Department 2

OPEN YOUTH DAIRY

Superintendent - Nancy Thelen 734-216-3617 Judging - Saturday at 10:00 a.m.



Requirement for Dairy, Beef, Feeder Calf, Sheep, Goats, Horses and Swine

All Cattle, Goats, Cervids, Sheep, and Swine must have an official USDA Identification Tag. All animals on exhibition regardless of age, must meet MDARD Rules. Health Requirements for Livestock Exhibited in Michigan may be viewed on the Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development website at https://www.michigan.gov/mdard/animals/exhibitions or will be available in the fair office. A link to the rules may also be found on the Saline Community Fair website at www.salinefair.org.

Any animals failing to meet these requirements will not be allowed to remain on the premises.

RULES

- 1. Entries open to youth 6-19 as of January 1 of this year.
- 2. Dairy animals, except for milking cows, must be brought in on Tuesday, August 27th by 7:00 p.m. or between 8:00 - 10:00 a.m. on Friday, August 30th.
- 3. Milk cows may arrive on Saturday, at least an hour before the show, and may leave following the show.
- 4. Owners must arrange for food and bedding. May be asked to provide your own gates.
- 5. Any exhibitor showing a milk cow must also show a non-milking animal.
- 6. All cattle must be dehorned, stubs must be no longer than 2 inches from the hairline.
- 7. Neck ropes are required for all cattle.
- 8. Except for milking cows, all animals must remain until Sunday, 9:00 p.m.
- 9. Entry fee is \$5.00 per head, paid in the fair office at time of arrival.
- 10. Order of judging will be determined by the Superintendent.
- 11. Entries close August 10th. Entries should be mailed to Saline Community Fair, P O Box 423, Saline, MI 48176.
- 12. With MDARD's updated HPAI regulations, dair heifers housed at or connected with a licensed dairy premise will need to have a negative HPAI (bird flu) nasal swab (recommended) or bulk tank test within 7 days of arriving at the Saline Community Fair. (Remember that dairy heifers can be hauled in on Tuesday, August 27 by 7 p.m. or between 8 - 10 a.m. on Friday, August 30th. Haul in day will determine when you need to test.) Please allow 3 days after testing for results to come back. The test results will be checked before the animal is unloaded from the trailer at the fairgrounds. More information can be found her about MDARD's HPAI Order: http://www.michigan.gov/mdard/animals/diseases/avian/avian-influenza Any questions or concerns, please contact Nancy Thelen, Superintendent.

Section 1 - Holstein

Section 3 - Red & White

Section 5 - All Other Breeds

Section 2 - Brown Swiss

Section 4 - Jersev

Premiums in Section 1 - 5 1st \$12.00; 2nd \$10.00; 3rd \$8.00; 4th \$6.00; 5th \$5.00; 6th \$5.00; 7th \$5.00

Class No.

001. Spring heifer calf, born March 1 to May 31 of current year 002. Winter heifer calf, born December 1 of 006. Winter yearling heifer, born December last year to February 28 of current year 003. Fall heifer calf, born September 1 to November 30 of last year 004. Summer yearling heifer, born June 1 to 008. Jr. Champion and Reserve Jr August 31 of last year

005. Spring yearling heifer, born March 1 to May 31 of last year 1 two years ago to February 28 of last year 007. Fall yearling heifer, born September 1 To November 30 two years ago Champion Female - Ribbon

009. Fall yearling in milk, born September 1 to November 30 two vears ago 010. Jr two year old cow, born March 1 to August 31 two years ago 011. Sr two year old, born September 1 Three years ago to February 28 two years

ago

012. Three year old cow, born September 1 four years ago to August 31 three years ago

013. Four year old cow, born Sept 1 five years ago to August 31 four years ago 014. Aged cow, born after September 1 five years ago

015. Dry animal, born before September 1 two years ago, carrying calf

016. Sr Champion and Reserve Sr
Champion Female - Ribbon
017. Overall Breed Champion and
Reserve Champion - Ribbons
018. Supreme Grand & Supreme Reserve
Champion Heifer - All Breeds - Ribbon
019. Supreme Grand & Supreme Reserve
Champion Cow - All Breeds - Ribbon

020. Exhibitor Bred Champion - may Show one animal. Must have shown animal in its proper class. To qualify for this class the Dam of the animal must be owned by the exhibitor or family farm at the time of service - Ribbon

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Section 6 - Showmanship

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026. Novice Showmanship (8 years and under) - Ribbon

027. Junior Showmanship (9 - 11 years) - Ribbon

028. Intermediate Showmanship (12-14 years) - Ribbon

029. Senior Showmanship (15-19 years) - Ribbon

The fair reserves the right to pro-rate premiums if fair revenues are insufficient to pay expenses.

The Steer, Lamb, Pig, Feeder Calf, Dairy and Beef barn will be under the supervision of the Saline Junior Livestock Association for the duration of the fair. Wednesday through Sunday, the barn will be closed by 11:00 p.m. and the livestock will not be permitted to leave the fairgrounds without the consent of the Association. Livestock will not be permitted to leave the grounds before 9:00 p.m. Sunday. Livestock cannot be hauled out between 12:00 a.m. through 6:00 a.m. Monday.

