

DEPARTMENT B (02) CATTLE

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Brian Wilson (Orwell VT) - Judge

GENERAL RULES

Entry fee 10% of First Premium. See Ag & Markets rules governing livestock exhibits.

1. Entries will close at 5:00 PM on Tuesday for all exhibitors living in Essex County. For all other exhibitors entries will close at 5:00 PM on Wednesday.
2. All exhibitors of purebred livestock must present registration certificates to the ring steward before entering the showing.
3. Birth dates shall be reckoned from March 1 and August 31.
4. All animals must comply with Animal Health Requirements of the Department of Ag & Markets.
5. All cattle will be judged Friday starting at 9:30 AM.
6. **All animals must remain on the Fairgrounds until 7:00 PM on Sunday.**
7. Each Dairy Farm will be given up to 4 Worker Passes at the Fair Office
8. The Fair will pay \$20 per head to each exhibitor registered in the Friday Open Cattle Show.
9. **ALL CATTLE MUST HAVE A CURRENT RABIES VACCINATION.**
10. **ALL CATTLE MUST BE TEST NEGATIVE FOR BOVINE VIRAL DIARRHEA**

Non-Registered Cattle

Non-registered cattle will show in the same class as registered with the registered cattle receiving the higher premium. There will be no non-registered bulls allowed in the show. Anyone may show non-registered animals.

Premiums will be \$8.00 for 1st, \$6.00 for 2nd, \$4.00 for 3rd, and \$2.00 for 4th place. Class numbers will be the same as the registered cattle with a G added.

Special Class

The Fair is sponsoring the Steve Sayward Family class in honor of Steve's years of service to the Fair to encourage young children to show cattle.

This is open to children 8 years old and under not showing in 4-H who have not previously won the trophy. They may show any breed of cattle. The premiums are \$10, \$8, \$6, and \$4.

Junior Showmanship

Two age classes not showing in the Steve Sayward class. The winner from each class will then show against each other and the champion will receive a Director's chair, sponsored by Hayward Family Maple Syrup. You may enter at anytime before the show by signing up in the Open Cattle Barn.

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Costume Class

To be held on Saturday at 4:00 PM in the showring. You may enter at anytime before the show by signing up in the Open Cattle Barn.

Yoke of Oxen

The Fair will have a class for oxen again this year. Class 200 will be one year and under and Class 201 will be over one year. Premiums will be the same as the non-registered cattle except there will be double entry fees and double premiums for pairs.

Supreme Champion Female

The Grand Champion female of each breed competes for a Director's Chair sponsored by Glen- Mar Dairy.

Classes

Section I - Holsteins
Section III - Jersey
Section V - Brown Swiss

Section II - Guernsey
Section IV - Ayrshire
Section VI - Milking Shorthorn
Section VIII - Lineback

Classes	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1 Bull Calf over 4 months and under 1 year			Ribbon	
2 Bull, 1 year and under 2 years			Ribbon	
3 Bull, 2 years and over			Ribbon	
Junior Champion and Reserve Junior Champion Bull under 2 years			Rosette	
Senior Champion and Reserve Senior Champion Bull 2 years and over			Rosette	
Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Bull			Rosette	

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4	Junior Heifer Calf born between March 1 and June 1 this year	\$16	\$12	\$ 8	\$ 4
5	Intermediate Senior Heifer Calf born between 12/1/16 and 2/28/17	16	12	8	4
6	Senior Heifer Calf born between 9/1/16 and 11/30/16	16	12	8	4
7	Summer Yearling Heifer born between 6/1/16 and 8/30/16	16	12	8	4
8	Junior Yearling Heifer born between 3/1/16 and 5/30/16	16	12	8	4
9	Intermediate Senior Yearling Heifer born between 12/1/15 and 2/28/16	16	12	8	4
10	Senior Yearling Heifer born between 9/1/15 and 11/30/15	16	12	8	4
	Junior Champion and Reserve Junior Champion Female under 2		Banner/Rosettes		
11	Junior Get of Sire, to consist of 3 animals, the Get of 1 Sire	16	12	8	4
12	Young Herd, 2 Heifers 1 year and under 2 years, 2 Heifers under 1 year, all to have been bred by the exhibitor	16	12	8	4
13	Junior two year old Cow born between 3/1/15 and 8/31/15	30	20	15	10
14	Senior two year old Cow born between 9/1/14 and 2/28/15	30	20	15	10
15	Cow 3 years old born between 9/1/13 and 8/31/14	30	20	15	10
16	Cow 4 years old born between 9/1/12 and 8/31/13	30	20	15	10
17	Cow 5 years and under 10	30	20	15	10
18	Cow 10 years and over	30	20	15	10
19	Dry Cow, 3 years and over	30	20	15	10
	Senior Champion and Reserve Senior Champion Female 2 years and over		Banner / Rosettes		
	Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Female		RBanner / Rosettes		
	Supreme Champion		Director Chair		
20	Best Three Females of any age, bred and owned by exhibitor	23	19	15	11
21	Produce of Dam, to consist of 2 animals any age, either sex, the produce of one cow	20	15	10	5
22	Dam and Daughter	20	15	10	5
23	Herd, to consist of 1 cow 3 years or over, 1 heifer 2 years and under 3, 1 heifer 1 year and under 2, 1 heifer born between 3/1 and 6/1 this year	23	19	15	11

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Section VI Beef Cattle

GENERAL RULES

Same as cattle. Judging to take place after the completion of Dairy Judging. Ages to be reckoned from September 1st.

Section I - Dexter

Section II - Hereford

Class	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1. Bull Calf under 1 year	\$8	\$6	\$4	\$2
2. Bull 1 year and under 2	\$8	\$6	\$4	\$2
3. Heifer Calf under 1 year	\$8	\$6	\$4	\$2
4. Heifer Calf 1 year and under 2	\$8	\$6	\$4	\$2
5. Cow 2 years and over	\$8	\$6	\$4	\$2
6. Steers	\$8	\$6	\$4	\$2

Section VII Dairy Beef

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Same as cattle. Judging to take place after completion of Beef Cattle.

Class	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1. Steer Calf born on or after 9/1 last year	\$8	\$6	\$4	\$2
2. Steer born prior to 9/1 last year	\$8	\$6	\$4	\$2
3. Heifer Calf born on or after 9/1 last year	\$8	\$6	\$4	\$2
4. Heifer Calf born prior to 9/1 last year	\$8	\$6	\$4	\$2
5. Cow 2 years and under 3 years reckoning from 9/1	\$8	\$6	\$4	\$2
6. Cow 3 years and over reckoning from 9/1	\$8	\$6	\$4	\$2

