

JUNIOR MARKET BEEF

DIVISION 1

DEPARTMENT 915

Entry Fee: \$20.00 per entry

Entries Close: Monday, August 2nd
Cancellations: Friday, August 13th
Arrival of Cattle: Friday, August 27th from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Exhibitors Meeting, Ear Tagging and Inspection: Saturday, August 28th at 8:45 a.m.
Weight Declarations: Saturday, August 28th 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon
Showmanship: Saturday, August 28th @ 5:00 p.m.
Show: Sunday August 29th @ 8:00 a.m.
Begin Release: Sunday, August 29th following Show

All non-sale Market Beef must be out of the barn by Sunday, August 29th @ 9:00 p.m.

LIMITED TO FOUR (4) MARKET BEEF PER EXHIBITOR

COMPETITION REQUIREMENTS: (subject to change without notice)

1. All entrants must have read and be familiar with the Colorado State Fair General Competition Requirements, General Livestock Competition Requirements, Junior Livestock Competition Requirements, Junior Livestock Sale Participation Requirements and Health Requirements. Exhibitors must comply with the Wholesome Meat provisions.
2. All exhibitors in Open, Junior Breeding and Market shows must submit a Premises ID (PID) number at the time of entry. PID may be obtained online on the Colorado Department of Agriculture website.
3. **BEDDING:** Exhibitors are responsible for their own livestock bedding. Entry into competition at the Colorado State Fair and Industrial Exposition does not include bedding. Bedding may be pre-purchased at the time of entry. Pre-purchased bedding may be picked up in the designated area on load-in days. Exhibitors must be present to claim their pre-purchased bedding. Refunds will not be issued for any pre-purchased bedding.

Straw may only be used for Dairy Cattle, Dairy Goats, Breeding Sheep and Cattle tie-outs. All other uses of straw are prohibited.

Outside bedding for livestock exhibitors is permitted.

4. **BARN SECURITY/RESTRICTED AREA:** For security reasons, all Market Hog, Market Lambs, Market Goat and Market Beef barns will be locked at **9:00 p.m.** every night prior to sale date, and remain locked until 6:00 a.m. the following morning. Each barn will have Colorado State Fair Public Safety Officers to secure the area and to enforce the nightly lock down. Exhibitors must confine their animals within their designated stall or pen assignment and wash rack not to wander in general public areas.
5. Market Beef Classes are open to steers and heifers. Steers and heifers must weigh a minimum of **1,050** pounds to be eligible to compete in the market classes.
6. All heifers must be accompanied by a certificate issued by a licensed veterinarian verifying the heifer is pregnancy tested OPEN within 30 days of Colorado State Fair.
7. No steer or heifer born before January of the previous year is eligible to show. The dentition process may determine age. All animals must have both temporary central incisors (baby teeth) in place. Any evidence of tampering with tooth development will be cause for disqualification. The dentitions' decision is final.

- 8 Steers and heifers will be shown by weight. Steers and heifers will be divided by sex into classes as determined appropriate by the Colorado State Fair Superintendents. Heifers will compete in a heifer class. All steers placing first in a class will compete in the Grand Champion Drive. Second place class winner from the class from which the Grand Champion Market Beef is selected may be considered for Reserve Grand Champion Market Beef. Heifers will compete equally with the steers in the Grand Champion Drive.
- 9 ENTRY NUMBERS: Each entry will be assigned a number. Entry numbers will be provided to exhibitors. These numbers must be displayed by the exhibitor when the animal is in the show ring.
- 10 There will be no official weigh-in of Market Beef. Scales will be available for the exhibitors' use until the deadline for turning in the weight nomination form. An official weight nomination form must be obtained by the Exhibitor when the animal is inspected. The official weight nomination form must be turned into the Livestock Office no later than the deadline listed above. The weight(s) indicated on the weight nomination form will be the official show weight. There will be no changing of weights or breeds after the weight nomination form has been turned in.
- 11 A water container, with water, must be visible and available for watering on a regular basis in each penned/stalled area at all times. NO feeding or watering of livestock in show rings, holding pens or to and from re-weigh stations will be permitted. Colorado State Fair Officials reserve the right, at its discretion, to contact a CSF veterinarian to determine if water should be given. **Drenching for hydration purposes will be allowed. No stomach pumping will be permitted.**
- 12 Nose rings or tongs may be used by market beef exhibitors for the control of their animal.
- 13 Exhibitors only are allowed in the beef show ring staging areas.
- 14 Any violation of the following Competition Requirements regarding fitting of livestock will result in automatic disqualification with no recourse:
 - (a) The natural color of the steer/heifer cannot be altered using any artificial coloring. However, products that match the natural color of the steer/heifer may be used in the fitting process from the knees and hocks down and on the switch only. (For example, black products may be used on black-legged steer/heifer, red on a red-legged steer/heifer, and white on a white-legged steer/heifer.
 - (b) Any grooming material on any other part of the body not mentioned will be rubbed with a cloth or glove which will show evidence of artificial color.
 - (c) Any entries adding an artificial tail head or tail fin, artificial poll, or any hair or hair-like substance.
 - (d) The showing of livestock of any ineligible age or showing unethically fitted livestock is prohibited.
 - (e) Unethical fitting will be deemed to consist of any method, which alters the natural conformation of any part of the animal's body.
 - (f) Any ear tag tampering or removals, other than by a Colorado State Fair official or licensed veterinarian.
- 15 After each class of Market Beef has been placed, the top five animals will be weighed on the official scale by show officials. Market Beef cannot deviate more than 5% above or below the declared show weight as previously designated by the exhibitor on the weight card. If any Market Beef is weighed out, it will be disqualified and the remaining animals will be moved up in placing. The disqualified beef is not eligible for any other class and will not be reweighed.
- 16 Once the sale beef have been determined, those animals will be moved to a showcase area designated by the Livestock Superintendents. All equipment, except for those items needed to feed and water animals and clean stalls, shall be removed from the barn. The Colorado State Fair will provide each exhibitor with two (2) bags of shavings for use in the new stalling area.
- 17 This show is a terminal show only for the Jr. Market Beef that are selected for the Junior Livestock Sale. There is no buy-back consignment offered through the Colorado State Fair. Jr. Market Beef that do not make sale will be released to the exhibitor after the final sale order is posted. Market Beef exhibitors are encouraged to utilize sound biosecurity practices upon departure from the Colorado State Fair; recommended biosecurity procedures are available in the Livestock Office.

MARKET BEEF CLASS#:

PREMIUM

1701. Jr. Market Heifers A & R
1751. Jr. Market Steers A & R

PREMIUM SCHEDULE:

	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>6th</u>	<u>7th</u>	<u>8th</u>	<u>9th</u>	<u>10th</u>
A:	\$40	35	30	25	20	15	10	10	5	5
R:	Rosettes for Champion and Reserve Champion in each class.									

GRAND CHAMPION MARKET BEEF

Grand Champion Drive: Sunday, August 29th – ½ hour after completion of show

1st Place class winners will compete, 2nd Place class winners may be considered for Reserve Grand Champion.

1798. GRAND CHAMPION MARKET BEEF Buckle by Colorado Livestock Association
..... Trophy by Colorado Livestock Association
..... Traveling trophy by CSU Animal Sciences Department
..... Banner by Colorado State Fair
..... Clipper Box by ADM Animal Nutrition, Inc.
..... Quart of Lubrisyn Livestock

1799. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MARKET BEEF Buckle by Zoetis
..... Trophy by Colorado Cattlemen's Assoc.
..... Banner by Colorado State Fair
..... Cooler by ADM Animal Nutrition, Inc.
..... Quart of Lubrisyn Livestock

MARKET BEEF SHOWMANSHIP

Show: Saturday, August 28th @ 5:00 p.m.

DIVISION 25

NO FEE

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COMPETITION REQUIREMENTS:

- No Pre-entry or Entry Fee required.** Exhibitors may sign up at time of inspection and weight declaration.
- Classes are limited to exhibitors with Market Beef entries. Exhibitors must show their own animal.
- Three age divisions are offered with exhibitor age considered as of December of the past year.
- The Judge will consider appearance of the animal, showmanship ability of the exhibitor and the exhibitor's appearance, courtesy and knowledge.

CLASS#:

1771. Senior Division (14-18 yrs of age) Champion Buckle by Vickland Show Cattle
..... Framed Scholarship Certificate by N.J.C.
..... Award by Bill and Georgia Seward Memorial

1773. Intermediate Division (11-13 yrs of age) Champion Buckle by Vickland Show Cattle
..... Award by Colorado State Fair

1775. Junior Division (8-10 yrs of age) Champion Buckle by Vickland Show Cattle
..... Award by Colorado State Fair

Rosettes will be awarded to 1st through 6th place in each division. No premiums will be paid for Showmanship.

MARKET BEEF SPECIAL AWARD SPONSORS

ADM ANIMAL NUTRITION INC, will present clipper boxes to the Grand Champion Market Beef and a cooler to the Reserve Grand Champion Market Beef.

BILL & GEORGIA SEWARD MEMORIAL and SEWARD FAMILY; Seward Family, 39101 Co. Rd. E, Yuma, CO 80759; offers a Bill & Georgia Seward Memorial award to the Champion Senior Division Beef Showman in memory of Bill Seward, an outstanding fitter and showman, and mother, Georgia.

COLORADO CATTLEMEN'S ASSOCIATION; 8833 Ralston Road, Arvada, CO 80002, will present a trophy to the Reserve Grand Champion Market Beef exhibitor. The CCA gives complimentary Junior Colorado Cattlemen's Memberships to all Division Champions and Reserve Champions.

COLORADO CATTLEWOMEN, INC., c/o Kathleen Shoemaker, Canon City, CO, sponsor cash awards for the Market Beef Carcass Contest. Awards of \$100.00 for first place and \$50.00 for second place will be paid with premiums. Market Beef carcasses will be evaluated once the Jr. Livestock Sale has been completed and the beef harvested and the results will be published on the Colorado State Fair Livestock website.

COLORADO LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION; Bill Hammerich and Kellee Mitchell, 2425 35th Avenue, Suite 202, Greeley, CO 80634, sponsor a buckle and a trophy for the Grand Champion Market Beef Exhibitor.

COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY, Department of Animal Sciences, 1171 Campus Delivery, Fort Collins, CO, sponsors a traveling trophy for the Grand Champion Market Beef.

LUBRISYN LIVESTOCK, c/o Cody Lane and Lori Monte, Simpsonville, KY; will provide a quart of LubriSyn Livestock to the Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Market Beef. LubriSyn Livestock is brought to you by a team of experts who pioneer and develop safe, all-natural products that dramatically improve the quality of life for all animals. Take your livestock to the peak of their performance with LubriSyn Livestock, your source for the highest level of soundness.

NORTHEASTERN JUNIOR COLLEGE; 100 College Ave., Sterling, CO 80751; awards a \$1,000.00 scholarship to NJC to the Senior Division Showmanship winner. Framed Scholarship Certificate will be presented at the show.

SANTA CRUZ ANIMAL HEALTH donates 3 oz. Ultracruz hand sanitizer gels for all Market exhibitors.

THE COLORADO GELBIEH ASSOCIATION; Bill Wilkinson, 23115 CR 111.3 Model, CO 81059, will award \$100.00 to the Grand Champion Jr. Market Beef exhibitor provided the calf is a Gelbvieh cross sired by a Gelbvieh bull. Verification from breeder of sire must be provided.

THE COLORADO SIMMENTAL ASSOCIATION; Susan Russell, 24614 Road G, Sugar City, CO 81076, will pay \$100.00 to the Grand Champion Jr. Market Beef exhibitor and \$50.00 to the Reserve Grand Champion exhibitor provided the calf is sired by a registered Simmental bull.

THE NORTH AMERICAN LIMOUSIN FOUNDATION; Box 4467, Englewood, CO 80155, offers a special edition brass engraved trophy belt buckle and certificate of merit to the owner of the Grand Champion Jr. Market Beef if sired by a registered Limousin bull of 75% or more Limousin blood.

VICKLAND SHOW CATTLE; Longmont, CO, sponsors the Champion Market Beef Showmanship buckles for the Senior, Intermediate, and Junior Divisions.

W.W. PAUL SCALES; Bo Sanders, P. O. Box 729, Duncan, OK 73534, will provide the certified beef scales for the Jr. Market Beef show.

WEAVER LIVESTOCK sponsors two (2) \$25.00 gift cards to Stock Show Pro show supply trailer to be awarded to the two individuals selected by the Colorado State Fair Livestock Superintendents as exhibiting one of the Weaver Leather Livestock's Principles for Success Outstanding Character Traits.

ZOETIS; Ben Cooley, 302 Clark Street, Sterling, CO 807561, sponsors the buckle awarded to the Reserve Grand Champion Market Beef.

THANK YOU TO ALL OUR SPONSORS!