

MARKET STEER DIVISION

Entries Close: Monday, April 22, Online Only

Livestock Received: Tuesday, August 20, 7:00am - 5:00pm

Weigh-in: Tuesday, August 20, 6:00pm

MANDATORY LIVESTOCK EXHIBITOR MEETING

Tuesday, August 20, 5:30pm in McClanahan Pavilion

Limit: 1 Entry Per Exhibitor
Entry Fee: \$35.00 Per Entry
No Cash Awards - Ribbons Only

Rules:

1. Only market ready market livestock will be allowed to sell in the Junior Livestock Auction.
2. State, Local, and Auction Rules apply.
3. Exhibitors must be 9 as of January 1 of the current year. See State Rules.
4. A Bill of Sale with the exhibitor's name and date of purchase of the animal is required.
5. All breeds judged together - Danish system of judging.
6. Livestock will be weighed prior to judging. **EXHIBITOR MUST BE PRESENT FOR JUDGING OR LIVESTOCK WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.**
7. No substitutions after entry.
8. Livestock entered in the market divisions may not be entered in the breeding divisions or vice versa. Any violation of this rule will exclude the offending exhibitor from competition in all departments of the fair.
9. Market classes are limited to bona fide members of FFA, 4-H, Grange, or Independent in Butte County, or as provided for in the State Rules.
10. It is the intent of the Division of Fairs and Expositions and of Fairs that the quality standards established for market animals be maintained. Therefore, classifications will be subject to change in the event there are changes made to the Federal Grading.
11. ALL JUNIOR LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS are required to participate in a certified QUALITY ASSURANCE & ETHICS AWARENESS TRAINING or complete YQCA training (Youth for the Quality Care of Animals) and provide current certificate of completion no later than the date specified in local rules or entry will be disqualified. Certification will be verified and if it is not current or valid the entry will be disqualified. YQCA is a national multi-specie assurance program for youth. See YQCA.org for information/certification.
12. After weighing, livestock will be divided into weight lots as desired by management for convenience in judging.
13. All livestock must be tagged prior to entering the scale

Species Specific Rules:

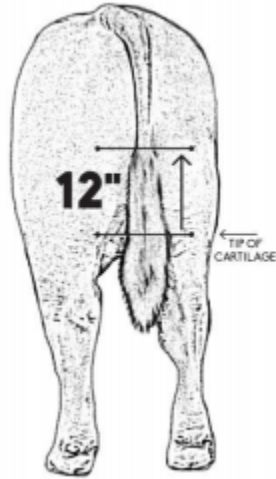
14. If packing house permits Carcass Contest - Eligible Market Beef animals will automatically be included. Harvest plants must process resales with all other non resale steers in order to be eligible for participation.
15. Bill of Sale, Brand Inspection, and Transportation documents must be provided at weigh in
16. **All market beef must be slick shorn. Steers must be slick shorn to within 1/4" of growth. (approximately 7 to 10 days prior to arrival at the fair) • Entire steer must be shorn, excluding the leg area from knee & hock down, tail head, switch and poll. The tailhead and leg hair can be fitted for the show. Diagram of switch shows what is allowed 12" above the tip of the tail cartilage and below is acceptable not being clipped.**

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DIVISION 4-H/GRANGE/INDEPENDENT SLICKED MARKET STEER**