

Madison County Fair Rules and Regulations

1. Only beef heifers and steers are eligible to show. All animals must have official health papers when checked in on Friday that meet the state requirements.
2. Only current 4-H and FFA members are eligible (9 yrs. and older). Any member that has graduated from high school is not eligible to show.
3. A limit of 3 heifers and 2 steers is the maximum that a member can enter for the show.
4. All purebred animals must have registration papers in hand at time of check-in.
5. Animals must be shown by their owner unless permission is granted from the chairman of the show.
6. This is a **blow and go show**. No fitting please.
7. Barn opens **Friday**, September 27th from 11:00 am until 4:00 p.m. **All animals must be in place by 4:00 p.m.** (Check-in from 2:00 pm to 4:00pm).
8. **There will be stall assignments based on schools/counties. Do NOT use this space for tack.** All tack must be set up outside the barn.
9. The show will be held on **Friday**, September 29th at 5:30 p.m., starting with showmanship (youngest to oldest), and followed by the heifer and steer shows. All cattle are released after the show.
10. **Due to limited space, once the barn reaches capacity all other entries will be returned.**
11. All exhibitors are expected to keep a clean and neat stall area or will risk forfeiture of all prize money. Limited tack space will be provided outside of the show barn. ****Generators are not required, but are definitely recommended****
12. All breeds are eligible, including commercial heifers. However, there must be at least four animals per breed to constitute a breed show. Breeds with less than four animals will be shown in All Other Breeds.
13. A \$25.00 entry fee per animal will be charged at the time of entry. **New this year...Showmanship will be jackpot style and cost \$10 per entry.**
14. Four classes of showmanship will be divided as equally as possible by grade at the discretion of the show committee.
15. **No bedding (straw or hay) will be allowed in the barn.**
16. **No head chutes are allowed in the barn. These must be set up outside of barn stall areas.**
17. All animals will be exhibited at the owner's risk. Every precaution will be taken to prevent damage to animals but neither the Fair Association nor those in charge of the show assume the responsibility in the case of loss or damage to any exhibit.
18. Show will follow state rules.

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Entry Deadline is Friday, Sept. 13th, 2024

***NEW:** Premiums will be determined according to the number of entries received.
There will be belt buckles for each of the showmanship divisions as well as for the grand champion steer and heifer.

Classifications:

- *There will be classes for heifers from September 1, 2022 to present.**
 - ~Registered heifers divided into classes based on birth date.**
 - ~Commercial heifers divided into classes based on weight.**
- *Steers will be divided into classes based on weight.**

On behalf of the Madison County Fair Show Committee, we would like to thank each of you for participating in our Junior Show. We appreciate your support and dedication for our county fair.

Committee Members
Show Chairman: Josh Whitworth
Committee Members: Josh Daniel, Cindy Jones, Jessika Holloway,
and Eryn Elliot