



# DAIRY VEAL

Superintendent:	<b>Cam &amp; Shirley Keesler</b>	Shirley (810)627-1649	
Project animal possession:	July 1		
ID Sheet with photos, RFID tag, exhibitor with animal (head and side view)	June 6th	To Fairboard Office	
Barn Set up	Sunday, July 19 <sup>th</sup> @ 1 p.m.	<b>ALL EXHIBITORS NEED TO BE PRESENT</b>	
Check in & Weigh In	Sunday, 8 a.m.-1 p.m.		
Mandatory Exhibitor Meeting	Sunday, beginning of fair 7 p.m.	Livestock Arena	
Judging	Tuesday @ 10 a.m.		Dairy Barn
Project Released	Sunday: All animals out of the barn by 9:00 a.m.		
Barn Clean-up	Sunday at 7 am.	<b>ALL CLUBS NEED TO BE REPRESENTED</b>	

## PROJECT REQUIREMENTS

1. Exhibitors' expectations for cleanliness see Rules Affecting Animal Exhibitors #19.
2. A dairy veal calf is an immature bovine animal, usually not over four months of age, that has been raised only on milk replacers and grains. Must be on milk during the fair week.
3. Exhibitors are permitted to identify three dairy veal calves, which include a project calf and two alternate calves. Exhibitors may show and sell only one dairy veal calf.
4. Minimum weight is **180** pounds, and maximum weight is **350** pounds at weigh-in. Exhibitors who have calves that are overweight/underweight will have the option of participating in showmanship with their calf or removing the calf from the Fairgrounds. If the exhibitor decided to participate in showmanship, the calf must remain on the Fairgrounds until 12:00 a.m. Sunday. Veal calves that exceed the upper weight limit must be sold at 350 pounds and approved by the superintendent.
5. All calves will sell in the Large Animal Livestock Auction unless specified to the superintendent at weigh-in at the fair.
6. Dairy veal calves will be **straight dairy breed (Holstein, Jersey,**

## Ayrshire, Brown Swiss, Guernsey, Dutch Belted, and Milking Shorthorn).

**There are no more crossbreeds of Dairy.** Beef crossbreeding with dairy is not permitted. Exhibitors may show a dairy veal calf that is a bull or heifer. Castrated calves are not allowed (steers). Calves may or may not be dehorned. Pasting is allowed. All dehorning must be healed by fair check-in. **Implants are not permitted.**

7. Dairy veal calves are to be exhibited with all four legs square and walking forward with the calf. Exhibitors are to wear a clean shirt and dark pants when exhibiting a dairy veal calf. Blue jeans are acceptable.
8. The show halter should be clean, neat, properly adjusted, and in good repair. The halter should either be leather or nylon web (flat strap).
9. The exhibitor should be able to handle the calf to its best advantage. This includes the exhibitor's present ability, the cleanliness of the exhibitor and the calf, the ability to lead the calf, and to keep it under control in the show ring. Inability to do so may result in a lower rating

## 1101- DAIRY VEAL SHOWMANSHIP

<b>Class:</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> place ribbons offered in each class</b>		
0001	Senior Showmanship	Ages 16-19 years old	<b>Champion &amp; Reserve Champion Ribbons</b>
0002	Intermediate Showmanship	Ages 12-15 years old	<b>Champion &amp; Reserve Champion Ribbons</b>
0003	Junior Showmanship	Ages 8-11 years old	<b>Champion &amp; Reserve Champion Ribbons</b>
	Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion Overall Showman	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> place winners from Champion classes	<b>Grand &amp; Reserve Champion Awards &amp; other awards</b>
0004	Novice Showmanship	Ages 6-7 yrs. Old	<b>Ribbons &amp; Prizes</b>
0005	Peewee Showmanship	5 Yr. Olds	<b>Participation Ribbons &amp; Prizes</b>

## 1102-DAIRY VEAL MARKET CLASS

1. Dairy veal calves will be divided into classes based on official weigh-in at the fair. There will be nine weight breaks, each with 1st-6th place.
2. There will be 3 Class champions selected; 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place animals from three weight classes will compete in each Class.
3. An overall Grand & Reserve Grand Champion will be selected from the Class champion and reserve champion winners.

<b>Class:</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> place rosettes offered in each class</b>		
1000	Dairy Veal Calf		
	Lightweight Champion	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> place from first three weight breaks	<b>Champion &amp; Reserve Champion Ribbons</b>
	Medium Weight Champion	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> place from the middle three weight breaks	<b>Champion &amp; Reserve Champion Ribbons</b>
	Heavyweight Champion	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> place from the last three weight breaks	<b>Champion &amp; Reserve Champion Ribbons</b>
	Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion Overall & Third Overall	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> place winners from Champion classes	<b>Grand Champion &amp; Reserve Grand Champion &amp; Third Overall Awards and Chair</b>
Over the Hill Showmanship Class			