

General Rules for the Open Livestock Shows –3rd Grade and Younger

The Open Class Livestock Show is a way to get younger kids interested in the fair by allowing them to participate as the 4-H (4th Grade and Up) members do. These exhibitors will be judged on how well they know their project and how they present their project for show. This is the young exhibitor's project and the exhibitor MUST feel comfortable caring for and showing their project at the fair. These projects will receive a ribbon at the show but will not be on the 4-H Ribbon Auction. All animals MUST be free of infectious conditions. The exhibitor is responsible for making their own Entry Sign to display above their project. This could include things like the Exhibitor's Name, Parent's Name, town you are from, their Project's Name (if they have one), a picture of you and your project, or any information on the project that they might like the fair-goers or judge to know about...just be creative!!! The animals must be cared for during the fair. The area where the project is exhibited but be kept clean. Parents are allowed to help with the project and Entry Sign but it needs to be the child's project!!!!

Bucket Calves

Must be born from March 1 to June 15 of this year.

Must be either bottle and bucket fed.

Must be halter broke.

No clipping anywhere is permitted on these projects.

Classes will be determined by exhibitor's age not weight of animal.

Calf must be ear tagged and Identification Form completed by July 15th.

Bottle Lambs

Must be the exhibitor's project.

Lambs must be born between Jan 1 and May 1 of the current year.

Must be bottle fed.

Must be halter broke.

Lamb must be ear tagged and Identification Form completed by July 15th.

Lambs must be shorn one week prior to show

Lambs

Must be the exhibitor's project.

Can be any age but must be born by June 15 of the current year.

Do not need to have been bottle fed or need to be market-ready.

Must be halter broke.

Lamb must be ear tagged and Identification Form completed by July 15th.

Lambs must be shorn one week prior to show.

