

ATCP – BEEF – DEPARTMENT 2
Judging: Friday, 8:00 a.m. – Barn 7

Beef Cattle Age Classification

1. **All beef market steers and breeding stock must be brought to the fairgrounds and checked in by both the Veterinarian and the Superintendents in the north end of Barn #7 from 3-5 p.m. on Wednesday. Beef animals will not be allowed to unload or tie anywhere on the fairgrounds prior to 3 p.m. on Wednesday.**
2. All breeding stock are required to have an identification tag or a tattoo.
3. Regulations – See Health Regulations in front of book.
4. ALL breeding stock must be checked in at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday in Barn #7.
5. **Beef show exhibitors will NOT be allowed to use power washers on the fairgrounds.**
6. **The Green county Beef Producers will be furnishing wood chips for all beef exhibitors in the beef barn. Beef exhibitors will not be required to bring bedding for their animals. Straw, paper and wood shavings will not be allowed in the beef barn. The Green County Beef Producers will collect \$5.00 for each Beef Entry (excluding carcass steers) to cover the cost of the wood chips.**
7. Any exhibitor who puts hazardous waste, toxic substances, or recyclable materials in the manure pits will make that club or chapter ineligible for herdsman awards for the year of violation. Hazardous waste materials include such items as medical containers and syringes. Examples of recyclable materials are aluminum cans, plastic and glass bottles. Twine strings and paper items are considered trash. There will be separate containers designated for recyclable materials and trash. Medical materials should be taken home and disposed of there.
8. Fans cannot be placed behind animals along public walkways in the cattle barns. If used, they must be hung in front or to the side of the cattle.
9. All registration certificates must be in the name of the exhibitor by May 1 for calves and yearlings; January 1 of fair year for animals 2 years and older.
10. Exhibitors are allowed to show one registered managerial animal in breeding stock Lots in the Beef Division.
11. **Adhesives, paints, oils or any other foreign materials may not be applied to any steers shown at the Green County Junior Fair. Animals will be checked as they enter the ring. Aerosol fly spray is allowed.**
12. Green County Junior Fair exhibitors are **required** to fit their own animals for the Junior Show once they are on the fairgrounds. They may be assisted by immediate family members (parents, step-parent, legal guardian, brothers or sisters, or by another Green County Junior Fair exhibitor.) Failure to abide by this rule will make the animal ineligible for the Junior Show.

- a. Junior Calf – born on or after January 1 of the exhibit year.
Must be at least 4 months old at time of exhibit.
- b. Senior Calf – born during September 1 to December 31 of year preceding exhibit year.
- c. Summer yearling – born during May 1 to August 31 of the year preceding exhibit year.
- d. Junior Yearling – born during January 1 to April 30 of the year preceding exhibit year.
- e. Senior Yearling – born during September 1 to December 31 of second year preceding exhibit year.
- f. 2 year-old and older – born before September 1 of the second year preceding the exhibit year. Calf at side is optional.

BREEDING LOTS

Cow – 2 years and over	\$ 8.00	\$ 7.00	\$ 6.00	\$ 5.00
Junior Heifer Calves	\$ 9.00	\$ 8.00	\$ 7.00	\$ 5.00
Senior Heifers, Summer, Junior & Senior Yearlings	\$11.00	\$ 9.00	\$ 7.00	\$ 5.00

- CLASS A – REG. ANGUS
- CLASS B – REG. HEREFORD
- CLASS C – REG. SHORTHORN
- CLASS D – REG. SIMMENTAL
- CLASS E – REG. ANY OTHER BREED
- CLASS F – GRADES & CROSSBREDS

Lot

1. Heifer calf, junior
2. Heifer calf, senior
3. Heifer, summer yearling
4. Heifer, junior yearling
5. Heifer, senior yearling
6. Cow, 2 years old & older

Champion – Breeding Lots	ribbon
Reserve Champion – Breeding Lots	ribbon
Grand Champion Overall Breeds	ribbon
Reserve Champion Overall Breeds	ribbon

CLASS J - MARKET LOTS – Includes all breeds.

Market Class Rules and Instructions

1. All Market steers must have been identified and weighed at the Green County Weigh-In to show in the market steer classes.
2. No steers with permanent teeth in wear, or possessing full or partial horns will be permitted to be shown. Examination and final determination will be done by a licensed veterinarian.
3. Steers to be born after January 1 of year preceding exhibit year.
4. Only exhibitors who are member of a Green County 4-H club or FFA chapter are eligible to weigh steers at

the Green County Steer Weigh-In and exhibit at the Green County Fair Junior Beef Show.

5. All market steers entered in Lots 100 and/or 110 will be weighed on Wednesday from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. There will be no repeat weights.
6. Grade and X-bred beef steers should be entered in Lot 100, which will be divided into lots according to steer weights after weigh-in. **Indicate on your entry blank the number of animals being entered in Lot 100.**
7. All dairy steers should be entered in Lot 110. This lot will be divided if more than 16 animals are entered.
8. No more than one premium will be awarded an exhibitor under one weight lot, except in the heaviest market class. The maximum is 3 animals per exhibitor in all market lots.
9. Beef Auction – see livestock auction section.
10. Beef Market Steers must weigh a minimum of 1,100 pounds and Dairy Steers must weigh a minimum of 1,300 pounds to be eligible for Rate of Gain awards.
11. Management reserves the right to interpret and enforce rules and regulations, accept or reject any entry entirely, partially or conditionally.

Premiums: \$ 8.00 \$ 7.00 \$ 6.00 \$ 5.00

Lot

100. Market Steer (Grade Beef or Beef-cross)

Registered Steers

101. Purebred Angus Steers
102. Purebred Hereford Steers
103. Purebred Shorthorn Steers
104. Purebred Simmental Steers
105. Purebred Any Other Breed Steers
 1. A class must have a minimum of 2 purebred steers. If there are not at least 2 purebreds of one of the above breeds the animals will be shown in the Purebred Any Other Breeds Lot.
 2. The Exhibitors name must appear on the breed registration paper and no managerial purebred steers will be allowed to show in the purebred market steer lots.
 3. All steer registration certificates must be in the name of the exhibitor by May 1st of the exhibit year.

110. Market Steer (Dairy)

Grand Champion Overall Steerribbon
 Reserve Champion Overall Steer ribbon
 Champion Holstein Steer ribbon
 Champion Light, Med. & Heavy Weight Steers ... ribbons
 Reserve Champion Light, Med. & Heavy Weight Steers ribbons
 Champion Purebred Steer ribbon
 Reserve Champion Purebred Steer ribbon

Carcass Show Rules and Instructions

1. No steers with permanent teeth in wear will be permitted to be shown. Examination by a licensed veterinarian.
2. All steers to be born after January 1 of the year preceding the exhibit year.
3. Only steers identified at the Green County weigh-in and having an average daily gain of 2.0 pounds or more between weigh-ins are eligible for carcass competition.
4. All carcass animals must be weighed on Tuesday, 4:30-5:30 p.m. There will be no repeat weights. Other steers that will be shown in the live show on Friday, can also be weighed at this time if the exhibitor wishes to do so.
5. Beef Market Steers must weigh 1,100 pounds and Dairy Market Steers must weigh a minimum of 1,300 pounds to be eligible for the carcass contest.
6. Only 1 animal per exhibitor may be entered in the Beef Carcass Contest.
7. Carcass animals will be entered in Lot 120 for live placing. They cannot be entered in Lots 100 or 110.
8. The carcass animals will be judged live Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. Upon completion of the judging, animals will be transported for slaughter. Fair ribbons and premiums will be awarded on live placing.
9. Exhibitors participating in the steer carcass class are responsible for the disposal (sale to another party or for consumption) of their own steer carcass.
10. All steers entered in the beef carcass show must be processed at the processing plant that is used to conduct the beef carcass contest.
11. Carcass Contest animals are not eligible to be sold at the Youth Livestock Auction, with the exception of the Grand and Reserve Champion Carcasses.
12. Carcass animals will be evaluated for overall placing according to the following percentages:
 Average Daily Gain30%
 Live Placing30%
 Carcass Placing40%
13. **All steers in the Carcass Lot must be broke to lead.** If the steer can not be controlled by the exhibitor, the steer will be disqualified.
14. See fitting rules #6 & #8.
15. Champion and Reserve Champion Beef Carcasses must meet all auction requirements to have their processing costs paid for.

CLASS K

Lot

120. Carcass Animal\$ 6.00 \$ 5.00 \$ 4.00..\$ 3.00

CLASS M - BEEF SHOWMANSHIP

All showmanship participants will receive a \$5.00 cash award from the Green County Beef Producers. Only the top 2 individuals in each Lot will be placed. No Danish judging. **Grade as of Jan 1st of exhibit year.**

Lot.

1. Grades 3-4
2. Grades 5-6

3. Grades 7-8
4. Grade 9-10
5. Grades 11 and up
 - **Winner in Lot 5 is eligible for Master Showman Contest.**