



CATTLE



Ownership Documents due by	Thursday,	February 23,	4:00 pm
Entry forms due by	Monday,	May 8,	4:00 pm or midnight online
<i>At the fair office</i>			
Received and Weighed	Monday,	June 12,	7:00 - 9:00 am
Weighed: Animals will be weighed as they are unloaded from the trailer.			
Please Note the Limit, one blocking chute per family.			
Beef Show	Wednesday,	June 14,	9:00 am
<i>*Order: Market, followed by Showmanship, followed by Breeding, followed by Dairy</i>			
Released			
Sold Market Released (Commercial Haulers)	Sunday,	June 18,	6 :00 pm
Large Master Showmanship:	Friday,	June 16,	9:00 am
All NON-SALE cattle Wednesday, June 14, 2023 following all shows until 9:00 pm			
Or Sunday, June 18, 2023 6:00 – 8:00 am			

DAIRY CATTLE

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY
RIBBONS ONLY

RULES

- A. Must be owned by the Exhibitor at least 30 days prior to the Fair.
- B. All female dairy cattle four (4) months of age and over and beef cattle twelve (12) months of age and over must bear evidence of official calf-hood vaccination against brucellosis with a legible, official tattoo visible in the right ear.

DIVISION 482 – DAIRY

CLASS

- 1. Any age registered and unregistered heifers and steers. Exhibition Class on Conformation.
- 2. Showmanship - Any registered and unregistered heifers and steers. All exhibitors, regardless of age, show together.

MINI CATTLE

Must be owned by the Exhibitor at least 30 days prior to the Fair and must comply with all health regulations.

RIBBONS ONLY

DIVISION 483 – Longhorn

DIVISION 484 – Dexter

CLASS

- 1. Any age registered and unregistered heifers and steers. Exhibition Class on Conformation.
- 2. Showmanship - Any registered and unregistered heifers and steers. All exhibitors, regardless of age, show together.

REGISTERED PUREBRED BEEF CATTLE

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

- A. **PUREBRED REGISTERED BREEDING ANIMAL:** An animal that is registered with a recognized United States breed association and meets that breed association's requirements for registration. Exhibitors' names must match registration papers.
- B. **Registration papers must be entered with entry forms.**
- C. Any Cow with a calf on its side can ONLY be shown in Cow-Calf Class.
- D. All breeding beef must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 30 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair.
- E. Permanent tattoo must match registration papers.

Ribbons Only

FEMALE CHAMPION RIBBONS

CHAMPION

RESERVE CHAMPION

- 3. Summer Yearling June 1 - Aug. 31, 2022
- 4. Jr. Yearling Jan. 1 - May 31, 2022
- 5. **Fall Sr. Yearling June 1 - Dec. 31, 2021**
- 6. **Spring Sr. Yearling Jan 1 - May 31, 2021**

DIVISION 485 - ALL BREEDS, 4-H, GRANGE, AND FFA

CLASS # - FEMALES/HEIFER

- 1. Jr. Calf Born on/after Jan. 1, 2023
- 2. Sr. Calf Sept. 1 - Dec. 31, 2022

- 7. **Cow-Calf** (calf to be no more than 205 days old & must be prodigy of cow)

RIBBONS ONLY

NON-REGISTERED BREEDING BEEF

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

- A. Animals that qualify for Division 485 are not eligible.
- B. Grade and crossbred animals are eligible. Refer to definitions in the State Rules.
- C. Animals entered in the following classes cannot be entered in any other class of the Beef Cattle Divisions, exception: Showmanship.
- D. A permanent ear tag or tattoo number is required.

Ribbons Only

CHAMPION RIBBONS

CHAMPION

RESERVE CHAMPION

- 5. **Fall Sr. Yearling June 1 - Dec. 31, 2021**
- 6. **Spring Sr. Yearling Jan 1 - May 31, 2021**

DIVISION 486 - ALL BREEDS 4-H, GRANGE & FFA

CLASS # - FEMALES/HEIFER

- 1. Jr. Calf Born on/after Jan. 1, 2023
- 2. Sr. Calf Sept. 1 - Dec. 31, 2022
- 3. Summer Yearling June 1 - Aug. 31, 2022
- 4. Jr. Yearling Jan. 1 - May 31, 2022

- 7. **Cow-Calf** (calf to be no more than 205 days old & must be a prodigy of the cow)

RIBBONS ONLY

OVERALL FEMALE ROSETTE AWARDS

CHAMPION COW-CALF
RESERVE CHAMPION COW-CALF
SUPREME FEMALE
RESERVE SUPREME FEMALE

SINGLE MARKET BEEF

ALL BREEDS JUDGED TOGETHER

ENTRY FEE: \$12 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

*ONLY ONE WEIGH-IN**

LIMIT 2 MARKET BEEF PER EXHIBITOR

- A. All market beef must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 120 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair. **Proof of ownership must be turned in with ear tag form and photo of steer.**
- B. California brand inspection or an out-billing from a sales yard must be made out to the exhibitor, showing 120 consecutive days of showmanship, or a signed statement that the animal was dropped from the exhibitor's cow and raised by the exhibitor.
- C. All Market animals must be tagged prior to ear tag form deadline.

Market Ready

Market steers are projected to have a sufficient fat deposition to meet the marbling specifications for USDA Prime, Choice, or Select + Quality Grade. Animals grading USDA Prime, Choice, or Select + Quality Grade. Superior and above average conformation and cutability. **ELIGIBLE TO SELL.**

Not Market Ready

Market steers lacking evidence of sufficient fat deposition to produce a desirable consumer product; steers projected to grade USDA Select+ or lower quality grade and under finished animals that are average or below average in conformation. **CANNOT SELL.**

After weighing, market steers will be divided into weight classes as desired by management for convenience in judging.

***NOTE: All exhibitors selling at auction MUST participate in that SHOWMANSHIP class**

CHAMPION RIBBONS

4-H CHAMPION 4-H RESERVE CHAMPION
FFA CHAMPION FFA RESERVE CHAMPION
GRANGE CHAMPION GRANGE RESERVE CHAMPION
SUPREME GRAND CHAMPION
RESERVE SUPREME GRAND CHAMPION

OWNER BRED – 1st through 3rd Place ribbons will be awarded to the top 3 “owner-bred” market animals.

SUPREME AND RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION BUCKLES

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DIVISION 405 – FFA SINGLE MARKET ANIMALS

DIVISION 406 – 4-H SINGLE MARKET ANIMALS

DIVISION 407 – GRANGE SINGLE MARKET ANIMALS

CLASS #

1. **Steers** – 1000 to 1300 lbs. (Steers weighing more than 1300 lbs. will have their sale weight adjusted to 1300 lbs.)

OTHER MARKET BEEF CLASSES

DIVISION 538 - “OTHER”

2. **Owner Bred.** Class within a class. You MUST enter a Market Class and this class (4-H, FFA, GRANGE) to qualify. Ribbons will be given to 1st through 3rd place finishers. **\$5 FEE.**
3. **County Bred.** Steer must be born & raised in Amador, El Dorado, or Sacramento Counties and by an AES Cattleman’s Association member. Class within a class. You MUST enter a Market Class and this class (4-H, FFA, GRANGE) to qualify. **\$5 FEE.**

County Bred Awards will be paid directly to the exhibitors by the AES Cattleman’s Association.

\$500 Champion

\$250 Reserve Champion

\$150 3rd Place

\$100 4th Place

To Qualify: A copy of the bill of sale & signed affidavit/Local Bred Market Steer Entry Form (separate from Fair’s Entry Form) **must be emailed to and verified by AES PRIOR to the fair.** Rbrown3355@gmail.com

FEEDER BEEF

\$6 ENTRY FEE

RIBBONS ONLY

All feeder beef must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 30 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair. The management may demand such proof of ownership as it deems necessary in each case.

DIVISION 487 – 4-H FEEDER BEEF

DIVISION 488 – FFA FEEDER BEEF

DIVISION 489 – GRANGE FEEDER BEEF

CLASS #

1. Feeder Steer – 350 to 690 lbs.
2. Feeder Steer – 691 to 999 lbs.
3. Feeder Steer – 1000 + lbs.

Due to weight variances, when entering, enter division number only, after the weigh-in, steers will be sorted to the appropriate class number.

SUPER STEER CONTEST

\$5 ENTRY FEE

Competition and Awards sponsored by

AES Cattlewomen

Champion is the Highest point earning steer.

Points awarded: Rate of Gain, Class Placing, and Carcass Evaluation.

The Super Steer Contest should be entered when registering for the fair. In order to qualify, Steers must:

Pre-Weigh, Enter Market Class and Sell and receive carcass evaluation.

DIVISION 490

CLASS #

1. Market Steers

SHOWMANSHIP

ENTRY FEE \$5

REQUIRED FOR ALL MARKET ANIMALS.

SEE SHOWMANSHIP SECTION FOR DETAILS (PAGE 123.)