

DEPARTMENT A – BEEF CATTLE

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If you have submitted your application, please mark your entry form as such. You will be allowed to enter.

Return application to:
Food Safety & Animal Protection Bureau
Illinois Department of Agriculture
P.O. Box 19281
Springfield, IL 62794-9281

AMOUNT OFFERED: \$16,000

ENTRY FEE: \$10 – STALL RENT: \$6 PER HEAD

Entry Fees Must Be Collected for all Entries when Entry Blanks are Submitted

Premiums will be paid contingent upon the State of Illinois having their premium fund reimbursement program in effect at the time of our fair.

SHOW DAY: FRIDAY, JULY 24, 8 A.M.

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| \$200 Cash Award – Grand Champion Steer | \$100 Cash Award – Reserve Champion Female |
| \$100 Cash Award – Reserve Grand Champion Steer | Trophy – Grand Champion Fat Steer |
| \$200 Cash Award – Grand Champion Bull | Trophy – Grand Champion Female |
| \$100 Cash Award – Reserve Champion Bull | Ribbon Only – Champion bull and Champion Heifer each breed |
| \$200 Cash Award – Grand Champion Female | Ribbon On Request |

CASH AWARDS COMPLIMENTS OF:

TROPHIES COMPLIMENTS OF:

Entry forms must be postmarked no later than July 13, 2009. Walk-in entries received no later than July 15, 2009 at the Fairgrounds Office.

**PREMIUM CHECKS WILL NOT BE ISSUED WITHOUT EXHIBITORS SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER. NO EXCEPTIONS.
REGISTRATION PAPERS REQUIRED ON ALL PUREBRED LIVESTOCK. REGISTRATON PAPERS MUST BE IN EXHIBITOR'S NAME,
AND CHECKED AS PER STATE REQUIREMENTS.**

See general rules.

Specific Beef Department Rules are as follows:

No cattle or tack allowed in barns prior to 12 noon on Wednesday, July 22.

All animals to be on grounds by 10:00p.m., Wednesday, July 22, released at conclusion of awards program on Friday. Steer will be weighed and mouthed at 11: a.m., the day of the showing. Steers may be mouthed in accordance with State Fair rules. **STEERS SHOWN BY BREEDS**

All animals showing in group classes must show in single class. We reserve the right to combine classes if there is only one exhibitor in a class.

All animals must be tattooed and registered in respective breeds, including animals entered in "All Other Breeds".

All animals must be stalled in the barns, overflow of cattle will be stalled in hog barns

No "butt" fans will be allowed.

All breeding cattle must be at least 50% of stated breed or shown in all other breeds. State Fair guidelines will be followed for steers and breeding cattle as per registration show requirements and percentages.

All exhibitors must present premise ID number at time of entry.

Generators allowed in approved areas only.

Points Show: IBA rules will be followed.

Herdsmen Award Beef Barn: \$10 cash award given by Macoupin County Fair; judging based principally on neatness and appearance of stall or pens, also timeliness of getting livestock to show ring and presenting livestock.

All ethics rules will follow state fair guidelines.

No chute in Hog Barn.

All wire, cans, bottles, and **garbage** shall be placed in containers. All show boxes, feed and cots must be kept in area of individual stalls and out of show ring.

** All exhibitors will be required to display their exhibitor number – on their back, their belt or show harness**

Age definitions of all classes:

Sr. Bull – Jan. 1 and Dec. 31, 2007

Jr. Bull – Calved between Jan. 1 and April 30, 2008

Sr. Yr. Heifer – Calved between Sept. 1 and Dec. 31, 2007

Summer Yr. Bull - Calved between May 1 and Aug. 31, 2008

Pair Bulls – Any age owned by exhibitor

Early Jr. Yr. Heifer – Calved between Jan. 1 – Feb. 28, 2008

Jr. Yearling Heifer – Calved Mar. 1 – April 30, 2008

Summer Yr. – Calved between May 1 – Aug. 31, 2008

Sr. Heifer Calf – Calved between Sept 1 – Oct. 31, 2008

Sr. Bull Calved between Sept. 1 – Oct. 31, 2007

Winter Bull Calf – Calved Nov. 1, 2008

Winter Heifer Calf – Calved after Nov. 1, 2008

Pair Females – Any age owned by exhibitor

Pair Yearlings (1 Bull & 1 Female) – Calved between Jan. 1 - Aug. 31, 2008

Beef Herd – 1 Bull, 2 Females owned by exhibitor

Pair of Calves: Both Sexes, 1 Bull, 1 Female after Sept. 1, 2007

PREMIUMS: 1ST, \$40; 2ND, \$34; 3RD, \$28; 4TH, \$24; 5TH, \$18

CLASS 1 – HEREFORD AND POLLED HEREFORD

100 Jr. Yearling

103 Winter Bull Calf

106 Early Jr. Yearling Heifer

111 Sr. Heifer Calf

114 Pair Yearlings

117 Senior Bull

101 Summer Yearling Bull

104 Pair of Bulls

108 Jr. Yearling Heifer

112 Winter Heifer Calf

115 Beef Herd

102 Senior Bull Calf

105 Senior Yearling Heifer

110 Summer Yr. Heifer

113 Pair Females

116 Pair of Calves

CLASS 2 – SHORTHORN

125 Jr. Yearling

128 Winter Bull Calf

131 Early Jr. Yearling Heifer

136 Sr. Heifer Calf

139 Pair Yearlings

142 Senior Bull

126 Summer Yearling Bull

129 Pair of Bulls

133 Jr. Yearling Heifer

137 Winter Heifer Calf

140 Beef Herd

127 Senior Bull Calf

130 Senior Yearling Heifer

135 Summer Yr. Heifer

138 Pair Females

141 Pair of Calves

CLASS 3 – SIMMENTAL

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| 150 Jr. Yearling | 151 Summer Yearling Bull | 152 Senior Bull Calf |
| 153 Winter Bull Calf | 154 Pair of Bulls | 155 Senior Yearling Heifer |
| 156 Early Jr. Yearling Heifer | 158 Jr. Yearling Heifer | 160 Summer Yr. Heifer |
| 161 Sr. Heifer Calf | 162 Winter Heifer Calf | 163 Pair Females |
| 164 Pair Yearlings | 165 Beef Herd | 166 Pair of Calves |
| 167 Senior Bull | | |

CLASS 4 – LIMOUSIN

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| 175 Jr. Yearling | 176 Summer Yearling Bull | 177 Senior Bull Calf |
| 178 Winter Bull Calf | 179 Pair of Bulls | 180 Senior Yearling Heifer |
| 181 Early Jr. Yearling Heifer | 183 Jr. Yearling Heifer | 185 Summer Yr. Heifer |
| 186 Sr. Heifer Calf | 187 Winter Heifer Calf | 188 Pair Females |
| 189 Pair Yearlings | 190 Beef Herd | 191 Pair of Calves |
| 192 Senior Bull | | |

CLASS 5 – ABERDEEN ANGUS

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| 200 Jr. Yearling | 201 Summer Yearling Bull | 202 Senior Bull Calf |
| 203 Winter Bull Calf | 204 Pair of Bulls | 205 Senior Yearling Heifer |
| 206 Early Jr. Yearling Heifer | 208 Jr. Yearling Heifer | 210 Summer Yr. Heifer |
| 211 Sr. Heifer Calf | 212 Winter Heifer Calf | 213 Pair Females |
| 214 Pair Yearlings | 215 Beef Herd | 216 Pair of Calves |
| 217 Senior Bull | | |

CLASS 6 – ALL OTHER BREEDS

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| 220 Jr. Yearling | 221 Summer Yearling Bull | 222 Senior Bull Calf |
| 223 Winter Bull Calf | 224 Pair of Bulls | 225 Senior Yearling Heifer |
| 226 Early Jr. Yearling Heifer | 228 Jr. Yearling Heifer | 230 Summer Yr. Heifer |
| 231 Sr. Heifer Calf | 232 Winter Heifer Calf | 233 Pair Females |
| 234 Pair Yearlings | 235 Beef Herd | 236 Pair of Calves |
| 237 Senior Bull | | |

**CLASS 7 – STEER SHOW
(AFTER OPEN SHOW ON FRIDAY)**

250 Shorthorn
253 Limousin

251 Simmental
254 Aberdeen Angus

252 Hereford & Polled Hereford
255 All Other Breeds

If more than 6 steer are entered in a breed that steer class will be split into light & heavy classes. If more than 12 steers are entered the class will be divided into light, medium & heavy class.

DEPARTMENT H-1 – JUNIOR BEEF CATTLE

ENTRY FEE \$5.00 – AMOUNT OFFERED: \$5,400.00 NEW COUNTY FAIR POLICY EFFECTIVE 2008

REGISTER FOR PREMISE I.D. NUMBER

(LIVESTOCK/FOWL/EQUINE)

MUST REGISTER OR CANNOT ENTER

If stabled in Illinois, REGISTER online at IDOA's website: www.agri.state.il.us/premiseid
and receive Premise I.D. Number instantly.

For questions or application, call IDOA at:

1-866-299-9256, TTY - 217-524-6858; or FAX – 217-558-6033.

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See special Rules governing Junior Show

Points Show IBA Rules will be followed.

Junior show open to all eligible juniors.

Steers will be weighed at 11 a.m. the day of showing.

All animals showing in group classes must show in single classes.

No stall rent if exhibitor has paid stall rent in open class for each animal.

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AGE DEFINITIONS:

Steer must be calved after Jan. 1, 2007

Sr. Yearling Heifer, calved between Sept. 1 and Dec. 31, 2007

Early Jr. Yearling Heifer – Calved between Jan. 1 – Feb. 28, 2008

Jr. Yearling Heifer – Calved between Mar. 1 – April 30, 2008

Summer Heifer Calf – Calved between May 1 – Aug. 31, 2008

Senior Heifer Calf – Calved between Sept. 1 – Oct. 31, 2008

Winter Heifer Calf – Calved after Nov. 1, 2008

2009 JUNIOR BEEF SHOW ORDER

1. Aberdeen Angus

2. Hereford & Polled Hereford

3. Shorthorn

4. Simmental

5. Limousin

6. All Other Breeds

CLASS 1 – HEREFORD AND POLLED HEREFORD

15001 Senior Yearling Heifer

15002 Early Jr. Yearling Heifer

15004 Jr. Yearling Heifer

