DEPARTMENT - 4-H/FFA DAIRY CATTLE
(Must be enrolled in the Dairy Cattle Project)

SPECIAL RULES
1. Read General Rules. Violation of any of the following rules may result in disqualification. All decisions will be made by a county agent and their decision is final.
2. Complete a Dairy Cattle Family Identification Worksheet and turn it in to the Extension Office by May 1. All animals must be owned/leased by the exhibitor by May 1 of the current year.
3. Family Identification Worksheets are NOT a LVCO Fair Entry
4. Entries for Dairy Cattle will be completed in the FairEntry on-line system by June 30.
5. Substitutions will be allowed up to fair check-in if the animal is listed on the Family Identification Worksheet. Once the animal is checked in, all decisions are final and cannot be changed.
6. Judging order will be decided by superintendents and posted in barn on show day.
7. All animals used for showmanship must be owned/leased by the exhibitor and entered in a class in the LVCO fair. In the final showmanship drive, all showmanship finalists MUST show the animal they were showing when selected.
8. All 4-H exhibitors must have a current “Youth for the Quality Care of Animals” (YQCA) certification to show at the LVCO Fair.
9. Each exhibitor is limited to no more than a total of four dairy animals housed in the barns for the full week of county fair.
10. Double registered animals show in dairy or beef, but not both.
11. Milking dairy cows may be displayed on the day of the show only and are limited to four cows on that day of show. They are not housed in the barns overnight.
12. Animals used for showmanship MUST BE OWNED/LEASED BY THE EXHIBITOR and entered in a dairy class. In the final showmanship drive, all showmanship finalists MUST show the animal they were showing when selected.
13. Be prepared to show registration or transfer papers dated before June 15 of current year when checking in your animal at the fair. Animals may be co-owned and co-registered by two or more 4-H or FFA members of the same family, but may not be registered in a farm name or include names of adults. Animals registered or transferred to you after June 15 of the current year cannot be shown at the fair.
14. Exhibitors are responsible for keeping their stalls and tack areas clean and neat.
15. Health and wellbeing of all animals brought to the fairgrounds is at the exhibitor’s risk.
16. Dress for dairy: white shirts with white or black slacks or jeans.

SECTION – DAIRY CATTLE

Holstein

2000 Junior Calf, born March 1 to June 30, current year
2001 Intermediate Calf, born December 1 previous year to February 28, current year
2002 Senior Calf, born September 1 to November 30, previous year
2003 Summer Yearling Heifer, born June 1 to August 31, previous year
2004 Junior Yearling Heifer, born March 1 to May 31, previous year
2005 Winter Yearling Heifer, born December 1, 2019 to February 28, previous year
2006 Senior Yearling Heifer, born September 1 to November 30, 2020
2007 Dry Cow, Any Age
2008 Junior Two Year Old Cow, born March 1 to August 31, 2020
2009 Senior Two Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2019 to February 29, 2020
2010 Junior Three Year Old Cow, born March 1 to August 31, 2019
2011 Senior Three Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2018 to February 28, 2019
2012 Four Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2017 to August 31, 2018
2013 Five Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2016 to August 31, 2017
2014 Aged Cow, born before September 1, 2016

Jersey

2040 Junior Calf, born March 1 to June 30, current year
2041 Intermediate Calf, born December 1 previous year to February 28, current year
2042 Senior Calf, born September 1 to November 30, previous year
2043 Summer Yearling Heifer, born June 1 to August 31, previous year
2044 Junior Yearling Heifer, born March 1 to May 31, previous year
2045 Winter Yearling Heifer, born December 1, 2019 to February 28, previous year
Senior Yearling Heifer, born September 1 to November 30, 2020
Dry Cow, Any Age
Junior Two Year Old Cow, born March 1 to August 31, 2020
Senior Two Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2019 to February 29, 2020
Junior Three Year Old Cow, born March 1 to August 31, 2019
Senior Three Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2018 to February 28, 2019
Four Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2017 to August 31, 2018
Five Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2016 to August 31, 2017
Aged Cow, born before September 1, 2016

**MILKING SHORTHORN**

Junior Calf, born March 1 to June 30, current year
Intermediate Calf, born December 1, previous year to February 28, current year
Senior Calf, born September 1 to November 30, previous year
Summer Yearling Heifer, born June 1 to August 31, previous year
Junior Yearling Heifer, born March 1 to May 31, previous year
Winter Yearling Heifer, born December 1, 2020 to February 28, previous year
Senior Yearling Heifer, born September 1 to November 30, 2020
Dry Cow, Any Age
Junior Two Year Old Cow, born March 1 to August 31, 2020
Senior Two Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2019 to February 29, 2020
Junior Three Year Old Cow, born March 1 to May 31, previous year
Senior Three Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2018 to February 28, 2019
Four Year Old Cow born September 1, 2017 to August 31, 2018
Five Year Old Cow born September 1, 2016 to August 31, 2017
Aged Cow born before September 1, 2016

**AYRSHIRE**

Junior Calf, born March 1 to May 31, current year
Intermediate Calf, born December 1 previous year to February 28, current year
Senior Calf, born September 1 to November 30, previous year
Summer Yearling Heifer, born June 1 to August 31, previous year
Junior Yearling Heifer, born March 1 to May 31, previous year
Winter Yearling Heifer, born December 1, 2020 to February 28, previous year
Senior Yearling Heifer, born September 1 to November 30, 2020
Dry Cow, Any Age
Junior Two Year Old Cow, born March 1 to August 31, 2020
Senior Two Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2019 to February 29, 2020
Three Year Old Cow born September 1, 2018 to August 31, 2019
Four Year Old Cow born September 1, 2017 to August 31, 2018
Five Year Old Cow born September 1, 2016 to August 31, 2017
Aged Cow before September 1, 2016

**BROWN SWISS**

Junior Calf, born March 1 to May 31, current year
Intermediate Calf, born December 1 previous year to February 28, current year
Senior Calf, born September 1 to November 30, previous year
Summer Yearling Heifer, born June 1 to August 1, previous year
Junior Yearling Heifer, born March 1 to May 31, previous year
Winter Yearling Heifer, born December 1, 2020 to February 28, previous year
Senior Yearling Heifer, born September 1 to November 30, 2020
Dry Cow, Any Age
Junior Two Year Old Cow, born March 1 to August 31, 2020
Senior Two Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2019 to February 29, 2020
Three Year Old Cow born September 1, 2018 to August 31, 2019
Four Year Old Cow born September 1, 2017 to August 31, 2018
Five Year Old Cow born September 1, 2016 to August 31, 2017
Aged Cow born before September 1, 2016
Fitting and Showing
Milking Shorthorn, Ayrshire, and Brown Swiss youth will compete together.

2118  Fitting Showing – ages 14 thru 18
2119  Fitting and Showing – ages 9 thru 13
      Fitting and Showing – ages 7 -8

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