

DEPARTMENT 3 BEEF CATTLE

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Health Requirements:

The Erie County Fair at Wattsburg animal health rules are to be followed in all animal departments and contests. Appropriate documentation of necessary immunizations must be presented upon arrival at the fairgrounds for all animals. The complete requirements are listed in the front of the Erie County Fair at Wattsburg Premium Book.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

See Department 2 Dairy Cattle (All General Rules Apply)

SECTION 1 - BREEDING BEEF CATTLE

LOTS:

A. Angus	G. Simmental
B. Charolais	H. Ankina
C. Belgian Blue	I. Other
D. Belted Gallaway	J. Shorthorn
E. Gelbvieh (Horned or Polled)	K. Dexter
F. Hereford	

Class: Description & Age	Premiums:
01. Junior Bull Calf born after 4/30	18 15 12
02. Intermediate Bull Calf (1/1-4/30)	18 15 12
03. Sr. Bull Calf (9/1-12/31)	18 15 12
04. Summer Yearling Bull (5/1-8/31)	18 15 12
05. Pair of Jr. Bulls	18 15 12
06. Jr. Yearling Bull (1/1-4/30)	18 15 12
07. Sr. Yearling Bull (9/1-12/31)	18 15 12
08. 2 yr. old Bull (1/1-8/31)	18 15 12
09. Champion Bull	Rosette
10. Reserve Champion Bull	Rosette
11. Two Bulls owned by exhibitor	18 15 12
12. Jr. Heifer Calf (after 4/30)	15 12 10
13. Intermediate heifer Calf (1/1-4/30)	15 12 10
14. Sr. Heifer Calf (9/1-12/31)	15 12 10
15. Pair Jr. Heifer Calves	25 23 21
16. Summer yearling heifer (6/1-8/31)	25 23 21
17. Jr. Yearling Heifer (1/1-4/30)	25 23 21
18. Sr. Yearling Heifer (9/1-12/31)	25 23 21
19. Female two years old	25 20 17
20. Female three years old	32 27 22
21. Champion Female	Rosette
22. Reserve Champion Female	Rosette
23. Get of Sire, 4 animals from above	30 25 20
classes, both sexes represented need not be owned by one exhibitor.	
24. Jr. Get of Sire, 3 animals, both	30 25 20
sexes, represented from classes, 1,2,3,4,11,12,13, or 14	
25. Best 3 females, any age, bred and	30 25 20
owned by exhibitor. Each	
exhibitor limited to one entry.	
26. Produce of Dam, 2 animals, any	25 20 17
age, either sex, the produce of	
1 cow, need not both be owned	
by one exhibitor. Each exhibitor	
limited to one entry.	
27. Champion cow-calf pair over all	Rosette
breeds. Calves must be from	
classes, 1,2,12, or 13.Both animals	
must have been shown in open	
classes. One per breed dam's breed	
per exhibitor.	
28. Two females bred & owned by exhibitor	Rosette

Class: Description & Age	Premiums:
29. Best 5 head owned by one farm	Rosette
or family.	
30. Champion Beef Udder (must be	Rosette
shown in open class. One per	
breed per exhibitor.)	
31. Premier Exhibitor	Revere Bowl
32. Grand Champion Beef Bull	Rosette
33. Grand Champion Beef Female	Rosette

SECTION 2 - OPEN CLASS - MARKET STEERS

Class: Description & Age	Premiums:
01. Medium Weight—under 800 pounds	22 18 16
02. Heavy Weight—over 800 pounds	22 18 16

SECTION 3 - OPEN CLASS - CROSS BRED STEERS

All Cross Bred Steers compete in one class

Class: Description & Age	Premiums:
01. Medium Weight—under 800 pounds	22 18 16
02. Heavy Weight—over 800 pounds	22 18 16
03. Grand Champion Steer	Rosette

SECTION 4 - OPEN CLASS - FEEDER CLASS INDIVIDUAL

SECTION 5 - CROSSBREDS - ONE CLASS

Class: Description & Age	Premiums:
01. Steers, 300-400 pounds	17 16 15
02. Steers, 401-500 pounds	17 16 15
03. Steers, 501-600 pounds	17 16 15
04. Heifers, 300-400 pounds	17 16 15
05. Heifers, 401-500 pounds	17 16 15
06. Heifers, 501-600 pounds	17 16 15
07. Breed Champion Steer	Rosette
08. Breed Champion Heifer	Rosette
09. Champion Steer	Rosette
10. Champion Heifer	Rosette

SECTION 6 - GOOD HOUSEKEEPING AWARDS

Class:	Premiums:
01. Daily Housekeeping	6 5 4
02. Weekly Award	12 10 8
1. Cattle exhibitors who maintain the most attractive and sanitary exhibits will be eligible for special daily premiums.	
2. All cattle exhibits will be scored on the following basis:	
Points:	
Cleanliness of animals	15
Cleanliness of bedding	15
Entry Card and ribbons properly displayed	20
Keeping grain & hay feed presentable	10
Keeping all equipment sanitary and neat	10
Keeping aisles clean	15
Courtesy to people	15
TOTAL	100
3. Inspections to be made unannounced. Ribbons will be awarded on a daily basis. NO AWARDS on the first day of the fair.	