

## DAIRY

### EXHIBIT GUIDELINES

1. More than one breed may be enrolled; however, no more than two animals per class per breed may be enrolled in 4HOnline by the May 16th deadline.
2. All dairy animals that are leased must have a Dairy Lease Agreement turned in to the Extension Office by May 16th.

### GENERAL RULES

1. Each member may show more than one Dairy Breed, but may not show more than one animal in each class.
2. A Senior Champion, Reserve Senior Champion, Junior Champion, and Reserve Junior Champion will be named in each breed with the exception that breeds with fewer than five animals per breed will be left to the judges' standards to award championship prize.
3. Any emergencies not covered by these rules shall be handled by the 4-H Dairy Advisory Committee.
4. There must be a minimum of three enrolled per class by the May 16th Animal Identification deadline in 4-H Online to receive a first-place plaque.
5. The leaser is allowed to help with the milking of their animal.
6. Dairy Cow milk that is sold at the 4-H Fair makes the animal ineligible to be shown at the State Fair.

### IDENTIFIED RULES

Identified animals must be sired by a registered bull and show characteristics and markings of the breed of the sire and have an official breed paper from the national association.

### SHOW CLASSES

- Dry Cow: any age not in milk
- Aged Cow: born prior to August 31, 2016
- 5-year-old: born September 1, 2016 to August 31, 2017
- 4-year-old: born September 1, 2017 to August 31, 2018
- Senior 3-year-old: born September 1, 2018 to February 28, 2019
- Junior 3-year-old: born March 1, 2019 to August 31, 2019
- Senior 2-year-old cow: born September 1, 2019 to February 28, 2020
- Junior 2-year-old cow: born March 1, 2020 to August 31, 2020
- Fall yearling: born September 1, 2020 to November 30, 2020
- Winter yearling: born December 1, 2020 to February 28, 2021
- Spring yearling: born March 31, 2021 to May 31, 2021
- Summer yearling: June 1, 2021 to August 31, 2021
- Fall calf: born September 1, 2021 to November 30, 2021
- Winter calf: born December 1, 2021 to February 28, 2022
- Spring calf: born March 1, 2022 or later (at least 4 months old)
- Any heifers in milk must show in cow class