

# JUNIOR BEEF

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## MARKET BEEF

*Local Divisions*

Judge - TBA

<b>ENTRIES DUE:</b>	Friday, May 7 <sup>th</sup> - 6 PM
<b>ENTRY FEES:</b>	\$10.00 per entry per class
<b>ENTRY FORMS:</b>	Use Entry Form B
<b>IN PLACE BY:</b>	Tues. June 15 <sup>th</sup> - 10:30 AM
<b>WEIGH IN:</b>	Tues. June 15 <sup>th</sup> - 12:00PM - 1:00PM
<b>EXHIBITS JUDGED:</b>	Fri., June 18 <sup>th</sup> - following Replacement Heifer classes (4-H followed by FFA)
<b>SHOWMANSHIP:</b>	Fri., June 18 <sup>th</sup> - following market show

### DANISH SYSTEM OF JUDGING

#### Market Beef Guidelines and Rules:

- All State and Local Rules apply and will be strictly enforced.
- All steers must be naturally polled or de-horned.
- Yellow transportation slips issued by the State of California, Department of Food & Agriculture are mandatory in transporting animals. **They will be required at weigh in and will be collected by the brand inspector.**
- **All market steers must be weighed and tagged at the official pre-weigh and tagging date specified in the Junior livestock rules. It is mandatory for the exhibitor to attend the weigh/tagging day for their species.**

#### Market Beef Scorecard

##### Grade

**Market Ready:** Market steers projected to have sufficient fat deposition to meet the marbling specifications for USDA Prime, Choice or Select+ quality grades.

**Not Market Ready:** Market steers lacking evidence of sufficient fat deposition to produce a desirable consumer product. Steers projected to grade USDA Select or lower.

These Market Grades will be further broken down at the discretion of the judge and fair management.

#### *Ribbons Only*

*Champion & Reserve Champion will be awarded*

### DIVISION 625 FFA Market Steers

Class:

1. Steers 1,000 to 1,400 pounds

### DIVISION 626 4-H Market Steers

Class:

1. Steers 1,000 to 1,400 pounds

### DIVISION 627 Independent Market Steers

Class:

1. Steers 1,000 to 1,400 pounds

### DIVISION 628 Pen of 3 Market Steers

#### Pen of 3 Mkt Steers Guidelines:

1. Pens of three will consist of three market steers from any FFA Chapter, Grange, or 4-H club who wishes to enter.
2. Steers chosen for the pen of three must be taken from the steers shown by members of that particular FFA Chapter or 4-H Club.
3. The official beef judge will judge the groups directly after the Champion market steer has been selected.
4. A perpetual trophy will be awarded to the first place group. This group will house the trophy for one year and will return it to the Livestock Office one week before market animal weigh-ins of the next Shasta District Fair.

Class:

1. Pen of 3 Market Steers

### DIVISION 630 Mkt. Steer Carcass Contest

*Sponsored by*

SHASTA COUNTY CATTLEMEN'S ASSOCIATION

*Entry Fee: \$5.00*

Cattle will be evaluated and ranked based upon carcass weight, quality grade, yield grade, and dressing percentage. Only steers that gain at least 2.0 lbs./day between February pre-weigh (120-day ownership) and weigh in at Shasta District Fair will be eligible to compete for the carcass buckle.

Class:

1. Shasta Co. Cattlemen's Junior Mkt. Steer Carcass Contest

#### **Carcass Contest Cash Awards**

The Shasta County Cattlewomen will be sponsoring cash awards for the carcass contest in conjunction with the Shasta County Cattlemen.

#### **SUPER STEER CONTEST**

The Super Steer Contest is designed to seek the fed steer that best combines live, carcass and gain attributes to be calculated as follows: 45% - Live Placing; 45% Carcass Placing and 10% - Rate of Gain. Steers must qualify for the Shasta County Cattlemen's Association Carcass Contest to Compete in the Super Steer Competition.

### DIVISION 631 Shasta County Produced Market Steer

*Sponsored by Steve Scott Trucking*

Class is open to all market steer exhibitors. The dam of the market animal must have been owned by a Shasta County resident at the time of the project animal's birth. The steer must possess only 1 brand and that brand must be from Shasta County. All animals will be inspected by the California State Brand Inspector. Pre-entry in this class is required to participate. Fair management will determine the number and nature of classes to ensure adequate competition. Class will be shown immediately following the selection of Grand Champion.

Class:

1. Locally produced Market Steer

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## REPLACEMENT BRED HEIFER

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<b>ENTRY FEES:</b>	\$20.00 per entry per class
<b>ENTRY FORMS:</b>	Use Entry Form B
<b>IN PLACE BY:</b>	Tues. June 15 <sup>th</sup> -12:00PM
<b>WEIGH IN:</b>	<b>Mon. June 14<sup>th</sup> - Immediately following the ultrasound @ SLA</b>
<b>EXHIBITS JUDGED:</b>	Fri., June 18 <sup>th</sup> - 8:00 AM (4-H & FFA Show together)
<b>DANISH SYSTEM OF JUDGING</b>	

### Replacement Bred Heifer Guidelines and Rules:

- All State and Local Rules apply and will be strictly enforced.
- All heifers judged to be Group 1 and Group 2 must sell in the Junior Livestock Auction. Exhibitor may not show or sell any other market animal at the 2010 Shasta District Fair.
- The minimum age for all replacement heifers is 16 months with the maximum age being 24 months old on opening day of the fair.
- All replacement bred heifers must be naturally polled or de-horned, unless prior arrangements have been made.
- Yellow transportation slips issued by the State of California, Department of Food & Agriculture are mandatory in transporting animals. They will be required and will be collected at weigh in by the brand inspector.
- **All replacement heifer exhibitors must attend the tagging days as published. The heifer does not need to be present at the tagging day, due to animal health issues. The exhibitor must bring a copy of their bill of sale or brand inspection and a photograph of the heifer to the tagging day.**
- **All replacement heifer exhibitors must attend an informational meeting in February, to further their knowledge of animal health and nutrition. The exhibitor will be notified in writing of the meeting date. This is a mandatory meeting.**
- Entry Fee includes, brand inspection and ultra sound fee.
- All heifers must be pregnancy checked by ultrasound performed by the fair appointed veterinarian on site at Cottonwood Veterinary Clinic on Monday, June 14, 2010. 10:00AM. SDF will make all appointments with the vet.
- All heifers will be weighed at Shasta Livestock on Monday, June 14, 2010, immediately following the completion of the ultrasound tests. The minimum weight is 1000#.
- Heifers must be bred to calve in the fall of 2010. All heifers should be bred to low birth weight beef bulls

to reduce calving issues. EPD information should be furnished to the fair.

- All heifers must bear evidence of having the official calf-hood brucellosis vaccination with the presence of an official tattoo visible in the right ear.
- If the heifer is declared registered, the registration papers must be signed and submitted to the Livestock office not later than Tuesday, June 15, 2010.

## DIVISION 632 FFA, 4-H & Ind. Replacement Heifers

Class:

1. Commercial Bred Heifers Min. 1,000#\*
  2. Purebred/Registered Bred Heifers Min. 1,000#\*
- \*Heifers to be sold by the head not the pound

## BEEF SHOWMANSHIP

Judge - TBA

<b>ENTRIES DUE:</b>	No Pre-Entry Required
<b>ENTRY FEES:</b>	No Entry Fee
<b>IN PLACE BY:</b>	Tues., June 15 <sup>th</sup> - 10:30 AM
<b>EXHIBITS JUDGED:</b>	Fri., June 18 <sup>th</sup> following market show (4-H followed by FFA)
<b>AMERICAN SYSTEM OF JUDGING</b>	



**Exhibitors do not need to pre-enter to be in showmanship. Exhibitors wishing to participate in showmanship will be given age/color coded cards at weigh-in. The judge will select who shall participate in showmanship. All exhibitors will be given a fair evaluation.**

### GUIDELINES and RULES:

1. All State and Local Rules apply and will be strictly enforced.
2. **Age in showmanship classes will be as of Midnight, December 31, 2009**
3. Only animals owned, groomed, fitted, and shown by the Exhibitor in Junior Department Livestock Divisions or required to be shown in the senior class under the provisions of State Rules are eligible.
4. **NOTE:** All Exhibitors are required to wear the official show uniform of the organization they represent.
5. All 4-H, FFA, and Independent members are to be in full organization uniform during all Showmanship classes. Any person not in full uniform will be excused from the Show Ring.
6. Only the winner of the FFA Showmanship, 4-H Sr. Showmanship, and Independent Sr. Showmanship are eligible for Round Robin Contest.
7. The 4-H and the FFA Round Robin winner are eligible for 2010 California State Fair Best of Show Competition.
8. Classes may be combined at the discretion of Fair Management if entry numbers are insufficient for adequate competition.

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9. Novice FFA Exhibitors must be a freshman or sophomore and never to have shown an animal before. 1<sup>st</sup> place award & ribbons to 8<sup>th</sup> place only.
10. 4-H Beginning Showmanship must be 9 or 10 years of age. 1<sup>st</sup> place award & ribbons to 8<sup>th</sup> place only.
11. 4-H Junior Showmanship ages 11 through 13 years. 1<sup>st</sup> place award & ribbons to 8<sup>th</sup> place only.

## Beef Cattle Guidelines and Rules:

- All State and Local Rules apply and will be strictly enforced.
- Permanent markings (tattoos) as required by the Breed Associations are necessary in the ears of ALL Cattle.
- **NOTE:** Nurse Cows will not be permitted on Fairgrounds
- All females 24 (twenty-four) months of age or older at the beginning day of the Fair must:
  - A. Have a calf OR
  - B. Show obvious signs of pregnancy OR
  - C. Have a veterinarian's certificate of pregnancy.
- Additional classes may be added at the discretion of fair Management if entries warrant.

### Premiums offered for FFA, 4-H Sr, Independent Sr Beef Showmanship

1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	6 <sup>th</sup>	7 <sup>th</sup>	8 <sup>th</sup>
\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6	\$5	\$4	\$3

### DIVISION 635 FFA Beef Showmanship

Class:

1. Novice FFA Showmanship (ribbons only)
2. FFA Showmanship

### DIVISION 636 4-H Beef Showmanship

Class:

1. Beginning Showmanship (9-10 yrs old) (ribbons only)
2. Junior Showmanship (11-13 years old) (ribbons only)
3. Senior Showmanship (14 + years old)

### DIVISION 637 Independent Beef Showmanship

Class:

1. Beginning Showmanship (9-10 yrs old) (ribbons only)
2. Junior Showmanship (11-13 years old) (ribbons only)
3. Senior Showmanship (14 + years old)

**Ribbons only for Divisions 638 & 639**

### DIVISION 638 Pee Wee Beef Showmanship

Show Date: Friday - June 18<sup>th</sup>  
 Show Time: 5:30 PM  
 Main Show Arena



### DIVISION 639 Adult Beef Showmanship

Show Date: Friday - June 18<sup>th</sup>  
 Show Time: 6:00 PM  
 Main Show Arena

## JUNIOR BREEDING BEEF CATTLE

*REGISTERED PUREBRED &  
 COMMERCIAL BREEDING CATTLE*  
 Judge - TBA

<b>ENTRIES CLOSE:</b>	Fri., May 7 <sup>th</sup> - 6 PM
<b>ENTRY FEES:</b>	\$7.00 / Entry / Class
<b>ENTRY FORM:</b>	Use Entry Form B
<b>IN PLACE BY:</b>	Tues., June 15 <sup>th</sup> - 8 PM
<b>EXHIBITS JUDGED:</b>	Fri., June 18 <sup>th</sup> - <i>following market &amp; showmanship</i>
<b>EXHIBITS RELEASED:</b>	Sun., June 20 <sup>th</sup> - 5 PM
<b>AMERICAN SYSTEM OF JUDGING</b>	

Premiums Offered Per Class				
1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>
\$30.00	\$25.00	\$22.00	\$18.00	Ribbon

### DIVISION 640 All Breeds\* (\*Registered Purebred)

#### BULLS

Class:

1. Yearlings 03-01-08 thru 08-31-09
2. Calves 09-01-09 thru 02-18-10

#### FEMALES

3. Jr. & Sr. Yearling 03-01-08 thru 04-30-08
4. Summer Yrlg 05-01-09 thru 08-31-09
5. Calves 09-01-09 thru 02-18-10
6. Cow & Calf Pair---Calf must have been born between Sep. 1 & Dec 31, 2009  
*(Calf birth date on entry form)*
7. Cow & Calf Pair---Calf must have been born between Jan. 1 & May 8, 2010  
*(Calf birth date on entry form)*

### DIVISION 641 Commercial Females

Class:

1. Yearlings 03-01-08 thru 08-31-09
2. Calves 09-01-09 thru 02-18-10

### DIVISION 642 Commercial Cow/Calf Pairs

Class:

1. Cow & Calf : Calf must have been born between Sept. 1, 2009- Dec. 31, 2009
2. Cow & Calf: Calf must have been born between Jan. 1, 2010 - May 1, 2010  
*(Calf Birthdate on Entry Form)*

Ribbons for	
Champion Bull	Champion Female
Res. Champion Bull	Res. Champion Female

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## **BEEF FITTING & SHOWING CONTEST**

Sponsored by Shasta County Cattlewomen

**Wednesday, June 16, 2010**

**5:30 PM**

### ***Must be in teams of 3***

All team members must be exhibiting a market steer or breeding heifer.

Each team must provide a clean animal and all necessary equipment to fit (blower, clippers, halter, show stick, show products, brushes, and combs.)

Teams will have 15 minutes to fit their animal. Each team member must be prepared to demonstrate clipping, blowing, pulling up leg hair, etc.

Each member will have the opportunity to exhibit the fitted animal for showmanship.

Judges will be members of the livestock industry. There will be a short critique before the awards.

Each participant will receive a prize. Placings offered 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>.

There will be a meeting at 5:30 PM in the beef barn for final instructions.

If you have any questions, please contact Karen Moller 547-5424.

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