HEIFERS, Red/Black Fullblood

113	Summer Heifer Calf	calved May or later of 2024
114	Spring Heifer Calf	calved January - April of 2024

115 Senior Heifer Calf calved September - December of 2023

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION RED/BLACK FULLBLOOD HEIFER CALF

116	Summer Yearling Heifer	calved May - August of 2023
117	Spring Yearling Heifer	calved January - April of 2023
118	Senior Yearling Heifer	calved October - December of 2022

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION RED/BLACK FULLBLOOD YEARLING HEIFER GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION RED/BLACK FULLBLOOD HEIFER

CLASS: HEIFERS, Purebred

119	Summer Heifer Calf	calved May or later of 2024
120	Spring Heifer Calf	calved January - April of 2024

121 Senior Heifer Calf calved September - December of 2023

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION PUREBRED FULLBLOOD HEIFER CALF

122	Summer Yearling Heifer	calved May - August of 2023
123	Spring Yearling Heifer	calved January - April of 2023
124	Senior Yearling Heifer	calved October - December of 2022

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION PUREBRED FULLBLOOD YEARLING HEIFER GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION PUREBRED FULLBLOOD HEIFER

CLASS: HEIFERS, Percentage

125 Summer Heifer Calf calved May or later of 2024 126 Spring Heifer Calf calved January - April of 2024

127 Senior Heifer Calf calved September - December of 2023

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION PERCENTAGE FULLBLOOD HEIFER CALF

Summer Yearling Heifer calved May - August of 2023
 Spring Yearling Heifer calved January - April of 2023
 Senior Yearling Heifer calved October - December of 2022

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION PERCENTAGE FULLBLOOD YEARLING HEIFER GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION PERCENTAGE FULLBLOOD HEIFER

Bull Classes

CLASS: BULL, Black Fullblood

Summer Bull Calf
 Spring Bull Calf
 calved May or later of 2024
 calved January - April of 2024

143 Senior Bull Calf calved September - December of 2023

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION BLACK FULLBLOOD BULL CALF

Summer yearling Bull calved May - August of 2023
 Yearling Bull calved January - April of 2023

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION BLACK FULLBLOOD YEARLING BULL

146 Senior Bull calved October - December of 2022

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION BLACK FULLBLOOD SENIOR BULL GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BLACK FULLBLOOD BULL

CLASS: BULLS, Red Fullblood

Summer Bull Calf
 Spring Bull Calf
 Calved May or later of 2024
 Calved January - April of 2024

149 Senior Bull Calf calved September - December of 2023

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION RED FULLBLOOD BULL CALF

Summer yearling Bull
 Yearling Bull
 Calved May 2023 to Aug 2023
 Yearling Bull
 Calved January - April of 2023

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION RED FULLBLOOD YEARLING BULL

152 Senior Bull calved October - December of 2022

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION RED FULLBLOOD SENIOR BULL GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION RED FULLBLOOD BULL

CLASS: BULLS, Red/Black Fullblood

153 Summer Bull Calf calved May or later of 2024 154 Spring Bull Calf calved January - April of 2024

155 Senior Bull Calf calved September - December of 2023

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION RED/BLACK FULLBLOOD BULL CALF

Summer yearling Bull
 Yearling Bull
 Calved May - August of 2023
 Calved January - April of 2023

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION RED/BLACK FULLBLOOD YEARLING BULL

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158 Senior Bull calved October - December of 2022

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION RED/BLACK FULLBLOOD SENIOR BULL GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION RED/BLACK FULLBLOOD BULL

CLASS: BULLS, Purebred

159 Summer Bull Calf calved May or later of 2024 calved January - April of 2024 160 Spring Bull Calf

Senior Bull Calf calved September - December of 2023 161 CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION PUREBRED BULL CALF

Summer yearling Bull calved May - August of 2023 162 calved January - April of 2023 Yearling Bull 163

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION PUREBRED YEARLING BULL

Senior Bull calved October - December of 2022 164 CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION PUREBRED SENIOR BULL GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION PUREBRED BULL

CLASS: BULLS, Percentage

Summer Bull Calf calved May or later of 2024 165 Spring Bull Calf calved January - April of 2024 166

calved September - December of 2023 Senior Bull Calf 167

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION PERCENTAGE BULL CALF

calved May - August of 2023 168 Summer yearling Bull calved January - April of 2023 Yearling Bull 169

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION PERCENTAGE YEARLING BULL

170 Senior Bull calved October - December of 2022

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION PERCENTAGE SENIOR BULL GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION PERCENTAGE BULL

Junior Showmanship

JUNIOR 171 Ages 8—12

GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

172 **INTERMEDIATE** Ages 13-15

GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE SHOWMANSHIP

173 SENIOR Ages 16-21

GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP

Jackpot Prospect Steer

Steers will be divided by weight at the time of the show

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8

12:00 p.m. Arrival for open swine and barrows

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Receive open swine entries and entries weigh barrows

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9

9:00 a.m. Barrow Show (Swine Arena - Barn 6)

Open Swine Show (Swine Arena - Barn 6)

DIXIE NATIONAL SWINE SHOW OFFICIALS FOR 2025

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SHOW COMMITTEE		
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GENERAL RULES

- 1. Entries for ALL classes will close on Friday, January 24, 2025. No entry will be accepted after this date. All entries need to be done on online at www.dixienational.org.
- 2. The show is open to the world.
- 3. Exhibitors will have access to showgrounds no earlier than 8 a.m., Saturday, February 8. Any exhibitor upon whom this rule would work a hardship may apply to the director of the show for special consideration. All entries must be in place by 6 p.m., Saturday, February 8, 2025.
- 4. Owners will furnish all feed and bedding for hogs. Facilities will be available to purchase bedding.
- 5. The show management will not be responsible for losses, injuries or mishap that may befall animals, exhibitors or visitors. The grounds will be policed, and all precautions will be taken to prevent any losses or injuries.
- 6. All barrows must have been owned by the exhibitor at the time of show. Breeding animals must be accompanied by registration papers registered in the exhibitor's name. BREED DIVISION CLERKS AND SUPERINTENDENTS WILL CHECK EAR NOTCHES AGAINST REGISTRATION PAPERS AND HOLD CERTIFICATES IN OFFICE. Litter registration is acceptable; however, a copy must be provided for each animal entered.
- 7. Health Requirements (See General Rules). Every entry must have an Individual Health Certificate.
- 8. Protests and Appeals (See General Rules).
- 9. Entry fee will be charged at the rate of \$15.00 per head for barrows, gilts and boars. Entry fees must accompany the online entries and will not be refunded. All exhibits must use pens assigned by the show management.
- 10. Animals will be released upon completion of show, Sunday, February 9, 2025.
- 11. All premiums will be paid directly to the exhibitors by the Fair Commission.
- 12. Age and Weight Classification for All Classes Fall Boars Farrowed on or after July 1, 2024. Fall Gilts Farrowed on or after July 1, 2024. Barrows: Must weigh between 200-290 lbs.
- 13. Barrows will be divided into 3 to 6 classes as equal in number as possible. Classes will be determined on the number of entries. Show management will not be responsible for any animals.
- 14. An exhibitor is not required to show a barrow in order to be eligible to show in the breeding classes.
- 15. Exhibitors will be allowed one trial weight on barrows.
- 16. An exhibitor may enter and place only two (2) boar and two (2) gilt entries per breed. Barrow entries will be limited to 6 per family, farm or individual. Only animals that are eligible to be shown may be penned.
- 17. There will be no clipping allowed in barns and no oil or powder used on breeding animals or barrows.

ON FOOT MARKET BARROWS

- 1. All barrows must have been owned by the exhibitor at the time of show.
- 2. Any exhibitor can show a crossbred barrow.
- 3. Barrows show in one classification with three to six weight classes based on entries.
- 4. Barrows will be released to exhibitor.
- 5. Exhibitors will be allowed one trial weight on barrows.
- 6. Barrow entries will be limited to 6 (six) per family, farm or individual.
- 7. Barrows: Must weigh between 200-290 lbs.

CLASSES AND PREMIUMS

LOT 1 - On Foot Market Barrows

1. LIGHTWEIGHT

							8th
\$50	\$45	\$40	\$40	\$35	\$35	\$30	\$25

2. MEDIUMWEIGHT

1 st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$50	2nd \$45	\$40	\$40	\$35	\$35	\$30	\$25

3. HEAVYWEIGHT

1 st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$50	\$45	\$40	\$40	\$35	\$35	\$30	\$25

- 4. CHAMPION \$300
- 5. RESERVE CHAMPION \$150

PUREBRED BREEDING DIVISION

- 1. Entries must be weighed, penned and numbered by 3 p.m., Saturday, February 8, 2025, and records turned into office.
- 2. All animals exhibited must comply with the general rules.
- 3. There will be two boar and two gilt classes for Yorkshire, Duroc, and Cross. Classes will be divided by age. Spots, Hamps, Chesters, and Other Breeds will have one class for boars and one class for gilts. Boars Farrowed on or after July 1, 2024.

Gilts - Farrowed on or after July 1, 2024.

An exhibitor may enter and place only two (2) boar and two (2) gilt entries per breed.

Show order is determined by # of entries by breed (largest - smallest) Show Order by BREEDS

LOT 1 - Hampshire

LOT 2 - Yorkshire

LOT 3 - Duroc

LOT 4 - Spot

LOT 5 - Chester

LOT 6 - Hereford

LOT 7 - Other Breeds

LOT 8 - Cross

CLASSES AND PREMIUMS

1. YORKSHIRE, DUROC, and CROSSES FALL BOARS and FALL GILTS

Class 1 and Class 2

1 st	2 nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
\$50	\$40	\$35	\$35	\$30	\$30	\$25	\$25	\$20	\$20

2. HAMPSHIRE, SPOT, CHESTER and HEREFORD FALL BOARS and FALL GILTS

Class 1 and Class 2

1 st	2 nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
\$50	\$40	\$35	\$35	\$30	\$30	\$25	\$25	\$20	\$20

3. OTHER BREEDS FALL BOARS AND FALL GILTS

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
\$50	\$40	\$35	\$35	\$30	\$30

- 4. CHAMPION Trophy
- 5. RESERVE CHAMPION Trophy

BEEF JUDGING CONTEST

DIXIE NATIONAL INTERCOLLEGIATE BEEF JUDGING CONTEST

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ENTRY FEE (per individual) Entry fee must accompany entry.......\$ 30.00

ENTRY LINK: https://www.judgingcard.com/Registration/Info.aspx?ID=20748

SCHEDULE:

February 7th 6:00 p.m. Coach's Dinner - MCA office

February 8th 7:30 a.m. Contest - Expo Center Awards – approximately 1 hour following critique,

location TBD

RULES:

1. Teams may be entered in this contest via Judgingcard.com

- 2. Entry deadline is January 27, 2025.
- 3. No team member, coach, or assistant coach will be allowed to enter the show barns 24 hours prior to the contest.
- 4. There will be separate contests for senior colleges and for junior colleges. Junior College freshman will compete in a separate division unless designated by coaches to compete on the sophomore team.
- 5. All senior colleges and junior colleges in the U.S. which offer a degree or program in animal science are eligible to enter.
- 6. All rules concerning Senior and Junior Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Contests as adopted by the National Coaches Association will be strictly adhered to unless otherwise stated.
- 7. The team coach must certify that all members of the team are eligible for entry in this contest. Contestants will be regularly enrolled in a senior or junior college which offers a degree or program in animal science.
- 8. Each senior or junior college will be permitted to enter (1) team. Each team will consist of seven (7) contestants designated for team scoring in each division and overall placing. Alternates will be allowed to compete for individual honors.
- 9. Coaches will designate their team members the morning of the contest.
- 10. Contestants entering this contest will not be eligible to enter future beef judging contests at the Dixie National with exception of a junior college contestant entering later as a senior college contestant. Junior College contestants competing as freshman are eligible to judge a second year.
- 11. There will be a total of 12 classes to judge and reasons will be given on 8 classes.
- 12. Classes will consist of Market, Continental, English, and Brahman breeds.
- 13. On each class, the contestants will be allowed 12 minutes to make their observations, record their placings, and take notes to assist them in oral reasons. Contestants will be notified two (2) minutes before time is up.
- 14. After placing all classes in the contest, the contestant will appear before the official judge to give oral reasons substantiating their placings on the 8 designated reasons classes. Each contestant will be allowed 2 minutes to give their reasons on each class. A contestant will not be allowed to hold any paper, card or device of any kind that will assist them in giving their reasons before the judge.

- 15. The final scores will be based on 50 points on each placing or 50 points on each set of reasons.
- 16. Scoring of placing classes will be done via scantron.
- 17. No contestant will wear any uniform, college colors, or belt buckle or shall they in any way signify to the official judge their identity or the identity of the college they represent.
- 18. While the contest is in progress, there is to be no conferring between contestants or between contestants and coaches or anyone else, except as directed by the Superintendent or his representative.
- 19. In case of ties, the individual or team winner shall be determined by: (1) High reasons score in division in which tie occurs. (2) High reasons score in the overall contest. (3) A coin toss between individuals or teams tied. (4) Ties for high reasons awards will be broken and awarded to low placings score in overall contest.
- 20. No duplicate awards will be given.
- 21. Contestants or any coach found in violation of these rules will be barred from future competition and their team disqualified from any and all awards. The decisions of the Superintendent on all matters concerning the contest will be final.