JUNIOR FAIR DAIRY SCHEDULE

Junior Fair Superintendents: Tom Mazzaro, Adam Graves

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 10 - Show Arena

10 a.m. - Jr. Fair Dairy Showmanship

Dairy Pee Wee Show - Following Showmanship

FRIDAY, AUG. 12 - Show Arena

10 a.m. - Jr. Fair Dairy Breed Classes

IMPORTANT! See page 27 FOR ASHTABULA COUNTY FAIR LIVESTOCK EXHIBITION HEALTH REGULATIONS

MEMBER AND ANIMAL REQUIREMENTS

1. All youth with lactating dairy animals must attend an entire 2 hour Assuring Quality Care for Animals/Quality Assurance (QA) session by June 1 of the current year. Doors close 10 minutes after the start time. There is no entry after that time. Virtual events may be offered.
2. First year exhibitors are encouraged by the 4-H Dairy committee to take a calf project, but the final decision is by the parent and advisor working together to decide what is best for the member. First year members only are limited to exhibiting two dairy animals.
3. Female dairy animals only will be accepted. This show is for both 4-H and FFA. Members may show grade animals. All animals must be permanently identified, ear tags or tattoo, to verify health papers. No pen reservations will be accepted after the deadline. AT NO TIME will registration papers pending be accepted. If papers are pending then a DAIRY ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION form will need to be completed.
4. All animals must be permanently identified by following means at the time pen reservation are submitted. **The pen reservations are due to extension office on July 1 by 4:30 PM**. These pen reservations will be accepted if postmarked by or on the due date. NO PAPERS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THE PEN RESERVATION DATE.
   a. Holsteins, Ayrshires & Milking Shorthorns may use any of the following: registration number, photo ID, calf hood vaccination #, permanent farm ear tag # or tattoo.
   b. Guernsey, Jersey & Brown Swiss may use any of the following: registration number, calf hood vaccination #, and permanent farm ear tag #or ear tattoo.
   c. Any animal NOT registered (grade animals) through a breed association MUST submit a Dairy Animal Identification Form (available in forms sections of guidelines) to receive an ID number. This number will then be used on the health papers.
5. Under extreme circumstances when a member has a single animal entered which dies a replacement may NOT be allowed. Each case will be reviewed by the 4-H Dairy Committee and Extension personal and they will make the final decision.
6. Under extreme circumstances if a member becomes disabled another 4-Her may be allowed to show his or her animal but no showmanship score will be given. Each case will be reviewed by the 4-H Dairy Committee and Extension personal and they will make the final decision
7. Any member exhibiting a lactating or market animal must attend a QA session by June 1
8. If a member is taking a lactating cow and is using the parlor, the member is responsible to clean up any mess between the barn and the parlor
9. Under extreme circumstances the 4-H Dairy Committee will consider if a member's sole project cannot attend fair then the member may use another member's dairy project animal for showmanship. Each case will be reviewed by the 4-H Dairy Committee.

HEALTH REGULATIONS

1. Check Junior Fair Livestock updates regarding health regulations for checking animals onto the fairgrounds.
2. Animals arriving at fair must be accompanied with health papers with a body condition score and applicable animals will need a completed DUNF (Drug Use Notification Form).
3. All Junior Fair cattle, regardless of age, will be required to have a body condition score on health papers done by the veterinarian within 30 days of fair. This score will be checked at the gate by the Fair Veterinarian. Minimum body condition score is 2.25.
   a. Have the veterinarian body score all of your dairy animal projects upon completion of health papers. Be advised body condition scoring is a continual part of your Veterinary Patient Client Relationship.
   b. Each of your animal's individual scores then need to be put on the health paper.
   c. If an animal does not meet the minimum body condition score of 2.25 then you can have that animal rescored any time prior to fair. Proof of rescoring must be shown to the Dairy Species Chair and or Extension Office.

   **A handout on body condition scoring is attached to the guidelines or available at the Extension Office or by your advisor that explains the score and has descriptions
4. No pen reservations will be accepted after the deadline.
5. AT NO TIME will registration papers pending be accepted.
6. No horns are permitted except for Junior and Intermediate calf.

JUNIOR FAIR SHOW REGULATIONS

1. Order of Classes and Class Description – Due to the combined nature of the Junior and Open Dairy Shows, the dairy classes will have all animals placed with Junior Members pulled ahead/forward for junior recognition and junior awards. All open class (must be registered animals) will receive open class awards according to overall open class placings. Entries for both junior and open class shows are required separate.

   Class/breed order: 1 – Holstein, 2 – Jersey, 3 – Ayrshire, 4 – Guernsey, 5 – Brown Swiss, 6 – Milking Shorthorn

   IMPORTANT: All open class cattle must be in place by 3 p.m., Aug. 8. All cattle must be registered-papers may be checked, HEALTH RULES WILL BE ENFORCED.

   Junior Show Awards: Ribbons class placings, medallions and banners will be presented as sponsored.

COW CLASSES:

Junior 2 year old cow (must be in lactation)	03-01-20 to 08-31-20
Senior 2 year old cow (must be in lactation)	09-01-19 to 02-28-20
Three year old cow (must be in lactation)	09-01-18 to 08-31-19
Four year old cow (must be in lactation)	09-01-17 to 08-31-18
Five year old cow (must be in lactation)	09-01-16 to 08-31-17
Aged cow, 6 years and over (must be in lactation)	before 08-31-16

Dry 2 and 3 year old cow (two year old cows must have completed first lactation – may only be shown as dry cow)

Dry 4 year old and older cow — before 09-01-17

Champion Classes: Each Breed's Junior and Open Show Grand Champion and Supreme Champion Classes (following the breed rotation schedule) will be separated. As follows: First the Junior Show Grand Champion Class followed by the Open Class Grand Champion Class of each breed. This pattern will be repeated, junior show supreme champion followed by open class supreme champion.

GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE

SUPREME CHAMPION – Grand Champion Female from each breed may compete.

HEIFER CLASSES:

Spring heifer calf	after 03-01-22
Winter heifer calf	12-01-21 to 02-28-22
Fall heifer calf	09-01-21 to 11-30-21
Summer yearling heifer	06-01-21 to 08-31-21
Spring yearling heifer	03-01-21 to 05-31-21
Winter yearling heifer	12-01-20 to 02-28-21
Fall yearling heifer (may not have freshened)	09-01-20 to 11-30-20

June Champion Classes: Each Breed's Junior and Open Show Grand Champion and Supreme Champion Classes (following the breed ro-