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ENTRY RULES

- All project members and exhibits must follow all Holmes County Jr. Fair General Rules and conform to Livestock Exhibit Health Requirements listed previously in this fair book.
- All livestock, to be exhibited, must be entered on an entry form by July 1, 2010 FAIR ENTRIES PROCEDURE: Fair Entry Forms (for pen assignments) will be accepted at the Holmes Co. Fair Grounds Jr. Fair Board Office on the following dates and times:
Mailed entries will not be accepted.

TuesdayJune 83:00 - 7:00 PM
ThursdayJune 173:00 - 7:00 PM
SaturdayJune 269:00 AM - NOON
ThursdayJuly 13:00 - 7:00 PM

on or before July 1 or space will not be available for exhibit.
Steers need advance entry in addition to Holmes County Club enrollment and identification. Club guidelines must be met to show and sell.
- Livestock member project grades will be determined by an interview evaluation (Skill-A-Thon), covering project book subject matter and basic 4-H/FFA knowledge. All Jr. Fair exhibitors must attend scheduled county judging, if unable to attend, club advisors may evaluate projects. Projects must be evaluated and grade(s) submitted to the Extension Office before the scheduled county judging date. Members who do not attend scheduled county judging are not eligible for Outstanding Market Livestock Awards.
- All beef must be dehorned (no scurs over 2 inches may be present). Steers must be castrated and not have any testicular development or intact spermatic cords by 8 months of age.
- No oral or injectable tranquilizer may be used on the fairgrounds.
- Adding any substance externally to build up, change, or alter the shape or conformation of the livestock, including by way of example but not limited to, rope, false hair, graphite, hemp, and powders. No painting. (ODA 901-19-33,ABC)
- Official weigh-in will be at 9pm Sunday of Fair week.
- All steer entrants at the Holmes County Fair MUST attend and show at one steer show, with their steer, to be eligible to attend the Fair. Steers can be shown at the Holmes County Spring Clinic on April 24, 2010. If you can not attend this show, steers may be shown at any show. Proof of attendance is required. Example: entry fee receipt.

BEEF ALL BREED SHOWMANSHIP ENTRY RULES

- Showmanship classes are divided by first year project members and by age of Exhibitor as of January 1. Junior 11 years or under; Intermediate 12,13 or 14; Senior 15 years and over. First year project members, any age, are encouraged to enter Beginners Showmanship class and will be ineligible to compete in Junior, Intermediate or Senior Showmanship class for the current year and will be ineligible for the Outstanding Market Award.

Section/Class Description

100 - MARKET STEER SHOWMANSHIP

100 - 20 Senior Steer Showmanship (Ages 15 & over)

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion-Der Dutchman Restaurant
- Reserve Grand Champion-Dale and Jackie McKee

100 - 30 Intermediate Steer Showmanship (Ages 12 thru 14)

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion-Holmes County Farm Bureau
- Reserve Grand Champion-TheVoiceofHolmesCounty.com

100 - 40 Junior Steer Showmanship (Ages 11 & under)

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion-Habrun's Insurance Service, Inc.
- Reserve Grand Champion-Paint Valley Equipment Ltd.

100 - 50 Beginner Steer Showmanship (1st Year Members only)

Award Sponsor: David & June Peebles (Awarded at Spring Show)

150 - BEEF BREEDING SHOWMANSHIP

150 - 20 Senior Beef Breeding Showmanship (Ages 15 & over)

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion-Critchfield, Critchfield & Johnston, Ltd.
- Reserve Grand Champion-Jackie McKee,
Holmes County Auditor

150 - 30 Intermediate Beef Breeding Showmanship

(Ages 12 thru 14)

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion-Classic Car Wash
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150 - 40 Junior Beef Breeding Showmanship (Ages 11 & under)

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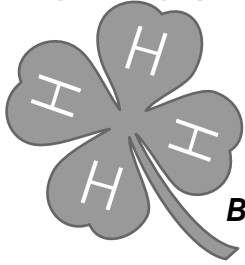
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150-50 Beginner Beef Breeding Showmanship

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HOLMES COUNTY BRED STEERS ENTRY RULES

- Criteria for Holmes County Bred Steer.
 - Steer's dam was owned and under the control and management of a Holmes County based farm (Beef) operation at the time of the insemination that resulted in the steer calf.
 - In the case of and ET steer, ownership control and management of the dam at the time of insemination and the receipt is required.
- No intermediate ownership is permitted to be eligible for the show. The steer must be exhibited by the breeder or a member of the breeders family (no clear ownership change) or the exhibitor must purchase directly from the breeder.
- Holmes County Bred Steer exhibitors shall notify the beef committee at the December weigh-in listing: Steer, Breed, Breeder and Birth Date. Holmes County Bred Steers indicated at this time will automatically be registered into the appropriate class.

Section/Class Description

200 - HOLMES COUNTY BRED STEERS

- 200-11 Height Class 1
- 200-12 Height Class 2
- 200-13 Height Class 3
- 200-14 Height Class 4

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion Banner -Black Velvet Farm
- Grand Champion Buyer Banner - Ho. Co. Beef Club
- Reserve Champion Banner - Lon-Ja Farm
- Reserve Champion Buyer Banner- Ho. Co. Beef Club

BEEF MARKET STEERS ENTRY RULES

- Market Steer Classes will be determined, based upon height at official weigh-in, by Steer Committee.
- To sell at the Junior Market Livestock Sale steers must weigh 800 pounds traditional breed. Scottish Highlanders must weigh 700 pounds and Belted Galloways must weigh 600 pounds.
- Exhibitor must show and sell one beef steer.
- All calves are to be shown in a show halter with show stick.
- Rate of gain will be calculated for all steers and Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion award will be given.
- Unruly steers that pose a safety threat and disrupt the show may be dismissed from the show and graded in the barn. Unruly steers that are dismissed from the show ring will be placed last in the class.
- In the event that an exhibitor is unable to handle their steer in the show ring it is expected that a parent, sibling or advisor will enter the show ring and assist. Such assistance is permitted only, when required, for control and safety. It will not be tolerated if it appears to be an effort to gain show advantage by placing a more experienced showman at the halter.
- 4-H project member is only permitted to show a Dairy Steer or Beef Steer, not both.

BEEF BREEDING ENTRY RULES

- Pictures and/or leases of breeding heifers must be turned into the Extension Office by June 1st.

500 - BEEF BREEDING

- 500-10 Beef Junior Heifer Calf (Born 1/1/10 thru 3/30/10)
- 500-20 Beef Senior Heifer Calf (Born 9/1/09 thru 12/31/09)
- 500-30 Beef Summer Yearling (Born 5/1/09 thru 8/31/09)
- 500-40 Beef Junior Yearling Heifer (Born 1/1/09 thru 4/30/09)
- 500-50 Beef Senior Yearling Heifer (Born 9/1/08 thru 12/31/08)
- 500-60 Beef Two Year Old Cow (Born 5/1/08 thru 8/31/08)
With or without calf
- 500-70 Cow Calf Pair (Born prior to 5/1/08)
With or without calf

Grand Champion Beef Breeding

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion Banner - Miller Polled Herefords
- Reserve Grand Champion Banner - Bands Co Inc.

BEEF FEEDER CALF ENTRY RULES

- Pictures and/or leases of feeder calves must be turned into the Extension Office by June 1st.

600-10 BEEF FEEDER CALF (Heifer or Steer)

(Born 1/1/10 thru 4/30/10)

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Section/Class Description
900-MARKET STEERS

900-11 Beef Steers Height Class 1

Award Sponsors: Loudonville Farmers Equity

900-12 Beef Steers Height Class 2

Award Sponsors: Bands Co. Inc.

900-13 Beef Steers Height Class 3

Award Sponsors: Dale & Jackie McKee

900-14 Beef Steers Height Class 4

Award Sponsors: Walnut Hills Retirement Community

900-15 Beef Steers Height Class 5

Award Sponsors: Tate Farms

900-16 Beef Steers Height Class 6

Award Sponsors: Mastock Shorthorns

900-17 Beef Steers Height Class 7

Award Sponsors: Guy Roy & JoAnne Stallman

Grand Champion Beef Steer

Award Sponsors:

- Grand Champion-Farm Credit Services of Mid-America
- Banner-Black Velvet Farm
- Buyer Banner-Smith Cattle Co.
- Reserve Grand Champion-Stan's Meats Inc.
- Banner-Straits Cattle Farm
- Buyer Banner-Mohican Farms

900-20 BEEF STEER RATE OF GAIN

Award Sponsors:

- Champion-Joe A. Brand Accounting
- Reserve Champion-Holmes Laboratory



BEEF CARCASS CONTEST GUIDELINES

1. The top ten Market Steers in the Jr. Fair Show will automatically be entered.
2. The carcass contest will take place at Sugar Valley Meats.
3. Judging will take place Thursday August 26, 2010 at 5pm with members required and parents encouraged to attend the education program and recognition of winners.
4. Top awards will be given to the Jr. Fair member who raised the Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion carcasses, awards are given to all participants by placement.
5. Any tampering and/or misrepresentation will be considered fraud and deception, and thus grounds for disqualification of the carcass. (See full Jr. Fair guidelines in the Fair book)
6. Requirements to receive placing and award recognition; judging of carcass will be based on combination of USDA quality and yield grades.

Good Luck Fair Participants!



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