

**DEPARTMENT B  
BEEF (OPEN CLASS)**

Superintendents: Bob & Doris Swalander  
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**Entries due July 14  
Animals in Barn by 8:00 p.m. Tuesday  
Show Times: Thursday, August 10<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm**

1. A stall fee of \$5.00 per animal will be charged on all entries in this department. Fees must accompany entry forms. Address entries to: Grays Harbor County Fair, PO Box 1229, Elma WA 98541.
2. Entries are due July 14. All substitutions must be made by that date. Late entries may be accepted with Beef Superintendent and Fair Committee approval.
3. Entry form must include name of animal, breed, age, and classes in which they are entered.
4. All animals must be in the barn by 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, prior to opening day. Animals must remain in place until Sunday at 5:00 p.m., subject to **SPECIAL PERMISSION** by the Fair Manager and the Department Superintendent.
5. Because of limited barn space, those entries received first will receive the first available barn space. The fair reserves the right to limit the number of animals per exhibitor.
6. Cattle entered in this department must be accompanied by registration papers.
7. 4-H and FFA exhibitors will be allowed to enter their purebred animals in open classes, and will be entitled to premium moneys. Appropriate stall fees must be paid by all exhibitors in open classes. All 4-H and FFA Exhibitors must participate in fitting and showing.
8. No exhibitor may receive more than two premium payments in any one class.
9. Exhibitors are required to perform herdsman duties. Exhibitors will be responsible for the entire care of their animals.
10. All animals must be kept unblanketed from 10:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. each day of the fair, except on the show day when animals may be blanketed until showing is completed.
11. All animals on display at the Grays Harbor County Fair must be entered into competition, except with special permission of the Fair Manager and Department Superintendent.
12. In order to make the show run smoothly, classes will not be held an unreasonable length of time for late entries. The judge may exclude these animals from the judging ring.
13. Feed and supplies may be delivered to the barn before 9:00 a.m. There will be no moving vehicles on the fairgrounds at any other times.
14. All ribbons and awards won must be put on display.
15. For health requirements and official rules and regulations, please refer to general rules.
16. Each bull over nine months of age must have a ring in his nose.
17. Steers may be of any recognized beef breed. All steers will be subject to animal health regulations. All steers will be halter broke. All open steers will not be offered in Youth Livestock Auction.
18. Beef and Dairy Mileage and Multiple Animal Incentives: Any Exhibitor in the Beef or Dairy Departments who transport their animals a distance of greater than 50 miles will be paid a Mileage Incentive of \$50. Any Exhibitor in the Beef or Dairy Departments who transport their animals for a distance of over \$150 miles will be paid a Mileage Incentive of \$100. In addition, any exhibitor in the Beef or Dairy Departments who bring more than three (3) Beef or Dairy Animals to the fair for all five (5) days of the fair will be paid a Multiple Animal Incentive of \$50

Premium Awards:

1<sup>st</sup> - 160 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> - 120 points, 3<sup>rd</sup> - 80 points

NOTE: Average Beef and Dairy Premium payout over the last three year. \*Premium payouts will vary from year to year.

- Blue Ribbon = \$42.66
- Red Ribbon = \$32.00
- White Ribbon = \$21.33

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SECTIONS:

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|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Angus                    | 4. Pinzgauer                   |
| 2. Brahman                  | 5. Other Breeds (please list)  |
| 3. Hereford/Polled Hereford | 6. Cross Breeds (beef -beef x) |
| 7. Scottish Highlanders     | No bull classes for crossbreds |

CLASSES:

1. COW/CALF PAIR, calf can be shown in individual classes
2. JR HEIFER CALF, born after January 1, current year
3. SR HEIFER CALF, born between September 1 and December 31, previous year
4. SUMMER YEARLING HEIFER, born between May 1 and August 31, previous year
5. LATE JUNIOR YEARLING HEIFER, born between March 1 and April 30, previous year
6. EARLY JUNIOR YEARLING HEIFER, born between January 1, and last day of February, previous year
7. SENIOR YEARLING HEIFER, born between September 1 and December 31, two years previous
8. BRED TWO YEAR OLD FEMALE, born between May 1 and August 31, two years previous
9. JR BULL CALF, born after January 1, current year
10. SR BULL CALF, born between September 1 and December 31, previous year
11. SUMMER YEARLING BULL, born between May 1, and August 31, previous year
12. JUNIOR BULL, born between January 1 and April 30, previous year
13. SENIOR BULL, born between January 1 and December 31, two years previous
14. THREE ANIMALS – Get of Sire (Both sexes required.)
15. PAIR OF HEIFERS, owned by exhibitor
16. BEST THREE HEAD, owned by exhibitor
17. FEEDER STEERS-under 1000 pounds
18. MARKET STEERS-over 1000 pounds

**SPECIAL RIBBON AWARDS**

Ribbons only, will be awarded for each section as follows:  
Champion and Reserve Champion Heifer Calf  
Champion and Reserve Champion Bull Calf  
Champion and Reserve Champion Heifer  
Champion and Reserve Champion Bull  
Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Female  
Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Bull.

**WASHINGTON STATE LIMOUSIN  
ASSOCIATION**

***Dennis Andrews Memorial Steer Award***

These awards are available to 4-H, FFA and Youth Division entries at designated shows. Savings bonds of \$100 will be awarded to a Limousin-influenced on-hoof Grand Champion Steer and/or Grand Champion Carcass Steer of 4-H, FFA or Youth Divisions. The steer must be of 50% or greater Limousin breeding and exhibit Limousin characteristics. If an exhibitor wins the grand championship, they must contact a WSLA officer listed below for an information packet. This packet must be completed by the exhibitor and mailed back within 45 days of the show. Dori Shobert, P.O. Box 1220, Port Orchard, WA 98366. Phone (360) 871-5275. Joan Towell, 341 Section One Road, Tieton, WA 98947 (509) 673-2019.

**Contact Live Stock Chairman: David Trusty at 360-507-2934  
for more information.**