



# LIVESTOCK

Department C

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**Vet check/Entry:**  
**Wednesday, August 26, 4-8:30 p.m.**



## FAIRGROUNDS ENTRY ONLY – Farm Exhibits

Anyone may enter the Open show. Reserve pens by August 21 using a **Pen and Cage Request Form** and include all animals you intend to exhibit. Entries may be limited to three pens per family, with the number of animals per pen determined by the superintendent after consultation with the exhibitor. Exhibitors may enter two animals per class.

Animals may be judged in their pens except for Showmanship. No one may enter the arena or converse with a judge or official without the superintendent's permission. Animals in Divisions 02 - 06 are judged on genetic, reproductive, and breed qualities. Market Class entries must be market ready by Fair time.

A veterinarian at the north door of Farm Exhibits will clear all animals before they may enter the building. Vaccination records for erysipelas in swine and IBR-BVD-PI3 in cattle must accompany entries. Only clean animals with good health are accepted. Animals with infectious, contagious, or communicable conditions are prohibited from the grounds throughout the Fair. Examples include external parasites, psuedotuberculosis in goats, and ringworm or warts in cattle. Health certificates are valid for 7 days unless otherwise indicated. Veterinarian can override a health certificate at any time.

The Fair provides bedding and hay, all other feed must be furnished by the exhibitor. Exhibitor must care for the livestock and the pen, or request a herdsman. Daily pen cleaning, grooming, and feeding must be completed by fair opening time. Failure to keep animals and pens clean may result in the forfeit of awards and required removal of animal from the fairgrounds. Identify all personal equipment.

Exhibitors are encouraged to display a sign to identify their herd and further decorate their pens. Animals must be confined to the arena or designated area. All animals must be led in by owner and be under complete control of the handler at all times. Animals not halter trained will not be admitted. Animals with horns must wear protectors. All cattle tied to the railing during open and 4-H shows must use a halter and a neck tie supplied by the Fair. Animals must remain for the duration of exhibit or forfeit premiums.

No entry fees for any division. Premiums will be awarded as follows:

**NEW FOR 2009** - Premiums will be awarded as follows:

	Blue	Red	White
Divisions 01 - 06:	\$20.00	\$15.00	\$10.00
Division 07:	\$100.00 per delivery		

## SPECIAL AWARDS - LIVESTOCK

Outstanding entries will be recognized by these generous donors:

**Dairy Goat Journal and Sheep Magazine**  
 "Rookie of the Year Award"

**Alaska Vendors Association**

4-H Herdsmen Awards

Please designate entries in Divisions 02 - 06 by appropriate letter. Ex.: in Division 03 Beef Cattle, a 2-month old Hereford heifer calf would be entered as Div 03, Class 05, Subclass A.

## DIVISION 01: SHOWMANSHIP

All are encouraged to participate. All training and preparation of the animal, before and during the Fair, must be by the entrant. Adult class winners may participate in Master Showmanship, in which the winner receives a jacket. Indicate sub-class and age on entry form:

- J: Junior, through age 12;
- I: Intermediate, ages 13 through 17;
- A: Adult, age 18 and up.

### Judging criteria:

- \* Handling and presentation
- \* Knowledge of species
- \* Ability to follow instructions
- \* Appearance of exhibitor

Class:	01	Beef cattle
	02	Dairy cattle
	03	Goat
	04	Sheep
	05	Swine

## DIVISION 02: BEEF CATTLE

Class:	01	Angus, Aberdeen
	02	Angus, Red
	03	Dexter
	04	Galloway
	05	Hereford
	06	Crossbreed
	07	Market
	08	Other breed

- A Heifer calf, 2 through 5 months
- B Heifer calf, 6 through 11 months
- C Yearling heifer, 12 through 23 months
- D Cow, 2 years and over
- E Bull calf, 2 through 5 months
- F Bull calf, 6 through 11 months
- G Yearling bull, 12 through 23 months
- H Mature bull, 2 years and over
- I Produce of Dam
- J Get of Sire



### DIVISION 03: DAIRY CATTLE

High production dairy cows may enter the fairgrounds on the day of judging if accompanied by a certificate of health from the vet. They are permitted to leave the same day after the show.

- Class: 01 Holstein  
 02 Jersey  
 03 Crossbreed  
 04 Other breeds

- A Heifer calf, 2 through 5 months
- B Heifer calf, 6 through 11 months
- C Yearling heifer, 12 through 23 months
- D Cow, 24-48 months
- E Cow, 49 months and up
- F Lactating udder, any age
- G Bull calf, 2 through 5 months
- H Bull calf, 6 through 11 months
- I Yearling bull, 12 through 23 months
- J Mature bull, 2 years and over
- K Produce of Dam
- L Get of Sire

### DIVISION 04: SHEEP

- Class: 01 Natural colored  
 02 Polypay  
 03 Rambouillet  
 04 Shetland  
 05 Suffolk  
 06 Katahdin  
 07 Icelandic  
 08 Crossbreed  
 09 Market  
 10 Other breeds

- A Ewe lamb, 2 through 11 months
- B Ewe, 12 through 23 months
- C Ewe, 2 years and over
- D Ram lamb, 2 through 11 months
- E Ram, 1 year and over
- F Produce of Dam
- G Get of Sire

### DIVISION 05: SWINE

*No tusks on boars.*

- Class: 01 Duroc  
 02 Hampshire  
 03 Yorkshire  
 04 Crossbreed  
 05 Market  
 06 Other breeds

- A Gilt, 9 weeks through 11 months
- B Sow, 12 months and up
- C Sow & litter of at least six piglets under 9 weeks
- D Boar, through 11 months
- E Boar, 12 months and up
- F Produce of Dam
- G Get of Sire

### DIVISION 06: GOATS

*No bucks. Horns must have protectors.*

- Class: 01 Angora  
 02 Pygmy  
 03 Boer  
 04 Nigerian Dwarf  
 05 Other  
 06 Market

- A Kid, 2 through 5 months
- B Kid, 6 through 12 months
- C Yearlings
- D Does, 2 through 3 years
- E Does, 4 and over
- F Wethers (non-market), 2 through 12 months
- G Wethers (non-market), over 12 months
- H Produce of Dam
- I Get of Sire

### DIVISION 07: MOTHERHOOD

*Must deliver between noon Aug. 27 and noon Sept. 7.*

- Class: 01 Beef Cattle  
 02 Dairy Cattle  
 03 Goat  
 04 Potbelly Pig  
 05 Pygmy Goat  
 06 Sheep  
 07 Swine

#### **Definition: Produce of Dam/Get of Sire**

Enter two offspring of one dam/sire and different sires/dams, either sex, any age. Object is to show the breeding strength of the dam/sire, regardless of sire/dam. Dam/Sire must be named, but need not be shown or present.

