

DEPARTMENT 2-J JUNIOR FAIR BEEF CATTLE

Entry Requirements:

1. Limited to exhibitors enrolled in the Beef Project.
2. No exhibitor may show more than **four** animals in the department (cow/calf counts as one entry unless calf or cow are shown separately).
3. No animal exhibited in breeding classes can be entered in market classes.
4. Must provide Premises ID number on online entry and on entry day of Fair.
5. Please review the fairbook State Animal Health Rules & Regulations section for applicable rules.
6. All Beef exhibitors must complete the Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) training every year to be eligible to exhibit their animal(s) at the Buffalo County Fair. Meat Animal exhibitors must attend one additional approved educational session by the Friday before the Fair.
7. To be eligible for sale, steers must be grade, choice or better and weigh at least 1000 pounds on entry day.
8. All animals must be accompanied by a responsible person to assist with weighing in at the initial weigh-ins and at the time of arrival at the fairgrounds. All meat animals will be weighed in at the Fair between 7:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, entry day.
9. To exhibit at the Buffalo County Fair:
 - **All market animals must be owned by the exhibitor prior to the initial weigh-in date.**
 - Non-market animals, such as breeding classes or steer calves may be ownership or managerial.
 - All animals owned by someone other than the exhibitor will be considered managerial animals.
 - a. A managerial animal is one that is under the care of, but not owned by the exhibitor. The exhibitor must regularly participate in the daily care of the animal by April 1st of the exhibit year.
 - b. Managerial agreement forms are available at www.buffalo.uwex.edu and must be completed by April 1st.
10. No leading aids are allowed beyond halters
11. No horns are allowed on any beef cattle (small nubs/scabs will be allowed at the digression of the Meat Animal Committee)
12. To exhibit at the Wisconsin State Fair: **Please note: The Wisconsin State Fair has very specific entry requirements and deadlines.** If you are interested in entering animals in the Wisconsin State Fair, please contact the UW-Extension Office by March 15 for a list of entry guidelines and deadlines.
13. The final market destination for all market animals must be determined prior to Saturday at 5:00p.m. No changes allowed after that time.
14. Close toed footwear must be worn by exhibitors while caring for or exhibiting animals.
15. If there are less than three animals in a registered class, they may be combined.

2019 Dates

Junior Calf -	Born after January 1, 2019
Senior Calf -	Born September 1, 2018 - December 31, 2018
Summer Yearling -	Born May 1, 2018 to August 31, 2018
Junior Yearling -	Born January 1, 2018 to April 30, 2018
Senior Yearling -	Born September 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017
Cow - 2 Years and Older -	Born before September 1, 2017
Junior Bull Calf-	Born after March 1, 2019

BREEDING CLASSES

1. All breed animals must be registered. Except for other breed lot (grade or crossbred females may be included).
2. Must have proof of breed registry at the time of check-in on entry day.

Danish Judging		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
Class A	Heifer Calf, Junior	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$7.00	\$5.00
Class B	Heifer Calf, Senior	11.00	9.00	7.00	5.00
Class C	Heifer, Summer Yearling	11.00	9.00	7.00	5.00
Class D	Heifer, Junior Yearling	11.00	9.00	7.00	5.00
Class E	Heifer, Senior Yearling	11.00	9.00	7.00	5.00
Class F	Cow, 2 Years and Older	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00
Class G	Cow/Calf Pair (Calf born after March 1st)	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00

Lots

- Angus
- Limousin
- Maine Anjou
- Other breed (grade or crossbred females may be included)
- Other Registered breed
- Shorthorn
- Simmental

Class H	Bull Calf, Junior– born after March 1st	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$7.00	\$5.00
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Lots

- Bull Calf Junior, all breeds

MARKET CLASSES

1. All Market Steers must be born after January 1 of preceding year.
2. Steers will be placed in the appropriate weight class at the time of weigh-in on entry day.
3. Must have proof of breed registry at the time of initial weigh-in if showing in the single breeds classes.
4. All animals must be accompanied by a responsible person to assist with weighing in at the preliminary weigh-ins and at the time of arrival at the fairgrounds. All meat animals will be weighed in at the Fair between 7:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, entry day.

Danish Judging		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
Class I	Market Steer	\$8.00	\$7.00	\$6.00	\$5.00
<u>Lots</u>					
Single Beef Breed – both parents same breed - registered					
Cross Breeds					
Dairy Steers - both parents are dairy breed					
Alternative Modest Frame Beef Breeds					
Class J	Market Heifer				
Market Heifer, all breeds					
Danish Judging		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
		\$8.00	\$7.00	\$6.00	\$5.00

Class K **Steer Calf, All Breeds** - must have been born after January 1 of current year.

Lots

- Steer Calf, all breeds

	Danish Judging	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
Class L	Showmanship	\$3.00	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50
	<u>Lots</u>				
	Junior (Grades 3-6)				
	Intermediate (Grades 7-9)				
	Senior (Grade 10 & Over)				
	Danish Judging	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
Class M	Carcass	\$6.00	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$3.00
	<u>Lots</u>				
	Carcass				

Pee Wee Show

This event is sponsored by the Buffalo County Farm Bureau, and will be held on Sunday, 2:00 p.m. in the Show Arena. This event is only open to youth in kindergarten, 1st, and 2nd grades. Interested participants should register beginning at 12:00 p.m. in Show Arena on the day of the event.