

# JUNIOR DAIRY CATTLE

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**DIRECTORS: Luke Beam & Craig Mayes**

Open to Cleveland, Burke, Catawba, Gaston, Lincoln, and Rutherford counties in North Carolina  
and Cherokee and York counties in South Carolina

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Entries must be in place by 12 PM on Thursday, September 30. Show Time - Friday, October 1 at 3:30 PM

Dairy cattle will be released Friday, October 1 at 8:00 p.m.

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See Director for admission & parking pass at check-in.

Vehicles and trailers must be moved to special livestock parking area outside gate immediately after unloading.

### **BREED CODES AND SHOW ORDER**

1. Guernsey (G)
2. Holstein (H)
3. Jersey (J)
4. Ayrshire (A)
5. Brown Swiss (BS)

**Special Attention:** Make your entries early using the entry form in the back of this book. Space is assigned in the order entries are received and Show is limited to available tie space (100 head). **No entries will be accepted after September 15th.**  
*No entry fee for Junior Show.*

### **GUIDELINES**

- No entry fees required to enter the Junior Show (Junior entries in the Open Show are subject to a \$5 per head entry fee).
- In order to compete, exhibitors must be capable of showing animals without assistance in the show ring.
- Open to Junior exhibitors 19 years of age and younger residing in North and South Carolina.
- Junior exhibitors must have fitted, cared for, and be in possession of their entries for 30 or more days prior to the Show.
- **Out of state exhibitors** must present health certificate, dated within 60 days of the opening date of the Fair (see Livestock health regulations).
- Limit one entry per class.
- Animals exhibited in the Junior Dairy Show are eligible for competition in the Open Show, provided they are entered **on a separate form** under the same exhibitor's name and number as in the Junior Show. An animal shown in the Junior Show shall **not** be entered in another exhibitor's name in the Open Show.
- Junior exhibits will show at the same time and with animals entered in the Open Show. When the judge completes each class, ribbons will be presented and placing recorded in for the Open Show. Junior exhibitors will then step forward to determine places in the Junior Show.
- Juniors may not enter group classes, but Junior entries may be used to complete group classes in the Open Show provided they are owned by the same family or farm.

### **RULES & REGULATIONS**

1. Animals must be registered. Copies of registration papers should be available for inspection by Livestock Superintendent, Department Directors, or Show Judge.
2. All animals must be in the possession of the exhibitor and must be under the exhibitors care for (30) days prior to the opening day of the Fair.
3. The management reserves the right of declining any entry. Furthermore, the directors reserve the right to bar from competition animals of decided poor conformation, those not fitted properly for show, and cattle not possessing sufficient merit to warrant recognition.
4. Exhibitors are expected to display their animals as directed by the Superintendent and Directors, to accept assigned tie spaces without controversy, to keep their animals and display area in attractive appearance, and to cooperate with the department in every way such as may serve to increase the educational value of the show.

5. Exhibitors failing to promptly exhibit their animals in the arena to be rated by the judge as per schedule, shall forfeit the privilege of competition. Decorations with ribbons previously won by animals in show shall be prohibited until after the awards have been made in their respective classes. Current Cleveland County Fair ribbons must be displayed.
6. Experienced judges shall pass on each class.
7. In the absence of competition in any class, the judge shall determine proper placing. Should unsound, inferior or distinctly unworthy specimens be presented in competition, the Association shall be under no obligation to decorate them with ribbons or distribute prizes as scheduled. Merit alone shall justify recognition.
8. Feed and bedding must be furnished by the exhibitor. Care will be exercised to have all tie spaces clean and bedded with a suitable base material at the time of entry, but the exhibitor will be expected to provide on-site supervision of their animals, to keep the space they occupy in a clean and sanitary condition and to remove all litter or equipment promptly as the Superintendent may direct.
9. All juniors in charge of a herd of four or more animals exhibited in classes will be automatically entered in the Herdsmen's Contest (see rules governing livestock).
10. If there are three (3) or fewer animals entered in any breed show, there will be no classes offered nor premiums awarded for that breed. Those animals will be eligible to show in the Commercial division.
11. The Cleveland County Fair Association shall not be responsible for any accident which may occur to, or by reason of, any animals exhibited at the show and the exhibitor shall hold them blameless and indemnify them against any legal proceedings arising from such actions.
12. Youth may show in one breed Showmanship Class.

**SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES** – *Enter the appropriate class on Entry Form for Livestock*

**PREMIUMS:** 1st place - \$40; 2nd place - \$35; 3rd place - \$30; 4th place - \$25; 5th place - \$20

**DJ-202 Cloverbud Fitting & Showmanship** (youth ages 5-8)

**DJ-203 Junior Fitting & Showmanship** (youth ages 9 to 13)

**DJ-204 Senior Fitting & Showmanship** (youth ages 14-19)

**SINGLE ENTRIES**

**PREMIUMS:** 1st place - \$40 ; 2nd place - \$35; 3rd place - \$30; 4th place - \$25; 5th place - \$20

*The standard classification will be used as follow (Base dates for computing ages of dairy cattle are March 1 and September 1):*

**DJ-210 Junior Heifer Calf** – born between March 1 and May 30, 2010

**DJ-211 Intermediate Heifer Calf** – born between December 1, 2009 and February 28, 2010

**DJ-212 Senior Heifer Calf** – born between September 1 and November 30, 2009

**DJ-213 Summer Yearling Heifer** – born between June 1 and August 31, 2009

**DJ-214 Junior Yearling Heifer** – born between March 1 and May 31, 2009

**DJ-215 Winter Yearling Heifer** – born between December 1, 2007 and February 28, 2009

**DJ-216 Senior Yearling Heifer** – born between September 1, 2007 and November 30, 2008

**DJ-218 Two Year Old Cow** – born between September 1, 2007 and August 31, 2008

**DJ-219 Three Year Old Cow** – born between September 1, 2006 and August 31, 2007

**DJ-220 Four Year Old Cow** – born between September 1, 2005 and August 31, 2006

**DJ-221 Cow Five Years and Older** – born before September 1, 2005.

**CHAMPIONSHIPS** (*Do not enter these classes on Entry Form for Livestock*)

**DJ-217 Junior Champion Female** (winners of classes DJ-210 through DJ-216 eligible)...**Mini Banner**

**DJ-222 Senior Champion Female** (winners of classes DJ-218 through DJ-221 eligible)...**Mini Banner**

**DJ-223 Grand Champion Female** (Jr Champion Female & Sr Champion Female eligible)...**Banner**

**DJ-224 Reserve Champion Female**...**Mini Banner**

**HERDSMAN'S AWARD** (*Juniors in charge of four or more animals may compete*)

*See Livestock Department for Contest Rules and Scorecard for Judging.*

**PREMIUMS:** 1st place - \$65 & banner; 2nd place - \$55; 3rd place - \$45; 4th place - \$35; 5th place - \$25

**D-HA-21 Herdman's Award**