

2016

OPEN CLASS DAIRY CATTLE

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1. Open Class Registration Deadline – **July 15**.
2. Entry Day – **Wednesday, August 24**. Animals must be in place by 2pm in the Dairy Cattle Barn.
3. Judging Day – **Thursday, August 25**, at 9am.
4. Release Day – **Sunday, August 28**, starting at 5:30pm.
5. Stall Rent – a stall rent of \$1 per animal and a manure fee of \$4 per animal will be charged and paid at the time of registration.
6. PDCA Rule requires white pants to be worn during Open Class exhibition.
7. All exhibitors of animals three (3) years old and over in any of the procreative classes of this department must produce evidence, if asked, indicating the animals are not barren.
8. Breeding cows must have produced a living calf within two (2) years preceding the day of the exhibit.
9. All animals must be registered in the name of the exhibitor or farm name and certificate of registry presented to the superintendents. The Registered Holstein Ancestry (RHA) must be 87% or higher to show in the registered Black & White Holstein classes.
10. Only one (1) prize in group or herd classes to one (1) exhibitor. **No more than two (2) entries per entry number may receive premiums in individual classes.**
11. All decorations must fit on the 11-12 inch furnished boards, they cannot be any wider than the boards.
12. State regulations prohibit the sale of milk for human consumption that is produced other than in proper facilities. The dairy cattle exhibitors have voted that the proceeds from the sale of milk produced at the fair be used to improve dairy facilities. Thank you for your cooperation!
13. HEALTH REGULATIONS: See WI County, District, & State Fairs **2016** Animal Health Rules and Regulations located on the Web site. Any required health certificates/copies must remain in the Expo office during the fair.
14. It is suggested that at least thirty (30) days prior to the Manitowoc County Fair, all dairy animals receive a 9-way and a Pasturella vaccination. The 9-way vaccine may be administered as either a modified live (one injection needed) or a killed vaccine (initial injection followed two-four weeks later with a booster). Modified live vaccines should be used on non-pregnant animals only. Please consult your veterinarian.
15. **If Registration Papers are NOT presented to the Dairy Superintendent by 5pm on Wednesday (Entry Day), the animal will not be allowed to be shown.**
16. Red and White Holsteins must be registered in the Red and White Association.
17. Animals exhibited in the Junior Fair show cannot be shown in Open Class.
18. **Touch up clipping only in stall area.**
19. **All dairy cattle must fill out the Open Class Dairy Cattle Description Form.**

AGE CLASSIFICATIONS

Spring Calf	Born between March 1, 2016 & April 15, 2016
Winter Calf	Born between December 1, 2015 & February 28, 2016
Fall Calf	Born between September 1, 2015 & November 30, 2015
Summer Yearling	Born between June 1, 2015 & August 31, 2015
Spring Yearling	Born between March 1, 2015 & May 31, 2015
Winter Yearling	Born between December 1, 2014 & February 28, 2015
Fall Yearling	Born between September 1, 2014 & November 30, 2014

Senior Yearlings that have calved will be shown as Two Year Old

Minimum of 10 cows in a given breed must be checked in at the fair in order to the split the 2 and 3 year old class

2 Year Old	Born between September 1, 2013 & August 31, 2014
3 Year Old	Born between September 1, 2012 & August 31, 2013
4 Year Old	Born between September 1, 2011 & August 31, 2012
5 Year Old & Older	Born before August 31, 2011
Dry Cow – 2 Years and Over	Born before September 1, 2013 must have milked 280 days or more or be shown as dry on DHIA test sheet
Jr. Get-of-Sire	3 animals under 2 years old, not more than one bull, from the same sire
Produce of Dam	2 animals either sex, any age, the produce of one cow
Sr. Get-of-Sire	3 animals all over 2 years old, not more than one bull, from the same sire.
3 Best Females	Animals need not be owned by a single exhibitor. Any age, all bred, and owned by the exhibitor

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All exhibitors in this department must call the Superintendent by no later than the Monday prior to the County Fair (August 15) with the number of animals they will be bringing. If exhibitor is over/under of the called in amount by more than one (1) animal, there will be a penalty of not exhibiting at the next County Fair.

CLASS A: HOLSTEIN
CLASS B: GUERNSEY
CLASS C: JERSEY
CLASS D: AYRSHIRE
CLASS E: BROWN SWISS
CLASS F: RED & WHITE HOLSTEIN

Lot Numbers:

100. Spring Heifer Calf	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5	110. 4 Year Old Cow	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
101. Winter Heifer Calf	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5	111. 5 Year Old Cow & Over	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14
102. Fall Heifer Calf	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5	112. Dry Cow, 2 Years & Over	\$16	\$14	\$12	\$10
103. Summer Yearling Heifer	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6	<i>Senior Champion Female</i>				<i>Ribbon Award Only</i>
104. Spring Yearling Heifer	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6	<i>Reserve Senior Champion</i>				<i>Ribbon Award Only</i>
105. Winter Yearling Heifer	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6	<i>Grand Champion Female</i>				<i>Ribbon Award Only</i>
106. Fall Yearling Heifer	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6	<i>Reserve Grand Champion Female</i>				<i>Ribbon Award Only</i>
<i>Jr. Champion Female</i>				<i>Ribbon Award Only</i>	113. Produce of Dam	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8
<i>Reserve Jr. Champion Female</i>				<i>Ribbon Award Only</i>	114. Dam and Offspring				<i>Ribbon Award Only</i>
107. Get-of-Sire	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	115. Senior Get-of-Sire	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8
108. 2 Year Old Cow	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	116. 3 Best Females	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8
109. 3 Year Old Cow	\$16	\$14	\$12	\$10					