

New Mexico State Fair
September 9 – 25, 2011

JUNIOR DIVISION
– Breeding Heifers –

Division 26

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Superintendents
Albert & Audra Lyon

Judge
John Rayfield

Show
Thursday, September 15, 2011 – 8:00 am

GUIDE FOR LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS 2011 SEASON

New Mexico Livestock Board
New Mexico State Cooperative Extension Service
New Mexico FFA Association

All in-state junior livestock (cattle, sheep, goats and swine) showing at New Mexico fairs must have an NMLB APPROVED fair tag furnished by the NMLB and a Form 1 inspection issued by the NMLB before entering any county or state fair. All out of state livestock must comply with New Mexico import requirements. The Form 1 inspection will be issued at the time the NMLB APPROVED tag is placed in the animal, tags will be issued by the NMLB. The application of the tag will be done by the extension agent, FFA advisor or fair personnel. All animals must be tagged and inspected no later than July 15th. The purpose of these requirements is to keep on file a record of animals that are commingled at fairs and shows.

CATTLE

- Proof of ownership (NMLB “Form 1” inspection certificate) must accompany the animal when traveling, whether in or out of the district; this is the assurance that all requirements have been met.
- Brands:
 1. All in state show cattle must be branded with a New Mexico registered brand; if not that of the brand’s registered owner, a bill of sale and a letter of permission from the brand’s owner is required.
 2. Fresh brands are not allowed – the brand must be “peeled and healed”.
 3. A freeze brand does not qualify as a New Mexico registered brand.
 4. Cattle may be shown with the originating herd’s New Mexico registered brand with a bill of sale and a letter of permission from that brand owner.
 5. Certificates of Brand Exemption are allowed only on registered breeding cattle under that ownership. Steers do not qualify for a Certificate of Brand Exemption.
- All breeding bulls require a negative trichomoniasis test.
- All dairy cattle over 4 months of age are required to have a negative TB test. Test is good for 120 days prior to showing.
- Breeding show heifers must be identified by breed registry number; tattoo or tag. for purposes of traceability.
- Accredited TB-Free Herd status will be recognized.

ADDITIONAL RULES

- 1) No copies or faxed copies of TB test charts (VS Form 6-22) or health certificates will be accepted, unless signed by the veterinarian (who administered the test) in blue ink certifying the copy. The exhibitor must bring these documents to fair check-in.

- 2) NMLB approved regulatory identification is required for all test eligible animals.
- 3) Any clinical signs or evidence of an infectious and/or contagious disease will result in that animals immediate removal from the fair grounds.
- 4) Out of state equine and livestock entries must adhere to New Mexico entry requirements and all current New Mexico fair entry requirements. Please call the NMLB office for state entry requirements.

ANY ANIMAL, ARRIVING AT A SHOW OR FAIR, FOUND NOT TO BE IN COMPLIANCE WITH NEW MEXICO STATE STATUTES OR LIVESTOCK BOARD RULES WILL BE SENT HOME AND GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY TO BECOME COMPLIANT FOR FUTURE SHOWS AND FAIRS.

This information is provided only as a guide and may not contain all necessary requirements for livestock bound for exhibits and shows. It is extremely important to consult your 4-H Leader, FFA Advisor, County Agent and your Livestock Inspector for updated information well ahead of your planned date of transport. Be sure to contact the destination fairs and livestock shows for their own rules.

Good luck, and congratulations on having fit your animals for the show!

Office of the State Veterinarian
300 San Mateo NE, Suite 1000
Albuquerque, NM 87108
(505) 841-6161

Division Rules

1. See General Rules and Junior Livestock Rules also
2. Ownership:
Breeding Heifers must be owned by April 11, 2011 and managed under supervision of County Agent or Agricultural Education Advisor. Animals must be registered in the name of the exhibitor and certificate of registration must be checked with Superintendents of department at check-in. If the animal is not registered a Bill of Sale or Affidavit stating the heifer was farm raised must be presented. Heifers which are not registered must be tagged with a NMLB ear tag by April 11, 2011.
3. Entries:
The entry deadline is midnight July 11, 2011. Entries will only be accepted on-line through the New Mexico State Fair web-site only. The entry fee is \$20.00 per heifer. The entry fee for the Showmanship Class is \$5.00.

4. Arrival:
Jr. Breeding Heifer entries can start arriving as early as Friday, September 9, 2011 but must arrive on grounds by Sunday, September 11, 2011. Move in hours are 8am until 5pm.
5. Neck Ropes:
For the safety of the animal, exhibitor, and general public, neck ropes for steers and heifers are mandatory while in stalls.
6. Trimming Chutes and Fans:
No trimming chutes are to be set up before 9:00 AM Monday , unless specifically permitted to do so by the Superintendents. Chutes will be permitted as space permits and only in designated areas of the Dairy Barn at the discretion of the Superintendents. No more than one chute per exhibitor or two per family will be allowed. Only one fan per steer will be allowed and ground based fans (butt fans) will not be permitted.
7. Absolutely no Junior Beef Heifers will be permitted to tie outside the Dairy or Beef Barns. All Junior Beef entries may feed and/or exercise outside the Dairy Barn but must return to their designated bedding area at all other times. NO Junior Beef entries are permitted to spend the night anywhere other than their designated bedding area.
8. Classification:
Jr. Breeding Heifers will be classified Monday, September 12, 2011 immediately following Steer classification, in the Beef Barn.
9. Any animal not having a legible tattoo is ineligible to compete in the breed classes but can be shown in A.O.B. (All Other Breeds).
10. Breeding heifers may be shown in open classes. Open class entry fee (see specific breed for entry fee) must be paid. Individual animals shown in all group classes must have been entered and shown in one of the classes for single animals.
11. Fitting Regulations are as follows:
Heifers may only be washed, blown and combed prior to judging and classification. Absolutely NO electric clippers, battery clippers artificial coloring, glues, or any adhesives will be allowed, no exceptions, while on the NMSF, Expo NM premises. Heifers may be subject to a white towel/glove test at anytime. Violators of this rule may be disqualified from the show.
12. Releases:
Superintendents will release animals beginning after the show on Thursday, September 15, 2011. Once an exhibitor obtains a written release, they may leave the grounds at any time.

Classes

Showmanship

Division 26 – Section 32601

A showmanship contest will be held and is open to all exhibitors. Champion Showmanship Buckles will be presented in the Novice, Junior and Senior age groups. A showmanship class fee of \$5.00 must be paid at time of entry.

Class 1 – Novice	Buckle for 1st place
Class 2 – Junior	Buckle for 1st place
Class 3 – Senior	Buckle for 1st place

Herefords

Division 26 – Section 32602

The American Hereford Association,
1501 Wyandotte, PO Box 4059, Kansas City, Missouri 64101

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-8	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. Heifers, Junior Calves, calved on or after January 1, 2011
2. Heifers, Winter Calves, calved October-December 2010
3. Heifers, Senior Calves, calved August-September, 2010
4. Heifers, Summer Yearlings, calved May-July, 2010
5. Heifers, Spring Yearlings, calved March-April, 2010
6. Heifers, Junior Yearlings, calved January-February, 2010

Group Classes (\$20.00 per Class)

7. Two Females, owned by exhibitor from Classes 4-5-6
8. Two Females, owned by exhibitor from Classes 1-2-3

Champion..... Ribbon
Reserve Champion Ribbon

NMJHA will give awards for the Champion and Reserve Champion Heifers.

Please see information about the New Mexico Hereford Association Futurity Heifer Show And Showmanship Contest at the end of this section.

Angus

Division 26 – Section 32603

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-9	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. Heifers, Junior Calves, calved on or after March 1, 2011
2. Heifers, Junior Calves, calved January - February, 2011
3. Heifers, Late Senior Calves, calved between Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2010

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4. Heifers, Early Senior Calves, calved between Sept. 1 - Oct. 31, 2010
5. Heifers, Late Summer Yearlings, calved July 1 - Aug. 31, 2010
6. Heifers, Early Summer Yearlings, calved May 1 - June 30, 2010
7. Heifers, Junior Yearlings, calved Jan. 1 – April 30, 2010
8. Heifers, Senior Yearlings, calved Sept. 1 – Dec. 31, 2009

Group Classes (\$20.00)

9. Two females owned by exhibitor

Champion Ribbon
 Reserve Champion Ribbon

Please see information about the New Mexico Angus Association Futurity Heifer Show at the end of this section.

Red Angus

Division 26 – Section 32604

Animals entered must be registered with the Red Angus Association of America as owned or leased in the name of the junior exhibitor and carry a legible tattoo.

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-3	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. Heifer Calves, calved on or after January 1, 2011
2. Heifer Junior Yearlings, calved July 1, 2010 to December 31, 2010
3. Heifer Senior Yearlings, calved January 1, 2010 to June 30, 2010

Champion Ribbon
 Reserve Champion Ribbon

Please see information about the New Mexico Red Angus Futurity Heifer Show at the end of this section.

Charolais

Division 26 – Section 32605

Youth exhibiting heifers must be member of AICA. Any animal not having a legible tattoo or firebrand number is ineligible and will be barred from showing.

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-4	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. Heifer, calved after January 1, 2011
2. Heifer, calved between September 1 and December 31, 2010
3. Heifer, calved between May 1 and August 31, 2010
4. Heifer, calved between January 1 and April 30, 2010

Champion Ribbon

Reserve Champion Ribbon

Simmental

Division 26 – Section 32606

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-4	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. Heifers, calved on or after September 1, 2010
2. Heifers, Summer Yearlings, calved June 16 - August 31, 2010
3. Heifers, Spring Yearlings, calved April 1 - June 15, 2010
4. Heifers, Junior Yearlings, calved January 1 - March 31, 2010

Champion Ribbon
Reserve Champion Ribbon

Brangus

Division 26 – Section 32607

Brangus entries are subject to the provisions of the IBBA “Eligibility and Inspection of Exhibits.” No cattle should be allowed to be shown that do not have actual registration papers or copies of original papers in hand by show day.

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-3	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. Heifer, calved on or after September 1, 2010
2. Heifer, Summer Yearling, calved May 1-August 31, 2010
3. Heifer, Junior Yearling, calved January 1-April 30, 2010

Champion Ribbon
Reserve Champion Ribbon

Please check the Open Livestock Division - Brangus for the Open/Junior Brangus show.

Limousin

Division 26 – Section 32608

North American Limousin Foundation requires that all animals be registered, properly tattooed and will be inspected at the show. Cattle must be entered in the exact same name that appears on the registration certificate as the current owner.

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-3	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. Heifer, calved on or after January 1, 2011
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2. Heifer Calves, calved May 1, 2010 - December 31, 2010
3. Heifer Calves, calved October 1, 2010 - April 30, 2010

Champion Ribbon
 Reserve Champion Ribbon

Please see information about the New Mexico Limousin Association Futurity Heifer Show at the end of this section.

Brahman

Division 26 – Section 32609

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-2	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. Heifers, born in 2011
2. Heifers, born in 2010

Champion Ribbon
 Reserve Champion Ribbon

Chianina

Division 26 – Section 32610

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-3	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. Heifer Calves, calved on or after September 1, 2010
2. Heifer, Summer Yearlings, calved April 1 - August 31, 2010
3. Heifer, Spring Yearlings, calved January 1 - March 31, 2010

Champion Ribbon
 Reserve Champion Ribbon

Maine-Anjou

Division 26 – Section 32611

Animals entered must be registered with the American Maine Anjou Association as owned or leased in the name of the junior exhibitor and carry a legible tattoo.

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-6	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. All 2011 born calves will be split after check-in
2. Senior Calves, September 1 to December 31, 2010
3. Summer Yearling Heifers, May 1 to August 31, 2010
4. Spring Yearling Heifers, March 1 to April 30, 2010
5. Junior Yearling Heifers, January 1 to February 28, 2010
6. Early Senior Yearling Heifers, September 1 to December 31, 2009

Champion Ribbon
 Reserve Champion Ribbon

Santa Gertrudis

Division 26 – Section 32612

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-3	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. Heifer calves, calved on or after April 1, 2011
2. Heifer, Junior & Senior calves, Sept. 1, 2010 - March 31, 2011
3. Heifer, Summer & Junior yearlings, calved Jan. 1 - Aug. 31, 2010

Champion Ribbon
 Reserve Champion Ribbon

Salers

Division 26 – Section 32613

Brown Farms Salers will present a belt buckle to the Champion Heifer.

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-3	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. Heifer, born in 2011
2. Heifer, born in 2010

Champion Ribbon
 Reserve Champion Ribbon

Shorthorn

Division 26 – Section 32614

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-3	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. Heifer calves, calved on or after September 1, 2010
2. Summer yearling females, calved May 1 to August 31, 2010
3. Spring yearling females, calved Jan. 1 to April 30, 2010

Champion Ribbon
 Reserve Champion Ribbon

American Lowline

Division 26 – Section 32615

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-4	\$50	\$40	\$35

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1. Heifer calves, calved on or after January 1, 2011
2. Heifer calves, calved July 1 to December 31, 2010
3. Heifer calves, calved January 1 to June 30, 2010
4. Heifer calves, calved July 1 to December 31, 2009

Champion Ribbon
 Reserve Champion Ribbon

A.O.B. (All Other Breeds & Crosses)

(Commercials, Not Registered or Recognized by a Breed Association)
 Division 26 – Section 32616

Heifers will be broken at the discretion of the Superintendents, determined by the hip height method. Superintendents may add classes if needed. Heifers must be Born on or after January 1, 2010. If there is a discrepancy, heifers will be toothed to determine age.

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
Classes 1-2	\$50	\$40	\$35

1. Heifer-short
2. Heifer-tall

Champion Ribbon
 Reserve Champion Ribbon

Awards

Supreme Heifer Of Show \$50.00 and Rosette

Champion and Reserve Champions of all breeds will return to the ring for selection
 (following the Breeding Heifer Show)

The New Mexico Cattle Growers' Association

Will add one half (1/2) of the premiums offered to the first three places in the Beef Heifer Sections (1 through 15)...

at the State Fair, providing:

- a) these animals are in the recorded ownership of the exhibitor,
and
- b) that the exhibitor is a member of the New Mexico Junior Cattle Growers' Association since January 1, 2011

The Association will pay premiums directly to the exhibitor.

Membership applications may be obtained by contacting the Association office at (505) 247-0584, PO Box 7517, Albuquerque, NM 87194, and will be available from Association representatives during the Fair.

Futurity Shows

All Futurity Shows to be held immediately following their breed sections.

New Mexico Angus Association

Futurity Heifer Show

Thursday, September 15, 2011

The New Mexico Angus Association Breeders will make available \$1500 in premium money. To be eligible, junior exhibitors must be a member of the New Mexico Junior Angus Assn., and show a New Mexico Bred Angus Heifer. Each heifer must also be shown in the NMSF Junior Angus Heifer Show to be eligible for the futurity.

New Mexico Hereford Association

Futurity Heifer Show And Showmanship Contest

Thursday, September 15, 2011

The New Mexico Hereford Association Breeders will make available additional prizes for the Futurity Heifer Show. To be eligible 4-H and FFA exhibitors must have purchased a heifer from a NM Breeder. For more information call (505) 633-2800. The NMHA will pick showmanship judges who will be sitting in the stands or standing around the ring judging the contestants while they are showing to designated people in the show ring.

New Mexico Limousin Association

Futurity Heifer Show

Thursday, September 15, 2011

The New Mexico Limousin Association will sponsor a Limousin Heifer Futurity. Junior Exhibitors must show a heifer bought from a member of the NMLA, whether bought by private treaty or at a sale. Premiums will be a \$500 prize split \$250 to 1st, \$150 to 2nd and \$100 to 3rd. Age requirements are the same as NMSF rules. For additional information, contact John Conniff 505-525-1411 or Mildred Porter 505-356-8176.

New Mexico Red Angus Futurity Heifer Show

Thursday, September 15, 2011

To be eligible, exhibitor must be nineteen years of age or younger and show a registered Red Angus heifer. Registration and nomination must have been verified by the Southwest Red Angus Association. For information call (505) 356-4348 or e-mail sued@yucca.net.