



# 2020

## OPEN SHOW SERIES

### HANDBOOK

A Florida Cattlemen's Premier Point Show



# Sedano's Supermarkets and the Miami-Dade County Youth Fair

**have united to support the youth in our community  
and invite you to participate in this program  
designed to promote a healthy development.**



Through student exhibits, parents are able to see the progress in their children in all age groups ranging from elementary to middle school to high school. These programs are designed to be an extension of the classroom and align themselves with current day-to-day curriculum.

Agricultural exhibit programs help to promote our local agriculture community and educate the students on the principles of developing, implementing, and managing agricultural based businesses.

Each year during our annual 21-day fair, about 63,000 student exhibits, competitions, and performances are showcased and awarded over \$530,000 in scholarships, youth programs, premiums and awards.

We proudly support higher education through The Youth Fair's scholarship programs which bring students one step closer to achieving their career goals. Being one of the country's largest exhibit programs, The Youth Fair awards more than \$200,000 annually in college scholarships to local high school students.



**2020**  
**OPEN SHOW**  
**SERIES HANDBOOK**

with Official Rules and Regulations  
for breeders and exhibitors entering registered cattle  
exhibits in:



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**Visit us at our website:**

[www.fairexpo.com](http://www.fairexpo.com)

**Fair Dates:**

March 12 - April 5, 2020  
(Open Daily Except March 16 - 17 & 30 - 31)

**Entrance Gate Open:**

Monday - Friday, 3:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.  
Saturday and Sunday, Noon - 10:00 p.m.

**Buildings Open:**

Monday - Thursday, 3:00 p.m. - 11:30 p.m.  
Friday, 3:00 p.m. - Midnight and Saturday, Noon - Midnight  
Sunday, Noon - 11:30 p.m.

**The Barn and The Garden Open:**

Monday - Friday, 3:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.  
Saturday and Sunday, Noon - 11:00 p.m.

*Exhibits Office hours are Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. All information, rules, show dates and times subject to change without notice. For the most up-to-date information please visit us on the web at [fairexpo.com](http://fairexpo.com).*

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Open Dairy Show .....	April 3, 4* and 5
Open Limousin Show.....	March 26, 27* and 28
Open Simmental Show .....	March 23, 24* and 25

\* indicates show date



Dear Exhibitors:

Welcome to the one of Florida Cattlemen's Associations PREMIER POINT SHOW. It is our distinct honor to have you visit the great city of Miami as well as our exciting Miami-Dade County Fair & Exposition, Inc.

Some people think of Miami and picture one of the largest cities in the nation, but Miami still takes an active role in contributing to the agricultural industry. Currently Miami is the 2nd largest agricultural county in the state of Florida with over \$835 million agricultural products sold (2017 Census).

With your help and participation we are sure that this series of shows will continue to gain respect and prestige. It is our goal to have our shows be recognized and or sanctioned. We look forward to working with the breed associations to help us continue the growth of our Open Series so that the shows are awarded points.

On behalf of our Board of Directors and our President Mr. Eduardo Cora we sincerely welcome you and your families and invite you to show your cattle in the open show series. We thank you in advance for helping us inform the more than a half million guests that visit our fair every year about your industry and what these cattle mean to you. We look forward to seeing you at our fair. Be There! The Fair.® March 12 – April 5, 2020 (except March 16-17 & 30-31).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Carol Douglass'.

Carol Douglass  
Director, Exhibits

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES  
COMMISSIONER NICOLE "NIKKI" FRIED

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Welcome to the Miami-Dade County Youth Fair and Exposition!

Each year, approximately 5 million people attend one of the numerous fairs around our state. As Florida's Commissioner of Agriculture, I am enthusiastic about the positive impact fairs and livestock shows have on the agricultural industry.

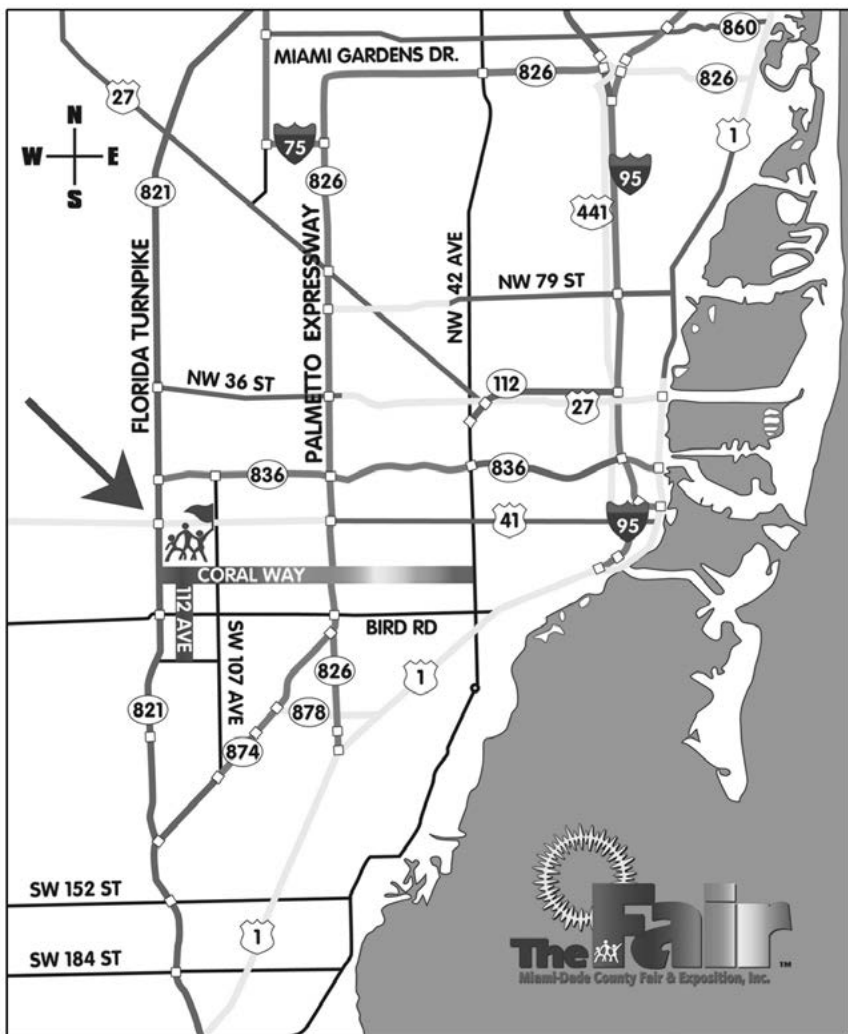
Events like the Miami-Dade County Youth Fair and Exposition are an excellent platform for showcasing the finest "Fresh From Florida" products as well as the industry's latest technological advancements and innovations.

The Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services created and maintains the "Fresh from Florida" program, which assists small and large producers alike by promoting the wide variety of high-quality products that are grown and harvested in Florida. I hope we can also count on your support of this program - just look for items with the "Fresh from Florida" label. Together, we can help our state's agricultural industry thrive.

While you are visiting the Miami-Dade County Youth Fair and Exposition today, I hope you will take the opportunity to enjoy the outstanding food, entertainment, contests and youth exhibits. Most importantly, I hope your day at the fair will allow you to experience Florida's agricultural roots and its impact on our great state. Enjoy!

Sincerely,

COMMISSIONER NICOLE "NIKKI" FRIED  
COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE





**PERFORMING ARTS CENTER**  
Music/Dance/Drama

**ARNOLD HALL**

- Crafts
- Entertainment
- Sponsors
- Business Exhibitors: Unique Merchandise
- Fair Expo Grill
- Exhibits

**EDWARDS HALL**

- Sponsors
- Business Exhibitors: Unique Merchandise
- Exhibits: BSA Scouting, Fine Arts, Girl Scouts
- Miami-Dade Fire Rescue
- Miami-Dade Police Department
- Sedano's Culinary Series
- N.O.A.A.

**THE GARDEN**

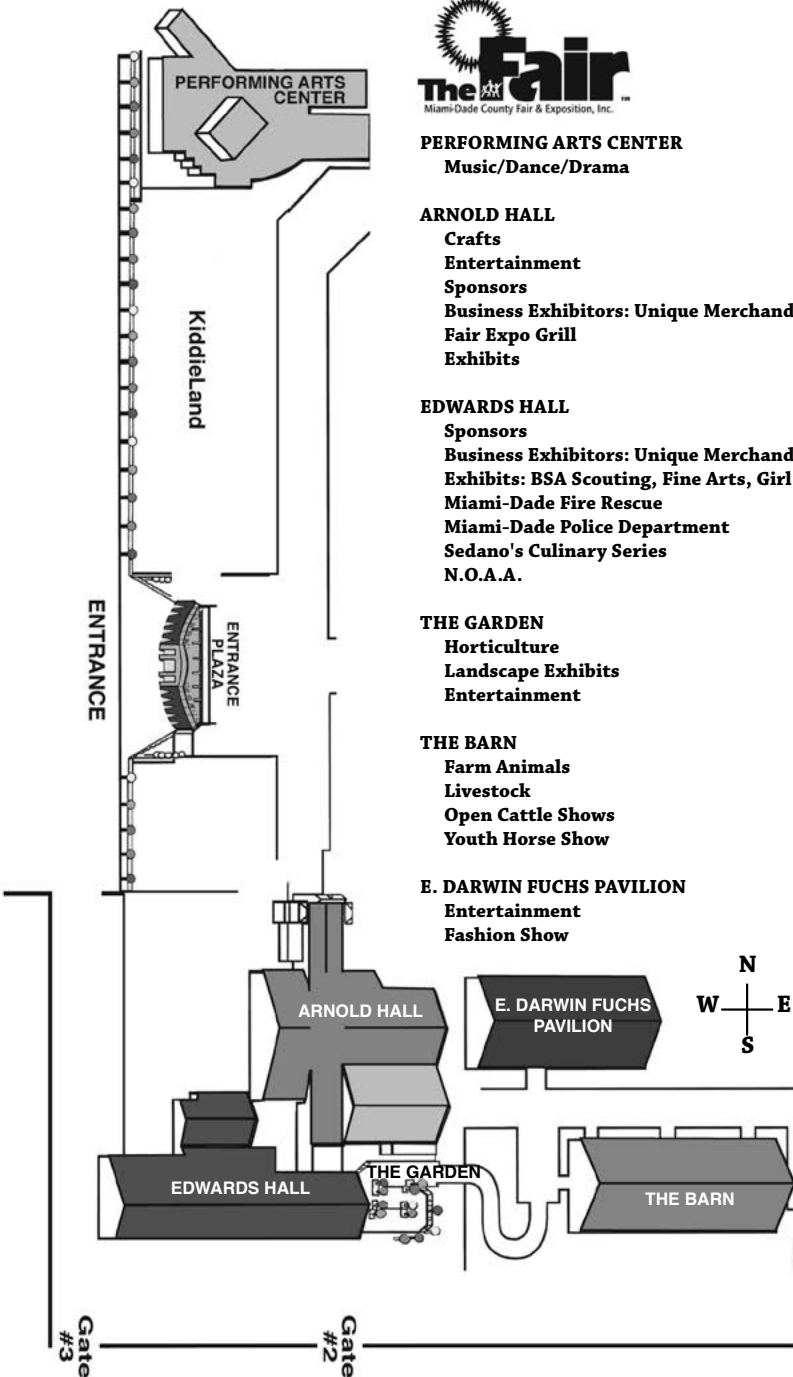
- Horticulture
- Landscape Exhibits
- Entertainment

**THE BARN**

- Farm Animals
- Livestock
- Open Cattle Shows
- Youth Horse Show

**E. DARWIN FUCHS PAVILION**

- Entertainment
- Fashion Show



CORAL WAY (SW 24 STREET)



## INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FAIRS AND EXPOSITIONS NATIONAL CODE OF SHOW RING ETHICS

Exhibitors of animals at livestock shows shall at all times comport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship. Their conduct in this competitive environment shall always reflect the highest standards of honor and dignity to promote the advancement of agricultural education. This code applies to Jr. as well as open class exhibitors who compete in structured classes of competition. This code applies to all livestock offered in any event at a livestock show. In addition to the "IAFE National Code of Show Ring Ethics," fairs and livestock shows may have rules and regulations which they impose on the local, county, state, provincial and national levels. All youth leaders working with Jr. exhibitors are under an affirmative responsibility to do more than avoid improper conduct or questionable acts. Their moral values must be so certain and positive that those younger and more pliable will be influenced by their fine example. Exhibitors, fitters, trainers and absolutely responsible persons who violate the code of ethics will forfeit premiums, awards and auction proceeds and shall be prohibited from future exhibition in accordance with the rules adopted by the respective fairs and livestock shows. Exhibitors who violate this code of ethics demean the integrity of all livestock exhibitors and should be prohibited from competition at all livestock shows in the US and Canada.

The following is a list of guidelines for all exhibitors and all livestock in competitive events:

1. All exhibitors must present, upon request of fair and livestock show officials, proof of ownership, length of ownership and age of all animals entered. Misrepresentation of ownership, age, or any facts relating there to is prohibited.
2. Exhibitors, fitters, trainers, or absolutely responsible persons shall provide animal health certificates from licensed veterinarians upon request by fair or livestock show officials.
3. Jr. exhibitors are expected to care for and groom their animals while at fairs or livestock shows.
4. Animals shall be presented to show events where they will enter the food chain free of drugs. The act of entering an animal in a livestock show is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer and/or absolutely responsible person for show management to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood, or other substances from the animal to be used in testing. Animals not entered in an event which culminates with the animal entering the food chain shall not be administered drugs other than in accordance with applicable federal, state, and provincial statutes, regulations, and rules. Livestock shall not be exhibited if the drugs administered in accordance with federal, state and provincial statutes, regulations and rules affect the animal's performance or appearance at the event. If the laboratory report on the chemical analysis of saliva, urine, blood, or other sample taken from livestock indicates the presence of forbidden drugs or medication, this shall be prima facie evidence such substance has been administered to the animal either internally or externally. It is presumed that the sample or urine, saliva, blood, or other substance tested by the approved laboratory to which it is sent is the one taken from the animal in question, its integrity is preserved and all procedures of said collection and preservation, transfer to the laboratory and analysis of the sample taken from the animal in question and correctly reflects the condition of the animal at the time the sample was taken with the burden on the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person to prove otherwise at any hearing in regard to the matter conducted by the fair or livestock show. At any time after an animal arrives on the fair or livestock show premises, all treatments involving the use of drugs and/or medications shall be administered by a licensed veterinarian.
5. Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counter irritant, or irritant substance) which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, confirmation, or appearance, except external applications of substances to the hoofs or horns of animals which affect appearance only and except for surgical procedures performed by a duly licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited.
6. The use of showing and/or handling practices or devices such as striking animals to cause swelling, using electrical contrivance, or other similar practices are not acceptable and are prohibited.
7. Direct criticism or interference with the judge, fair or livestock show management, other exhibitors, breed representatives, or show officials before, during, or after the competitive

- event is prohibited. In the furtherance of their official duties shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation and respect and no person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward them.
8. No owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person shall conspire with another person or persons to intentionally violate this code of ethics or knowingly contribute or cooperate with another person or persons either by affirmative action or inaction to violate this code of ethics. Violation of this rule shall subject such individual to disciplinary action.
  9. The application of this code of ethics provides for absolute responsibility for an animal's condition by an owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or participant whether or not he or she was actually instrumental in or had actual knowledge of the treatment of the animal in contravention of this code of ethics.
  10. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person to have any disciplinary action taken by the fair or livestock show for violation of this code of Show Ring Ethics and any other rules of competition of the fair or livestock show without recourse against the fair or livestock show. The act of entering an animal is the giving consent that any proceedings or disciplinary action taken by the fair or livestock show may be published with the name of the violator or violators in any publication of the International Association of Fairs and Expositions, including Fairs and Expositions and any special notices to members.
  11. The act of entering of an animal in a fair or livestock show is the giving of verification by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person that he or she has read the IAFE National Code of Show Ring Ethics and understands the consequences of and penalties provided for actions prohibited by the code. It is further a consent that any action which contravenes these rules and is also in violation of federal, state, or provincial statutes, regulations, or rules may be released to appropriate law enforcement authorities with jurisdiction over such infractions.

## LIVESTOCK ADDENDUM

Exhibitor represents to Miami-Dade County Fair & Exposition, Inc. ("The Fair") that no animals that are exhibited or otherwise transported onto the FAIRGROUNDS will in anyway be suffering from any contagious or infectious disease. In addition, EXHIBITOR shall defend, indemnify, and hold The Fair, Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners, the applicable Show Committee and each of their respective officials, officers, directors, employees and agents harmless of and from all losses, damages, claims, expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees at the trial and appellate levels, actions and causes of action arising out of, or in any way connected with, or by reason of this Agreement, the presence of EXHIBITOR'S livestock at the FAIRGROUNDS, and/or use of the FAIRGROUNDS including, but not limited to any claim for the death of, or injury to any person or livestock, or damage to, theft of, or destruction of any property arising out of any act or omission of EXHIBITOR, officers, agents, employees, trainers, drivers, riders, handlers, contractors and livestock, violation of any Federal, State and Local environmental laws, rules, ordinances and/or regulations, actions for negligence, wrongful death, torts, defects in the real and personal property at the FAIRGROUNDS and from any alleged liability, cause, litigation or proceeding whatsoever, even if such injury, death, loss or property damage results, in whole or in part, from the negligence of The Fair, the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners, or the applicable Show Committee and their respective officials, officers, directors, employees, and agents or otherwise. Neither The Fair nor the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners or such applicable Show Committee shall be liable to EXHIBITOR, or any officer, agents, employees, trainers, drivers, riders, handlers, or other contractors, invitees or guests of EXHIBITOR for any injury, death or damage to livestock, person, or property. The Fair, its officers, or agents, assume no liability for any loss or damage to property (including but not limited to livestock) on account of fire, theft, or any other cause including infectious or contagious diseases. In addition, EXHIBITOR acknowledges receiving and agrees to abide by the applicable Official Rules and Regulations of The Fair included in The Fair's Handbook and same are incorporated by reference herein.

# OFFICIAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

## FOR ALL DIVISIONS

### **Entry Deadline and Fees:**

Entry Deadline: Postmarked on or before January 14, 2020, **\$15.00** per animal.

### **Entry Fees Waived for New Exhibitors:**

To encourage new exhibitors throughout the state of Florida and beyond to exhibit cattle, The Fair will offer a new program in which fees for new exhibitors who meet the following criteria will be waived:

1. Must be the exhibitors first time showing at The Fair.
2. The maximum number of head for which the entry fees will be waived is 10 head per exhibitor. There will be no minimum required.
3. The exhibitor must apply to have their entry fees waived. The waiver must be sent along with their entry form prior to the entry form registration deadline. The waiver may be found online at [fairexpo.com](http://fairexpo.com)

### **Interpretation of Rules:**

The management of the Miami-Dade County Fair & Exposition, Inc. (The Fair) reserves the right to amend, add to and interpret the following Rules and Regulations; and to arbitrarily settle and determine all questions and differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of, connected with or incident to The Fair.

### **Eligibility:**

1. All animals showing in the Open Cattle Division must be purebred and registered with their respective National Breed Association; and must conform to all special rules of their particular breed association.
2. Registration papers must be presented at check-in. In the case of papers pending, it will be the responsibility of the exhibitor to provide The Fair with a letter from the Breed Association stating that the papers have been applied for, but have not yet been processed.
3. Any exhibitor entering an animal in any name other than the bona fide owner or owners or showing an animal in a class for which it is not eligible may, at the discretion of the Management, be barred from further showing and any or all premiums previously awarded may be forfeited.
4. Any exhibitor from a family with an outstanding balance owed to The Fair will not be eligible to show.

### **Entries:**

1. Entry Form Deadline - Entries must be postmarked on or before the published deadline, January 14, 2020. It is the policy of The Fair to abide by all Rules and Regulations as posted on The Fair website at [fairexpo.com](http://fairexpo.com). Entry fees will be determined by date entries are postmarked. Hand delivered entries will be accepted in the Exhibits Office up to office closing at 5:00 p.m. on the day of deadline. Certified mail or a Certificate of Mailing

validated by the Post Office is recommended. A metered postmark will not be considered as a valid postmark for entry deadline purposes.

2. Entries must be made on Official Open Show Entry Form, which is located on website. Entries will not be accepted unless accompanied by full entry fee made payable to The Fair. **TO EXPEDITE THE CHECK-IN PROCESS AT THE FAIR, IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT COPIES OF REGISTRATION PAPERS BE MAILED IN WITH THE ENTRY FORM. (ORIGINAL PAPERS MUST STILL BE PRESENTED AT CHECK-IN).**
3. Entries must be made in the name of the owner.
4. Use separate entry form for each owner.
5. Send all entries and fees to: Exhibits Office, Miami-Dade County Fair & Exposition, Inc. 10901 Coral Way, Miami, FL 33165.
6. Entry fees are \$15.00 per animal. This amount must be paid before animals are officially entered and space is reserved. Overpayments will not be refunded if \$30.00 or less. **Unpaid entry fees at time of arrival will be deducted from premium check.**
7. Please Note: Space is allocated on the number of animals that are brought to the Fair - not on the number of entry fees paid. Due to the number of animals, extra space cannot be purchased. **DO NOT PAY FOR ADDITIONAL TACK SPACE OR ANIMALS YOU DO NOT INTEND TO BRING, SPACE IS LIMITED.**
8. The Fair reserves the right to limit entries based on stall/pen availability. Entries will be accepted in chronological order based on the postmark.
9. **GROUP AND/OR HERD CLASSES MUST BE PRE-ENTERED ON ENTRY FORM. BE SURE TO SPECIFY CLASSES AND/OR MULTIPLE ENTRIES IN CLASSES. ANIMALS IN THESE CLASSES MUST BE INDICATED AT CHECK-IN TIME AND ENTRY NUMBER OF EACH ANIMAL AND REGISTRATION # OF DAM OR SIRE MUST BE SUBMITTED AT THIS TIME. NO WALK-IN ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED IN THE RING. ENTRIES IN GROUP AND HERD CLASSES MUST HAVE BEEN EXHIBITED PREVIOUSLY IN INDIVIDUAL CLASSES.**
10. Animals owned in partnership may be shown in the name of the partnership only, except that at time of entry a determination may be made that such animal will be shown in the name of one (but not both) partners; but, the animals must be shown in the same way in the group classes as they are in the open single classes.
11. **ALL SUBSTITUTIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE FAIR BY MARCH 1, 2020. SUBSTITUTIONS CAN BE MADE BY PHONE. NO SUBSTITUTIONS WILL BE ALLOWED UPON ARRIVAL. ADDITIONAL ANIMALS WILL BE TREATED AS A LATE ENTRY AND WILL NOT BE ALLOWED.**
12. Cancellations - Notice of cancellations must be received for the Open Cattle Show by March 1, 2020 in order to qualify for refund of fees. Cancellations may be made only by e-mail.

### Health Regulations:

1. All animals must meet health regulations as specified in the Rules for Exhibition

as required by the Florida Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services.

2. To expedite entry into The Fair, ear tags that correspond to health papers are strongly recommended.

### **Rules of Exhibition:**

As required by the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services 5C-4.0015 Definitions. 5C-4.0017 General Requirements, Exemptions and Limitations. 5C-4.002 Cattle or Bison. 5C-4.0015 Definitions. For official rules regarding the Animal Health Requirements for Exhibition see the State of Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry documentation.

### **General:**

1. Please Note: Due to health and safety issues, no cooking will be allowed in the barns; food and drink should not be consumed in animal areas; and exhibitors should wash hands after handling animals.
2. The Fair provides shavings for bedding.
3. Feed, care and management of animals will be the responsibility of the exhibitor. Exhibitors may also use straw at their own expense. Failure to maintain animals and exhibit to acceptable standards and/or failure to cooperate with fair officials may result in premium forfeiture and immediate dismissal from the fairgrounds.
4. The Fair recommends that all clipping be done prior to arrival.
5. All cattle that are tied in the arena holding area must be attended to at all times.
6. Registration papers should remain at The Fair with cattle.
7. At the discretion of the Exhibits Staff, exhibitors may be instructed to double tie their animals.
8. The breeder of an animal is the owner of the dam at the time of service; however, the American Angus Association officially accepts for competition herds purchased in entirety as bred and owned by the current owner.
9. Sick animals may be released immediately if a signed statement of a veterinarian is presented to the Exhibits Staff.
10. The Fair will not provide space for nurse cows for open cattle, both breeding and steers, in Open Shows.
11. Animals are restricted to designated areas of the fairgrounds and must not be taken from designated area. Violators are liable for any damage incurred by owner or animals.
12. Sharp Practice - Upon request, every exhibitor agrees to submit any animal entered by him to examination by a veterinarian appointed by The Fair to ascertain that there has been no unethical fitting or showing; and, to submit such animal to such tests as may be required by said veterinarian, and to abide by conclusions reached as to whether such animal is unethically fitted or is an over age animal under the rules of The Fair. Conclusions shall be final and binding, without recourse against The Fair, officer(s), director(s) thereof, said veterinarian, or technician(s) employed. Exhibitor releases any

or all claims or demands whatsoever in connection with such examination. Any animal found to have had its physical features altered or tampered with by surgical instruments for the purpose of improving its conformation or appearance in the show ring will be disqualified and ruled ineligible to compete for or retain any premiums.

13. Signs - The Fair Management reserves the right to refuse permission for any individual exhibitor to erect or display any sign of objectionable size or content.
14. NO chairs are allowed in the animal walkways.
15. Any person who violates any of the general rules or special rules as posted in this premium list will forfeit all privileges and premiums won.
16. The physical condition of an entrant, which the appropriate committee considers to be a problem for that entrant to participate in the show, may result in the committee not accepting an entry or not allowing that entrant to participate in the show.
17. Smoking or vaping is not permitted in the barns. This includes e-cigarettes.

**Arrival:**

1. EARLY ARRIVALS: Due to the lack of space during The Fair, early arrivals will not be permitted except in cases where the scheduled arrival time presents a hardship due to travel time, etc. In such situations, a written request must be submitted to the Exhibits Office by March 1, 2020. Exhibitor will be notified by March 6th if the request has been approved. EARLY ARRIVALS MUST BE PRE-APPROVED.
2. Any animals arriving late due to an emergency must call the Exhibits Office at 786-315-5188.
3. Animals may not be unloaded on the fairgrounds until they have been checked by the Dept. of Agriculture, except in the case of emergency.
4. Registration papers and official health certificates must be available and in the hands of the owner or herdsman in charge of cattle on arrival at the fairgrounds.
5. All exhibitors must present registration papers to the Exhibits Office by time indicated on arrival day or they will be considered as a “NO SHOW” and will be deleted from the show.
6. All animals are subject to being officially checked by their respective associations.

**Gate Passes:**

1. There will be 1 truck/trailer pass issued per exhibitor, this will only allow everyone in the vehicle to enter the fair through service gate 9.
2. Reserved, secured parking is provided by the Exhibits Office, exhibitors must park in this assigned lot. Each trailer will be assigned a parking space and when they arrive, the groups must park in their assigned parking space. Cattle may be unloaded from there, each space will be located directly behind the stall areas.

**Judging:**

1. Judges will not award premiums to any article, product, or animal that is not deserving. It must be judged individually worthy.
2. The decision of the judge shall be final and no appeal will be considered except in cases of written protest (see Protests).
3. Any exhibitor who interferes with the judging will be promptly excluded from competition; if after judging, the premiums awarded will be withheld.
4. All animals must enter the show ring and be evaluated by the judge in order to receive premiums.

**Protests:**

All protests must be in writing, must state plainly the complaint, be accompanied by a fee of \$100.00, which shall be forfeited to The Fair in case protest is not sustained, and must be delivered to the Director of Exhibits within 24 hours after the cause of protest.

**Premiums:**

1. Individual breed association rules will govern where more than 2 premiums are won in a single class.
2. No premium will be paid to any animal in any class that in the opinion of the judge does not deserve an award.
3. In group classes, where premiums are offered, no premiums will be paid unless catalog entry numbers of animals are given at arrival time for the group class that is to be judged.
4. Premiums will be paid on the basis of the judging reports, which must be signed by the judge and by the Exhibits department staff or clerk.
5. **If a Social Security Number, Federal ID Number, or W-9 is not provided, The Fair will not issue a premium check.**

**Note:**

All checks for premium monies awarded in connection with The Fair, shall be negotiated by the recipient/payee within 90 days from the date written on the check or by June 30, 2020, which ever expires first. If the recipient/payee fails to timely negotiate said check, all monies due the recipient/payee shall be deemed to have made an unconditional and irrevocable gift of said monies to The Fair. Errors in premium checks, awards, or lost checks will be corrected by the Exhibits Department until May 31, 2020. Any checks not cashed or deposited by June 30, 2020, will be considered as void and will not be replaced. **The Fair does not provide a check cashing service.**

**Release per Breed as Specified in the Division:**

1. Consideration will be given to out-of-state exhibitors & the different zone levels for a staggered early release. All arrangements must be coordinated with Exhibits Staff.
2. TRAILERS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED OUT OF THE LOT UNTIL DESIGNATED RELEASE TIMES.
3. Any exhibitor removing animals from barn prior to official release time forfeits all prize monies they may have won.

**Policies for Open Cattle Shows at The Miami-Dade County Fair and Exposition:**

The Fair is interested in expanding participation by Breed Associations. All requests for Breed Shows or exhibitions will be considered. Breeders must be endorsed by their Breed Association in order to exhibit.

**Continuing a Breed Show:**

If a breed drops below 15 head for 2 consecutive years, they will be considered an exhibition show and no premiums will be paid.

**Establishing a Breed Show:**

In order to establish a breed show, the breed must first put on an exhibition of at least 15 head shown by 2 different breeders at The Fair based on availability of space.

The following year, upon request (by June 30) from the breed association and approval by the Fair, a show will be established for ribbons only.

There must be at least 15 head shown by three different breeders or they will still be considered an exhibition. After 2 years, the show will be eligible for abbreviated premiums upon approval by The Fair. After 2 more years, they will be eligible for full premiums.

**Re-establishing a Breed Show:**

A breed that has shown at The Fair, but the show has been discontinued, can re-establish the show by making a request to The Fair by June 30 of each year. Upon approval, there must then be at least 15 head of cattle shown by 3 different breeders or it will be considered an exhibition and no premiums will be paid.

**Open Cattle Show Special Recognitions and Awards:**

The Fair sincerely appreciates the cooperation of the Breed Associations that have contributed to the Open Cattle Shows. See rules for each breed show for listing of participation.



**Quality Assurance and Livestock Ethics Program:**

The Fair believes that every animal participating in activities of The Fair shall at all times be provided proper care and management in the best interest of the animal's welfare.

1. Quality assurance testing or a survey may be done at The Fair.
2. All animals are subject to testing at any time:
  - A. To determine whether an animal qualifies for competition in a particular breed classification.
  - B. To determine whether the animal has been unethically fitted in any way.
  - C. To determine whether any false information or representation was made in a competition entry.
3. Exhibitor's signature on entry form acknowledges that they have read and agree to IAFE Code of Show Ring Ethics.
4. Use of drugs, in animals, not in compliance with manufacturer's label as to dosage, time of withdrawal limitations, or other manufacturer's limitations and show regulations are PROHIBITED. The use of tranquilizers or possession of same after arrival at the Fair, will be construed as tampering.
5. Violators will be disqualified and will forfeit all premiums and awards, including sale price of animals, if applicable, and future entry of exhibitor and/or family at The Fair.
6. The use of showing and/or handling practices or devices, using electrical contrivance, or other similar practices that are not recognized as acceptable training, restraint, or animal movement techniques are prohibited.

**Official Photographer:**

An official photographer will be designated by The Fair. Any exhibitor wishing to engage the service of this photographer may get in touch with him through the Exhibits Office. Photographs of winners and participants will be taken by the Official Photographer for official use in Public Relations. All owners, exhibitors, and herdsman handling such animals are required to cooperate with the photographer.

**Photographs and Videos:**

From time to time photographs and video are taken during The Fair. These photographs and videos may be used for publicity or other purposes. By submitting your entry and entry form, you are consenting to The Fair photographing, filming, taping and/or otherwise recording Exhibitor's name, likeness, physical movements, voice and other sound effects (collectively, "Name, Etc."), which photographs, films, tapes and other recordings (collectively, "Recordings") shall be the sole and absolute property of The Fair for any and all purposes whatsoever in perpetuity; and Exhibitor grants to The Fair, its licensees, successors and assigns the exclusive right to reproduce, exhibit, perform, display, use and otherwise exploit the Recordings and my Name, Etc., in whole or in part, in and in connection with its events and the advertising, exhibition, promotion, publicity and any other exploitation thereof, in any and all languages, formats and media now known or hereafter devised, in perpetuity, for no compensation. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if The Fair determines, in its sole discretion, that any rights herein granted are subject to the jurisdiction of any Union, I will enter into any agreement(s) with The Fair or its designee which The Fair determines is required in connection therewith, and agree that I shall receive and be entitled only to the applicable minimum compensation (if any) required by such Union.

## CHAPTER 5C-31 CATTLE IDENTIFICATION

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### 5C-31.001 Definitions.

1. Approved Livestock Facility. A livestock market or stockyard under state or federal veterinary supervision where livestock are assembled and that has been approved under 9 C.F.R. § 71.20 (2015), as incorporated in Rule 5C-31.006, F.A.C.
2. Approved Tagging Site. A site or location specifically approved by the department to apply official individual identification to cattle.
3. Approved Tagging Site Manager. The individual responsible for an approved tagging site.
4. Cattle. Any bull, steer, ox, cow, heifer, calf, or any other bovine animal including bison.
5. Moved directly. The transport of cattle, without offloading, from one premises to another.
6. Official Individual Identification. An individual animal identification that uniquely identifies the animal, the premises of origin or the premises where the animal was uniquely identified, and the state in which the official individual identification was applied, and
  - (a) Is approved by the United States Department of Agriculture in accordance with 9 C.F.R. § 86.4(a)(1) (2015) as incorporated in Rule 5C-31.006, F.A.C., or
  - (b) Is submitted to the department and verified by the department as meeting the requirements for official individual identification such that state officials can determine the herd in which the animal was officially identified.
7. Premises Identification Number. A nationally unique number assigned by a state, tribal and/or federal animal health authority to a premises that is, in the judgment of the state, tribal and/or federal animal health authority, a geographically distinct location from other premises.
8. Premises of Origin. The farm or ranch at which the official individual identification is applied, or if the official identification is applied at an approved tagging site, the farm or ranch from which the cattle have been brought to the approved tagging site.
9. Purchaser. The new owner of the cattle purchased during or as part of an auction or sale at an Approved Livestock Facility.
10. Recognized Slaughter Establishment. Any slaughter establishment operating under the provisions of the Federal Meat Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. §§ 601 et seq.) as incorporated in subsection 5C-3.001(36), F.A.C., or the state meat inspection act of the state in which the establishment is located.

*Rulemaking Authority 534.071, 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 585.08(2)(a), 585.11, 585.145 FS. History—New 2-19-14, Amended 9-4-14.*

**5C-31.002 Application of Official Individual Identification.**

1. Official individual identification may be applied by a cattle owner, veterinarian, or other person employed or contracted by an owner on an owner's premises; or at an approved tagging site, by the tagging site manager or a person employed by such manager.
2. Official individual identification may be obtained:
  - (a) From United States Department of Agriculture Approved Providers as provided in 9 C.F.R. § 86.4(a)(1) (2015), as incorporated in Rule 5C-31.006, F.A.C.
  - (b) From Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry at no charge. Official individual identification tags may be requested using the form entitled Request For Official Identification Devices, FDACS-09246, Rev. 12/13, as incorporated in Rule 5C-31.006, F.A.C. In order to obtain official identification devices from the department, a premises identification number is required. The premises identification number can be applied for using the form the Application for Premises Registration, FDACS-09215, Rev. 05/13, as incorporated in Rule 5C-31.006, F.A.C. The department shall provide written notification containing a premises identification number to the applicant upon approval.

*Rulemaking Authority 534.071, 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 585.08(2)(a), 585.11, 585.145 FS. History—New 2-19-14.*

**5C-31.003 Approved Tagging Site Requirements.**

1. Applicant shall submit the Application for Approved Tagging Site and Tagging Site Manager, FDACS-09254, 03/13, as incorporated in Rule 5C-31.006, F.A.C., to the address provided on the application. This application provides the physical location of the proposed site and the signature of the individual of record serving as tagging site manager.
2. The department shall provide written notification to the applicant upon approval or disapproval of the site as an approved tagging site.
3. Each approved tagging site shall:
  - (a) Report any change in management to the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry, and
  - (b) Be open to inspection by the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry during tagging or as requested for review of official records.
4. An approved tagging site manager shall:
  - (a) Maintain records of official individual identification tags applied using the form entitled Record of Official Individual Identification Applied to Cattle in Florida, FDACS-09255, Rev. 05/14, as incorporated in Rule 5C-31.006, F.A.C., unless official individual identification tags are provided by the owner. If official individual identification tags are provided by the owner to be applied at the approved tagging site, then the tagging site manager is not required to maintain records as provided above.
  - (b) Ensure that official individual identification is correctly correlated to the owner/premises of origin; and
  - (c) Ensure that official individual identification tags provided by an owner are applied only to cattle belonging to that owner; and
  - (d) Forward records to Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Animal Industry within 7 days of application of tags.

*Rulemaking Authority 534.071, 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 585.08(2)(a), 585.11, 585.145 FS. History—New 2-19-14, Amended 9-4-14.*

**5C-31.004 USDA Approved Livestock Facilities.**

1. Unidentified cattle required to be officially identified in accordance with Rule 5C-31.005, F.A.C., and brought to an Approved Livestock Facility (Facility) shall be:
  - (a) Tagged with Official Individual Identification by the Facility in accordance with subsection (2); or
  - (b) Tagged with Official Individual Identification by the Facility on behalf of the seller in accordance with Rule 5C-31.003, F.A.C.; or
  - (c) Placed into designated “slaughter only” sale channels; or
  - (d) Denied entry to the market.
2. The Purchaser of unidentified cattle shall ensure that the cattle receive Official Individual Identification by either of the following methods.
  - (a) Option 1: Subsequent to a request made by the Purchaser, the Approved Livestock Facility shall tag the unidentified cattle with Official Individual Identification prior to the unidentified cattle departing the Approved Livestock Facility if the following conditions are met:
    1. The Approved Livestock Facility shall be registered with the department as an Approved Tagging Site in accordance with Rule 5C-31.003, F.A.C.
    2. The Approved Livestock Facility shall record the following information using the form entitled Record of Official Individual Identification Applied to Cattle in Florida, FDACS-09255, Rev. 05/14, which is incorporated in Rule 5C-31.006, F.A.C.
      - a. The numbers of the Official Individual Identification tags applied to each of the cattle by the Approved Livestock Facility.
      - b. The corresponding number of the “back tags” applied by the Approved Livestock Facility to each of the unidentified cattle.
      - c. The Purchaser’s name and contact information.
      - d. The Purchaser’s Premises Identification Number.
    3. The Approved Livestock Facility shall submit the completed form to the department in accordance with the instructions provided on the form. The completed form must be received by the department within 7-days of the conclusion of the Approved Livestock Facility’s auction or sale in which the cattle were purchased.
    4. The Approved Livestock Facility shall retain the sales transaction information (including the date of sale and the seller’s and Purchaser’s name and contact information) along with a copy of the completed form described above for a minimum of 5-years and make these records available to the department upon request.
  - (b) Option 2: The Purchaser shall tag the unidentified cattle with Official Individual Identification upon delivery to a premises with a Premises Identification Number if the following conditions are met:
    1. The Purchaser shall have registered and obtained a Premises Identification Number for the premises where the unidentified cattle will be delivered.
    2. The Purchaser shall provide the Premises Identification Number for the premises where the unidentified cattle will be delivered to the Approved Livestock Facility prior to departing with the unidentified cattle.
    3. The Purchaser shall tag the unidentified cattle with Official Individual Identification and record the following information using the form entitled Record of Official Individual Identification Applied by the Purchaser, FDACS-09269, 05/14, which is incorporated in Rule

## 5C-31.006, F.A.C.

- a. The date of the sale or auction where the unidentified cattle were purchased.
  - b. The name and location of the Approved Livestock Facility where the unidentified cattle were purchased.
  - c. The numbers of the unique Official Individual Identification tags applied to each of the cattle.
  - d. The corresponding number of the “back tags” applied by the Approved Livestock Facility to each of the unidentified cattle.
  - e. The Purchaser’s name and contact information.
  - f. The Purchaser’s Premises Identification Number.
  - g. A certification that the Purchaser has tagged the unidentified cattle in accordance with Rule Chapter 5C-31, F.A.C.
4. The Purchaser shall submit the completed Record of Official Individual Identification Applied by the Purchaser, FDACS-09269, 05/14, to the department in accordance with the instructions provided on the form. The completed form must be received by the department within 7-days of the conclusion of the Approved Livestock Facility’s auction or sale in which the cattle were purchased.
  5. The Purchaser shall retain a copy of the completed form described above for a minimum of 5-years and make it available to the department upon request.
  6. The Approved Livestock Facility shall record the following information using the form entitled Record of Sale of Unidentified Cattle from an Approved Livestock Facility, FDACS-09270, 05/14, which is incorporated in Rule 5C-31.006, F.A.C.
    - a. The date of the sale or auction where the unidentified cattle were purchased.
    - b. The name and location of the Approved Livestock Facility where the unidentified cattle were purchased.
    - c. The Purchaser’s name and contact information.
    - d. The Purchaser’s Premises Identification Number.
    - e. The number of the temporary “back tag” applied by the Facility to each of the unidentified cattle.
  7. The Approved Livestock Facility shall submit the completed Record of Sale of Unidentified Cattle from an Approved Livestock Facility, FDACS-09270, 05/14, to the department in accordance with the instructions provided on the form. The completed form must be received by the department within 24-hours of the conclusion of the Approved Livestock Facility’s auction or sale in which the cattle were purchased.
  8. The Approved Livestock Facility shall retain the sales transaction information (including the date of sale and the seller’s and Purchaser’s name and contact information) along with a copy of the completed form described above for a minimum of 5-years and make these records available to the department upon request.

*Rulemaking Authority 534.071, 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 585.08(2)(a), 585.11, 585.145 FS. History—New 2-19-14, Amended 9-4-14.*

**5C-31.005 Required Identification for Intrastate Movement.**

1. Cattle 18 months of age or older, moving within the state of Florida, must have official individual identification unless the cattle are:
2. Being moved directly to a Recognized Slaughter Establishment or through no more than one USDA approved livestock facility and then to a recognized slaughter facility;
3. Being moved directly to an approved tagging site; or Being moved from one premises to another premises with the cattle remaining under common ownership as part of normal farm or ranching operations. Cattle shall not be commingled with cattle under separate ownership.

*Rulemaking Authority 534.071, 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 585.08(2)(a), 585.11, 585.145 FS. History—New 2-19-14.*

**5C-31.006 Documents Incorporated By Reference.**

The following documents are hereby incorporated by reference. Copies of these documents may be obtained from the Division of Animal Industry, 407 South Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0800 or online as indicated.

1. Application for Premises Registration, FDACS-09215, Rev. 05/13,<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-03294>.
2. Request For Official Identification Devices, FDACS-09246, Rev. 12/13,<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-03477>.
3. Application for Approved Tagging Site and Tagging Site Manager, FDACS-09254, 03/13,  
<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-03296>.
4. Record of Official Individual Identification Applied to Cattle in Florida, FDACS-09255, Rev. 05/14, <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-04498>.
6. 9 C.F.R. § 71.20 (2015), <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-03299>.
7. 9 C.F.R. § 86.4(a)(1) (2015), <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-03298>.
8. Record of Official Individual Identification Applied by the Purchaser, FDACS-09269, 05/14,<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-04497>.
9. Record of Sale of Unidentified Cattle from an Approved Livestock Facility, FDACS-09270, 05/14,<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-04496>.

*Rulemaking Authority 534.071, 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 585.08(2)(a), 585.11, 585.145 FS. History—New 2-19-14, Amended 9-4-14.*

5C-31.007 Penalties.

Violations of Chapter 5C-31, F.A.C., will be determined as referenced in Rule 5C-30.003, F.A.C.

*Rulemaking Authority 534.071, 570.07(23), 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a) FS. Law Implemented 570.07(15), 585.08(2)(a), 585.11, 585.145 FS. History—New 2-19-14.*

## Open Angus Show - Division 201

Entry Form Registration Deadline - January 14, 2020

Arrival Date - March 31, 2020 from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM in The Barn

Show Date - April 1, 2020 at 2:00 PM in the Arena

Release Date - Early check out after show or April 2, 2020 from 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM in The Barn

### Rules:

1. A minimum of 50 head must be shown in the Open Class Division to receive American Angus Association premium participation for the following year.
2. Exhibitors must have the original registration certificate issued by the American Angus Association available for inspection at the show for each animal or another current proof of ownership issued by the American Angus Association pedigree look up. Any animal, upon check-in, which does not have a legible permanent identification mark (ear tattoo marks, freeze-branded marks or hotbranded marks) corresponding to the permanent identification mark on the registration certificate, is ineligible to show. Once disqualified due to an incorrect or illegible permanent identification mark, animals cannot be re-tattooed and rechecked at the show.
3. Any female shown with a calf at side, calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf and the calf must be registered by show date and have the original registration certificate at check-in.
4. Only one person at a time shall lead animals into the show ring.
5. Exhibitors who participate in shows that accept premium monies contributed by the American Angus Association are subject to the Association Rules as found in the Breeders Reference Guide of the Association, These rules are found in Part 2; Association Rules. The rules relating directly with the exhibition of Angus cattle are Part 2: Association Rules; Rule 800 Series; including Rule 800 - 811. These rules can be found at [www.angus.org](http://www.angus.org).
6. Altering the conformation and/or appearance of an animal for exhibition is prohibited. This includes the covering of white skin, false tail heads (or use of any false hair), with the exception of false tail switches. The use of graphite, powders, hemp or other similar substances used externally are also prohibited. Other prohibited products include those used internally such as steroids, Illegal or unlicensed pharmaceuticals or artificial filling. Any animal found to be in violation will be barred from showing.
7. All animals exhibited are subject to DNA marker or blood type test to verify accuracy of percentage as covered under the Association Rules and for other testing as required by the individual show.
8. Authorized representatives of the Association have the authority to enforce the rules set forth herein as well as the Association Rules, including the barring of a registered animal from a livestock show at which it is to be shown, if there are reasonable grounds to believe a violation has occurred.
9. Animals shown in group classes must be entered and shown in individual classes.
10. Animals are to be lined up in the show ring in descending order according

to age.

11. Pending papers will not be accepted if registration papers are not available.
12. Animals with a registration pending status must have registration papers on or before the arrival date.
13. Group classes must be entered in advance on the entry form.
14. To expedite the entry process, copies of registration papers must be attached to the entry form upon mailing.

**Premiums:**

1st Place.....	\$100.00
2nd Place.....	90.00
3rd Place .....	80.00
4th Place .....	70.00
5th Place .....	60.00
6th Place through 10th Place .....	50.00
Premiums - Classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19, 20, 23, 24, 29, 30, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40, 41, 44, 45, 48, 49, 50, 53, 54, 55, 60, 61, 62	

Grand Champion - Classes 27 and 58 .....	\$250.00 and Award
Reserve Champion - Classes 28 and 59 .....	150.00 and Award
Division Champion	
Classes 7, 11, 15, 21, 25, 31, 38, 42, 46, 51, 56.....	100.00 and Award
Reserve Division Champion	
Classes 8, 12, 16, 22, 26, 32, 39, 43, 47, 52, 57.....	75.00 and Award

**Female Classes, \$15.00 per head:**

- Class 1 - Jr. Heifer Calves calved June 1, 2019 and after
- Class 2 - Jr. Heifer Calves calved May 1 - May 31, 2019
- Class 3 - Jr. Heifer Calves calved between April 1 - April 30, 2019
- Class 4 - Jr. Heifer Calves calved between March 1 - March 31, 2019
- Class 5 - Jr. Heifer Calves calved between February 1 - February 28, 2019
- Class 6 - Jr. Heifer Calves calved between January 1 - January 31, 2019
- Class 7 - JR. HEIFER CALF CHAMPION (1-2-3-4-5-6)
- Class 8 - RESERVE JR. HEIFER CALF CHAMPION
- Class 9 - Late Sr. Heifer Calves calved between Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2018
- Class 10 - Early Sr. Heifer Calves calved between Sept. 1 - Oct. 31, 2018
- Class 11 - SR. HEIFER CALF CHAMPION (9-10)
- Class 12 - RESERVE SR. HEIFER CALF CHAMPION
- Class 13 - Late Summer Yearling calved between July 1 - Aug. 31, 2018
- Class 14 - Early Summer Yearling calved between May 1 - June 30, 2018
- Class 15 - INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION (13-14)
- Class 16 - RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION
- Class 17 - April Jr. Yearling Heifers calved between April 1 - April 30, 2018
- Class 18 - March Jr. Yearling calved between March 1 - March 31, 2018
- Class 19 - Early Jr. Yearling calved between February 1 - February 28, 2018



- Class 20 - Early Jr. Yearling calved between January 1 - January 31, 2018  
 Class 21 - JR. CHAMPION FEMALE (17-18-19-20)  
 Class 22 - RESERVE JR. CHAMPION FEMALE  
 Class 23 - Late Sr. Yearling Females calved between Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2017  
 Class 24 - Early Sr. Yearling Females calved between Sept. 1 - Oct. 31, 2017  
 Class 25 - SR. CHAMPION FEMALE (23-24)  
 Class 26 - RESERVE SR. CHAMPION FEMALE  
 Class 27 - GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE  
 Class 28 - RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE

(Champions and Reserve Champions Competing) Any female that qualifies for female classes in the Association's standard classifications are not eligible to show in the cow/calf classes

- Class 29 - Cow/Calf Class – cows three (3) years of age & younger, cows born on Jan. 1, 2017 through Aug. 31, 2017. Calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf and no more than 280 days of age on show date  
 Class 30 - Cow/Calf Class – cows four (4) years of age and older, cows born Dec. 31, 2016 or earlier. Calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf & no more than 280 days of age on show date  
 Class 31 - GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR (29-30)  
 Class 32 - RESERVE CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR  
 Grand and reserve champion cow/calf pairs do not show for grand champion female and are ineligible to compete in the get-of-sire, jr. get-of-sire and breeder's six-head classes.

### **Bull Classes, \$15.00 per head:**

- Class 33 - Jr. Bull Calved calved June 1, 2019 and after  
 Class 34 - Jr. Bull Calves calved May 1 - May 31, 2019  
 Class 35 - Jr. Bull Calves calved between April 1 - April 30, 2019  
 Class 36 - Jr. Bull Calves calved between March 1 - March 31, 2019  
 Class 37 - Jr. Bull Calves calved between Jan. 1 - Feb. 28, 2019  
 Class 38 - JR. BULL CALF CHAMPION (33-34-35-36-37)  
 Class 39 - RESERVE BULL CALF CHAMPION  
 Class 40 - Late Sr. Bull Calves calved between Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2018  
 Class 41 - Early Sr. Bull Calves calved between Sept. 1 - Oct. 31, 2018  
 Class 42 - SR. BULL CALF CHAMPION (40-41)  
 Class 43 - RESERVE SR. BULL CALF CHAMPION  
 Class 44 - Late Summer Yearling calved between July 1 - Aug. 31, 2018  
 Class 45 - Early Summer Yearling calved between May 1 - June 30, 2018  
 Class 46 - INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL (44-45)  
 Class 47 - RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL  
 Class 48 - April Jr. Yearling calved between April 1 - April 30, 2018  
 Class 49 - March Jr. Yearling calved between March 1 - March 31, 2018  
 Class 50 - Early Jr. Yearling Bulls calved between Jan. 1 - Feb. 28, 2018  
 Class 51 - JR. CHAMPION BULL (48-49-50)  
 Class 52 - RESERVE JR. CHAMPION BULL

- Class 53 - Sr. Yearling Bulls calved between Sept. 1 - Dec. 31, 2017
- Class 54 - Summer Sr. Yearling calved between May 1 - Aug. 31, 2017
- Class 55 - Two-Year-Old Bulls calved between Jan. 1 - April 30, 2017
- Class 56 - SR. CHAMPION BULL (53-54-55)
- Class 57 - RESERVE SR. CHAMPION BULL
- Class 58 - GRAND CHAMPION BULL
- Class 59 - RESERVE CHAMPION BULL

(Champions and Reserve Champions Competing)

**Exhibitors are required to list the animals to be used on the entry form for all group classes entered; either using their registered name or tattoo/ID number. This information is required at time of entry form submission.**

- Class 60 - Get-of-Sire: Four animals by one sire shown in the above classes, both sexes represented.
- Class 61 - Jr. Get-of-Sire: Three animals by one sire, both sexes represented, shown in classes: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 13, 14 and 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40, 41, 44, 45.
- Class 62 - Breeder Six Head-- The exhibitor of the breeders six head must be breeder and first owner, identified by the same member code for the animals exhibited. Cattle owned by other exhibitors may be included provided the exhibitor of the breeders six is the breeders and first owner of the included animal(s). Animals must be exhibited in individual classes. Cattle bred and owned by a junior member(s) may be included if the exhibitor of the breeders six head is an individual or married couple and is the parent or legal guardian of the junior member(s).

## Open Brahman Show Red & Gray Split Show Division 202

### American Brahman Breeders Association

### Sanctioned Show

Entry Form Registration Deadline - January 14, 2020

Arrival Date - March 28, 2020 from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM in The Barn

**Red Show Date - March 29, 2020 at 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM in the Arena**

**Gray Show Date - March 29, 2020 at 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM in the Arena**

Release Date - March 30, 2020 from 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM in The Barn

#### **Rules:**

The ABBA requires that everyone who exhibits cattle in an ABBA Show must be a member in good standing as either a Junior, Active or Show Member. Please review the ABBA Constitution and Rules to familiarize yourself with the membership levels along with their requirements.

1. Animals must be registered in the American Brahman Breeders Association to be eligible to compete in association sponsored shows. The registration certificate for each entry must be available for presentation to the superintendent or manager of the show at the time entries are verified prior to judging.
2. The registration number and animal identification number (number branded on animal) of (1) each animal must be entered in an individual class, (2) the sire of each get-of-sire entry and (3) the dam of each produce-of-dam entry must be listed on the entry card of each animal entered.
3. Entries that have not complied with rules one (1) and two (2) will not be eligible to show, receive premium monies or earn points in the association's Register of Renown.
4. Animals to be eligible to be shown in group classes must be entered and shown in individual classes.
5. Entries will be listed numerically according to age (oldest first) in catalogs and judging schedules. Include animal identification number (number brand) as a part of identification. When entering the arena for judging, the handlers will line cattle up numerically in the same order.
6. Judges will be allowed to comment on placings in selected classes when conditions permit.
7. Each animal will be presented in the showing in its natural conformation and structure without alteration or modification. Alteration or modification shall be defined to include any surgical or circulatory constriction including banding or other appearance change, save only branding, tattooing, foot trimming or dehorning. Injections of foreign substances internally for cosmetic purposes, steroids, growth hormones or stimulants shall be prohibited. If to the satisfaction of the ABBA staff, officers, executive committee or board of directors an animal has had its natural conformation or structure altered or been administered steroids, growth hormones or stimulants; then the said animal shall be ruled ineligible to compete until such time the Show Committee and owner/owners have reviewed the case. Any violators, both owner & fitter will be in-eligible to exhibit cattle at ABBA Approved Shows for 5 years.
8. If any exhibitor/owner/showman interferes in any way with the judge or shows disrespect to him, or to the show in the ring, the exhibitor/owner/showman may be dismissed by the judge or show management from the ring.

The management may withhold from each exhibitor/owner/showman any premium monies that may have been awarded or take other steps deemed desirable.

9. In cases where families, companies, corporations, etc., are operated as a unit under the same management but have cattle also registered in the name of the individual partners, said cattle, even though bearing a different ownership brand, are eligible to be shown in competition under the firm name provided they have not been and will not be shown in the name of the individuals.
10. For females being shown in the three oldest classes \*\*CURRENT YEAR LESS 3 YEARS\*\* (females calved Sept. 1, 2017 - August 31, 2017, for Fall Shows; females calved Jan. 1 - Dec. 31, 2017 for Spring Shows), exhibitor must have a certificate of pregnancy no older than 30 days issued by a licensed veterinarian or certified technician to be presented to show officials at time of check-in or registration paper check. The show reserves the right to perform pregnancy determination by palpation for females in the above classes at any given ABBA approved show if an official protest has been filed. Females exhibited in the last class MUST have her nursing natural calf at side. The only exemption from this rule will be cows that have already weaned a calf and a registration certificate of the calf MUST be presented to the judge. The pregnancy certificate will be checked at the ABBA National, International & any other participating show.
11. \*All bulls will be shown with a nose ring or nose restraint with lead attached.\* For bulls being shown in the oldest class, the exhibitor must have a seasonal fertility certificate issued by a licensed veterinarian or certified technician stating the bull can settle cows. The certificate must be available for inspection by the judge on request. The seasonal fertility certificate will be checked at the ABBA National, International & any other participating show.
12. This deals with the produce of dam classes and the get-of-sire class. All group classes must be held by a handler in the show arena to be placed. At the International, National and any other participating show, the Original Registration Certificate or Original Copy (Blue with COPY across it) of each animal entering the ring for the group classes must be presented to the Show Official for parent verification. In an attempt to accommodate the exhibitors, the registration certificates of animals being exhibited in the group classes will be checked in advance at a specified time. Two animals for Natural Produce, four head for Embryo Produce and six head for the Get of Sire classes can be checked allowing the exhibitor to make the final selections prior to the show. If an exhibitor does not want to check papers early they would then have to bring papers on each animal that will enter the ring, at class check-in. Embryo Produce of Dam - Two animals from the above classes produced by one dam by embryo transfer either or both sexes may be represented. No ownership requirement. Natural Produce of Dam - Two natural born animals produced by one dam from the above classes, either or both sexes may be represented. No ownership requirement. Get-of-Sire - Four animals from at least two dams by one sire from the above individual classes, both sexes represented. No ownership requirement.
13. No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one produce or embryo-produce of dam per dam.
14. Cows that are exhibited with calves at side must be in a lactating stage. Calves must be the natural calf of the cow being exhibited and must not exceed 240 days of age on day of judging. The judge will be made aware by the ring

- steward for those cows whose calves are ineligible to show by this rule.
15. Cattle will not be allowed to show if their switches have been balled or glitter applied to their skin.
  16. Color Classification Rule effective August 1, 2017: Any animal with 51% or more of one color in their pedigree must be registered in that color. Any cattle that are 50% of each color in their pedigree can be registered in the color the breeder selects but will be inspected by the ABBA Color Committee. All grey cattle and solid black cattle will show grey. Red, black and white speckled or red & white speckled cattle will show red. A three person ABBA Color Committee will color classify at the International, National, Kick-Off Classic and the All American Shows. In addition, the Show Committee has the right to Color Classify any other Top 10 ABBA Approved Show unannounced. Once animals have been classified they will be stamped with their color classification and remain in that classification throughout their show career. The decision of the Color Committee is final. Animals shown in group classes must show in the group class of the registered color of their sire for the Get-of-Sire and the registered color of their dam for the Produce-of-Dam (ET & Natural). Both the exhibitor and owner of an animal that is shown in the wrong color division after being color classified will be ineligible to show any animals for 13 months following the infraction. The animal in violation will be disqualified for its entire show career and will forfeit all Register of Renown points. Any ABBA member or exhibitor has the right to protest the color classification of any animal at any ABBA Approved Show to the Show Committee in writing. Any animals already stamped with a color classification will not be reclassified.
  17. The owner of record of any registered animal entered in an ABBA approved shows and/or his/her agent, exhibitor, fitter, handler and/or representative releases ABBA and its representatives from any and all liability that seller/owner might claim as a result of injury of any kind sustained before, during, or after handling cattle for any ABBA board approved activity.
  18. Beginning January 21, 2019 for shows to remain approved point shows by ABBA they must maintain a forty (40) head average for the previous two (2) years. Shows must also follow the Requirements of ABBA Approved Shows.
  19. ALL Animals MUST have a Birth Weight submitted to be eligible to show in ABBA Approved Shows.
  20. The official ABBA rules & procedures governing showing & exhibiting of registered Brahman cattle supersede any rules printed in any show catalog.
  21. In an attempt to insure that all animals receive an equal evaluation at the National and International Shows, classes with more than 30 entries may at the discretion of the Show Management and/ or ABBA Officials be split by age as evenly as possible.
  22. Any animal that exceeds the weight & measurement requirements at the International Brahman Show, National Brahman Show, All American National Junior Show or any other designated show where weights & measurements are taken will be in-eligible to show at that show and any future ABBA Approved Shows until the next show that weights & measures are taken when they can requalify. Any animal that exceeds the parameters and is shown at an ABBA Approved Show before requalifying will be in-eligible to show their remaining career. Both the exhibitor and owner of the previously disqualified animal that is shown before requalifying will be in-eligible to show animals forever.
  23. Pending papers will not be accepted if registration papers are not available.
  24. Animals with a registration pending status must have registration papers

- on or before the arrival date.
25. Group classes must be entered in advance on the entry form.
  26. To expedite the entry process, copies of registration papers must be attached to the entry form upon mailing.

### **ABBA Show Ring Code of Conduct and Ethics**

The American Brahman Breeders Association recognizes the importance of the showing and exhibition of American Brahman cattle and that the competitive evaluation in the show ring is but one method to evaluate animals in our breed. The competitive show ring includes exhibitors who present animals to be placed and approved ABBA judges. This ABBA Show Ring Code of Conduct and Ethics seeks to insure that all participants, exhibitors, and approved judges act in accordance with these guidelines to help insure impartiality, honesty, and fairness to all concerned and in keeping with high standards expected of all ABBA endeavors.

#### **A. JUDGING PRIVILEGES**

1. Designation as an ABBA approved Judge is a privilege, not a right, bestowed by the ABBA Show Committee, according to procedures formulated by the Show Committee and approved by the Board of Directors. This privilege shall be open to individuals whose bovine experience and expertise, as well as personal character, merits the honor. An individual's conduct as a Judge and their ability must be exemplary. An individual's conduct and judging performance will be subject to Show Committee and Executive Committee review.

#### **B. EXHIBITOR, OWNER, BREEDER, MEMBER PRIVILEGES**

1. Exhibiting an animal at an ABBA approved event is a privilege, not a right, bestowed by the ABBA to members, exhibitors, owners and breeders. An individual's conduct as a member, exhibitor, owner or breeder must be exemplary and is subject to Executive Committee review.

#### **C. GUIDELINES FOR JUDGES - GENERAL**

1. Judges shall act with professional decorum at all times in a manner fitting and proper to one afforded the honor of officiating at any ABBA approved or sponsored show.
2. Judges shall act in a polite manner while carrying out each judging assignment.
3. Judges shall present themselves in attire that is acceptable, appropriate and comfortable for each judging assignment.
4. Judges shall be punctual in availability to fulfill their judging assignment.
5. Judges shall not judge two ABBA shows within a period of 6 months. This shall include not judging an AJBA or private ranch sponsored show within 6 months of an ABBA show.
6. Judges shall judge all animals in accordance with the ABBA Standard of Excellence and certify that they have read, understand and will abide by the ABBA Standard of Excellence by signing an affidavit provided by ABBA and returning it to the ABBA Executive Vice-President at the time they are added to the ABBA Approved Judges List.

7. Judges must certify that they have read, understand and will abide by the ABBA Show Ring Code of Conduct and Ethics by signing an affidavit provided by the ABBA and returning it to the ABBA Executive Vice-President at the time that they are added to the ABBA Approved Judges List.

#### D. JUDGING GUIDELINES - CONFLICT OF INTEREST/ETHICAL

1. Judges shall possess and project an unwavering air of integrity, impartiality and ethical behavior that protects the reputation of ABBA shows as being fair and well judged.
2. Judges shall give every exhibitor a fair and equal opportunity in each and every class.
3. An animal may not be exhibited or shown under a Judge if that Judge was the breeder of the animal or has been owner, exhibitor, fitter, or agent of that animal.
4. An animal may not be exhibited or shown under a Judge if the animal is shown by a member of his/her immediate family or by an employee/ employer of the Judge.
5. A Judge may not exhibit/show animals as an exhibitor, owner or breeder before those Judges that exhibited animals as an exhibitor, owner or breeder before him to judge for a period of 6 months between shows. This includes shows of all cattle breeds.
6. Exhibitors, owners and breeders may not exchange genetics including live animals, semen and embryos with a Judge for 1 month prior to and after the date that Judge has judged their animals.
7. A Judge is responsible for disclosing a prohibited relationship as soon as they become aware of the problem to an ABBA official and/or the show representative if an animal is exhibited not in compliance with guidelines (3), (4), (5) and (6). The Judge should notify ABBA officials and/or the show representative and show management of the non-compliance at the next break, or prior to the class being placed. The animal should not be counted as an entry, and the animal shall not be placed in the class. All parties involved, including but not limited to the owner, exhibitor, breeder and Judge, will be held responsible in the event non-compliance occurs. The Executive Committee will investigate the matter and handle it in accordance with its findings and consistent with ABBA disciplinary rules.
8. Judge must always act in the best interest of the ABBA avoiding any circumstances which create or appear to create a conflict of interest or raise ethical questions while officiating at any ABBA approved event in accordance but not limited to the following:
  - (a) Judges shall not travel with, dine with or meet with an exhibitor, owner, breeder or agent during the time period beginning 24 hours prior to an ABBA approved show they are judging and ending 24 hours after the ABBA approved show they have judged
  - (b) A Judge shall not appear on the show grounds more than one hour prior to the scheduled start of the show unless as directed or requested by show management.
  - (c) Judges shall talk only with representatives of show management, beyond the exchange of normal greetings, until the entire show or contest is completed.
9. The Show Committee will not assign to Show Committee members judging assignments at the Top 10 ABBA approved shows.

10. Replacement judges must be on the ABBA Approved Judges List.

#### E. SHOW COMMITTEE

1. The ABBA President will appoint a Show Committee and Show Committee Chairperson. The Show Committee will:
  - a. Establish rules subject to Board of Director Approval to govern the Exhibition of animals to establish show classes, premiums, special rules and other details of livestock shows.
  - b. Will appoint all judges and/or remove judges from the list of ABBA Approved Judges.
  - c. May review any and all judging performances after ABBA sponsored or approved events.
  - d. The Show committee, upon receipt of information which adversely affects a person's ability to be a Judge, may temporarily or permanently suspend a Judge's privileges pending the results of their findings.

#### F. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

1. The ABBA Executive Committee, upon receipt of information which adversely affects a person's ability to be a Judge, shall have the authority to discipline, penalize, and/or remove a Judge's name from the approved Judges list.
2. The ABBA Executive Committee, upon receipt of information regarding an exhibitor's, owner's, breeder's or member's infraction of the ABBA Show Ring Code of Conduct and Ethics, shall have the authority to discipline, penalize or suspend certain rights of ABBA membership.

#### G. REPORTING INFRACTIONS/GRIEVANCES

1. A Judge must present in writing any grievances within thirty (30) days of the incident that they may have against an exhibitor, owner or breeder to the ABBA Executive Vice President.
2. Any ABBA show official, officer, director or member witnessing a grievance against a Judge, or infraction of the ABBA Show Ring Code of Conduct and Ethics by an exhibitor, owner or breeder should report the grievance or infraction in writing to the ABBA Executive Vice President within thirty (30) days. Infractions and grievances may include but not be limited to any:
  - a. Attempt by an individual to have the Judge favor or disfavor a particular entry or exhibitor.
  - b. Offer of information to the Judge that may be regarded as designed to influence the Judge.
  - c. Offer of an inducement and/or bribe to a Judge to advantage or disadvantage a particular entry or exhibitor.
  - d. Disrespectful behavior or interference on the part of an exhibitor, owner or breeder towards a Judge, show ring management, ABBA officials or other exhibitors during the time a show is in progress. This includes any conduct detrimental to the breed or show.
  - e. Misrepresentation of the age, status or classification of the animal for the class in which it is shown.
  - f. Exhibit of any animal whose natural appearance has been surgically or otherwise artificially altered.
3. Any infractions and grievances to be reported regarding a Judge's conduct



or judging performance by an exhibitor, owner, breeder or ABBA member must be filed in writing to the ABBA Executive Vice President within 30 days of the individual gaining knowledge of the incident. Any infractions and grievances to be reported by an ABBA member regarding an exhibitor, owner or breeder must be filed in writing to the ABBA Executive Committee within 30 days of the individual gaining knowledge of the incident with a copy being sent to the ABBA show committee.

4. Any infractions and grievances to be reported by an ABBA member regarding an exhibitor, owner or breeder must be filed in writing to the ABBA Executive Vice President within 30 days of the individual gaining knowledge of the incident.

**H. PROCESS OF A FILED COMPLAINT**

Upon receipt of a filed complaint, the Executive Vice President shall promptly forward the complaint to the Chairman of the Executive Committee to determine whether the allegations of the complaint would, if proven, constitute an infraction of the ABBA Show Ring Code of Conduct and Ethics. The procedures that will be followed in regards to the Investigation, Right of Hearing, Suspension and Appeal will follow the procedures outlined under Violative Conduct (Rule I; Section 7, III-VII).

Disciplinary actions by the ABBA Executive Committee may include but not be limited

to:

- (a) Suspension or removal of a Judge from the ABBA Approved Judge’s list.
- (b) Forfeiture or return of awards, prizes, premiums or proceeds.
- (c) Forfeiture of Register of Renown points.
- (d) Written letter of reprimand to the responsible party.
- (e) Disqualification of animal in violation from exhibition. \*
- (f) Disqualification of an exhibitor, owner, breeder and/or ABBA member from ABBA sanctioned shows. \*
- (g) Disqualification of an exhibitor, owner, breeder and/or ABBA member from ABBA membership.
- (h) Publication of the offense.

\*Disqualification may include any or all shows and classes and may be for any number of years.

**Premiums:**

1st Place.....	\$100.00
2nd Place.....	90.00
3rd Place .....	80.00
4th Place .....	70.00
5th Place .....	60.00
6th Place through 10th Place .....	50.00
Premiums - Classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 35, 36, 37, 38, 41, 42, 43, 46, 47, 48, 53 , 54, 55	

Grand Champion - Classes 26 and 51 .....	\$250.00 and Award
Reserve Champion - Classes 27 and 52 .....	150.00 and Award
Division Champion	
Classes 7, 13, 18, 24, 29, 33, 39, 44, 49 .....	100.00 and Award
Reserve Division Champion	
Classes 8, 14, 19, 25, 34, 40, 45, 50 .....	75.00 and Award

**Female Classes, \$15.00 per head:**

- Class 1 - SUMMER HEIFER CALVES – calved Jul. 1 – Aug. 31, 2019
- Class 2 - LATE SPRING HEIFER CALVES - calved May 1- Jun. 30, 2019
- Class 3 - SPRING HEIFER CALVES - calved Apr. 1 - Apr. 30, 2019
- Class 4 - LATE JUNIOR HEIFER CALVES - calved Mar. 1 - Mar. 31, 2019
- Class 5 - JUNIOR HEIFER CALVES - calved Feb. 1 - Feb. 29, 2019
- Class 6 - EARLY JUNIOR HEIFER CALVES – calved Jan 1-Jan. 31, 2019
- Class 7 - CALF CHAMPION - first place winners of Classes 1 - 6
- Class 8 - RESERVE CALF CHAMPION - second place winner in class that produced Calf Champion eligible to compete for RESERVE
- Class 9 - LATE SENIOR HEIFER CALVES - calved Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2018
- Class 10 - EARLY SENIOR HEIFER CALVES - calved Sep. 1 - Oct. 31, 2018
- Class 11 - LATE SUMMER YEARLING HEIFERS - calved Jul. I - Aug. 31, 2018
- Class 12 - EARLY SUMMER YEARLING HEIFERS - calved May 1 - June 30, 2018
- Class 13 - INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION - first place winners of Classes 9 - 12
- Class 14 - RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION - second place winner of class that produced Intermediate Champion eligible to compete for RESERVE
- Class 15 - LATE JUNIOR YEARLING HEIFERS - calved Apr. 1 - Apr. 30, 2018
- Class 16 - LATE JUNIOR YEARLING HEIFERS - calved Mar. 1 - Mar. 31, 2018
- Class 17 - EARLY JUNIOR YEARLING HEIFERS - calved Jan. 1 - Feb. 28, 2018
- Class 18 - JUNIOR CHAMPION - first place winners of Classes 15-17
- Class 19 - RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION - second place winner in class that produced Junior Champion eligible to compete for RESERVE
- Class 20\* - EARLY SENIOR YEARLING HEIFERS - calved Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2017
- Class 21\* - LATE SENIOR YEARLING HEIFERS – calved Sep. 1- Oct. 31, 2017
- Class 22\* - AGED SUMMER HEIFERS - calved May 1 - Aug. 31, 2017
- Class 23\*\* - AGED SPRING HEIFERS - calved Jan. 1 - Apr. 30, 2017
- Class 24 - SENIOR CHAMPION - first place winners of Classes 20-23
- Class 25 - RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION - second place winner in class that produced Senior Champion eligible to compete for RESERVE
- Class 26 - GRAND CHAMPION - CALF, INTERMEDIATE, JUNIOR AND SENIOR CHAMPION competing
- Class 27 - RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION - RESERVE to GRAND CHAMPION eligible to compete

\* Must be examined safe in calf

\*\* Must have calf at side

**Bull Classes, \$15.00 per head:**

- Class 28 - SUMMER BULL CALVES – calved Jul. 1 – Aug. 31, 2019  
 Class 29 - LATE SPRING BULL CALVES - calved May 1 – Jun. 30, 2019  
 Class 30 - SPRING BULL CALVES - calved Apr. 1 - Apr. 30, 2019  
 Class 31 - LATE JUNIOR BULL CALVES - calved Mar. 1 - Mar. 31, 2019  
 Class 32 - EARLY JUNIOR BULL CALVES - calved Jan. 1 - Feb. 28, 2019  
 Class 33 - CALF CHAMPION - first place winners of Classes 28-32  
 Class 34 - RESERVE CALF CHAMPION - second place winner in class that produced Calf Champion eligible to show for RESERVE  
 Class 35 - LATE SENIOR BULL CALVES - calved Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2018  
 Class 36 - EARLY SENIOR BULL CALVES - calved Sep. 1 - October 31, 2018  
 Class 37 - LATE SUMMER YEARLING BULLS - calved Jul. 1 - Aug. 31, 2018  
 Class 38 - EARLY SUMMER YEARLING BULLS - calved May I - Jun. 30, 2018  
 Class 39 - INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION - first place winners of Classes 35-38  
 Class 40 - RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION - second place winner in class that produced Intermediate Champion eligible to compete for RESERVE  
 Class 41 - LATE JUNIOR YEARLING BULLS - calved Apr. I - Apr. 30, 2018  
 Class 42 - LATE JUNIOR YEARLING BULLS - calved Mar. I - Mar. 31, 2018  
 Class 43 - EARLY JUNIOR YEARLING BULLS - calved Jan. I - Feb. 28, 2018  
 Class 44 - JUNIOR CHAMPION - first place winners of Classes 41-43  
 Class 45 - RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION - second place winner in class that produced Junior Champion eligible to compete for reserve  
 Class 46 - LATE SENIOR YEARLING BULLS – calved Sep. 1 – Dec. 31, 2017  
 Class 47 - AGED SUMMER BULLS – calved May 1 – Aug. 31, 2017  
 Class 48\*\*\* - AGED SPRING BULLS – calved Jan. 1 – Apr. 30, 2017  
 Class 49 - SENIOR CHAMPION - first place winners of Classes 46-48  
 Class 50 - RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION - second place winner in class that produced Senior Champion eligible to compete for RESERVE  
 Class 51 - GRAND CHAMPION BULL - CALF, INTERMEDIATE, JUNIOR AND SENIOR CHAMPION competing  
 Class 52 - RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL - RESERVE TO GRAND CHAMPION eligible to compete  
 Class 53 - Produce-of-Dam, two natural born animals produced by one dam from the above classes, either or both sexes may be represented. No ownership requirement  
 Class 54 - Embryo-Produce-of-Dam, two animals from the above classes produced by one dam by embryo transfer either or both sexes may be represented. No ownership requirement.  
 Class 55 - Get-of-Sire, four animals from at least two dams by one sire from the above individual classes, both sexes represented. No ownership requirement.

\*\*\* Must produce seasonal fertility certificate that bull is fertile and can settle cows.

**No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one produce or embryo-produce-of-dam per dam. All Group Classes will be shown at the front of the show before any individual classes.**

## Open Brangus/Red Brangus Show - Division 203

Entry Form Registration Deadline - January 14, 2020

Arrival Date - March 20, 2020 from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM in The Barn

Show Date - March 21, 2020 at 3:00 PM in the Arena

Release Date - March 22, 2020 from 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM in The Barn

### Rules:

1. Animals must be registered in the International Brangus Breeders Association to be eligible to compete in the Association sponsored show. The registration certificate for each entry must be available for presentation to the Show Superintendent or Manager at the time entries are verified, prior to judging.
2. The registration number and permanent animal identification number (brand or tattoo and date of birth) of each animal entered in an individual class, and the sire of each entry must be listed on the entry form of each animal.
3. All calves exhibited at the side of a Brangus female must be registered with the IBBA and meet all rules required for show eligibility and inspections of exhibit.
4. Animals eligible to be shown in group classes must be entered and shown in respective individual classes.
5. Prior to check-in, heads of breeding animals must be clipped of all hair (including topknots) and be free of scurs and/or slick spots.
6. Any animal found to have scurs, slick spots or evidence of incisions, surgical or otherwise, in the following areas: head, testicles, sheath, navel or dewlap, will be disqualified from showing.
7. No animal may be shown that has had any foreign objects glued to or otherwise attached in a manner so as to alter its conformation or change its appearance. Tail ties and hair nets used on the tail and switch will be the only exception.
8. Entries that have not complied with all the above rules will not be eligible to show, to receive premium monies or earn points in the Association's Sire of the Year, Show Bull and Show Heifer of the Year Awards.
9. All members of the IBBA will abide by the show rules as adopted. In addition any show, fair, event or display in which Brangus cattle participate should comply with these rules as adopted by IBBA.
10. All Brangus entries subject to the provision of a rule of the International Brangus Breeders Association entitled "Inspection of Exhibits."
11. The IBBA, and its representatives, have the authority to require such tests as they deem necessary to verify the accuracy of the classification and pedigree of exhibited Brangus animals. Said authority shall extend to, and cover the enforcement of, all show rules as adopted by the IBBA.
12. Any Brangus animal recorded in the IBBA Registry that has a "Parentage Dispute" listed in its first three-generation pedigree is ineligible for participation in Brangus shows and exhibitions. If the dispute is resolved, the listing will be removed from the pedigree and show eligibility will be restored.
13. Bulls in classes 35, 36, 39, 40, 43, 44, 47, 48, 52 and 53 must have a nose lead or ring.

14. Pending papers will not be accepted if registration papers are not available.
15. Animals with a registration pending status must have registration papers on or before the arrival date.
16. Group classes must be entered in advance on the entry form.
17. To expedite the entry process, copies of registration papers must be attached to the entry form upon mailing.

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Grand Champion - Classes 24 and 54 .....	\$250.00 and Award
Reserve Champion - Classes 25 and 55 .....	150.00 and Award
Division Champion	
Classes 6, 10, 14, 18, 22, 28, 35, 39, 43, 47, 52.....	100.00 and Award
Reserve Division Champion	
Classes 7, 11, 15, 19, 23, 29, 36, 40, 44, 48, 53.....	75.00 and Award

**Female Classes, \$15.00 per head:**

- Class 1 - Summer Heifer Calves born May 1, 2019 and after
- Class 2 - Late Spring Heifer Calves born April 1 - April 30, 2019
- Class 3 - Early Spring Heifer Calves born March 1 - March 31, 2019
- Class 4 - Late Junior Heifer Calves born Feb. 1 - Feb. 28, 2019
- Class 5 - Early Junior Heifer Calves born Jan. 1 - Jan. 31, 2019
- Class 6 - JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION
- Class 7 - RESERVE JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION
- Class 8 - Winter Heifer Calves born Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2018
- Class 9 - Senior Heifer Calves born Sept. 1 - Oct. 31, 2018
- Class 10 - SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION
- Class 11 - RESERVE SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION
- Class 12 - Late Summer Yearling Heifers born July 1 - Aug. 31, 2018
- Class 13 - Early Summer Yearling Heifers born May 1 - June 30, 2018
- Class 14 - SUMMER CHAMPION HEIFER
- Class 15 - RESERVE SUMMER CHAMPION HEIFER
- Class 16 - Spring Yearling Heifers born March 1 - April 30, 2018
- Class 17 - Junior Yearling Heifers born Jan. 1 - Feb. 28, 2018
- Class 18 - YEARLING CHAMPION HEIFER
- Class 19 - RESERVE YEARLING CHAMPION HEIFER
- Class 20 - \*Fall Yearling Heifers born November 1 - December 31, 2017
- Class 21 - \*Senior Yearling Heifers born September 1 - October 31, 2017
- Class 22 - SENIOR CHAMPION HEIFER
- Class 23 - RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION HEIFER

- Class 24 - GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER
- Class 25 - RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER
- Class 26 - \*Cow/Calf Pairs: Cows born January 1 - August. 31, 2017
- Class 27 - \*Cow/Calf Pairs: Cows born January 1 - December 31, 2016
- \*IBBA registered calves at side must be cow's natural calf not older than 250 days of age by show date
- Class 28 - GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF
- Class 29 - RESERVE CHAMPION COW/CALF

**Bull Classes, \$15.00 per head:**

- Class 30 - Summer Bull Calves born May 1, 2019 and after
- Class 31 - Late Spring Bull Calves born April 1 - April 30, 2019
- Class 32 - Early Spring Bull Calves born March 1 - March 31, 2019
- Class 33 - Late Junior Bull Calves born Feb. 1 - Feb. 28, 2019
- Class 34 - Early Junior Bull Calves born Jan. 1 - Jan. 31, 2019
- Class 35 - JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION
- Class 36 - RESERVE JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION
- Class 37 - Winter Bull Calves born Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2018
- Class 38 - Senior Bull Calves born Sept. 1 - Oct. 31, 2018
- Class 39 - SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION
- Class 40 - RESERVE SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION
- Class 41 - Late Summer Yearling Bulls born July 1 - Aug. 31, 2018
- Class 42 - Early Summer Yearling Bulls born May 1 - June 30, 2018
- Class 43 - SUMMER CHAMPION BULL
- Class 44 - RESERVE SUMMER CHAMPION BULL
- Class 45 - Spring Yearling Bulls born March 1 - April 30, 2018
- Class 46 - Junior Yearling Bulls born Jan. 1 - Feb. 28, 2018
- Class 47 - YEARLING CHAMPION BULL
- Class 48 - RESERVE YEARLING CHAMPION BULL
- Class 49 - Senior Yearling Bulls born Sept. 1 - Dec. 31, 2017
- Class 50 - Summer Two-Year Old Bulls born May 1 - Aug. 31, 2017
- Class 51 - Spring Three-Year Old Bulls born Jan. 1 - April 30, 2017
- Class 52 - SENIOR CHAMPION BULL
- Class 53 - RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL
- Class 54 - GRAND CHAMPION BULL
- Class 55 - RESERVE CHAMPION BULL
- Class 56 - Produce of Dam – To consist of two animals out of same dam; can be both sexes by different bulls.
- Class 57 - Junior Get-of-Sire – To consist of three head, both sexes by one sire; must be senior calves and younger.
- Class 58 - Senior Get-of-Sire – To consist of four head, both sexes by one sire; can be of any age in current classifications.
- Class 59 - Breeder's Herd – To consist of four head; both sexes do not have to be represented; must be bred & owned or co-owned by exhibitor.

\*\*All animals competing in Classes 56-59 must have been entered and competed in individual classes. Cows exhibited in the cow/calf classes are not eligible for the group classes.

**Additional Youth Rules:**

- 18. ALL STUDENTS ENTERED IN THE BRANGUS YOUTH SHOWS MUST HAVE COMPLETED THE ETHICS TRAINING WORKSHOP OR HAVE A CURRENT ETHICS NUMBER BEFORE January 1, 2020 TO SHOW AN ANIMAL AT THE FAIR. NOTE: While most Florida fairs have adopted this ethics program, the rules governing the exhibitors differ from fair to fair. It is the exhibitor’s responsibility to make sure they are in compliance with EACH particular fair where they are showing an animal. For a complete Ethics Class listing go to: <http://www.southfloridafair.com/ethics>
- 19. Exhibitors cannot be under the age of 8 or over the age of 19 as of January 1, 2020. Exhibitors must, also, be attending school or be enrolled in a certified home school program. Exhibitors who have graduated from high school or obtained their high school G. E. D. are not eligible.
- 20. Youth exhibitors must show their own animals in both the show and showmanship. Youth exhibitors will be permitted to exhibit no more than two animals per class and must have ownership of the animal(s) for 30 days prior to the show unless otherwise stated in their respective breed association rules.

**Youth Show Premiums:**

1st Place.....	\$80.00
2nd Place.....	70.00
3rd Place .....	60.00

**Showmanship Youth Show Only:**

- Class 60 - Junior Showmanship (8-11)
- Class 61 - Intermediate Showmanship (12-14)
- Class 62 - Senior Showmanship (15-18)

**Showmanship Premiums:**

1st Place.....	\$35.00
2nd Place.....	30.00
3rd Place .....	25.00

## Open Dairy Show - Division 204

Entry Form Registration Deadline - January 14, 2020

Arrival Date - April 3, 2020 from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM in The Barn

Show Date - April 4, 2020 at 2:00 PM in the Arena

Release Date - April 5, 2020 from 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM in The Barn

### **The Purebred Dairy Cattle Association Show Ring Code of Ethics Adopted April 3, 2004**

The showing of registered dairy cattle stimulates and sustains interest in the breeding of registered dairy cattle. It is also an important part of the promotion, merchandising and breeding program of many breeders. For these reasons, the Purebred Dairy Cattle Association (PDCA) believes that it is in the best interest of all breeders of registered dairy cattle to maintain a reputation of integrity in dairy cattle shows and to present a wholesome and progressive image of dairy cattle in the show ring.

PDCA endorses this Show Ring Code of Ethics for all dairy breed shows and pledges its full cooperative support for its enforcement to show management, show judges, and the national breed associations. The application of this Code of Ethics provides for absolute responsibility for an animal's condition by an owner, exhibitor, fitter or participant whether or not he or she was actually instrumental in or had actual knowledge of the treatment of the animal in contravention of this Code of Ethics. Dairy cattle exhibitors shall, at all times, deport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship.

It is recognized that there are certain practices in the proper care and management of dairy cattle that are necessary in the course of moving dairy cattle to and between shows that are advisable to keep them in a sound, healthy state so they might be presented in the show ring in a natural, normal condition. At all times, exhibition livestock shall be treated in a humane manner and in accordance with dairy quality assurance practices so as to protect the health, safety and welfare of the livestock and the consuming public. No person shall present for exhibition or exhibit an animal which he or she knows, or has reason to suspect, is affected with or has been exposed to a dangerously contagious or infectious disease, or illegal or non-approved use of drugs, medication and/or prohibited substance, or residue.

The position of the Purebred Dairy Cattle Association is that all animals presented for exhibition shall be in their natural conformation and structure, free of any alteration or modification by injection or internal or external administration of any substance or by any involvement in unethical fitting.

#### **Grooming and Preparation:**

Dairy cattle exhibitions are conducted under standards for evaluating conformation established by the PDCA Unified Score Card (1994), with specific breed characteristics taken into consideration by the show judge. In this connection, animals will be groomed and prepared for the judge's evaluation in order to display the animal's natural contour, conformation, performance and mobility. Specifically:

1. External applications of cosmetics that affect only appearance may be used, including by way of example hoof polishes and false switches.
2. The maximum allowable length of naturally growing hair anywhere on the topline is not to exceed 1". Exhibitors will be required to comply with this rule before the



- animal is allowed to enter the ring.
3. Addition of foreign objects, including but not limited to hair or hair substitutes, cloth or fiber, to change the natural contour or appearance of the animal's body is prohibited.
  4. Externally sealing the teat end with a preparation that does not harm the animal's skin is permissible. Natural teat placement will be given preference over artificially positioned teats.

### **Violations: False, Deceptive or Unacceptable Practices:**

These practices are violations of the Code of Ethics and will be reported to show management and may be reported to the respective national breed associations:

1. Misrepresenting the age and/or milking status of the animal for the class in which it is shown.
2. Treating the animal, particularly the udder, internally or externally:
  - with an irritant or counter-irritant,
  - using a device to artificially create or enhance the udder crease,
  - using other substances as detected by testing that causes changes in the udder to artificially improve the conformation.
  - plugging of teat canal with foreign substances.
3. Surgical or unethical insertion of any matter under the skin or into body cavities, performed to change the natural contour or appearance of the animal's body (e.g., administration of fluid via a stomach tube or other similar apparatus to fill the rumen), though not to preclude practices required or involved in normal management.
4. Criticizing or interfering with the judge, show management or other exhibitors while in the show ring or other conduct detrimental to the breed or the show.
5. Challenging, threatening or interfering with an ethics committee appointed by show management to monitor the animals on exhibit on the show grounds.

### **Exhibitor Responsibility:**

The act of entering an animal in a livestock show is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter and/or absolutely responsible person (hereinafter referred to as "Exhibitor") for show management to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood, milk, or other substances from the animal to be used in testing. Materials may also be collected by ultrasound and photographic methods and by direct examination of animal.

The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter and/or absolutely responsible person (the "Exhibitor") to have disciplinary action for violation of this Show Ring Code of Ethics taken by show management, the state in which the show occurs, and/or the national dairy breed association without recourse.

### **Show Ethics Committee:**

Each show should have an Ethics Committee. The make-up of this committee should include official breed representatives, representative(s) of show management (e.g., dairy cattle show superintendent, General Manager), the official show veterinarian, and Extension representative.

The Ethics Committee will be responsible for monitoring violations of the Show Ring Code of Ethics. The Ethics Committee will investigate the report of any violation and determine the accuracy of the allegation. The Ethics Committee will have the authority to inspect animals and related material to determine if violations have occurred.

**Violations: Reporting and Investigation:**

Complaints of alleged violations can be reported to the breed superintendent, the show superintendent, show management, and/or the Ethics Committee.

**Before an Animal is Shown:**

If the Ethics Committee suspects that a violation of the Show Ring Code of Ethics will occur if the animal is shown, and that violation is reasonably well established before the animal is shown, the Ethics Committee will submit a report to show management.

Show management will discuss the violation with the Exhibitor:

1. If, at the Exhibitor's discretion, the animal in question is not shown, no violation will have occurred.
2. If the Exhibitor wishes to challenge that a violation occurred, he/she/they will have opportunity to appeal to the Ethics Committee. If its decision is not changed, the Exhibitor will be denied opportunity to exhibit the animal in question.

**During and after an Animal is Shown:**

All animals are subject to examination during judging. The judge and Ethics Committee are instructed to examine the top five (5) animals in each class closely for violations of the Show Ring Code of Ethics. When a violation may have occurred, a milkout may be called for. This call may be by breed association rule, or by request of an authorized representative of the national breed association, the judge, the Ethics Committee, or show management.

If an animal is exhibited and a violation of the Show Ring Code of Ethics is subsequently suspected, investigated, and determined to have occurred, the violation will be reported to the Ethics Committee and show management for action. The Exhibitor will be notified of the violation and the supporting evidence and invited to defend or explain the allegations.

Violations are subject to the disciplinary provisions of show management, the state in which the show occurs, and the national dairy breed association. Sanctions may include any one, or combination of the following:

- forfeiture or return of awards, prizes, premiums or proceeds;
- written letter of reprimand to the owner, exhibitor, fitter and/or absolutely responsible person (the "Exhibitor");
- disqualification of the exhibition livestock from an exhibition;
- disqualification of the Exhibitor from the show;
- publication of offense.

Disqualification may include any or all shows and classes and may be for any number of years.

History: Adopted by PDCA in March 1969, revised March 1971, February 1977, February 1981, February 1986, February 1988, February 1989, February 1992, February 1993, November 1995, April 2002; April 2004.

**Rules:**

1. All animals must be registered with their respective national breed associations.
2. Pending papers will not be accepted if registration papers are not available.
3. Animals with a registration pending status must have registration papers on or before the arrival date.
4. Must use a separate entry form for each breed and/or owner.
5. Group classes must be entered in advance on the entry form.
6. Entries in group classes must have been registered and exhibited in individual classes.
7. To expedite the entry process, copies of registration papers must be attached to the entry form upon mailing.
8. No more than 2 entries per class per exhibitor.
9. Exhibitors must maintain and clean their area.
10. Separate shows will be held for each breed.

**Premiums:**

1st Place.....	\$100.00
2nd Place.....	90.00
3rd Place .....	80.00
4th Place .....	70.00
5th Place .....	60.00
6th Place through 10th Place .....	50.00
Premiums - Classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25	
Grand Champion - Class 19.....	\$250.00 and Award
Reserve Champion - Class 20 .....	150.00 and Award
Division Champion Classes 8 and 17.....	100.00 and Award
Reserve Division Champion Classes 9 and 18.....	75.00 and Award

**Classes, \$15.00 per head:**

Class 1 - Fall Heifer Calf: Born Sept. 1 - November 30, 2019 (must be weaned)

Class 2 - Summer Heifer Calf: Born June 1 - Aug. 31, 2019

Class 3 - Spring Heifer Calf: Born March 1 - May 31, 2019

Class 4 - Winter Yearling: Born Dec. 1, 2017 - Feb 28, 2019

Class 5 - Fall Yearling: Born Sept. 1 - Nov. 30, 2018

Class 6 - Summer Yearling: Born June 1 - Aug. 31, 2018

Class 7 - Spring Yearling: Born March 1 - May 31, 2018

(Any Yearling in milk will be shown in two-year-old class.)

Class 8 - JUNIOR CHAMPION

Class 9 - RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION

Class 10 - Jr Two-Year-Old Born Sept. 1, 2016 - Feb 28, 2018

Class 11 - Sr Two-Year-Old Cows Born March 1 - Aug. 31, 2017

Class 12 - Three-Year-Old Cows Born March 1, 2015 - Feb. 28, 2017

Class 13 - Four-Year-Old Cows Born March 1, 2014 - Feb. 29, 2016

Class 14 - Five-Year-Old Cows Born March 1, 2013 - Feb. 28, 2015

Class 15 - Aged Cow: Born before March 1, 2014

Class 16 - Dry Cow Class: Any female that has had one or two lactations, is currently dry, and within 90 days of calving.

Class 17 - SENIOR CHAMPION

Class 18 - RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION

Class 19 - GRAND CHAMPION

Class 20 - RESERVE CHAMPION

Class 21 - Dairy Herd: To consist of four cows that have freshened. All to be owned by exhibitor. Each exhibitor limited to one entry.

Class 22 - Best 3 Females: Any age, all are to be bred by and at least one animal currently owned by exhibitor. Each exhibitor limited to one entry.

Class 23 - Get-of-Sire: Four animals, the get-of-sire any age. The sire must be named. Animals may be owned by one or more exhibitors. Dam's Name & Registration Number.

Class 24 - Produce-of-Dam: Two animals any age the produce of one cow. Animals need not be owned by one exhibitor.

Class 25 - Daughter-Dam: Two animals, dam and daughter, any age. Animals need not be owned by one exhibitor. Dam's Name & Registration Number.

## Open Limousin Show - Division 205

Entry Form Registration Deadline - January 14, 2020

Arrival Date - March 26, 2020 from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM in The Barn.

Show Date - March 27, 2020 at 2:00 PM in the Arena.

Release Date - Early check out after show or March 28, 2020 from 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM in The Barn.

### Rules:

1. Animals must be registered with the North American Limousin Foundation (NALF).
2. Animals must be Purebred, Fullblood or 75% Limousin (NALF percentage, not actual) or greater as indicated on NALF registration certificates. The 75% can be purple papered. "Percentage", "Purebred" and Fullblood cattle shall compete in the same classes and championships.
3. If a show does not abide by the NALF MOE show rules exhibitors will not be awarded points for that show.
4. Animals must be properly tattooed and will be inspected at the show. Tattoos must be legible and match the registration certificates. If an animal's tattoo is not legible or cannot be read upon initial processing, it will be ineligible to show and not be allowed to return with a new or corrected tattoo.
5. To maintain a high degree of confidence in Limousin shows NALF reserves the right to disqualify any animal that has been fitted in an unethical manner. Unethical fitting shall include the following:
  - a. Any use of paints, colored show foam, graphite, colored powders or other substances; animals may be subject to a white-towel test;
  - b. The addition of any hair or hair like substances, including false tail heads and false polls (false tail switches are allowed);
  - c. The cutting, tearing or gluing of the hide or underneath the hide or removal of tissue in an attempt to alter the shape of the animal or the injection of any gas, solid or liquid under the hide to alter the normal conformation;
  - d. Any products, solutions or liquids administered internally or externally to alter the conformation of the animal is prohibited. That includes the use of steroids, growth stimulants and the act of artificially filling animals internally, which would include stomach pumping, drench tubes or any other method.  
EXCEPTION: In the case of severely sick or dehydrated animals, the exhibitor may have fluids or electrolytes administered by the licensed official show veterinarian with the approval of the show superintendent or a NALF representative. That exception is not applicable on show day or weigh in/ check-in day.
6. Bulls older than one (1) year must show with a nose lead. The Limousin show superintendent and the show management reserve the right to disqualify animals deemed unmanageable.
7. Protests against exhibitors, individual animals or fitting violations must be submitted in writing, signed by five (5) active members of the NALF and presented to the show superintendent within 12 hours of the show's

completion.

8. NALF reserves the right to mouth animals for dental development.
9. NALF reserves the right to collect hair samples from any animal.
10. Class size shall be to the discretion of the show superintendent and may not contain more than 20 head. The given classes may be split or combined only within their given division.
11. Calves exhibited alongside dams in the cow-calf division are not eligible to show as individuals.
12. Animals shown must be solid red or black above the flanks, excluding birth marks.
13. Pending papers will not be accepted if registration papers are not available.
14. Animals with a registration pending status must have registration papers on or before the arrival date.
15. Group classes must be entered in advance on the entry form.
16. To expedite the entry process, copies of registration papers must be attached to the entry form upon mailing.

**OTHER REQUIREMENTS:**

The following performance-data-submission requirements must be met by Dec. 1 to receive Medal of Excellence points.

- a. Birth weight (bulls and heifers)
- b. Weaning weight (bulls and heifers)
- c. Yearling weight (bulls and heifers)
- d. Yearling scrotal circumference
- e. Pregnancy test (females older than 600 days at season's end)
- f. Breeding Soundness Exam and semen test (bulls older than 400 days)

NOTE: Failure to have performance data on file at NALF will result in disqualification from the MOE program and no points will be awarded. It is the responsibility of the breeder/owner/exhibitor to submit that information without special requests from NALF.

**Credibility Requirement:**

To maintain a high degree of integrity and credibility in all Limousin shows, all owners and exhibitors are expected to adhere to all NALF rules and regulations regarding the exhibition of Limousin cattle and to adhere to rules and regulations of particular shows, fairs and exhibitions.

**Premiums:**

1st Place.....	\$100.00
2nd Place.....	90.00
3rd Place .....	80.00
4th Place .....	70.00
5th Place .....	60.00
6th Place through 10th Place .....	50.00
Premiums - Classes 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 41, 42, 45, 46, 47, 52, 53, 54, 55	

Grand Champion - Classes 25 and 50 .....	\$250.00 and Award
Reserve Champion - Classes 26 and 51 .....	150.00 and Award
Division Champion	
Classes 4, 9, 13, 17, 23, 30, 35, 39, 43, 48.....	100.00 and Award
Reserve Division Champion	
Classes 5, 10, 14, 18, 24, 31, 36, 40, 44, 49.....	75.00 and Award

**Female Classes, \$15.00 per head:**

- Class 1 - Junior Heifer Calf, calved on or after Nov. 1, 2019
- Class 2 - Early Junior Heifer Calf, calved between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, 2019
- Class 3 - Late Junior Heifer Calf, calved between Jul. 1 and Aug. 31, 2019
- Class 4 - DIVISION I CHAMPION FEMALE
- Class 5 - DIVISION I RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE
- Class 6 - Senior Heifer Calf, calved between May 1 and Jun. 30, 2019
- Class 7 - April Junior Yearling Female calved between Apr. 1 and Apr. 30, 2019
- Class 8 - March Junior Yearling Female calved between Mar. 1 and Mar 31, 2019
- Class 9 - DIVISION II CHAMPION FEMALE
- Class 10 - DIVISION II RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE
- Class 11 - Junior Yearling Female calved between Jan. 1 and Feb. 28, 2019
- Class 12 - Late Yearling Female calved between Nov. 1 and Dec. 31, 2018
- Class 13 - DIVISION III CHAMPION FEMALE
- Class 14 - DIVISION III RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE
- Class 15 - Fall Yearling Female calved between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, 2018
- Class 16 - Summer Senior Yearling Female calved between Jul. 1 and Aug. 31, 2018
- Class 17 - DIVISION IV CHAMPION FEMALE
- Class 18 - DIVISION IV RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE
- Class 19 - Senior Yearling Female calved between May 1 and Jun. 30, 2018
- Class 20 - Spring Yearling Female calved between Mar. 1 and Apr. 30, 2018
- Class 21 - Early Senior Yearling Female calved between Jan. 1 and Feb. 28, 2018
- Class 22 - Cow/Calf Pair: Cows must be purple-papered Lim-Flex or at least 75% (3/4) Limousin with natural calf at side. Calf must be registered Limousin, percentage Limousin or Lim-Flex and not more than 250 days old on date of show. Class may be broken into two or more classes at the discretion of show staff.
- Class 23 - DIVISION V CHAMPION FEMALE
- Class 24 - DIVISION V RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE
- Class 25 - GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE
- Class 26 - RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE
- Division I, II, III, IV, V (Champion & Reserve Champion Division's competing)

**Bull Classes, \$15.00 per head:**

- Class 27 - Junior Bull Calf, calved on or after Nov. 1, 2019
- Class 28 - Early Junior Bull Calf, calved between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, 2019
- Class 29 - Late Junior Bull Calf, calved between Jul. 1 and Aug. 31, 2019
- Class 30 - DIVISION I CHAMPION
- Class 31 - DIVISION I RESERVE CHAMPION
- Class 32 - Early Senior Bull Calf, calved between May 1 and Jun. 30, 2019
- Class 33 - Spring Yearling Bull calved between Apr. 1 and Apr. 30, 2019
- Class 34 - Early Spring Yearling Bull calved between Mar. 1 and Mar. 31, 2019
- Class 35 - DIVISION II CHAMPION
- Class 36 - DIVISION II RESERVE CHAMPION
- Class 37 - Junior Yearling Bull calved between Jan. 1 and Feb. 28, 2019
- Class 38 - Late Senior Yearling Bull calved between Nov. 1 and Dec. 31, 2018
- Class 39 - DIVISION III CHAMPION
- Class 40 - DIVISION III RESERVE CHAMPION
- Class 41 - Senior Yearling Bull calved between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, 2018
- Class 42 - Summer Senior Yearling Bull calved between Jul. 1 and Aug. 31, 2018
- Class 43 - DIVISION IV CHAMPION
- Class 44 - DIVISION IV RESERVE CHAMPION
- Class 45 - Spring Senior Yearling Bull calved between May 1 through Jun. 30, 2018
- Class 46 - Two-year Old Bulls calved between Jan. 1 through Apr. 30, 2018
- Class 47 - Three-year Old Bulls calved Jan. 1, 2017 through Dec. 31, 2017
- Class 48 - DIVISION V CHAMPION
- Class 49 - DIVISION V RESERVE CHAMPION
- Class 50 - GRAND CHAMPION BULL
- Class 51 - RESERVE CHAMPION BULL Division I, II, III, IV, V Champions & Reserve competing
- Class 52 - Produce-of-Dam: Two (2) head shown in individual classes produced by one dam. May be owned by different exhibitors. Both Sexes may be represented.
- Class 53 - Junior Get-Of-Sire: Three (3) head shown in individual classes calved on or after September 1, 2018. Both sexes represented.
- Class 54 - Senior Get-Of-Sire: Four (4) head shown in individual classes at any age. Both sexes represented
- Class 55 - Breeders Best 5 Head: Five (5) head shown in individual classes any age. Must be bred by and owned or co-owned by a single exhibitor. Both sexes may be represented.



# Open Simmental Show - Division 207

Entry Form Registration Deadline - January 14, 2020

Arrival Date - March 23, 2020 from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM in The Barn.

Show Date - March 24, 2020 at 2:00 PM in the Arena.

Release Date - March 25, 2020 from 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM in The Barn.

## Rules:

1. All animals must be registered with the American Simmental Association as purebred or fullblood. Original registration papers must accompany all animals at time of check-in.
2. All animals must be tattooed prior to arrival. All animals must have a legible tattoo that match with registration papers which will be checked at the show. Any animal not having a legible tattoo or firebrand number is ineligible and will be barred from showing.
3. All animals must be dehorned.
4. All bulls twelve (12) months of age or older must be shown with a nose or lead ring.
5. Only one (1) showman per animal will be allowed while in the show ring.
6. Pending papers will not be accepted if registration papers are not available.
7. Animals with a registration pending status must have registration papers on or before the arrival date.
8. Group classes must be entered in advance on the entry form.
9. To expedite the entry process, copies of registration papers must be attached to the entry form upon mailing.

## Premiums:

1st Place.....	\$100.00
2nd Place.....	90.00
3rd Place .....	80.00
4th Place .....	70.00
5th Place .....	60.00
6th Place thru 10th Place.....	50.00

Premiums - Classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 12, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 28, 29, 30, 33, 34, 35, 36, 39, 40, 41, 42, 45, 46, 47, 52, 53, 54, 55

Grand Champion - Classes 26 and 50 ..... \$250.00 and Award  
 Reserve Champion - Classes 27 and 51 ..... 150.00 and Award  
 Division Champion Classes 5, 9, 13, 18, 24, 31, 37, 43, 48..... 100.00 and Award  
 Reserve Div. Champion Classes 6, 10, 14, 19, 25, 32, 38, 44, 49 .....75.00 and Award

**Female Classes, \$15.00 per head:**

- Class 1 - Females calved June 1, 2019 or later
- Class 2 - Females calved May 1- May 31, 2019
- Class 3 - Females calved April 1 - April 30, 2019
- Class 4 - Females calved March 1 - March 31, 2019
- Class 5 - CHAMPION SPRING CALF
- Class 6 - RESERVE CHAMPION SPRING CALF
- Class 7 - Females calved February 1 - February 28, 2019
- Class 8 - Females calved January 1 - January 31, 2019
- Class 9 - CHAMPION WINTER CALF
- Class 10 - RESERVE CHAMPION WINTER CALF
- Class 11 - Females calved November 1 - December 31, 2018
- Class 12 - Females calved September 1 - October 31, 2018
- Class 13 - CHAMPION FALL CALF
- Class 14 - RESERVE CHAMPION FALL CALF
- Class 15 - Females calved July 1-Aug 31, 2018
- Class 16 - Females calved May 1-June 30, 2018
- Class 17 - Females calved Mar 1-April 30, 2018
- Class 18 - CHAMPION JUNIOR CALF
- Class 19 - RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR CALF
- Class 20 - Females calved March 1 - March 31, 2018
- Class 21 - Females calved January 1 - February 29, 2018
- Class 22 - Females calved September 1 - December 31, 2017
- Class 23 - Females calved January 1 - August 31, 2017
- Class 24 - CHAMPION SENIOR
- Class 25 - RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR
- Class 26 - GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE
- Class 27 - RESERVE CHAMPION

**Bull Classes, \$15.00 per head:**

- Class 28 - Bulls calved after May 1, 2019
- Class 29 - Bulls calved April 1 - April 30 , 2019
- Class 30 - Bulls calved March 1, - March 31, 2019
- Class 31 - CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL CALF
- Class 32 - RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL CALF
- Class 33 - Bulls calved February 1 - February 28, 2019
- Class 34 - Bulls calved January 1 - January 31, 2019
- Class 35 - Bulls calved November 1 - December 31, 2018
- Class 36 - Bulls calved September 1 - October 31, 2018
- Class 37 - CHAMPION SENIOR BULL CALF
- Class 38 - RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL CALF
- Class 39 - Bulls calved July 1 - August 31, 2018
- Class 40 - Bulls calved May 1 - June 30, 2018
- Class 41 - Bulls calved March 1 - April 30, 2018
- Class 42 - Bulls calved January 1 - February 28, 2018
- Class 43 - CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL
- Class 44 - RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL
- Class 45 - Bulls calved September 1 - December 31, 2017
- Class 46 - Bulls calved May 1 - August 31, 2017
- Class 47 - Bulls calved January 1 - April 30, 2017
- Class 48 - CHAMPION SENIOR BULL
- Class 49 - RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL
- Class 50 - GRAND CHAMPION BULL
- Class 51 - RESERVE CHAMPION BULL
- Class 52 - Junior Get-of-Sire: Three (3) animals, both sexes represented any age, sired by one (1) bull. Animals may be owned by more than one (1) exhibitor. All animals to be shown in individual classes to be eligible.
- Class 53 - Senior Get-of-Sire: Four (4) animals, both sexes represented any age, sired by one (1) bull. Animals may be owned by more than one (1) exhibitor. All animals to be shown in individual classes to be eligible.
- Class 54 - Produce of Dam: Two (2) animals either sex. Must have been shown in individual classes to be eligible. Animals may be owned by more than one (1) exhibitor.
- Class 55 - Breeders Group: Four (4) animals both sexes represented, animals owned by exhibitor and each animal must have been shown in individual classes to be eligible.









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