# JUNIOR BEEF DEPARTMENT DEPARTMENT - 202 <u>Rules</u>

- 1. Animals may be grade or purebred.
- 2. A maximum of five (5) animals may be exhibited by a member, two of which must be owned by exhibitor. Animals shall be tagged (a maximum of three (3) steers per exhibitor may be tagged) with official Fair tags available from the Fair office and numbers listed on entry form. <u>Once the steer has been tagged, it is</u> <u>MANDATORY to take a photo of the steer and either mail it to the Fair Office (2417 Silvernail Road, Pewaukee,</u> <u>WI 53072) or submit it into the appropriate breed submission form found on the Fair's Entry Info page. Photo</u> <u>should include exhibitors name and be sent no later than April 30<sup>th</sup> to be eligible to sell the steer at auction.</u>
- 3. Feed must be furnished by the exhibitor.

#### 4. Age Classification:

#### Cow/Calf Pair

**Bucket Calf** is one born on or after January 1<sup>st</sup> of this year. The calf must be under 4 months old. **Junior Calf** is one born on or after January 1<sup>st</sup> of this year. The calf must be at least 4 months old at Fair time.

Senior Calf is one born between September 1<sup>st</sup> and December 31<sup>st</sup> last year.

**Summer Yearling** is one born between May 1<sup>st</sup> and August 31<sup>st</sup> last year.

Junior Yearling is one born between January 1<sup>st</sup> and April 3oth last year.

Senior Yearling is one born between September 1<sup>st</sup> and December 31<sup>st</sup> two years ago.

2-year-old and older is one born before September 1<sup>st</sup> two years ago and shall have calved during the past year.

- 5. All animals must meet state health regulations listed under Wisconsin County, District and State Fair Animal Health Rules and Regulations in this book.
- 6. For Market Class steers to qualify for Rate of Gain Competition, they must participate in a weigh-in held early in the year. Date and time TBD.
- 7. Market Class animals will be divided into classes by weight. Divisions will be determined by the Superintendent. Enter steers in **Market Class** by respective breed and approximate weight group. Only one animal per entry number. See the <u>Livestock Auction Rules</u> (click link here) for more details.
- 8. Market animal pictures, tags, and/or registration identification will be allowed a 1 week (7 day) penalized extension after the last day in April. This penalized extension has a firm \$100 fine per animal entry and the animal/exhibitor will not be eligible to participate in rate of gain. Absolutely no late entries will be allowed after this penalized extension nor will they be allowed to sell at the auction. All Livestock Animal Rules must be abided by. See the Livestock Auction Rules (click link here) for more details.
- 9. All livestock animals (market, breeding stock, etc.) must be in place by 6:00 p.m. Wednesday (market class for weighing).
- 10. Release time for livestock animals purchased at the auction will be Sunday at 7:00 p.m.
- 11. Animals sold at auctions that will be shown at State fair must have the buyer sign a buyer release form.
- 12. Entry fee is \$15.00 per animal (non-refundable).
- 13. Beef will be judged Thursday.
- 14. Exhibitors will include breed information with submitted photos with ear tag no later than April 30<sup>th</sup> through the appropriate breed submission form found on the Fair's Entry Info page. Any class breed (steers) may be put into **Division: Any Other Breed** at the discretion of the superintendent to combine classes. All classes can be combined or split at the discretion of the Superintendent.
- 15. Judges decision is final once awards are presented to exhibitor.
- 16. Junior beef exhibitors may receive assistance in fitting their animal from immediate family members (father, mother, brother, sister), or by approved Waukesha County Registered 4-H volunteers, Waukesha County FFA Advisors, and any other Fair approved "fitter" while at the fairgrounds. (See <u>Fitting Rules & Assisting Permission Form</u> for more information)

DIVISION: JR. ANGUS DIVISION: JR. HEREFORD DIVISION: JR. SHORTHORN DIVISION: JR. ANY OTHER BREED DIVISION: JR. CROSSBRED

Class No.

Blue	e Red	White	Pink
9.00	8.00	7.00	5.00

- 1. Bull calf, junior
- 2. Bull calf, senior
- 3. Heifer calf, junior
- 4. Heifer calf, senior
- 5. Heifer, summer yearling
- 6. Heifer, junior yearling
- 7. Heifer, senior yearling
- 8. Two-year-old and older

## DIVISION: BUCKET STEER CALF

### <u>Rules</u>

- 1. Beef calf must be born after January 1 of present show year.
- 2. Dairy calf must not be born after September 1 of previous show year.
- 3. Calves must be castrated (cleanly, and completely healed).
- 4. Calves must be halter broke.
- 5. Cows are not allowed in the ring

<ul><li>Class No.</li><li>1. Steer Calf</li><li>2. Steer Calf</li><li>3. Steer Calf</li></ul>				<b>ed White</b> .00 7.00			
Champion Male Reserve Champi Champion Fema Reserve Champi			Ribbon	Only			
DIVISION: MARKET CLASS (Must be in place by 6 Class No.			:00 p.m. Blue 8.00	Blue Red White Pink			
First Animal 1 3 5 7 9 (Sub-divided by v	Second Animal 2 4 6 8 10 weight)	Angus Steer Hereford Steer Crossbred Steer Dairy Steer Any other					
Championship Ribbons Awarded as Judge desire CHAMPIONS					Ribbon	Only	
Champion Steer by Breed Groups Reserve Champion by Breed Groups Grand Champion Steer Reserve Grand Champion Steer							
DIVISION: RATE OF GAIN CONTEST No. 1. Rate of Gain							
Champion and Reserve Champion					Trophy		
<ul> <li>DIVISION: SHOW Class No.</li> <li>1. Beginner (11</li> <li>2. Junior (12 – 1</li> <li>3. Senior (15 yrs)</li> </ul>	yrs and under) I4 yrs)		Blue 6.00	Red 5.00	White 4.00	Pink 3.00	