



**DEPARTMENT J
Open Class Dairy Cattle**

Superintendent: Pam Watson (360) 425-9634
 All entries must be received by the Fair office by July 1st. Entries must be accompanied by a stall fee of \$5.00 for each animal to be exhibited. **NO REFUNDS.**
 • Dairy Cattle accepted Wednesday prior to Fair, 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
 • Saturday-Judging, 5:30 p.m., 4-H/FFA followed by open dairy
 • Release of animals Sunday, 7:00 p.m.

GENERAL RULES

1. Exhibitors are required to keep quarters and cattle clean. Each exhibitor is expected to make an attractive display and maintain that display for the duration of the Fair. Decoration materials used shall be limited to aluminum foil, flowers and suitable signs. Flammable materials will not be allowed. Final discretion will rest in the authority of the Longview Fire Code. Stall cards & farm signs are required.
2. Owners will be responsible for all care of their animals, this includes stripping down of the stall area if needed. Bedding will be furnished by the Fair.
3. Cattle entered in this department must be accompanied by a copy of the registration papers. Ownership will be determined by name appearing on registration papers.
4. All exhibitors must conform to health requirements printed in the front of the awards list.
5. Brucellosis – All female cattle over 5 months must have been vaccinated for Brucellosis or tested negative to Brucellosis in the last 30 days.
6. All animals must be double tied in stalls.
7. All bulls over 8 months of age to be shown and led with nose leads.
8. No dairy bulls over one year of age.
9. No exhibitors may receive more than three awards in any one lot.
10. Awards of rosettes are up to the Judge's discretion.
11. All cattle shown in groups must first have been shown as individuals.
12. All animals must be unblanketed between 10 a.m. & 9 p.m.
13. All awards will be paid to the name appearing on exhibitors' entry blank/exhibitor number.
14. Registered 4-H and FFA animals that are registered in the exhibitor's or farm name are eligible to exhibit in Open class, see General Livestock Requirements, and rule 4, at the front of the book.
15. **COWLITZ COUNTY FAIR HERDSMANSHIP:**

1st-\$50 2nd-\$25 3rd-\$15

This award is to encourage cleanliness, educational value and general appearance of display. The awards will be paid to the name appearing on the entry form. Must have 3 or more head to qualify for the herdsmanship award.
 Herdsmanship awards will be given at the discretion of the superintendent.

HERDSMANSHIP SCORE CARD

• Animals – arrangement, tying, cleanliness and grooming, regularity of feeding	20%
• Stalls – arrangement of equipment and supplies, cleanliness of equipment, supplies, stalls and alleys	20%
• Display effects – decorations, signs stall cards	20%
• Exhibitor – appearance, attitude, courtesy, skill	20%
• Educational value of exhibit	20%
TOTAL	100%

CLASS 1: MILKING SHORTHORN

CLASS 2: BROWN SWISS

CLASS 3: AYRSHIRE

CLASS 4: JERSEY

CLASS 5: HOLSTEIN

CLASS 6: GUERNSEY

CLASS 7: OTHER BREEDS (TO BE SHOWN SEPARATELY)

Lot (1-10) 1st \$32 2nd \$28 3rd \$20

1. Jr. bull calf born after Mar. 1 current year, minimum 3 months
2. Int. bull calf born Dec. 1 previous year to Feb. 28 Current year
3. Sr. bull calf born Aug. 1 to Nov. 30 previous year
 Champion Bull **ROSETTE**
 Reserve Champion Bull **ROSETTE**
4. Jr. heifer calf born after Mar. 1 current year, minimum 3 months
5. Int. heifer calf born Dec. 1 previous year to Feb. 28 current year
6. Sr. heifer calf born Sept. 1 to Nov. 30 previous year
 Calf Champion Female **FLAT RIBBON**
 Reserve Calf Champion Female **FLAT RIBBON**
7. Summer yearling heifer born June 1 to Aug. 31 previous year
8. Jr. yearling heifer born Mar. 1 to May 31 previous year
9. Winter yearling heifer born Dec. 1 two years previous to Feb. 28 previous year
10. Sr. yearling heifer, unrefreshed, born Sept. 1 to Nov. 30 two years previous (fresh Sr. yearlings will show in lot 11)
 Junior Champion Female **FLAT RIBBON**

Reserve Jr. Champion

Female

FLAT RIBBON

Lot (11-16) 1st \$40 2nd \$32 3rd \$27

11. Jr. 2 year old cow and Sr. yearling in milk, born Mar. 1 to Aug. 31 two years previous

12. Sr. 2 year old cow born Sept. 1 three years previous to Feb. 28 two years previous

13. Three year old cow born Sept. 1 four years previous to Aug. 31 three years previous

14. Four year old cow born Sept. 1 five years previous to Aug. 31 four years previous

15. Five year old cow born Sept. 1 six years previous to Aug. 31 five years previous

16. Aged cows, six years old and over, born before Sept. 1 six years previous

Lot (17) 1st \$32 2nd \$28 3rd \$20

17. Dry cow, any age,

Sr. Champion Female **FLAT RIBBON**

Reserve Sr. Champion

Female

FLAT RIBBON

Grand Champion Female

ROSETTE

Reserve Grand Champion

Female

ROSETTE

Best Udder

ROSETTE

Lot (18-24) 1st \$40 2nd \$32 3rd \$27

18. Best 3 females, all bred by and two owned by exhibitor

19. Young herd, 4 animals owned by exhibitor, at least three animals under 2 years

20. Exhibitor's herd, five animals, all owned by exhibitor, 2 fresh, 2 under two, and 1 any age

21. Jr. Get of Sire, 3 animals sired by one bull

22. Get of Sire, 4 animals sired by one bull

23. Produce of Dam, group to consist of 2 animals any age, from one cow, Dam must be named, both need not be owned by exhibitor

24. Dam and daughter, group to consist of 2 animals, a dam and her Daughter of any age, dam must be named, and both need not be owned by exhibitor.

Premier Exhibitor: figured on top five single entry animals owned by Exhibitor

ROSETTE

Premier Breeder: figured on top five single entry animals bred by but not necessarily owned by exhibitor

ROSETTE