

* CATTLE SHOW RULES AND REGULATIONS *

*Entries open August 6th

*Entries close August 31st

*Video due at time of entry.

*Judging will be the week of September 14th

1. Exhibitors in 3rd grade or 9 -18 years of age by January 1, 2020. All exhibitors will be allowed to show the animals that they had declared for the New Mexico State Fair.
2. There is no limit on number of entries allowed.
3. This is a NON fit show. Fitting Regulations are as follows: Absolutely NO artificial coloring, glues or adhesives will be allowed.
4. No artificial hair, no artificial filling, and no altering of the animal in any unnatural form will be allowed.
5. You will be required to enter the NMSF tag number of each market beef entry you enter. A photo of you NMSF tag and animal must be uploaded with your entry.
6. Market beef and market heifers will be shown by declared weight. Market beef and market heifers must weigh at least 1000 lbs. with no top weight.
****NEW**** Mini steer division (Mini Hereford and Aberdeen Angus) will have a 650 lb. bottom weight with no top weight.
7. Market beef will be shown by breeds and then broken into weight classes within each breed. Classes may be merged and/or broken down depending on the number of entries.
8. Market beef divisions offered at the New Mexico State Fair are as follows:
 - ***Angus**
 - ***Charolais**

- *Chianina**
- *Hereford**
- *Limousin**
- *Maine-Anjou**
- *Mini Steer Division** (Open to Mini Hereford and Aberdeen Angus)
- *Shorthorn**
- *Simmental**
- *All Other Breeds (AOB)**
- *Crossbreds**
- *Market Heifer**

NMSF reserves the right to move any breed with less than 10 head to an AOB division.

A Top 5 overall will be selected in the Market Beef show. Grand Champion, Reserve Grand Champion, 3rd, 4th and 5th overall. Reserve Division Champions will be eligible for Top 5 overall contention if/when their respective Division Champion is selected for the top 5.

A Champion and Reserve Champion Market Heifer will be selected.