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JUNIOR DAIRY CATTLE

Dept 002

SUPERINTENDENT: Nancy Keith – Statesville, NC 704-929-6320

JUDGES: Dr. Katherine Knowlton – Blacksburg, VA (Brown Swiss and Jersey)
Kayla Umbel – Hagerstown, MD (Holstein, Ayrshire & Guernsey)

CHECK IN: Friday, October 23 between 8:00 am – 6:00 pm
Saturday, October 24 – between 8:00am – 10:00 am

Animals will not be allowed to enter the barns until inspected and passed by health officials. An approval card will be issued after inspection, prior to entering the barn. Registration papers or DHIA calf pages must be presented to the junior show superintendents. ***This rule will be enforced.***

Any and all animals not meeting the entry requirements, unthrifty nature, unsuitable condition and/or exhibiting any signs of disease or illness, may be refused entry, required to be isolated and/or required to be returned to the farm of origin. During the duration of the Fair, any and all animals of unthrifty nature, unsuitable condition and/or exhibiting any signs of disease or illness or found not to have met entry requirements after entry may be required to be isolated and/or returned to the farm of origin.

SHOW DATE:

Junior Dairy Fitting and Showing – Saturday, October 24, 1:00 pm

Junior Dairy Show – Sunday, October 25, at 9:00 am

Two rings will operate with Brown Swiss, and Jerseys showing consecutively in one ring; and Ayrshires, Holsteins and Guernseys showing consecutively in the other ring.

RELEASE TIME: Sunday, October 25

Any attempt to misrepresent an animal in any way will be considered fraud and deception, and can result in disqualification and an indefinite ban from the N.C. State Fair. In addition, any participant whose animals are found suspect of using illegal drugs or barred for any other reason at any fair or livestock show holding membership in the International Association of Fairs and Expositions (IAFE) will be barred indefinitely from showing at the North Carolina State Fair. Tampering and/or misrepresentation as to breeding, age, ownership and any other irregularity in showing will be considered fraud and deception. To maintain a high degree of confidence and integrity in the livestock shows, the NC State Fair reserves the right to disqualify any animal fitted in an unethical manner and indefinitely ban the participant and the participant's assistants who fitted the animal involved. Any artificial means of removing or remedying physical defects or conformation in exhibition animals (i.e. lifting or filling under the skin) will be considered fraud or deception. No unnatural means of providing an animal feed, water or other fluids (i.e. stomach pump, IV) will be allowed. All participants whose animals give evidence of such treatment will be barred indefinitely from exhibiting at the NC State Fair. All exhibitors, their immediate family and any other parties involved in the unethical fitting and showing of an animal may be barred indefinitely from exhibiting or showing at the NC State Fair and will forfeit all premiums, prize monies and awards won in any division.

COMPETITION:

Open to exhibitors 6-18 years of age as of January 1, 2020, a resident of North Carolina, and must be able to show the animal on their own.

ENTRY DEADLINE:

September 15, 2020
Online entries begin August 1 at www.ncstatefair.org
Mailed or hand delivered paper entries will be charged a \$5.00 processing fee.

Exhibitors are required to fill out the Declaration of Ownership form which may be found at www.ncstatefair.org.

HEALTH REGULATIONS:

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Except as noted, all of the rules and regulations of the Dairy Department, the Livestock Division, and the General Rules and Regulations of the Fair, will prevail in this show.
2. Open to exhibitors 6-18 years of age as of January 1, 2020, a resident of North Carolina, and must be able to show the animal on their own.
3. No exhibitor in the Junior Dairy Show may show more than three animals.
4. Exhibitors must have personally fitted and cared for the animals 60 or more days prior to the show. The declaration of ownership and/or care must be completed and returned with your entries. The form can be found at www.ncstatefair.org.
5. All animals must be shown without assistance. Adults, other than the officials, will not be allowed in the ring during the show unless requested by a show official. (Exception: Junior County Herd.)
6. Grade animals must have a DHIA calf page in order to be shown. These animals must have some type of identification that management can use to verify birth dates.
7. All animals in each class will be judged.
8. No entry or stall fee will be charged for entries exclusively in the Junior Show. There is a \$5.00 processing fee for paper entries.
9. Entry deadline is September 15, 2020. Each youth should complete their own individual form. Incorrect or incomplete forms will not be accepted and will be returned to the exhibitor. Additional copies may be made of the entry form.

The following information will not be required of junior show entries: name of sire and name of dam. All other information is required.
10. **Only one such qualified substitution will be allowed per exhibitor.** NOTE: The management of the Junior Dairy Show reserves the right to reject the animals which in their opinion would bring discredit to the show. This includes animals which cannot be controlled, seriously emaciated, and those with serious injuries or gross physical defects.

SPECIAL BREED AWARDS

The North Carolina Association for the Brown Swiss, Guernsey, Holstein, and Jersey breeders will provide awards in fitting and showmanship classes. In addition, the following awards are provided:

GUERNSEY: (1) Sunrise Farm Trophy - Trophy to Grand Champion Guernsey in Junior Show.

(2) Eston Stokes Award - Trophy to Junior Champion Guernsey in Junior Show
(Sponsored by Sunrise Farm).

HOLSTEIN: Engraved trophies to exhibitors of Junior Champion, and Grand Champion in Junior Show.

JERSEY: (1) Deerview Jersey Farm - Trophy to Grand Champion in Junior Show.

JUNIOR DAIRY SHOW CLASSES Sunday, October 25

PREMIUMS ARE TO BE DETERMINED

Section 101 – AYRSHIRE – Junior Dairy Cattle

- 00101 – Spring Heifer Calf, born March 1, 2020 - May 31, 2020
- 00102 – Winter Heifer Calf, born December 1, 2019 - February 29, 2020
- 00103 – Fall Heifer Calf, born September 1, 2019 - November 30, 2019
- 00104 – Summer Yearling Heifer, born June 1, 2019 - August 31, 2019
- 00105 – Spring Yearling Heifer, born March 1, 2019 - May 31, 2019
- 00106 – Winter Yearling Heifer, born December 1, 2018 - February 28, 2019
- 00107 – Fall Yearling Heifer, born September 1, 2018 - November 30, 2018
- Junior Champion
- 00109 – Fall Yearling In Milk, born September 1, 2018 - November 30, 2018
- 00110 – Junior Two Year Old Cow, born March 1, 2018 - August 31, 2018
- 00111 – Senior Two Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2017 - February 28, 2018
- 00112 – Junior Three Year Old Cow, born March 1, 2017- August 31, 2017
- 00113 – Senior Three Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2016 - February 28, 2017
- 00114 – Four Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2015 - August 31, 2016
- 00115 – Five Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2014 - August 31, 2015
- 00116 – Aged Cow, born before September 1, 2014
- 00117 – Dry Cow
- Senior Champion
- GRAND CHAMPION**
- RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION**
- Junior County Herd

Section 102 – BROWN SWISS – Junior Dairy Cattle

- 00122 – Spring Heifer Calf, born March 1, 2020 - May 31, 2020
- 00123 – Winter Heifer Calf, born December 1, 2019 - February 29, 2020
- 00124 – Fall Heifer Calf, born September 1, 2019 - November 30, 2019
- 00125 – Summer Yearling Heifer, born June 1, 2019 - August 31, 2019
- 00126 – Spring Yearling Heifer, born March 1, 2019 - May 31, 2019
- 00127 – Winter Yearling Heifer, born December 1, 2018 - February 28, 2019
- 00128 – Fall Yearling Heifer, born September 1, 2018 - November 30, 2018
- Junior Champion
- 00130 – Fall Yearling In Milk, born September 1, 2018 - November 30, 2018
- 00131 – Junior Two Year Old Cow, born March 1, 2018 - August 31, 2018
- 00132 – Senior Two Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2017 - February 28, 2018
- 00133 – Junior Three Year Old Cow, born March 1, 2017- August 31, 2017
- 00134 – Senior Three Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2016 - February 28, 2017
- 00135 – Four Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2015 - August 31, 2016
- 00136 – Five Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2014 - August 31, 2015
- 00137 – Aged Cow, born before September 1, 2014
- 00138 – Dry Cow
- Senior Champion
- GRAND CHAMPION**
- RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION**
- Junior County Herd

Section 103 – JERSEY – Junior Dairy Cattle

- 00143 – Spring Heifer Calf, born March 1, 2020 - May 31, 2020
- 00144 – Winter Heifer Calf, born December 1, 2019 - February 29, 2020
- 00145 – Fall Heifer Calf, born September 1, 2019 - November 30, 2019
- 00146 – Summer Yearling Heifer, born June 1, 2019 - August 31, 2019
- 00147 – Spring Yearling Heifer, born March 1, 2019 - May 31, 2019
- 00148 – Winter Yearling Heifer, born December 1, 2018 - February 28, 2019
- 00149 – Fall Yearling Heifer, born September 1, 2018 - November 30, 2018
 - Junior Champion
- 00151 – Fall Yearling In Milk, born September 1, 2018 - November 30, 2018
- 00152 – Junior Two Year Old Cow, born March 1, 2018 - August 31, 2018
- 00153 – Senior Two Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2017 - February 28, 2018
- 00154 – Junior Three Year Old Cow, born March 1, 2017 - August 31, 2017
- 00155 – Senior Three Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2016 - February 28, 2017
- 00156 – Four Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2015 - August 31, 2016
- 00157 – Five Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2014 - August 31, 2015
- 00158 – Aged Cow, born before September 1, 2014
- 00159 – Dry Cow
 - Senior Champion
 - GRAND CHAMPION
 - RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION
 - Junior County Herd

Section 104 – HOLSTEIN – Junior Dairy Cattle

- 00164 – Spring Heifer Calf, born March 1, 2020 - May 31, 2020
- 00165 – Winter Heifer Calf, born December 1, 2019 - February 29, 2020
- 00166 – Fall Heifer Calf, born September 1, 2019 - November 30, 2019
- 00167 – Summer Yearling Heifer, born June 1, 2019 - August 31, 2019
- 00168 – Spring Yearling Heifer, born March 1, 2019 - May 31, 2019
- 00169 – Winter Yearling Heifer, born December 1, 2018 - February 28, 2019
- 00170 – Fall Yearling Heifer, born September 1, 2018 - November 30, 2018
 - Junior Champion
- 00172 – Fall Yearling In Milk, born September 1, 2018 - November 30, 2018
- 00173 – Junior Two Year Old Cow, born March 1, 2018 - August 31, 2018
- 00174 – Senior Two Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2017 - February 28, 2018
- 00175 – Junior Three Year Old Cow, born March 1, 2017 - August 31, 2017
- 00176 – Senior Three Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2016- February 28, 2017
- 00177 – Four Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2015 - August 31, 2016
- 00178 – Five Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2014 - August 31, 2015
- 00179 – Aged Cow, born before September 1, 2014
- 00180 – Dry Cow
 - Senior Champion
 - GRAND CHAMPION
 - RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION
 - Junior County Herd

Section 105 – **GUERNSEY** – Junior Dairy Cattle

00185 – Spring Heifer Calf, born March 1, 2020- May 31, 2020

00186 – Winter Heifer Calf, born December 1, 2019 - February 29, 2020

00187 – Fall Heifer Calf, born September 1, 2019 - November 30, 2019

00188 – Summer Yearling Heifer, born June 1, 2019 - August 31, 2019

00189 – Spring Yearling Heifer, born March 1, 2019 - May 31, 2019

00190 – Winter Yearling Heifer, born December 1, 2018 - February 28, 2019

00191 – Fall Yearling Heifer, born September 1, 2018 - November 30, 2018

Junior Champion

00193 – Fall Yearling In Milk, born September 1, 2018 - November 30, 2018

00194 – Junior Two Year Old Cow, born March 1, 2018 - August 31, 2018

00195 – Senior Two Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2017- February 28, 2018

00196 – Junior Three Year Old Cow, born March 1, 2017 - August 31, 2017

00197 – Senior Three Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2016 - February 28, 2017

00198 – Four Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2015 - August 31, 2016

00199 – Five Year Old Cow, born September 1, 2014 - August 31, 2015

00200 – Aged Cow, born before September 1, 2014

00201 – Dry Cow

Senior Champion

GRAND CHAMPION

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION

Junior County Herd

JUNIOR COUNTY HERD – Junior Dairy Cattle
PREMIUMS TO BE DETERMINED

County Herd will consist of five (5) females of one breed from one county. County herds will be based on the location of the animals, not the youth. Entries for this event will be made during check in for the Junior Dairy Show.

Section 106 – COSTUME CLASS – Junior Dairy Cattle
PREMIUMS are to be determined

Class 00301 – Any exhibitor in the Junior show may participate. The exhibitor may have the assistance of one other junior age person while in the ring. Exhibitors may use any ideas they wish on how to “dress” or “decorate” their dairy animal to represent any personality, place or thing, with emphasis on milk, milk products or dairy production. Costumes may consist of any material as long as it is not considered harmful to the animal or potentially harmful to other exhibitors in the ring.

Entries need to be made online before September 15, 2020. This class will be held following the completion of the junior shows on Sunday, October 25.

Judging will be based on creativity, attractiveness and milk and/or dairy promotion theme.

Section 107 – JUNIOR DAIRY SHOW FITTING & SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES

Saturday, October 24, 1:00 pm

PREMIUMS TO BE DETERMINED

You must enter showmanship online before September 15, 2020. The classes will be determined by age as of January 1, 2020. All breeds will be shown together based on the age of the exhibitor. This will determine heats if needed in a class. The classes for showmanship will be posted by noon on Saturday. Exhibitors must show one of the animals entered in their name in this competition. The classes are as follows:

6 year old class	9 year old class	13-14 year old class
7 year old class	10 year old class	15-16 year old class
8 year old class	11-12 year old class	17-18 year old class

J. I. SMITH (JIM) AND NANCY S. SMITH ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIP

In an effort to encourage and show appreciation for the youth of North Carolina who compete in the beef and dairy cattle "fitting and showmanship" competition at various levels, James I. (Jim) and Nancy S. Smith established an endowed scholarship in the North Carolina Agricultural Foundation, Inc. for the purpose of providing scholarships for students at North Carolina State University. For questions call 919 528-2403.

<https://ncsu.academicworks.com/donors/mr-and-mrs-james-i-smith>