

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Entries will not be limited except that an exhibitor may not exhibit more than 2 animals in any class. (Cow-calf is one entry).
2. This is a family activity. NO professional fitters will be allowed. We strongly encourage each exhibitor to personally fit their animals.
3. Open to youth ages 9-21 on show day. Youth under 9 will have their own division of showmanship and will be judged on the Danish system. These exhibitors will show in the respective age division in the breeding classes and will also be judged on the Danish system. (These cattle are not eligible for division or champion competition.)
4. An official health certificate **IS REQUIRED** for entries from outside the State of NC. Animals must be inspected and if any health problems are detected those animals will not be allowed in the barn.
5. Open to residents of North Carolina and surrounding states.
6. Rosette ribbons will be presented to Grand Champions and Reserve Grand Champions of all shows.
7. A breed must have four(4) entries to qualify for a breed show, otherwise they will be shown in the commercial class.
8. Ribbons will be awarded to all places.
9. Cash premiums are dependent upon funds raised. **NO EXHIBITOR WILL BE PAID MORE THAN THE EQUIVALENT OF 3 FIRST PLACE FINISHES FOR THE ENTIRE SHOW.** This rule does not include the steer show. The operating committee hopes to pay premiums the day of the show.
10. There will be nine (9) entry classes.
11. Exhibitors must have trained and fitted the animal, but ownership is NOT required.
12. Animals are required to have a neckrope and halter when tied in the barn. All animals must be tied in the barn from 9:00 AM until the end of the show on Saturday. Unruly animals will not be tolerated and exhibitors of animals deemed to be a hazard to other exhibitors may be asked to remove them from the barn, leave

them tied in place or leave the showing. All decisions of the rules/show committee regarding these animals and the safety of other exhibitors are final.

13. **NO NURSE COWS ALLOWED.** Calf must be weaned except cow/calf pair. Calf must have been born on or after November 1 of preceding year. Heifer calves in this pair can be shown in their respective class if entered on time. Cow-calf pair is not eligible for Grand Champion.
14. **NO DOGS** will be allowed.
15. **NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES** will be allowed.
16. No mulch or bark allowed in the barn. Shavings will be provided for exhibitors.
17. Animals will be released upon the completion of all breed shows. Show superintendent or manager will release animals after left over bedding has been moved into the show ring.
18. All cattle must be in place on Saturday, June 22 by 9 AM. Exhibitors may arrive from 6 AM until 9 AM on Saturday, June 22. Gates will be open for arrivals on **Saturday, June 22 from 5:45-9:00 AM**. (If you need to arrive on Friday, Call Glenn Detweiler for arrangements - number below)
19. Showmanship will be scored based on 100% showmanship.
20. Showmanship Classes: (Age on show day)
Cloverbud (under 9 years of age)
Junior - 9-11 years of age
Intermediate - 12-15 years of age
Senior - 16-21 years of age
21. No adhesives can be used (balling tails, tailheads or polls, etc.). No aerosol cans allowed.
22. For the safety of small children, no floor fans will be allowed.

Show Order: Breeds will be shown in alphabetical order of the breeds this year starting with the AOB heifers.

Order of activities for the day will be:

- **Showmanship** (Cloverbud, Junior, Intermediate, Senior),
- **Lunch Break**

- **Heifer show** (AOB, Charolais, Commercial, Gelbvieh, Hereford, Limousin, Red Angus, Santa Gertrudis, Shorthorn, Simmental, Angus)
- **Jackpot steer show.**
- **Jackpot Dairy Steer Show**

There will be hamburgers and hot dogs for sale on Saturday. The meal will be prepared by the Beef Expo Committee and the Catawba Valley Cattlemen's Association. A lunch break will be taken after showmanship on Saturday.

Arrivals: **Gate will be open** for setup and cattle arrivals **from 5:45 AM til 9:00 AM** on **Saturday, June 22, 2019.** If you need to arrive on Friday, please contact Glenn Detweiler.

Form Deadlines: Mail by June 12(stamped) or carry in by June 14.

If you have any questions, call Beef Expo Board Member: Jim Mundy @ 828-234-3068
or Livestock Extension Agent: Glenn Detweiler @ 405-219-1902

Heifer Breed Classes

1. January - April 2018
2. November - December 2017
3. September - October 2017
4. July - August 2017
5. May - June 2017
6. March - April 2017
7. January - February 2017
8. September - December 2016
9. Cow/Calf (Calf must have been born on or after November 1 of preceding year.)

Calf Champion (Classes 1-2-3)

Junior Champion (Classes 4-5-6)

Senior Champion (Classes 7-8)

Cow/Calf Champion (Class 9)

Breed Codes: (Must have 4 entries per breed or show commercial)

(Listed below in alphabetical order not show order)

Angus - A; AOB - AOB; Charolais - C; Gelbvieh - G; Hereford - H; Limousin - L; Red Angus - R; Simmental - S; Santa Gertrudis -SG; Shorthorn - T; Commercial - X