

2014 JUNIOR DAIRY CATTLE

Information may be updated if necessary until entry forms are posted in May.

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Dairy Office during Fair: 414.266.7155

ENTRY CLOSING DATE:

JUNE 4th (1st Wednesday of June) - postmark for mailed in (paper) entries
June 18th (3rd Wednesday of June) - online entry deadline

ENTRY FEES:

Dairy Cattle: \$10 per head
Showmanship: No Charge; all exhibitors will be entered

Substitution Fee UNTIL July 22nd: **NO CHARGE**
Late Substitutions July 23rd and after: \$20 per head

Late Entry* (until July 1st) \$100 per exhibitor plus original class entry fees

**Anything postmarked June 5th and after is considered late and late fees apply. Anything entered online after 7 pm Central Time June 18th is considered late and late fees apply. Late entries are permitted until July 1st with proper fees providing the animal(s) being entered was/were eligible at the time entries were made. Late entries will only be accepted for owned animals and managerial animals without managerial forms. Late entries cannot be made for managerial animals with managerial forms.*

Entries will not be considered unless accompanied by full remittance. Wisconsin State Fair reserves the right to reject, accept or conditionally accept any entry or late entry from any exhibitor.

JUNIOR DAIRY SCHEDULE

<u>Arrival</u>	<u>In Place</u>	<u>Release</u>
7/29 after 8 am	7/30 – Noon	8/3 Late Afternoon - TBA

JUNIOR DAIRY SHOW SCHEDULE

<u>Breed</u>	<u>Thursday 7/31</u>	<u>Friday 8/1</u>
Holstein	9 am – Spring, Winter and Fall Heifers	8 am - Yearlings 2:30 pm (or after Red & White Show) – Cows Ring 1 (NW Corner)
Red & White		12:30 pm (approx.) – Ring 1 (NW Corner)
Jersey		12:30 pm – Ring 2 (SW Corner)
Brown Swiss		12:30 pm – Ring 3 (NE Corner)
Milking Shorthorn		12:30 pm – Ring 4 (SE Corner)
Guernsey		1:30 pm – Ring 4 (SE Corner)
Ayrshire		1:30 pm (approx.) – Ring 4 (SE Corner)

All entry information and breed issued original registration papers must be checked in by 2 pm, Wednesday with the Junior Dairy staff. The Superintendent reserves the right to post and/or announce changes to the check-in schedule.

<u>Activities</u>	<u>Schedule</u>
Supreme Champion Female	8/1 – 4:30 pm
Showmanship followed by Supreme Champion Showperson	8/2 – 8 am

Dairyland Youth Recognition Program	8/3 – 10 am
County Herdsmanship Awards	8/3 – during Dairyland Youth Recognition Program

The Milkhouse will be open from 6 pm – 9 pm on Tuesday, July 29, 2014. Normal operating hours will begin Wednesday morning (available upon arrival).
Stall and display setup may begin at 8 am on Tuesday, July 29, 2014.

Areas highlighted in blue (throughout the rest of the section) are sponsorships pending/in the process of being updated for 2014.

2014 Junior Dairy Theme: America's Dairyland is My Land

Exhibitor Checklist for Junior Dairy Department	Due Date
Entry Form	Paper forms postmarked June 4 th online entries made by June 18 th *)
Managerial Forms (if applicable)	Sent in with entries (postmarked June 4 th or with online entries June 18 th)
Registration Papers/Certificate	Sent in with entries (postmarked June 4 th or with online entries June 18 th ***). ** <i>Special Consideration may be granted for registration papers not available by the entry deadline. Please email entryoffice@wistatefair.com no later than June 18th if registration papers are not available by the entry deadline.</i>
Youth Center Registration Form	Sent in with entries (postmarked June 4 th or with online entries June 18 th)
Youth Center Health Certificate	Preferred if sent in with entries (postmarked June 4 th or with online entries June 18 th) but will accept upon check in at Youth Center during the Fair

New for 2014! The Junior Dairy Milk Sales Application no longer needs to be filled out as a separate form. Each Junior Dairy exhibitor, by signing the paper entry form or by checking the acknowledgment box for online entries, agrees by the Milk House rules and regulations (listed beginning on page 6) and will abide by all rules.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- 1) **Entries, with the proper fees, must be submitted directly to Wisconsin State Fair.** Entries must contain complete information for breeding animals including class number, birthdate, tattoo, name and registration number or they will be returned. **All entries must meet ownership/managerial requirements at time of entry. A copy of the official breed registration paper/certificate and/or managerial forms (if applicable) must accompany mailed entry forms.** Special Consideration may be granted for registration papers not available by the entry deadline. Please email entryoffice@wistatefair.com no later than June 18th if registration papers are not available by the entry deadline. *Exhibitors entering online must provide a copy by one of the following methods:*
 - uploading a pdf with online entries OR
 - faxing a copy to 414.266.7007 (Attention Entry Department) by June 18th OR
 - emailing a copy to entryoffice@wistatefair.com by June 18th OR
 - mailing a hard copy postmarked by June 18th
- 2) See the "Junior General Rules and Regulations" section on www.wistatefair.com for eligibility requirements. For a summary of Youth Center regulations for livestock exhibitors, refer to the Tommy G. Thompson Youth Center Rules located in the "Junior General Rules and Regulations" section on www.wistatefair.com as well as the "Youth Center Lodging Registration Form" on www.wistatefair.com.
New for 2014! Late entries are permitted until July 1st with proper fees providing the animal(s)

being entered was/were eligible at the time entries were made. Late entries will only be accepted for owned animals and managerial animals *without* managerial forms. Late entries cannot be made for managerial animals with managerial forms.

3) 10th. Parking/Admission: All exhibitors must have valid admission to enter the Fair Park July 31st – August

Admission:

- Junior exhibitors who stay in the Tommy G. Thompson Youth Center do NOT need to purchase admission tickets. Daily admission into the Fair Park is included in the Youth Center fees. Youth who are not staying in the Tommy G. Thompson Youth Center need to purchase admission tickets to get into the Fair each day. Non-Junior Fair exhibitors and exhibitors' family members need to purchase daily Wisconsin State Fair admission tickets. Admission fees do not include vehicle parking.
- **Please note: Each admission ticket can only be scanned once.** If an exhibitor would like to exit and re-enter the Fair Park multiple times during the day, he or she MUST get his or her hand stamped at the admission Gates. Admission tickets which get wet, sun-damaged, lost or stolen will not be replaced.

Parking:

- **Blue Ribbon Parking: NEW for 2014!!** A free off-site Agriculture Exhibitor vehicle parking lot with easy access from I-94 is available. This free parking lot located one mile east of the Fair Park will have 24 hour security, in and out access and overnight parking privileges. A free shuttle will be run continuously from noon, Tuesday, July 29th through the duration of the Fair. The shuttle will pick up and drop off near Gate 5. No trailers will be allowed to park in this lot.
- **Red Ribbon Parking:** General Fair parking. Valid for one vehicle admission per day (no in and out privileges). Available only upon arrival at any vehicle access gate (except gate 5). The Red Ribbon parking pass cannot be upgraded to White Ribbon or Platinum status once purchased. Parking is not guaranteed. \$10 per day/vehicle
- **White Ribbon Parking: NEW for 2014!!** General Fair parking with multiple in and out privileges per day. Available for purchase prior to or during the Fair through the Case IH Coliseum entry office for \$15 per day/vehicle. Each date specific parking pass will be valid only on the date printed on it. Specific date must be declared below. *An unused White Ribbon parking pass may be exchanged in the entry office for another White Ribbon Parking Pass if requested before the printed date on the ticket. Parking is not guaranteed. White Ribbon parking cannot be upgraded to Platinum status once purchased. No overnight parking allowed. No refunds on unused vehicle parking.

*** Examples:**

A) Exhibitor Sally Smith has purchased three (3) White Ribbon parking passes one each for August 1, 2 and 3. On August 1, she realizes she no longer needs the parking pass for August 3. She cannot receive a refund for the August 3 parking pass but can exchange it in the Case IH coliseum entry office for a white ribbon parking pass for any of the remaining Fair days.

B) Exhibitor Bill Smith purchased three (3) White Ribbon parking passes, one each for July 31, August 1 and August 2. On August 2, Bill realizes he did not use his July 31st pass and instead wants a parking pass for August 3. Bill CANNOT exchange his unused July 31 pass or receive a refund since the parking pass expired. If Bill wants a white ribbon parking pass for August 3, he must purchase one for \$15 at the Case IH Coliseum Entry Office.

- **Platinum Parking: NEW for 2014!!** A limited number of parking passes available. Allows parking in the Tommy G Thompson Youth Center lot with in and out privileges. Overnight parking is allowed. Available for purchase prior to Fair with entries, at the Case IH Coliseum Entry Office or the TGT Youth Center during the Fair for \$25 per day/vehicle. No refunds on unused vehicle parking.
- **Trailer Parking:** A Free Wisconsin State Fair off-site trailer parking lot will be available and assigned upon arrival. All trailers **MUST** be parked offsite. Exhibitors cannot sleep in their trailers overnight or keep any animals in trailers at the offsite lots.

4) **New for 2014! All Junior Dairy exhibitors may enter up to two owned or managerial animals. Exhibitors may NOT enter more animals than the total allowed to show.**

- 5) **Substitution New for 2014!**
- **UNTIL JULY 22nd** - Any substitutions within department will be allowed at no charge providing the animal being substituted was eligible at the time entries were made using the “Junior Substitution Form” (located on www.wistatefair.com). Submit form and copy of registration paper postmarked on or before July 24th to:
Wisconsin State Fair Entry Department
640 S 84th St
West Allis WI 53214
 - **JULY 23rd AND AFTER (UNTIL CHECK IN)** – Late substitutions will be allowed within department for a fee providing the animal being substituted was eligible at the time entries were made. The “Junior Substitution Form” (located on www.wistatefair.com), proper fees and registration paper must be submitted to show management at check in.
- Managerial project animals may be substituted as long as the individual animal was identified on the exhibitor's Wisconsin State Fair Managerial Form submitted at the date of entry (please see managerial rule). **Substitutions will not be accepted without the “Junior Substitution Form”.** No exceptions.
- 6) Junior Exhibitors may enter the same owned breeding animal in both the Open and Junior Shows. Open and Junior fees must be paid with separate checks or money orders along with proper entry forms by the respective entry deadline.

EXHIBITION REQUIREMENTS

- 1) All exhibits will receive the best care and protection the surroundings will afford, but they are at all times subject to the owner's risk. All exhibitors are expected to conform to Wisconsin State Fair Junior participation and exhibition policies. Failure to comply may result in awards, auction proceeds and premium forfeiture, dismissal from grounds, and being barred from immediate and/or future exhibitions. Wisconsin State Fair Management reserves the right to interpret and enforce the rules and regulations; split or combine classes; accept or reject any entry entirely, partially or conditionally. For a summary of Youth Center regulations for junior exhibitors, refer to the Tommy G. Thompson Youth Center Rules located in the “Junior General Rules and Regulations” section on www.wistatefair.com as well as the “Youth Center Lodging Registration Form” on www.wistatefair.com.
- 2) **Animal and Exhibitor Safety:**
- Animals deemed uncontrollable and/or unsafe to exhibit will be dismissed from the show ring and/or Wisconsin State Fair Park Grounds. The three strike rule is in effect if an animal gets away a total of three times in the show ring. Show Management retains the right to warn the exhibitor and dismiss any animal deemed unsafe or uncontrollable at any time. No premiums will be awarded if an animal is dismissed.
 - Due to animal wellness and safety concerns all dairy animals brought to Wisconsin State Fair Park grounds are restricted to the Cattle Barns/Milkhouse/Coliseum areas only. Animals found outside of the designated area will be immediately disqualified. The Department Superintendent has the discretion to approve special circumstances.
 - **Animal Treatment:** An animal treatment form must be on file with the Wisconsin State Fair on-site veterinarian prior to use. Animal treatment forms will be available in the Veterinarian's office, located in the lower level of the Double Deck Barn and online. **NEW for 2014 an animal treatment tent** will be located on 5th Street and North of the Swine Barn for exhibitors to administer (oral drench, IM, IV, Subcutaneous) treatment. Animal Treatment Forms are not specifically intended to regulate what products are being used but to demonstrate proactive animal management and reduce the potential of negative publicity. Wisconsin State Fair is in the process of establishing treatment areas which are out of public viewing and demonstrate proper animal treatment protocol. Exhibitors who violate the authorized treatment protocol may be disqualified.
 - All cows in milk must be milked in the designated official milking parlor. Any request for special considerations with the use of personal milking equipment must be approved by the milk house superintendent prior to use.

- 3) **Barn Hours:** The barns will be closed from 11 pm until 6:30 am for exhibitors, parents, leaders, Fair visitors etc except those who are on overnight duty. No exceptions. **Exhibitors, parents, leaders or other adults are not allowed to sleep in the barn.**
- 4) **Exhibit:** Each animal entered must be stalled with their respective county and cared for at the exhibitor's expense and risk. Junior exhibitors are required to care for and fit their own animals. Farm or ranch signs cannot be displayed during the entire Junior show. It is recommended a designated leader be available to supervise the exhibit and exhibitors at all times while the county's cattle exhibit is at the Fair.
 - Exhibits will regularly be inspected and must be kept neat at all times. Minimal storage for supplies is available in and around the barns. All exhibitors are required to have aisles cleaned and cleared by 8 am each day and keep show equipment or feed/bedding supplies in tack areas. All waste, feed, manure and trash should be disposed of properly.
 - Wisconsin State Fair will have limited amounts of feed and bedding for sale. Feed order forms can be found on www.wisstatefair.com beginning in June. Advance orders are appreciated and can be mailed in with entries, faxed (414.266.7057) or called (414.266.7052) into the Wisconsin State Fair Entry Office **AFTER JUNE 15th**.
 - **For public safety and liability reasons counties may not use space in or around their exhibits to conduct any type of direct contact/petting or photo opportunities geared toward Fairgoers/public.**
- 4) **Equipment:**
 - **Fans:** The use of one (1) fan is allowed per animal. Overhead fans must be hung from the front wall on either side of the animal. Floor fans may be used to move air for the entire display only and must be kept out of the aisles. The Superintendent reserves the right to determine acceptable placement and usage. All fans must conform to the manufacturer's recommendations and Wisconsin State Fair safety regulations. No butt fans allowed.
 - **Generators:** The use of portable power sources is permitted during show hours only. Generators must be kept outside the barns. When not in use generators must be kept in designated locations on the Fairgrounds.
 - **Extension Cords:** All cords must meet Wisconsin State Fair and manufacturer's recommendations for safety. No cords will be permitted in the aisles or in public areas above or on a surface without being properly secured. Wisconsin State Fair Management retains the authority to determine what is acceptable.
 - **Grooming Chutes:** Exhibitors using grooming chutes must store them out of the public walkways. Chutes **MUST** be placed in tack areas or other designated areas outside of the barn when not in use for fitting. Chutes are only allowed in the barn aisles 60 minutes before, during and 30 minutes after the shows.
 - **Stalling equipment:** The use of stall dividers for the purpose of separating cattle and designating tack areas is permitted. No equipment is approved for use behind the animals or in the aisles.
 - **Tack:** Show boxes, feed, bedding and other show equipment which is used for the care of the livestock must be kept neatly in the county's designated area and out of the public aisles. It is important to keep all livestock and livestock housing areas orderly and safe to demonstrate a positive image of animal agriculture to the public.
 - **Gas/Diesel/Propane Storage Containers:** Containers holding hazardous/flammable materials must be kept in the designated area north of the barns.
- 6) **Breed Shows:**
 - Cattle will be shown by breed according to age and will be judged on the basis of the breed characteristics.
 - Cattle (all breeds) must be registered with the respective breed association. The grading-up process, registry status or degree of purity must be stated so the animal is eligible to show at the breed's respective national show. See guidelines stated later in this information for more details.
- 7) **Fitting:** Fitting is limited to the exhibitor, his/her mother, father, sister, brother, step-brother, step-sister, step-parent or legal guardian (with proof of relationship) or other junior exhibitors participating in the Wisconsin State Fair Junior Shows. Fitting includes, but is not limited to, the day to day management

practices of feeding, exercising and show preparation. Exhibitors and one additional family member (listed above) are the only personnel allowed into the designated show ring class make-up/lineup areas. Wisconsin State Fair Management and/or the Fitting Superintendent and staff have the right to interpret these rules. See the "Junior Fitting and Exhibition Rules" in the "Junior General Rules and Regulations" section on www.wisstatefair.com for additional Fitting requirements.

- Read all product labels closely to make sure they do not contain ingredients which may be interpreted as a performance enhancer. Any questions should be directed to Wisconsin State Fair prior to use.
 - Managerial animals can only be fitted by the exhibitor or those stated above. Fitting violations may result in disqualification and/or removal of violators from the Fair Park.
 - Designated fitting areas will be available. The fitting areas are an exhibit for the public to view. No smoking, alcohol or vulgar language will be allowed. All persons (including exhibitors) must register with the Fitting Superintendent prior to any fitting activities. Persons abusing the fitting areas or violating the fitting rules will be removed from the area or Fair Park grounds.
 - No artificial filling of animals will be allowed at any time on Wisconsin State Fair Park grounds.
- 8) While on the Wisconsin State Fair Park grounds, any exhibitor wishing to administer any medications, treatments or use of other animal health products must submit an "Animal Treatment Form" to the Wisconsin State Fair attending veterinarian. This form is available online or onsite in the Junior Dairy, Entry or Vet's office. Wisconsin State Fair reserves the right to have the Wisconsin State Fair attending veterinarian administer any and/or all medications, treatments or other animal health products.

SHOWRING/JUDGING PROCEDURES

- 1) **Exhibitors:**
- Should be dressed neatly and appropriately while in the showing.
 - Must show their own animals unless prior approval has been granted by the Superintendent. Approval may be considered for the following reasons: two animals in the same class, two animals in the show ring at the same time in different species, serious injury or hardship. A form to request approval for another junior exhibitor to show the exhibition animal may be obtained from the Superintendent's office and must be submitted to the department Superintendent by 7 pm the day prior to the start of the show.
 - No firm, farm, or name identification shall be carried, worn or displayed on the exhibitor or animal while in the make up area or the show ring. The Superintendent may remove the exhibitor/animal from these areas until compliance is met.
- 2) **Show Ring:** Only Wisconsin State Fair officials are permitted in the judging area during judging.
- 3) **Awards:** A straight placing system will be used.
- 4) **Ethics:** Class winners and others selected at random in the cow classes may be ultrasounded as directed by Show Management. Please reference the Purebred Dairy Cattle Association Show Ring Code of Ethics listed below for additional rules.
- 5) **New for 2014! Enhanced premiums in individual classes are the result of re-allocated transportation funds. Designated funds for transportation will not be issued.**

ADDITIONAL DEPARTMENT RULES

- 1) The Junior Dairy Breed Shows must have a minimum of five exhibitors and ten head checked in at the Fair with proper breed verification to qualify for a breed division.
- 2) **Ownership:** Ownership requirements are met when the exhibitor's full name (**initials will be accepted provided the respective breed association has the legal name on file**) appears on the animal's registration paper (including transfers). **Co-ownership is allowed as long as the exhibitor's full name (initials will be accepted provided the respective breed association has the legal name on file) appears on the registration paper along with any other individual under 21 years of age as of January 1st of the current year.** Breed association lease programs do not supercede Wisconsin State Fair ownership requirements; therefore, leased animals are considered managerial. An original or a breed association issued duplicate copy of registration must be submitted to Wisconsin State Fair

Junior Dairy staff at check-in. Faxes or emails from breed associations sent directly to State Fair will be accepted. Photocopies or telephone calls from the breed associations will not be accepted.

- a. All calves and yearlings must be registered or transferred on/or before June 1st of the Fair year.
- b. All females two years or older must be registered or transferred on/or before January 1st of the Fair year.

Special Note: All Holstein transfer applications must be received by the Holstein Association by the respective January 1st and June 1st deadlines. Members will not be allowed to backdate transfers for ownership.

- 2) **Managerial Program:** A managerial project animal is a breeding animal which does not meet Wisconsin State Fair ownership requirements and is under the daily care and supervision of the exhibitor. Wisconsin State Fair Managerial dairy projects are **only available in calf and yearling classes**. Managerial program heifers owned by someone other than the parents, legal guardian(s) or family farm need to be identified on a Wisconsin State Fair Managerial Project Agreement Form (www.wistatefair.com) at time of entry. An exhibitor may identify up to five managerial animals but is limited to exhibiting no more than the number of entries an exhibitor may bring (see rule #3 in entry information above).

Heifers owned by the parents, legal guardians or the family farm –OR- heifers co-owned with parents, legal guardians, the family farm or any other individual 21 years of age and older are considered managerial but **do NOT** have to be identified on a Managerial Project Agreement Form.

Managerial project animals shown in the Junior Show are eligible to be entered in the Open Show during the current year's Fair by the owner. No late managerial forms will be accepted.

Anyone entering online must provide a copy of the managerial form by one of the following methods:

- *uploading a pdf with online entries OR*
- *faxing a copy to 414.266.7007 (Attention Entry Department) by June 18th OR*
- *emailing a copy to entryoffice@wistatefair.com by June 18th OR*
- *mailing a hard copy postmarked by June 18th*

- 3) **Bred and Owned Division:** A Champion Bred and Owned female will be selected in each breed from the highest placing Bred and Owned animals in each class. To qualify for bred and owned awards, cattle must be bred and owned by the junior exhibitor(s) and stated as such on the registration certificate. Partnerships are not allowed between juniors and adults, however they are allowed between juniors. A partnership animal may change ownership and still be considered bred and owned if one of the original breeders retain ownership and is of junior age. Family unit or farm partnerships will not qualify for Bred and Owned awards unless all partners are Junior members and listed on the certificate under breeder and owner. The exhibitor must **bring the registration paper to the ring**.

MILK HOUSE RULES AND REGULATIONS

The Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection's food safety division recommends all exhibitors obtain a permit (available at the Fair) to market milk through the Wisconsin State Fair milk parlor. Farm names, complete address, number of cows and breeds are needed for a permit. **New for 2014! Milk checks will no longer be distributed; rather, premiums have been increased in cow classes.**

Milk house staff will take samples from each cow at the time of milking to check for the presence of antibiotics. Cattle which have been treated are required to be identified with red leg bands. Bands are available from the Milk House staff. Each tank of milk leaving the Fair will be tested for antibiotic adulteration and any positive tests may result in the entire tank being dumped. Exhibitors contributing to the loss of a tank of milk will be financially responsible for the loss. A wash towel, stir cup, dry towel and teat dip will be provided by the Milk House staff and must be used for each animal.

Dairy plant sanitarians and health officials check carefully for antibiotic adulteration in all milk. If a permit-holder/exhibitor is confirmed to have marketed adulterated milk in violation of State of Wisconsin Regulations or FDA statutes, that exhibitor will:

- 1) Automatically forfeit all Wisconsin State Fair premiums and milk sale monies for the current year. The value of the aforementioned monies will be applied against the value of the disposed or recalled product. The remaining balance must be paid to Wisconsin State Fair or legal action may be taken.

2) Failure to reimburse Wisconsin State Fair will also result in being barred from exhibiting and participating in the Wisconsin State Fair.

Each Junior Dairy exhibitor, by signing the paper entry form or by checking the acknowledgment box for online entries, agrees by the Milk House rules and regulations and will abide by all rules.

THE PUREBRED DAIRY CATTLE ASSOCIATION SHOW RING CODE OF ETHICS

Adopted April 3, 2005

Wisconsin State Fair endorses the PDCA rules with the exception of rule #2 in the "Grooming and Preparation" section. Wisconsin State Fair will allow no more than 1.5" of natural hair on the topline.

The showing of registered dairy cattle stimulates and sustains interest in breeding registered dairy cattle. It is also an important part of the promotion, merchandising and breeding program of many breeders. For these reasons, the Purebred Dairy Cattle Association (PDCA) believes it is in the best interest of all breeders of registered dairy cattle to maintain a reputation of integrity in dairy cattle shows and to present a wholesome and progressive image of dairy cattle in the show ring.

The PDCA endorses this Show Ring Code of Ethics for all dairy breed shows and pledges its full cooperative support for its enforcement to show management, show judges and the national breed associations.

The application of this Code of Ethics provides for absolute responsibility for an animal's condition by an owner, exhibitor, fitter or participant whether or not he or she was actually instrumental in or had actual knowledge of the treatment of the animal in contravention of this Code of Ethics. Dairy cattle exhibitors shall at all times deport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship.

It is recognized there are certain practices in the proper care and management of dairy cattle which are necessary in the course of moving dairy cattle to and between shows that are advisable to keep them in a sound, healthy state so they might be presented in the show ring in a natural, normal condition. At all times, exhibition livestock shall be treated in a humane manner and in accordance with dairy quality assurance practices so as to protect the health, safety and welfare of the livestock and the consuming public. No person shall present for exhibition or exhibit an animal which he or she knows, or has reason to suspect, is affected with or has been exposed to a dangerously contagious or infectious disease, disease, or illegal or non-approved use of drugs, medication and/or prohibited substance or residue.

The position of the Purebred Dairy Cattle Association is all animals presented for exhibition shall be in their natural conformation and structure, free of any alteration or modification by injection or internal or external administration of any substance or by any involvement in unethical fitting.

GROOMING AND PREPARATION

Dairy cattle exhibitions are conducted under standards for evaluating conformation established by the PDCA *Unified Score Card* (1994) with specific breed characteristics taken into consideration by the show judge. In this connection, animals will be groomed and prepared for the judge's evaluation in order to display the animal's natural contour, conformation, performance and mobility.

Specifically:

- 1) External applications of cosmetics that affect only appearance may be used, including by way of example hoof polishes and false switches.
- 2) The maximum allowable length of naturally growing hair anywhere on the topline is not to exceed 1". Exhibitors will be required to comply with this rule before the animal is allowed to enter the ring.
- 3) The addition of foreign objects, including but not limited to hair or hair substitutes, cloth or fiber, to change the natural contour or appearance of the animal's body is prohibited.
- 4) Externally sealing the teat end with a preparation that does not harm the animal's skin is permissible. Natural teat placement will be given preference over artificially positioned teats.

VIOLATIONS: FALSE, DECEPTIVE OR UNACCEPTABLE PRACTICES

These practices are violations of the Code of Ethics and will be reported to show management and may be reported to the respective national breed associations:

- 1) Misrepresenting the age and/or milking status of the animal for the class in which it is shown.
- 2) Treating the animal, particularly the udder, internally or externally:

- a. with an irritant or counter-irritant,
 - b. using a device to artificially create or enhance the udder crease,
 - c. using other substances as detected by testing that causes changes in the udder to artificially improve the conformation.
 - d. plugging of teat canal with foreign substances.
- 3) Surgical or unethical insertion of any matter under the skin or into body cavities performed to change the natural contour or appearance of the animal's body (i.e., administration of fluid via a stomach tube or other similar apparatus to fill the rumen) not to preclude practices required or involved in normal management.
 - 4) Criticizing or interfering with the judge, show management or other exhibitors while in the show ring or other conduct detrimental to the breed or the show.
 - 5) Challenging, threatening or interfering with an ethics committee appointed by show management to monitor the animals on exhibit on the show grounds.

EXHIBITOR RESPONSIBILITY

The act of entering an animal in a livestock show is giving consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter and/or absolutely responsible person (hereinafter referred to as "Exhibitor") for show management to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood, milk, or other substances from the animal to be used in testing. Materials may also be collected by ultrasound and photographic methods and by direct examination of animal.

The act of entering an animal is giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter and/or absolutely responsible person (the "Exhibitor") to have disciplinary action for violation of this Show Ring Code of Ethics taken by show management the state in which the show occurs, and/or the national dairy breed association without recourse.

SHOW ETHICS COMMITTEE

Each show should have an Ethics Committee. The make up of this committee should include official breed representatives, representative(s) of show management (e.g., dairy cattle show superintendent, Agriculture Director), the official show veterinarian, and an Extension representative.

The Ethics Committee will be responsible for monitoring violations of the Show Ring Code of Ethics. The Ethics Committee will investigate the report of any violation and determine the accuracy of the allegation. The Ethics Committee will have the authority to inspect animals and related material to determine if violations have occurred.

VIOLATIONS: REPORTING AND INVESTIGATION

Complaints of alleged violations can be reported to the Show Superintendent, show management, and/or the Ethics Committee.

Before an Animal is Shown

If the Ethics Committee suspects a violation of the Show Ring Code of Ethics will occur if the animal is shown and that violation is reasonably well established before the animal is shown, the Ethics Committee will submit a report to show management.

Show management will discuss the violation with the Exhibitor:

- 1) If, at the Exhibitor's discretion, the animal in question is not shown, no violation will have occurred.
- 2) If the Exhibitor wishes to challenge that a violation occurred, he or she will have an opportunity to appeal to the Ethics Committee. If its decision is not changed, the Exhibitor will be denied the opportunity to exhibit the animal in question.

During and After an Animal is Shown

All animals are subject to examination during judging. When a violation may have occurred, a milkout may be called for. This call may be by breed association rule, or by request of an authorized representative of the national breed association, the judge, the Ethics Committee, or show management.

If an animal is exhibited and a violation of the Show Ring Code of Ethics is subsequently suspected, investigated, and determined to have occurred, the violation will be reported to the Ethics Committee and show

management for action. The Exhibitor will be notified of the violation and the supporting evidence and invited to defend or explain the allegations.

Violations are subject to the disciplinary provisions of show management in the state where the show occurs and the national dairy breed association. Sanctions may include any one, or combination of the following:

- forfeiture or return of awards, prizes, premiums or proceeds;
- written letter of reprimand to the owner, exhibitor, fitter and/or absolutely responsible person (the "Exhibitor");
- disqualification of the exhibition livestock from an exhibition;
- disqualification of the Exhibitor from the show;
- publication of offense.

Disqualification may include any or all shows and classes and may be for any number of years.

History: Adopted by PDCA in March 1969, revised March 1971, February 1977, February 1981, February 1986, February 1988, February 1989, February 1992, February 1993, November 1995, April 2003; April 2005.

ENFORCEMENT PROCEDURES

- 1) An Ethics Committee, which will include an Ethics Coordinator, an Ethics Veterinarian and assistants appointed by Wisconsin State Fair Management, will be on duty at Wisconsin State Fair.
- 2) The Ethics Committee will be responsible for monitoring violations of the Show Ring Code of Ethics by exhibitors and their representatives.
- 3) During this entire process, the identity of the animal, the owner and/or other involved parties will be kept confidential.
- 4) Complaints of alleged violations may be presented to the Dairy Cattle Show Superintendent, Wisconsin State Fair staff and/or the Ethics Committee.
- 5) All complaints of alleged violations received by the above individuals will be presented to the Ethics Coordinator to determine investigative requirements.
- 6) All findings found by the Ethics Committee will be presented to the Ethics Coordinator.
- 7) The Ethics Committee will have the authority to inspect all animals to determine if violations of the Show Ring Code of Ethics have occurred. To help in this regard the Ethics Committee does have the authority to perform:
 - a) An ultrasound examination of the udder prior to milkout
 - b) A milkout of any individual cow or cows and/or
 - c) The collection and testing of any of the animal's body fluids and/or,
 - d) The use of any other technology which may be useful in determining if a violation has occurred in any animal based on placement, random selection, or suspect characteristics.
 - e) The Ethics Committee may, at any time, require delivery to them any hypodermic syringe, needle, other device, swabs, cloths, other material, or samples of any medicine, preparation, or substance, whether in liquid or other form, in the possession or control of the exhibitor, his fitter, agents or persons acting on behalf of the exhibitor for the purpose of laboratory analysis.
- 8) If the Ethics Committee has found an individual who is not necessarily an owner or exhibitor in the act of committing a violation of the Code of Ethics, he or she will be subject to the same ethics enforcement procedures and possible sanctions as the owners or exhibitors.
- 9) If the Ethics Committee suspects a major violation will occur if an animal is shown and that violation is determined before the animal is shown, the Ethics Coordinator, along with the Dairy Cattle Show Superintendent and the Agriculture Director will determine if a major violation would occur if the animal was shown. The exhibitor will be informed the showing of that animal would result in a major violation of the Show Ring Code of Ethics. If the exhibitor decides not to show that animal, no violation will have occurred.
- 10) Following the judging of the milking cow classes, the Ethics Committee will ultrasound the udders, prior to milkout, of at least the top one third of the milking cow classes with a maximum of ten head per class.

- 11) Following the judging of the milking cow classes, milk samples will be taken from a minimum of three cows in the open show – the Grand Champion, the Reserve Grand Champion and Honorable Mention – and one cow in the junior show – the Grand Champion, with the option of more at the Ethics Committee's request.
- 12) Following the judging of the classes and the evaluation of the ultrasound readings and upon the receipt of the milk sample analysis or other lab reports and reports of eye witnesses or Ethics Committee personnel, the Ethics Coordinator will submit a report to the Dairy Cattle Exhibitors Committee, Superintendent and the Agriculture Director if any violations have occurred. This reporting will happen approximately 2 weeks after the end of the show.
- 13) The Agriculture Director will immediately notify the accused individuals a major violation of the Show Ring Code of Ethics has occurred and all of the supporting evidence will be shared confidentially with the exhibitor. Approximately two weeks later an ethics hearing will be scheduled.
- 14) The Ethics Coordinator and the Dairy Cattle Show Superintendent will present the evidence while maintaining individual confidentiality at a hearing of the Ethics Subcommittee of the Dairy Cattle Exhibitors Committee. This hearing will be presided over by the Chair of the Ethics Committee. The Exhibitor will be invited to defend or explain the allegations and/or have representation at the meeting. The Ethics subcommittee consists of seven people: six dairy committee members, including at least one representative from each breed if possible, and one member of the Wisconsin State Fair Park Agriculture Committee. They will serve as the jury to determine if violations have occurred and suggest what punishments are appropriate for this offense. The guilty verdict must be by a 2/3 majority of the Subcommittee. All actions will be reported to the Wisconsin State Fair Park Agriculture Committee and the Wisconsin State Fair Park Board.
- 15) The Agriculture Director will immediately inform guilty individuals of the actions of the Ethics Subcommittee hearing. The guilty individuals will have ten days to appeal the verdict allowing for error correcting only and not a re-hearing to the Wisconsin State Fair Agriculture Committee, consisting of 5 directors including one officer who will serve as chair. No Board member may serve on both Ethics committees. After ten days the Board of Director's Ethics Review Committee will determine the final verdict. The final verdict will be reported to the Dairy Cattle Exhibitors Committee and the Board of Directors.
- 16) If found guilty of a major violation of the Show Ring Code of Ethics, the individual, representative and/or animal will be barred from participating at Wisconsin State Fair for a minimum of one year and up to three years. The identity of the animal(s), exhibitors and/or representatives who are barred will be kept confidential.
- 17) An animal found in violation of the Show Ring Code of Ethics will not receive any class or futurity premiums from Wisconsin State Fair.
- 18) The individual, the exhibitor, their representatives and/or the animal guilty of repeating a major violation could be barred from participating at Wisconsin State Fair for life.
- 19) Barring an exhibitor or representative and/or an individual will result in animals owned fully or in partnership by that individual, farm and/or affiliated entity not being allowed to enter or exhibit in Wisconsin State Fair shows. That individual will also be ineligible to serve on an official committee, as an official judge and/or other official capacity for three years.
- 20) If a serious violation has occurred, the Ethics Coordinator will report this to the Dairy Show Superintendent who will report this violation to the judge for his or her action placing of the class. In addition, if the judge finds a serious violation, he or she should also utilize this in his or her placing of the class.
- 21) Additionally, the Ethics Coordinator will report the serious violation to the Agriculture Director, who will issue a letter of severe reprimand to the exhibitor. Repeated violations could be sent to the Dairy Show Ethics subcommittee for further disciplinary action.
- 22) If a minor violation has occurred, the exhibitor will be notified and asked to refrain from such behavior. The Ethics Coordinator will inform the Dairy Show Superintendent, who can inform the judge of the minor violation or the judge can also determine if a minor violation has occurred in the show ring and use these findings in the placing of the class. The minor violation will be reported to the Agriculture Director and a letter of reprimand will be issued to the exhibitor.
- 23) The Official Judge or Ethics Committee can also order a milkout for the entire show or for individual classes or animals. When a milkout is ordered for the entire show all group classes must be milked

out. After the animals have been milked out, they will be shown again and the judge may alter the placing accordingly.

- 24) Any serious or major violations uncovered during or after the milkout will follow the same procedures as described above.

BREED REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

Ayrshire: All animals exhibiting in the Ayrshire Show must be verified as at least 87% Ayrshire by the U.S. Ayrshire Breeders' Association. All animals must be identified by an eartag or tattoo. Animals born after January 1, 2010 must be identified by either an official Ayrshire tattoo (tattoo in the left ear consisting of reserved letters, a number and/or a letter assigned for the birth year) or an American ID tag.

Brown Swiss: Animals eligible to be shown must have one of the following registration certificates: standard registration certificate (white with a green border) which is issued for registered Brown Swiss females and Certified Identity Enrolled Females (CIE) or Brown Swiss Step II Identity Enrolled (IE) animals (green registration paper with a black border). Animals with other colored papers cannot be shown.

Guernsey: Guernseys must be registered in the herd book as defined by the American Guernsey Cattle Club. A registered Guernsey must have a white registration certificate and recorded as GR on the prefix of the animal name or full herd book status. The animal's identity is determined by a sketch of color markings, or a tattoo in the ear which is recorded on the registration paper, or an ear tag in each ear as recorded on the registration paper.

Holstein: A registered Holstein must be a minimum of 87% RHA to be eligible to show. The animal's identity is determined by a sketch or photograph of color markings, two Holstein ear tags, or one Holstein ear tag and either a tattoo or freeze brand as approved by the Holstein Association USA, Inc. and as recorded on the certificate of registration of the animal. Red and White Holsteins can be shown in the Holstein division if the animal is registered with the Holstein Association USA, Inc. Red and Whites can be double registered with the Red & White Association and Holstein Association USA but they may only be shown in one of the respective divisions.

Jersey: A registered Jersey must have a white registration certificate with green border. The animal's identity is determined by the American Jersey Cattle Association approved tamper-proof ear tags and/or rule compliant ear tattoos.

Milking Shorthorn: Animals must be registered with the American Milking Shorthorn Society. Animals are eligible to show as long as the registration paper does not state "Not Eligible to Show". The animal's identity is determined by a tattoo or a permanent NAIS tag.

Red & White: The Red and White Dairy Cattle Association will accept registration papers and/or a certificate of identification (CID) from Holstein Association USA. Other registration papers accepted will be from RWCA, Holstein Association USA showing the suffix "RED" and Holstein Canada showing the suffix "RED". Animals must be true red; no brindles or black-reds. Red and Whites can be double registered with the Red & White Association and Holstein Association USA but they may only be shown in one of the respective divisions.

PREMIUMS

Straight placing will be used.

Heifers

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th	11 th and up*
\$40	\$38	\$36	\$34	\$32	\$30	\$28	\$26	\$24	\$22	\$20

***New for 2014!** Individual place ribbons will be distributed for every placing in each class.

Cows

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th	11 th and up*
\$80	\$75	\$70	\$65	\$60	\$55	\$50	\$45	\$40	\$35	\$30

***New for 2014!** Individual place ribbons will be distributed for every placing in each class.

BREED DIVISIONS

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|----------------|----------------------|
| 1. Ayrshire | 5. Jersey |
| 2. Brown Swiss | 6. Milking Shorthorn |
| 3. Guernsey | 7. Red & White |

Class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th	11 th and up
1. Spring Heifer Calf (March, 2014 and after)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	22	20
2. Winter Heifer Calf (December, 2013 – February, 2014)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	24	20
3. Fall Heifer Calf (September – November, 2013)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	24	20
4. Summer Yearling Heifer (June – August, 2013)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	24	20
5. Spring Yearling Heifer (March – May, 2013)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	24	20
6. Winter Yearling Heifer (December, 2012 – February, 2013)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	24	20
7. Fall Yearling Heifer (September – November, 2012)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	24	20
<i>Champion Junior Female (classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7)</i>								Rosette & Andis Clipper			
<i>Reserve Champion Junior Female</i>								Rosette & Andis Clipper			
10. Junior Cow, 2 Years Old (March – August, 2012)	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30
11. Senior Cow, 2 Years Old in Milk (September, 2011 – February, 2012)	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30
12. Cow in Milk, 3 Years (September, 2010 – August, 2011)	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30
13. Cow in Milk, 4 Years (September, 2009 – August, 2010)	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30
14. Cow in Milk, 5 Years (September, 2008 – August, 2009)	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30
15. Cow in Milk, 6 Years Old and Older (before September 1, 2008)	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30
<i>Champion Senior Female (classes 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15)</i>								Rosette			
<i>Reserve Champion Senior Female</i>								Rosette			
<i>Grand Champion Female (classes 8 and 16)</i>								Award, Andis Clipper & Dairyland Youth Celebration Recognition			
<i>Reserve Grand Champion Female</i>								Award & Andis Clipper			
<i>Grand Champion Bred and Owned Female</i>								Award & Andis Clipper			
<i>Reserve Grand Champion Bred and Owned Female</i>								Award & Andis Clipper			

HOLSTEIN DIVISION 4

Class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th	11 th and up
1. Spring Heifer Calf (March, 2014 and after)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	22	20
2. Winter Heifer Calf (December, 2013 – February, 2014)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	22	20
3. Fall Heifer Calf (September – November, 2013)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	22	20
<i>Champion Calf (classes 1, 2 and 3)</i>								Rosette			
<i>Reserve Champion Calf</i>								Rosette			
6. Summer Yearling Heifer (June – August, 2013)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	22	20
7. Spring Yearling Heifer (March – May, 2013)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	22	20
8. Winter Yearling Heifer (December, 2012 – February, 2013)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	22	20
9. Fall Yearling Heifer (September – November, 2012)	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	22	20
<i>Champion Yearling Female (classes 6, 7, 8 and 9)</i>								Rosette			

	<i>Reserve Champion Yearling Female</i>	<i>Rosette</i>											
	<i>Champion Junior Female (classes 4 and 10)</i>	<i>Rosette & Andis Clipper</i>											
	<i>Reserve Champion Junior Female</i>	<i>Rosette & Andis Clipper</i>											
	<i>Champion Bred and Owned Junior Female</i>	<i>Award</i>											
	<i>Reserve Champion Bred and Owned Junior Female</i>	<i>Award</i>											
16.	Junior Cow, 2 Years (March – August, 2012)	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	
17.	Senior Cow in Milk, 2 years (September, 2011 – February, 2012)	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	
18.	Junior Cow in Milk, 3 years (March – August, 2011)	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	
19.	Senior Cow in Milk, 3 years (September, 2010 – February, 2011)	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	
20.	Cow in Milk, 4 Years (September, 2009 – August, 2010)	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	
21.	Cow in Milk, 5 Years (September, 2008 – August, 2009)	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	
22.	Cow in Milk, 6 Years and older (August, 2008 and before)	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	
	<i>Champion Senior Female (classes 16– 22)</i>	<i>Rosette</i>											
	<i>Reserve Champion Senior Female</i>	<i>Rosette & Andis Clipper</i>											
	<i>Grand Champion Female (classes 12 and 23)</i>	<i>Award, Andis Clipper & Dairyland Youth Celebration Recognition</i>											
	<i>Reserve Grand Champion Female</i>	<i>Award & Andis Clipper</i>											
	<i>Grand Champion Bred and Owned Female</i>	<i>Award & Andis Clipper</i>											
	<i>Reserve Grand Champion Bred and Owned Female</i>	<i>Award & Andis Clipper</i>											

SUPREME CHAMPION COW

Presented by: CASE IH

DIVISION 700

(Do not pre-enter)

The Grand Champion Cow from each breed division may compete for the title of Supreme Champion.

This contest will be held on Friday, August 1st following the conclusion of breed shows.

The Supreme Champion Cow will receive:

\$500 cash award sponsored by **CASE IH**

Featherlite Trailer incentive program sponsored by **R.A. Adams Enterprises, McHenry, IL**

Banner from **Wisconsin State Fair**

Trophy provided by **World Dairy Expo**

The Reserve Supreme Champion Cow will receive:

\$250 cash award sponsored by **CASE IH**

Banner from **Wisconsin State Fair**

SUPREME CHAMPION BRED AND OWNED COW

Presented by CASE IH

DIVISION 701

(Do not pre-enter)

The Grand Champion Bred and Owned Cow from each breed division may compete for the title of Supreme Champion. This contest will be held on Friday, August 2nd following the conclusion of breed shows.

The Supreme Champion Bred and Owned Cow will receive:

\$250 cash award sponsored by **CASE IH**

Banner from **Wisconsin State Fair**

The Reserve Supreme Champion Bred and Owned Cow will receive:

\$150 cash award sponsored by **CASE IH**

AGSOURCE PRODUCTION AWARDS – ALL BREEDS

A special production award will be presented to the exhibitor of the cow with the highest current or completed 305-day, combined butterfat and protein production record in each of the seven breed shows. Winners will be announced and awards presented during the Dairyland Youth Celebration.

Eligibility:

1. Exhibitors must furnish their DHI herd code number and animal's registration number on the Junior Dairy Show entry form.
2. Only SUPERVISED DHI RECORDS WILL BE ACCEPTED. Exhibitor must provide a DHI Individual Cow Report or DHI Monthly Production Report to the Superintendent for verification upon check-in.
3. Only 305-day (or less) records will be considered.
4. 3X (or more) records will not be converted to 2X.
5. The animal's placing within her respective class has no bearing on this award.
6. The animal with the highest actual (not mature equivalent) combined pounds of butterfat and protein will be named the winner.
7. If a tie should occur, the advantage will be given to the cow with the higher pounds of milk produced.

SPECIAL AWARDS

GEORGE BARLASS HERDSMAN AWARD

The George Barlass Herdsman Award will be awarded to a Junior Colored Breed exhibitor who displays outstanding sportsmanship, knowledge of the dairy industry and showmanship ability. The award will be presented during the Dairyland Youth Celebration.

AYRSHIRE BREED SPECIALS

The **Wisconsin Ayrshire Breeders** will provide trophies to the exhibitors of the Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Ayrshire female.

The **Wisconsin Ayrshire Breeder's Association** will present trophies to the exhibitors of the Junior Champion and Reserve Junior Champion females

The **Wisconsin Ayrshire Breeder's Association** is awarding a leather show halter to the top Ayrshire exhibitor in each of the eight Junior Dairy Showmanship classes.

BROWN SWISS BREED SPECIALS

The **Wisconsin Brown Swiss Association** will provide a trophy for the Grand Champion Female.

Voegeli Farm Inc will provide a trophy for Junior Champion Brown Swiss Female.

GUERNSEY BREED SPECIALS

The **Central Wisconsin Junior Guernsey Breeders Association** will provide a trophy to the exhibitor of the Grand Champion Guernsey Female.

The **West Central Guernsey Breeders Association** will provide an award to the exhibitor of the Reserve Grand Champion Guernsey Female.

The **Rock County Guernsey Breeders Association** will provide an award to the exhibitor of the Junior Champion Guernsey Female.

The **Clark and Joy Vilter Family** will provide an award to the exhibitor of the Reserve Junior Champion Guernsey Female.

The **Wisconsin Junior Guernsey Breeders Association** will provide the Champion Bred and Owned Female award in the Junior Dairy Show in memory of Gib Krohn.

JERSEY BREED SPECIALS

The **American Jersey Cattle Association** will award special ribbons to the first, second and third place winner in each Junior Fair individual female jersey class, plus a grand championship rosette and special award.

The **Wisconsin Junior Jersey Breeders Association** will present a trophy to the Champion Bred and Owned of the Junior Jersey show. A best Bred and Owned entry will be selected from each class. Class winners may return for the selection of the Champion Bred and Owned of the breed show. Cattle must be bred and owned by the junior exhibitor and stated as such on the registration certificate. Partnerships are not allowed between juniors and adults, however, they are allowed between juniors. A partnership animal may change ownership and still be considered a bred and owned animal if one of the original breeders' retain ownership and is of junior age.

HOLSTEIN BREED SPECIALS

The **Wisconsin Junior Holstein Association** will present a trophy to the first and second place entries in each class of the Junior Holstein Show on behalf of a sponsor.

The **Wisconsin Junior Holstein Association** will present a trophy to the Champion Bred and Owned Cow of the Junior Holstein Show on behalf of a sponsor.

The **Wisconsin Junior Holstein Association** will present a county trophy and/or exhibitor medallions to first and second place entries in the Best County Holstein Junior and Senior herds on behalf of various sponsors.

The **National Holstein Foundation** will present ribbons to the top 5 place winners of the Junior Holstein show.

The **Wisconsin Holstein Association** will present a ribbon to the first place Bred and Owned entry in each Holstein class on behalf of a sponsor. Class winners qualify for additional Bred and Owned Champion Awards. To qualify for bred and owned awards, cattle must be bred and owned by the junior exhibitor and stated as such on the registration certificate. Partnerships are not allowed between juniors and adults, however they are allowed between juniors. A partnership animal may change ownership and still be considered bred and owned if one of the original breeders retain ownership and is of junior age.

THE GREAT NORTHERN CUP AWARD

The Great Northern Cup Award is sponsored by **Great Northern Land and Cattle Company, Inc.—**Fond du Lac, WI. This award shall be presented to a Junior Holstein exhibitor who excels in:

- Good sportsmanship, fellowship, and leadership
- Cooperation with officials and fellow exhibitors
- Showmanship ability
- Fitting and training of animals
- Courtesy to public and the judge
- Overall care of animals

DIVISION 7

- A Junior herd shall consist of animals selected from the Calf and Yearling classes.

A Senior herd shall consist of animals selected from the Summer Yearling or older classes.

Excellence of individual animals.....	40 points
Maturity of animals	30 points
Fitting and preparation.....	20 points
Herd Presentation (Includes keeping the animals close together and standing properly. One Junior Exhibitor should be the “heeler” who keeps the herd organized).....	10 points
	100 points

Herd Presentation (Includes keeping the animals close together and standing properly.

DIVISION 8

Straight Placing will be used

All counties with 5 head or more will be judged on herdsmanship by a panel of qualified judges. Awards will be presented to the top 5 counties in the large and small divisions during the Dairyland Youth Celebration.

Judging times are as follows:

Thursday, Friday and Saturday:	9 am - 9 pm
Sunday:	8 am - 9 am

HERDSMANSHIP AWARD SCORE CARD

Items to be considered when making the selection:

1. Preparation of the Exhibit

- Decorations - Neat and attractive, well planned theme, not gaudy or overdone, consistent color scheme for background and rack boxes
- Animal Arrangement - Animals attractively arranged, preferably by size and breed; correctly spaced (neither too close or too far apart)
- Signs - Signs for each animal; appropriate and readable; complete information
- Display Area - Not to exceed an 8x10 foot area and 10 feet high, neat and original, educational, one display per county. Booths and storage facilities are interpreted as displays

2. Care of Exhibit

- Cattle - Cattle cleaned, well-groomed, comfortable, tied properly, no flies
- Aisles - Aisles clean and neat, adequate width for visitors
- Bedding Pack - Adequate bedding, properly packed (5-8 inches), front higher than rear, clean, bright straw, rear edge neat and square
- Feed and Storage Equipment - Neat and orderly storage, buckets and equipment clean, out of sight if possible within space guidelines of display area

3. Appearance and Attitude of Exhibitor(s)

- Knowledge and Courtesy - Friendly, able to answer questions about the exhibit and/or the cattle
- Exhibitor (s) Appearance - Clothes and person neat and clean, appropriate dress

Class

- Large herd: 20 or more head
- Small herd: 5 to 19 head

WISCONSIN STATE FAIR DAIRY PROMOTION BOARD EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT AWARDS

Educational exhibits are encouraged but not required. **The Wisconsin State Fair Dairy Promotion Board will sponsor a cash award of \$100 to the** top 10 large counties and the top 10 small counties having a worthy and deserving exhibit geared to educating consumers. The exhibit may be part of the county's existing decorations. Award winners will be announced and distributed during the Dairyland Youth Celebration on Sunday, August 3rd at 10 am by the Wisconsin State Fair Dairy Promotion Board.

SHOWMANSHIP

DIVISION 10

Entry Fee: No Charge

PREMIUMS

Straight placing will be used.

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11 th - 15 th	16 th - 20 th
\$100	\$90	\$80	\$70	\$60	\$50	\$45	\$40	\$35	\$30	\$25	\$20

- Only exhibitors in the department are eligible for the Junior Dairy Showmanship Contest. **New for 2014! All exhibitors will be entered in Showmanship at no charge.** Participation in Showmanship must be confirmed during check in at the Fair.
- Exhibitors must exhibit his/her own animal entered and checked in for one of the breed classes. The same animal must be used in all heats and finals.
- Fitting is optional. Milking females do not need to be bagged for competition. Special consideration will not be given for those which are.

- 4) The exhibitor's age as of January 1st will be used for determining age class. The Superintendent will post class order at the Fair and reserves the right to break any age classes with more than ten participants into heats. Exhibitors will be randomly assigned to heats. The judge will select the top showpersons in each heat (quantity at the judge's discretion) to advance to the final class for that particular age. The Superintendent will post class/heat order at the Fair.
- 5) Premiums for the finals will be paid using straight placing.
- 6) Exhibitors are encouraged to wear a Wisconsin State Fair sponsored showmanship shirt if available.

PDCA SCORE CARD FOR JUDGING FITTING AND SHOWING CONTEST

Showmanship judging criteria will be based on the 2011 PDCA Dairy Showmanship guidelines which can be found on: <http://www.hoards.com/12mar10-2011-new-PDCA-showmanship-scorecard>

Classes

1.	Showmanship 12 years of age	Award
2.	Showmanship 13 years of age	Award
3.	Showmanship 14 years of age	Award
4.	Showmanship 15 years of age	Award
5.	Showmanship 16 years of age	Award
6.	Showmanship 17 years of age	Award
7.	Showmanship 18 years of age	Award
8.	Showmanship 19 years of age	Award

SUPREME CHAMPION SHOWPERSON

A Supreme Champion Showperson will be selected from the above showmanship age class winners and will receive:

\$200 cash award sponsored by **CASE IH**
 Jacket presented directly from **Images Embroidery**
 Banner from **Wisconsin State Fair**

A Reserve Supreme Champion Showperson will be selected from the above showmanship age class winners and will receive:

\$100 cash award sponsored by **CASE IH**

SPECIAL SHOWMANSHIP AWARDS

The **Wisconsin Junior Jersey Breeders Association** will present a showmanship award to the top placing Jersey exhibitor in each division.

JUNIOR DAIRY PREMIER EXHIBITOR CONTEST

Division 700

The purpose of the Dairy Premier Exhibitor Contest is to provide exhibitors an opportunity to demonstrate their knowledge about the Dairy project. All exhibitors are strongly encouraged to participate to further their knowledge in judging, husbandry, showmanship, breeding and the entire industry.

Activity	Schedule
Judging Contest	7/30 - 7 pm – 5 th Street (behind upper livestock barns)
Quiz	7/31– 7 pm (TBA)
Skillathon	7/31– 7 pm (TBA)

Showmanship	8/2– 8 am (Coliseum)

- 1) The contest is open to Wisconsin State Fair junior exhibitors who are actively exhibiting in the current Fair. Contestants are encouraged to participate in each of the four contests. The overall placing will be determined using all four contests.
- 2) How to register for contests:
Judging/Skillathon/Quiz - Show up at designated location and time as listed.
Showmanship – exhibitors must register on the Wisconsin State Fair entry form at time of entry. No late entries will be accepted.
- 3) Contestants' scoring will be an accumulation of points earned from rankings in the 4 contests:

<u>Rank in Contest</u>	<u>Points</u>
1st	100
2nd	95
3rd	90
4th	85
5th	80
6th	75
7th	70
8th	65
9th	60
10th	55
Participation	50

- a. **Quiz** – A 25 question quiz related to the dairy industry will be given. Tie-Breaker questions will be noted as such on the quiz.
- b. **Skillathon** – Stations test knowledge on topics such as: Breeds, Nutrition, Genetics, Milk, Reproduction, etc. Tie-breaker questions will be noted as such in the skillathon.
- c. **Showmanship** – Participants will be ranked by the judge.
- e. **Judging Contest** – Each exhibitor will rank a class of cows, a class of heifers and answer 5 questions on one of the classes. Each class is worth 50 points and questions are worth 10 points each.
Questions will be the first tie-breaker and one class will be identified as the second tie-breaker.
Contest scores and answer keys will be posted in the Superintendent's office as soon as they are officially scored. Overall tie-breaker: In the event a tie exists the exhibitor placing higher in the skillathon event will receive the higher placing.

PREMIER EXHIBITOR AWARDS will be announced during the Dairyland Youth Celebration on Sunday, August 3rd at 10 am.

OVERALL PREMIER EXHIBITOR AWARDS

Awards will be announced during the Dairyland Youth Celebration on Sunday, August 3, 2014 at 10 am.

Overall cash awards will be presented by **Wisconsin State Fair**.

1st Place \$300, Award and a stadium blanket sponsored by **Profiles Show Supply & Custom Embroidery**

2nd Place \$250 and Award

3rd Place \$200 and Award

4th Place \$150 and Award

5th Place \$100 and Award

6th -10th \$50 and Rosette

Accelerated Genetics, the **Wisconsin Brown Swiss Association** and the **Wisconsin Holstein Association** have provided funds to support the contest.

The 1st place winner in the Quiz, Skillathon and Judging Contests will be presented a clipper by **Andis Co Inc.**

DAIRYLAND YOUTH CELEBRATION

Sunday, August 3, 10 am - Coliseum

Sponsored by: Wisconsin State Fair Dairy Promotion Committee

The Wisconsin State Fair Dairy Promotion Committee will present a cash award to the Junior Exhibitors who exhibit:

- Grand Champion Ayrshire
- Grand Champion Brown Swiss
- Grand Champion Guernsey
- Grand Champion Holstein
- Grand Champion Jersey
- Grand Champion Milking Shorthorn
- Grand Champion Red & White
- Supreme Champion Showperson, Junior Dairy Show
- Best Doe in Show, Junior Dairy Goat Show
- Supreme Champion Showperson, Junior Dairy Goat Show