

17. Cow Efficiency Contest is open to 4-H and FFA beef cow with calf. Exhibitors enter by weighing in the cow and calf on entry day and providing the Superintendent with the cow's age, breed of cow and calf and calf birth date. Calves must be born between January 1 and April 30 of current year. The basis for placing in this contest is the calf which is the highest percent of its dam weight, will be considered the winner of all the pairs of animals. The calf's weight will be adjusted to the 205 day adjusted weaning weight used by the Montana Beef Performance Association.
18. Bred Beef Heifers for sale: Exhibitors must follow all project guidelines and must provide the Superintendents with a health folder when the heifer first enters the barn on entry day. Project guidelines and information for health folders are listed in the 4-H handbook.
19. Bred Heifer must be entered in the appropriate class at the Ravalli County Fair. Heifer must receive a red or blue ribbon to be eligible to participate in the Fair Sale.
20. **MANDATORY Market Beef Interview and Companion Steer Interviews.** All members enrolled in market class must provide current records, comparison sheets, and be properly dressed.
21. Market Steers may be released 7:00 pm, Saturday of Fair Week. All other livestock to be released Sunday of Fair Week. **Enter and Exit through North Gate only.**

Premiums: \$3.00; \$2.00; \$1.00

Class

- A. Showmanship - Lots 1-4 Only
- B. Market Beef - Lot 5 Only
- C. Angus
- D. Gelbvieh
- E. Charlois
- F. Chianina
- G. Dexter
- H. Hereford
- I. Maine-Anjou
- J. Red Angus
- K. Simmental
- L. Crossbreed
- M. Miniature Beef
- N. Other
- O. Bred Heifer for Sale
- P. Interviews - Lots 6 & 13

Lot No.

1. Novice Showmanship - 1st year beef member, regardless of age.
2. Jr. Showmanship - 8-11 yrs.
3. Intermediate Showmanship - 12-13 yrs.
4. Sr. Showmanship - 14 yrs. & over
5. Market Steers - minimum weight, 950 lbs. (must also enter Lot # 6)

6. MANDATORY Market Beef Interview and Companion Steer Interviews. (All Exhibitors of market steers must enter)

Breeding Lots

7. Bull - under 1 yr.
8. Bull - over 1 and under 2 yrs.
9. Female - under 1 yr.
10. Female - over 1 and under 2 yrs.
11. Cow with calf at side
12. Bred Heifer for Sale
13. Breeding Project/Bred Beef Heifer Interview and Display Make a wall display, usually one or two 14" x 22" posters depicting some part of the project. Interviews will take place at the Exhibitor's stall.
14. Educational Poster must be made during the current 4-H year by the Exhibitor entering this lot.

CHAMPION BULL - EACH CLASS ROSETTE

RESERVE CHAMPION BULL - EACH CLASS ROSETTE

CHAMPION FEMALE - EACH CLASS ROSETTE

RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE - EACH CLASS ROSETTE

GRAND CHAMPION OVERALL BULL - ROSETTE

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION OVERALL BULL - ROSETTE

GRAND CHAMPION OVERALL FEMALE - ROSETTE

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION OVERALL FEMALE - ROSETTE

GRAND CHAMPION MARKET STEER - ROSETTE

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MARKET STEER - ROSETTE

**DEPARTMENT 41
4-H & FFA Dairy**



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Animals to be brought in Tuesday of Fair Week from 11 am to 7 pm

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Refer to General, 4-H, FFA, and Livestock Rules for more information.
2. **Mandatory Record Book Check:** Dairy Superintendent and/or designee will conduct a record book review/interview before 6 pm Wednesday of fair week.
3. Stall assignments will be made by the Barn Superintendents, at the **barn meeting, on Monday at 7pm.**
4. Dairy animals are required to have a neck strap rope, or chain in addition to halter for night tie. Tying with a rope and rope halter is suggested.

5. Animals with horns will be required to wear horn covers at all times, except when tied in the barn.
6. Horned and no-horn animals will be separated while in barn.
7. A handler familiar with horned dairy cows will be in barn during hours barn is open.
8. Bred Dairy Heifer: The heifer must be bred to calve within 6 months of the Fair sale, which means they must be bred 90 days prior to the fair sale.
9. Breeding and Health Record Folder for bred dairy heifer project must be turned in on entry day.
10. Bred Dairy heifers receiving a white ribbon will not be eligible for sale.
11. **Animal release time 7 am - 2 pm Sunday, after Fair. Enter and Exit thru North Gate only.**

12. Resale Animal Purchase Bid Price Agreements for Dairy will be turned in to the 4-H Livestock Administrator just prior to the beginning of the Livestock Sale at 8am Saturday.

Premiums: \$3.00; \$2.00; \$1.00

Class

- A. Ayrshire
- B. Brown Swiss
- C. Guernsey
- D. Holstein
- E. Jersey
- F. Milking Shorthorn
- G. Other
- H. Showmanship, Lots 1-3 Only
- I. Non-Animal, Lots 24 & 25 Only

Lot No.

1. Junior Showmanship - ages 8-11
2. Intermediate Showmanship - ages 12 & 13
3. Senior Showmanship - ages 14 & over

**Champion Showman each division - Rosette
Reserve Champion each division - Rosette**

Lot No.

4. Junior Heifer Calf - born after March 1, 2020
5. Intermediate Heifer Calf - born Dec. 1, 2019 - Feb. 29, 2020
6. Senior Heifer Calf - born Sept. 1, 2019 - Nov. 30, 2019
7. Summer Yearling Heifer - born June 1, 2019 - Aug. 31, 2019
8. Junior Yearling Heifer - born March 1, 2019 - May 31, 2019
9. Winter Yearling Heifer - born Dec. 1, 2018 - Feb. 28, 2019
10. Senior Yearling Heifer - born Sept. 1, 2018 - Dec. 31, 2018

**Champion Dairy Heifer - Rosette
Reserve Champion Dairy Heifer - Rosette**