

SECTION BD – DAIRY CATTLE

Dairy Superintendent – Mary Tripp – 607-661-8171

Superintendent of Youth Dairy Show – Lynn Bliven

AMOUNT OFFERED - \$2600

YOUTH DAIRY JUDGING CONTEST – 905

Wednesday, 2:00 PM

Trophies will be presented to the top senior and top junior individuals from Allegany County. Blue or red ribbons will be presented to top five and next top five places respectively.

CATTLE 4-H CLUB or FFA Chapter HERDSMANSHIP – 602

Awards will be given to the 4-H club and to the top non-club-lone 4-H member judged best in Herdsmanship.

All exhibits will be scored on the following basis:

Cleanliness of Animals	15 pts.	Product Promotion and information	15 pts.
Cleanliness of Bedding	15 pts.	Grain, Hay, and Tools neat	10 pts.
Cleanliness of Aisles	15 pts.	Cooperation, courtesy, Teamwork	<u>20 pts.</u>
Decorations	10 pts.	TOTAL	100 pts.

YOUTH DAIRY SHOW

Wednesday – following showmanship.

Limited to 4-H and FFA members – Awards: Blue-\$12, Red-\$10, Yellow-\$8

Exhibitors may show both grade and registered cattle, but grade animals must be by proven sires or their sons and from high producing dams to be eligible. Grade animals must show clearly the characteristics of one breed. (**No Crossbreds**) Unworthy animals arriving at the grounds will be rejected. Milking shorthorn cattle are eligible to show using 600 numbers. Awards for group classes will be ribbons.

4-H and FFA Dairy Classes

Start all registered cattle class numbers with breed number.

(Ex- Jersey Junior Calf, 401; Holstein Senior Calf, 303)

List all Grade cattle with a “G” and the number of the class.

(Ex-Grade Jersey Junior Calf, G401; Grade Holstein Junior Yearling, G305)

Breed Codes: Ayrshire–1; Guernsey–2; Holstein–3; Jersey–4; Brown Swiss–5; Milking Shorthorn-6; Other-7

_01 Junior Calf	3 months or older born after March 1 of current year.
_02 Intermediate Calf	Born between December 1 of last year & last day of February of current year.
_03 Senior Calf	Born between September 1 and November 30 of last year.
_04 Summer Yearling	Born between June 1 and August 31 of last year.
_05 Junior Yearling	Born between March 1 and May 31 of last year.
_06 Intermediate Yearling	Born between December 1, 2 years ago and last day of February, last year.
_07 Senior Yearling	Born between September 1 and November 30, 2 years ago.
_08 Best 3 Junior Females under 2 years	Bred and owned by exhibitor (purebreds only)
_10 Junior 2 years old	Born between March 1 and August 31, 2 years ago.
_11 Senior 2 year old	Born between September 1, 3 years ago and last day of February, 2 years ago.
_12 Junior 3 year old	Born between March 1 and August 31, 3 years ago.
_13 Senior 3 year old	Born between September 1, 4 years ago and last day of February 3 years ago.
_14 Cows 4 years old and under 5 Years old	Born between September 1, 5 years ago and August 31, 4 years ago.
_15 Cows 5 years old and older	Born before September 1, 5 years ago.
_16 Cow 100,000 lbs. Milk or 3500 lbs. Butter Fat	Can be shown in appropriate age class.

_17 Dry Cow 4 years and under _18 Dry Cow 5 years and over _20 Best 3 Females over 2 years H21 Dairy Herd _22 Best Bred and Owned by	Born September 1, 5 years ago and after Born before September 1, 5 years ago Bred and owned by Exhibitor (purebreds only) Each 4-H club or FFA chapter may enter this class. They must exhibit three animals by three different club members shown previously by 4-H or FFA members (one entry per exhibitor) Registration papers to be presented at the Exhibitor ring. One Award-trophy only and NO premium from fair.
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Class Number 28 – Production of Milk (actual production) 1 award of \$10 open to all breeds
 Class Number 29 – Production of Fat (actual production) 1 award of \$10 open to all breeds Best udder in milk – cows compete in their age class for each breed – 1 award of \$5.

NOTE: Bred by exhibitor (purebreds only) these classes are open to the highest placing blue ribbon animals in each purebred class, that are bred and owned by the exhibitor.

NOTE: All group classes will be run by breed. Official records must be brought to ring at beginning of Dairy Show for production classes. Animals in each production class must have received blue ribbons to be eligible.

Youth exhibitors are allowed to exhibit 2 animals per class. Youth members are expected to fit and are required to show their own animals in all classes except when having 2 animals in one class. The additional animals must be shown by another 4-H or FFA member.

Judging of Youth Dairy Cattle will follow the group award system. The exhibitor of an animal or herd must own all animals exhibited. (Animals shown under the approved “Lease” program are eligible) All animals entering in the group and special classes must be shown in the regular manner in the individual classes.

YOUTH DAIRY SHOWMANSHIP CONTEST

Wednesday, 9:00 AM

The judge will consider the ability of the club members to present the animal, as well as the fitting done on their own animal. These classes may be divided at the discretion of the judge. Participation in showmanship is mandatory for 4-H and FFA members. 4-Hers and FFA members will qualify for the Master Showman Contest in their respective classes. No consideration will be given for having previously won the Master Showman Contest.

Scoring:

Appearance of animal	40 pts.
Appearance of exhibitor	10 pts.
Presenting animal in ring	50 pts.

Awards: Blue-\$12, Red-\$10, Yellow-\$8. White shirts and trousers will not be required but will improve the appearance of the showman and help increase his score. **No Club or Farm name shall appear on clothing.** All contestants must be a regularly enrolled 4-H and/or FFA member with a dairy project animal.

- 901 Novice-has not shown in a dairy show before, and is under 14 yrs. as of Jan. 1
- 902 Junior Showman – 9 to 11 years as of Jan. 1
- 903 Intermediate Showman – 12 to 14 yrs. as of Jan. 1
- 904 Senior Showman – 15 yrs. and over as of Jan.1

LOCAL 4-H CLUB AND FFA CHAPTER EXHIBIT – 901

To aid leaders in assembling a good dairy exhibit, and to encourage more members to exhibit, awards will be made on the group system to clubs exhibiting five or more animals owned or leased by members of the club. Judging is to take place at the end of the youth show.

No one member is to own or lease more than two animals in this group. Leaders should check eligibility. Groups will be judged on fitting, general appearance of exhibit, type and uniformity. Previous entry not required. Awards: excellent-\$20, Good-\$15, Worthy-\$10.