

Arrival, Show, Release Schedule

2018 Ozark Empire Fair Livestock Department

BEEF CATTLE	Earliest Arrival	Must be in place	Junior Show	Open Show	Earliest Release
Angus	8 a.m. Wed., July 25	12 p.m., Thurs., July 26	8 a.m., Fri., July 27 Arena	1 p.m., Sat., July 28 Arena	5 p.m., Sun., July 29
Brangus	12 p.m. Tues., July 31	7 p.m., Wed., Aug. 1	1:30 p.m., Fri., Aug. 3 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	1:30 p.m., Sat., Aug. 4 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	7 p.m., Sat., Aug. 4
Braunvieh	12 p.m. Tues., July 31	7 p.m., Wed., Aug. 1	12:30 p.m., Fri., Aug. 3 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	12:30 p.m., Sat., Aug. 4 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	7 p.m., Sat., Aug. 4
Charolais	8 a.m. Wed., July 25	12 p.m., Thurs., July 26	8 a.m., Fri., July 27 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	8 a.m., Sat., July 28 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	5 p.m., Sun., July 29
Hereford	12 p.m. Tues., July 31	7 p.m., Wed., Aug. 1	8 a.m., Fri., Aug. 3 Arena	8 a.m., Sat., Aug. 4 Arena	7 p.m., Sat., Aug. 4
Limousin	8 a.m. Wed., July 25	12 p.m., Thurs., July 26	11 a.m., Fri., July 27 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	11 a.m., Sat., July 28 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	5 p.m., Sun., July 29
Other Breeds	12 p.m. Tues., July 31	7 p.m., Wed., Aug. 1	11 a.m., Fri., Aug. 3 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	11 a.m., Sat., Aug. 4 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	7 p.m., Sat., Aug. 4
Red Angus	12 p.m. Tues., July 31	7 p.m., Wed., Aug. 1	9:30 a.m., Fri., Aug. 3 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	9:30 a.m., Sat., Aug. 4 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	7 p.m., Sat., Aug. 4
Santa Gertrudis	12 p.m. Tues., July 31	7 p.m., Wed., Aug. 1	11 a.m., Fri., Aug. 3 Arena	11 a.m., Sat., Aug. 4 Arena	7 p.m., Sat., Aug. 4
Shorthorn	12 p.m. Tues., July 31	7 p.m., Wed., Aug. 1	8 a.m., Fri., Aug. 3 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	8 a.m., Sat., Aug. 4 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	7 p.m., Sat., Aug. 4
Simmental	8 a.m. Wed., July 25	12 p.m., Thurs., July 26	12 p.m., Fri., July 27 Arena	8 a.m., Sat., July 28 Arena	5 p.m., Sun., July 29
Steers	12 p.m. Wed., July 18	11 a.m., Thurs., July 19	8 a.m., Fri., July 20 Arena **	**MUST SUBMIT DNA BY APRIL 16 TO BE ELIGIBLE TO SHOW	Following awards, Sat., July 21
Commercial Heifers	12 p.m. Wed., July 18	11 a.m., Thurs., July 19	Following Steer Show, Fri., July 20 Arena		Following awards, Sat., July 21
Supreme Beef Female			3:30 p.m., Sat., Aug. 4 Arena		
DAIRY CATTLE	Earliest Arrival	Must be in place	Junior Show	Open Show	Earliest Release
Ayrshire	8 a.m. Wed., July 25	10 a.m., Thurs., July 26	8 a.m., Fri., July 27 Wells Arena	8 a.m., Sun., July 29 Arena	6 p.m., Sun., July 29
Brown Swiss	8 a.m. Wed., July 25	10 a.m., Thurs., July 26	8:30 a.m. or directly following Ayrshire Wells Arena	8:30 a.m. or directly following Ayrshire Arena	6 p.m., Sun., July 29
Guernsey	8 a.m. Wed., July 25	10 a.m., Thurs., July 26	9 a.m. or directly following Brown Swiss Wells Arena	9 a.m. or directly following Brown Swiss Arena	6 p.m., Sun., July 29
Holstein	8 a.m. Wed., July 25	10 a.m., Thurs., July 26	9:30 a.m. or directly following Guernsey Wells Arena	9:30 a.m. or directly following Guernsey Arena	6 p.m., Sun., July 29
Jersey	8 a.m. Wed., July 25	10 a.m., Thurs., July 26	10 a.m. or directly following Holstein Wells Arena	10 a.m. or directly following Holstein Arena	6 p.m., Sun., July 29
Milking Shorthorn	8 a.m. Wed., July 25	10 a.m., Thurs., July 26	10:30 a.m. or directly following Jersey Wells Arena	10:30 a.m. or directly following Jersey Arena	6 p.m., Sun., July 29
Dairy Supreme Female			2 hours following conclusion of Jr. Show Fri., July 28 Wells Arena	2 hours following conclusion of Open Show Sun., July 30 Arena	
STOCK DOGS				5 p.m., Sun., July 29 Arena	

ENTRY DEADLINE: JUNE 15

BEEF

1. Exhibitors entering open classes in this division should familiarize themselves with the General Rules and Regulations and Livestock Entry Rules of the Ozark Empire Fair before completing entry forms.
2. Exhibitors entering junior classes should familiarize themselves with Junior Show Rules, General Rules and Livestock Entry Rules before completing entry.
3. Junior shows are open to all youth who are 8 years of age as of July 1, but not over 22 years of age as of July 1. Entries from in-state and out-of-state exhibitors will be accepted in the junior shows of all OEF breeding beef divisions with the exception of the Supreme Beef Heifer Show. To be eligible for the Supreme Beef Heifer Show, the exhibitor's primary residence must be in one of the following counties: Barry, Barton, Bates, Benton, Camden, Cedar, Christian, Dade, Dallas, Douglas, Greene, Henry, Hickory, Howell, Jasper, Laclede, Lawrence, McDonald, Miller, Morgan, Newton, Ozark, Polk, Pulaski, St. Clair, Stone, Taney, Texas, Vernon, Webster and Wright. Entries outside of the counties listed above will be accepted for the junior show and are eligible to compete for grand and reserve grand champion, but they will not be eligible to compete for the Supreme Heifer Awards. Should entries from outside of the counties listed be selected as grand champion and/or reserve grand champion in a breed, a grand and/or reserve grand champion will be selected from the southwest region that represents the counties listed as eligible to represent such breed in the Supreme Heifer Drive.
4. ****NEW 2018** A Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Bred & Owned Female will be selected during the Supreme Heifer Drive. Grand Champion Bred & Owned Female will receive \$1,500, Reserve Grand Champion Bred & Owned Female will receive \$750. Females can compete in both the Supreme Drive and Bred & Owned Champion Drive.**
5. **There is no cap on the number of breeding beef divisions a junior exhibitor may show in or how many entries they can qualify to compete in the Supreme Drive or Bred & Owned Championship Drive. However, an exhibitor will only be eligible for one premium in the Supreme Drive or Bred & Owned Championship Drive. Heifers will be picked until five different exhibitors in the Supreme Drive and 2 different exhibitors in the Bred & Owned Championship have been selected to pay premiums. For example, an exhibitor could win Supreme, Third and Fifth but will only be paid for Supreme and additional six, seven, eight or more heifers may have to be selected to find the five exhibitors to pay.**
6. **In order for a beef division to be eligible for the Supreme Drive and Bred & Owned Awards, a \$500 contribution will be required of each breed. This payment is due in the OEF Livestock office on or prior to June 15. The \$500 will be distributed as follows: \$250 will be awarded to the breed grand champion and \$250 will be awarded to the breed's bred and owned grand champion. Breed grand champions & Bred and Owned Grand Champions must be shown in the Supreme Drive and/or Champion Bred & Owned Drive in order to receive the \$250 award. Otherwise the award will be presented to the reserve breed champion. Should a breed's grand champion be selected as a top five female and/or Grand or Reserve Grand Champion Bred & Owned, \$250 will NOT be awarded on top of the supreme winnings. Any exhibitor who resides in the state of Missouri will be eligible for the bred and owned award in each breed, but will not be eligible for the Supreme Drive unless primary residence is in one of the counties listed in #3 above. A breed may elect to contribute \$250 to the bred & owned grand champion and not the \$250 for the breed grand champion and vice versa. However, breeds who elect not to contribute funds to the breed grand champion and/or bred and owned champion will not be permitted to compete in the Supreme Drive and/or Bred & Owned Champion Drive. In addition, the \$250 bred & owned award will not be presented unless sponsored. Checks should be made payable to the Ozark Empire Fair Foundation.**
7. Entry forms are available at www.ozarkempirefair.com or at the Ozark Empire Fair Office. Entry forms may be copied. Enter Online at www.ozarkempirefair.com.
8. Each animal must have correct registration papers, health papers, tattoos and/or identifying marks recognized by respective breed associations. These will be checked against the information given on the entry form.
9. **All cattle will be bedded with material provided by the Ozark Empire Fair. NO OTHER BEDDING MATERIAL MAY BE USED. Exhibitors are responsible for their own tie-out bedding.**
10. **SEE SHOW RING CODE OF ETHICS IN LIVESTOCK ENTRY RULES.**
11. Entries close **June 15** and those mailed must be postmarked no later than midnight of this date. Late entries may be accepted through June 25. Entries post-marked after midnight June 15 and through midnight June 25 must be accompanied by the penalty fee of \$25.00 per head in addition to regular fees.
12. Stalls and location in the barns will be designated only by the division superintendent. **Cow/Calf entries must purchase two (2) stalls.**
13. Animals shall be brought to the barns by 9 a.m. each day and remain in the barns, except when showing, until tie-out time at 7 p.m. Tie-out space (three feet) per head is provided. No tie-outs permitted in the trailer area.
14. **GROOMING CHUTES:** Exhibitors may pay a \$20 charge for a grooming chute space with their stall assignments, if room permits. **Please indicate on entry blank if you are paying for a grooming chute space.** Exhibitors who do not choose to pay for a chute space will be allowed to have a grooming chute in the barn or proximity of the barn on show day only. Chutes are to be used only in assigned stalling and make-up areas. Any chutes outside this area are subject to removal and exhibitor will be fined \$25.

PRIZE MONEY OFFERED

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th
Open Class.....	\$45	\$35	\$25	--	--	--	--
Group Class.....	\$30	\$20	\$10	--	--	--	--
Junior Class	\$15	\$13	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5	\$5

All Junior entries will be paid a minimum of \$5
Champions and Reserve Champions - Award ONLY

Junior Entries: Use same division numbers as open shows. Use class numbers listed in the left-hand column of each section. **Junior animals are NOT automatically entered in open shows.** Each animal must be entered into the respective junior and open classes. No refund of entry will be made for junior exhibitors who wish to not participate in the open show.

JUNIOR BEEF SHOWMANSHIP

Two classes will be offered in each breed based on age of youth as of July 1, 2018. Juniors are 13 years and younger; seniors are 14 years and older.

1. No pre-entry is required. No entry fee is required.
2. All participants shall have entered and exhibited in the 2018 Ozark Empire Fair junior beef cattle show. Showmanship participation must be in the breed the exhibitor showed in regular classes.
3. There must be at least two participants in each showmanship class of each breed or classes will be combined and only one award given.
4. There must be at least two participants in each breed or classes will be dropped and no award given.

Earl K. Nau Scholarship

-An endowment fund in memory of Earl K. Nau has been established at the Ozark Empire Fair to provide an annual scholarship to a junior beef cattle exhibitor at the Fair. The Nau Family provides the funding of the scholarship to honor their late father.

-Applicants must be at least 15 years of age and have exhibited breeding beef cattle at the Ozark Empire Fair for at least two years. Applicants will achieve scores based on winnings in:

- * Junior beef classes
- * Showmanship classes
- * Open beef classes
- * Herdsmanship awards
- * Other 4-H/FFA exhibit classes

-Applicants will also receive points for participation (and ranking) in district 4-H/FFA livestock judging competition, as well as, for service at the Fair as a volunteer in either the 4-H or FFA Exhibit Buildings or activities. The period of participation to be evaluated is from the 2017 Ozark Empire Fair through July 16, 2018.

-The scholarship winner will receive \$1,500 for tuition, textbooks or other fees associated with the pursuit of a post-secondary education. **Applications must be received (mailed or delivered) in the Fair Office no later than 4 p.m., July 16.**

Applications are available at www.ozarkempirefair.com.

-The scholarship will be presented at the Angus Show on Saturday, July 28.

Contributions to the **Earl K. Nau Scholarship** are being accepted at this time. All donations are tax deductible and will be applied to the fund balance. Your donation should be made to **Earl K. Nau Scholarship, c/o** Community Foundation of the Ozarks, 901 St. Louis St., Springfield, MO, 65806.

JUNIOR SUPREME CHAMPION FEMALE | 3:30 p.m. Saturday, August 4 - Arena

The **OZARK EMPIRE FAIR FOUNDATION** will award \$2,500 to the Junior Supreme Champion Female and \$1,500 to the Junior Reserve Supreme Champion Female. In addition, third, fourth and fifth place exhibitors will also be selected and awarded \$1,000; \$750 and \$500, respectively. If the junior exhibitor cannot be present to show their animal, another Ozark Empire Fair junior exhibitor in good standing may show in their place. The exhibitor must notify management and submit their replacement showman for approval by the end of the day the animal qualifies for the Supreme Drive. The exhibitor must have shown their animal in the breeding beef division show to qualify for Supreme. **Fitting Rule:** See Section L (Show Ring Code of Ethics and Conduct) under Livestock Rules found in Administration and General Rules. **Exhibitor Dress:** Western attire consisting of nice jeans and a collard shirt. Only western boots or dark leather shoes allowed. No hats or caps.

Junior Beef Awards Program

A Junior Beef Awards program will also be held at this time. **Herd Builder Voucher: 2018 Junior Beef Breeding Exhibitors who's primary residence is in one of the following counties:** Barry, Barton, Bates, Benton, Camden, Cedar, Christian, Dade, Dallas, Douglas, Greene, Henry, Hickory, Howell, Jasper, Laclede, Lawrence, McDonald, Miller, Morgan, Newton, Ozark, Polk, Pulaski, St. Clair, Stone, Taney, Texas, Vernon, Webster and Wright will be eligible to win a \$1,000 Herd Builder Voucher. **Anyone who has been awarded a voucher in previous years are not eligible.** Vouchers will be good toward the purchase of a female, either privately or at auction from any sponsoring breeder. The number of vouchers awarded will depend upon the number of \$150 sponsorships provided by breeders. **Junior exhibitors must be present at the Supreme Drive/Awards Program to win.** Vouchers are valid for 1 year.

OTHER BREEDS | DIVISION 7**Junior Show: 11 a.m., Friday, August, 3 - Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility****Open Show: 11 a.m., Saturday, August 4 - Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility****ARRIVAL:** Must be in place by 7 p.m., Wednesday, August 1. No arrival prior to noon, Tuesday, July 31.**RELEASE:** 7 p.m., Saturday, August 4.

1. Limited to beef breeds for which specific competition is not offered in Sections of the Ozark Empire Fair beef division.
2. All animals must be registered in their respective associations.
3. The Ozark Empire Fair reserves the right to hold separate breed shows within this division, based on the number of entries, otherwise all breeds in this section will show together.
4. Breed and registration number must be listed on entry form.

		FEMALES			BULLS
Class	Class		Class	Class	
JR	OPEN		JR	OPEN	
Y701	701	Junior heifer calf, after 1/1/2018	Y713	713	Junior bull calf, after 1/1/2018
Y702	702	Senior heifer calf, 9/1 - 12/31/2017	Y714	714	Senior bull calf, 9/1 - 12/31/2017
Y703	703	Summer yearling heifer, 5/1 - 8/31/2017	Y715	715	Summer yearling bull, 5/1 - 8/31/2017
Y704	704	Junior Champion Heifer	—	716	Junior Champion Bull
Y705	705	Reserve Junior Champion Heifer	—	717	Reserve Junior Champion Bull
Y706	706	Junior yearling heifer, 1/1 - 4/30/2017	Y718	718	Junior yearling bull, 1/1 - 4/30/2017
Y707	707	Senior yearling heifer, 9/1 - 12/31/2016	Y719	719	Senior yearling bull, 9/1 - 12/31/2016
Y708	708	Senior Champion Heifer	—	720	2-year-old bull, 1/1 - 8/31/2016
Y709	709	Reserve Senior Champion Heifer	—	721	Senior Champion Bull
Y710	710	Cow/Calf. Cows must be lactating. Calves must be at side and under 240 days of age on day of judging. Calf may be shown in individual class if proper entry has been made.	—	722	Reserve Senior Champion Bull
			Y723A	723	Grand Champion Bull
			Y723B	724	Reserve Grand Champion Bull
			Y724	—	4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Bull
			Y725	—	Junior Showmanship, ages 13 years and younger
Y711A	711A	Grand Champion Female			
Y711B	711B	Reserve Grand Champion Female	Y726	—	Senior Showmanship, ages 14 years and older
Y712A	—	Regional Grand Champion Female			
Y712B	—	Regional Reserve Grand Champion Female (Winners of Classes Y712A and Y712B are eligible to compete in the Junior Supreme Champion Drive)			
Y712C	—	4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Female			

ENTRY DEADLINE: JUNE 15**Enter Online at:****www.ozarkempirefair.com**

BEEF CATTLE

— Use a separate entry form for each breed. —

Stall + Entry Fees + Bedding Fee For Individual Animals Only
Cow/Calf entries must purchase 2 Stalls

Angus _____ @ \$40.00 \$ _____
 Brahman Influence _____ @ \$40.00 \$ _____
 Brangus _____ @ \$40.00 \$ _____
 Braunvieh _____ @ \$40.00 \$ _____
 Charolais _____ @ \$40.00 \$ _____
 Hereford _____ @ \$40.00 \$ _____
 Limousin _____ @ \$40.00 \$ _____
 Other Breeds _____ @ \$40.00 \$ _____
 Red Angus _____ @ \$40.00 \$ _____
 Santa Gertrudis _____ @ \$40.00 \$ _____
 Shorthorn _____ @ \$40.00 \$ _____
 Purebred Simmental _____ @ \$40.00 \$ _____
 Percentage Simmental _____ @ \$50.00 \$ _____
 Extra Junior T-shirt _____ @ \$10.00 \$ _____
 T-Shirt Size(s) _____

Tack stalls (IF available) _____ @ \$20.00 \$ _____
 Grooming Chute Space (IF available) _____ @ \$20.00 \$ _____
 Cow-Calf Pair, Calf Stall _____ @ \$15.00 \$ _____

Late Fee (per head) _____ @ \$25.00 \$ _____
 (postmarked June 16 - June 25)

Bedding: All breeding beef cattle will be bedded with material provided by the Ozark Empire Fair. NO OTHER BEDDING MATERIAL MAY BE USED. Exhibitors are responsible for their own tie-out bedding.

TICKETS - Beef - Pre-Order your tickets and parking passes!

Orders made at time of entry will be mailed before the fair.
 On site sales will close at noon on Friday, July 28.

Each livestock exhibitor will be given, at no charge, an admission ticket for everyday you are exhibiting animals on the grounds.

Adult Single Admission Tickets _____ @ \$ 5.00 \$ _____
 Child Single Admission Tickets _____ @ \$ 2.00 \$ _____
 6-Day Parking Pass (vehicle only) _____ @ \$20.00 \$ _____
 10-Day Parking Pass (vehicle only) _____ @ \$30.00 \$ _____

CAMPGROUNDS - Beef

*Camping fee includes same day admission. If you leave the grounds, you must obtain a handstamp for same day return. If you leave the grounds and come in the next day, a ticket will be required. Parking pass is always required to enter the grounds.

In Date _____ Out Date _____
 Total Nights _____ @ \$40 (30 amp) \$ _____
 Size of camping unit _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

CREDIT CARD PAYMENT

____ MasterCard ____ Visa Exp. Date ____/____
 Number _____
 3 or 4 Digit Security Number from Back of Card _____
 Signature _____
 Print Signature Name _____
TOTAL CHARGED \$ _____

2018 OZARK EMPIRE FAIR

3001 N. Grant, Springfield, MO 65803

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One Exhibitor ONLY per entry blank.

Exhibitor Name _____

Farm Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (____) _____ Birthdate _____
 (if under 22)

County _____ e-mail address _____

Social Security Number (Federal ID) _____
 Entry will not be accepted without this number.

**No Entries Accepted Unless All Information is Complete,
 Accompanied by Proper Fees and Signed Below.**

Please accept the following entries subject to rules and classifications governing exhibits as published in your Exhibitor Handbook of the current year. I hereby release the Ozark Empire Fair from any liability from loss, damage or injury to person, livestock or other property, while said property is on Fairgrounds. I have read all livestock entry rules and agree to abide by them as published.

Exhibitor Signature _____
 Entry will not be accepted without signature.

Date _____

JUNIOR EXHIBITORS

I am a member of: ____ 4-H ____ FFA ____ Other Assoc. or Club

Club/Chapter Name _____

T-shirt: Adult: _S _M _L _XL _XXL or Child: _M _L

Extra t-shirts may be purchased for \$10/shirt (See line item under entry fees in the left hand column). Please indicate size and quantity above.

BEEF CATTLE

Breed _____ Junior

Number of head _____ Open ONLY

Entering Other Breeds? ____ YES _____

Stalling Request: _____

For Office Use Only

Date _____

Deposit # _____

Ch # _____

Entered by _____

**List
 Animals
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