

NATIONAL HEREFORD SHOW

SUPERINTENDENT: Joe Rickabaugh & Bailey Clanton

JUDGE: Jason Hoffman, NE

BEGIN ARRIVAL: Friday, December 30, 8:00 a.m.

IN PLACE: Monday, January 2, 5:00 p.m.

SHOW:

Thursday, January 5, 11:00 a.m. (Pen Show)

Friday, January 6, 8:00 a.m. (Bulls)

Saturday, January 7, 8:00 a.m. (Open Heifers)

SALE: Friday, January 6, 6:00 p.m.

BEGIN RELEASE: When done showing

ALL OUT: Saturday, January 7, 10:00 p.m.

1. All cattle, including calves on the sides of dams, must be registered in the Herd Book of the American Hereford Association. Entries with registrations "pending" or illegible tattoos, or improper tattoos as shown on the registration certificate at check - in time are ineligible for competition. Exhibitors are subject to the American Hereford Association special rule on class qualification. Entries in these classes are accepted with the understanding that the exhibitor agrees to abide by the rule in all respects.
2. The exhibition of cattle displaying false hair will not be allowed.
3. Any product administered internally or used externally to alter the conformation of an animal for exhibition is prohibited. This includes the use of graphite, hemp or other similar substances externally and steroids or growth stimulants internally.
4. The act of artificially filling animals internally, which includes stomach pumping, drench tubes or any other method by mouth or esophagus, is prohibited.
5. All animals shown in group classes must have been shown in their respective single age class. No transfer from one (1) breeder to another, after entry, will be permitted.
6. Expected Progeny Difference (EPD) values will be provided to the judge and audience for all animals shown. Animals without EPD data are eligible to show, but will have N/A (not available) in place of missing data.

7. It is recommended by the AHA Show Committee that classes with 10 or more head be considered to be split depending on animals' birthdates in each particular class.
8. Any animal without a legible tattoo will not be eligible to show.
9. All Hereford animals must be officially recorded (registered) thirty (30) days prior to show date to be eligible to show at a National Hereford Show.
10. An animal that is scurred (Scurs are small, rudimentary horns that are loosely attached to the head, which are considered to be expressed only in animals that are genetically heterozygous for the polled gene) will show in the polled division of Hereford shows. Once an animal is confirmed to be scurred by an AHA field representative, then this designation will be placed on the animal's registration papers. Once this determination has been made and reported to the AHA office, then the owner may remove the scurs. Animals with scurs removed will show in the polled division of Hereford shows. Once an animal is confirmed polled or scurred they will retain this designation forever.
11. The individual classes will be made up and divided after the cattle are checked in at the show. They will be judged from the youngest to the oldest within each class.
12. If the number of classes warrant, a division will be split into multiple divisions.
13. Calves on the side of cow-calf pairs MUST BE the cow's natural calf for cattle exhibited at the show.
14. Exhibitors with senior bull calves, intermediate, yearling & senior bulls are required to provide a licensed veterinarian's statement indicating the bull has been semen checked and evaluated as fertile. Semen evaluation is to occur within 90 days of the show. Exhibitors with females in the spring & junior yearling divisions must be confirmed pregnant within 45 days of show by a licensed veterinarian or by blood test or show with a calf at side. This statement must be presented at check-in during the Cattlemen's Congress.

NATIONAL HEREFORD SHOW CLASSIFICATIONS AND RULES

The female classes will consist of females born on or after January 1, 2020.

The bull classes will consist of bulls born on or after January 1, 2020.

The cow/calf classes will consist of any females born before July 31, 2020.

with a calf at the side. Calf is eligible for individual classes, and must be entered in the appropriate class.

FEMALE CLASSES - (HORNED)

Cow Calf (Any female older than the below listed ages with a calf at side.)

Calf older than 240 days of age on the show date is not eligible to show in cow/calf class.

- In the cow/calf class, if the cow is horned and the calf polled then the pair will show in the horned cow/calf class, and if the cow is polled and the calf is horned, then the pair will show in the polled cow/calf class.

- Calf is eligible for individual classes but must be entered in the appropriate class.
- Cow/Calf does not compete for overall champion female.

- Spring heifer calves calved May 1 - June 30, 2022
- Spring heifer calves calved April 1 - 30, 2022
- Spring heifer calves calved March 1 - 31, 2022
- Junior heifer calves calved February 1 - 29, 2022
- Junior heifer calves calved January 1 - 31, 2022
- Senior heifer calves calved November 1 - December 31, 2021
- Senior heifer calves calved October 1 - 31, 2021
- Senior heifer calves calved August 1 - September 30, 2021
- Late summer yearling heifers calved June 1 - July 31, 2021
- Early summer yearling heifers calved May 1 - 31, 2021
- Spring yearling heifers calved April 1 - 30, 2021
- Spring yearling heifers calved March 1 - 31, 2021
- Junior yearling heifers calved February 1 - 29, 2021
- Junior yearling heifers calved January 1 - 31, 2021
- Senior yearling heifer calved August 1 - December 31, 2020
 - Senior yearling females must show with a calf at side.

AHA reserves the right to break classes so a 30 day age span may be maintained in the spring, junior, winter and senior calf classes.

- Female Division Championships:
- Spring Heifer Calves
 - Junior Heifer Calves
 - Senior Heifer Calves
 - Intermediate Yearling Females
 - Spring Yearling Females
 - Junior Yearling Females
 - Senior Yearling Females

** Corresponding Polled Hereford female classes will be for the Cow/Calf.

BULL CLASSES - (HORNED)

- Spring bull calves calved May 1 - June 30, 2022
- Spring bull calves calved April 1 - 30, 2022
- Spring bull calves calved March 1 - 31, 2022
- Junior bull calves calved February 1 - 29, 2022
- Junior bull calves calved January 1 - 31, 2022
- Senior bull calves calved November 1 - December 31, 2021
- Senior bull calves calved October 1 - 31, 2021
- Senior bull calves calved August 1 - September 30, 2021
- Late summer yearling bulls calved June 1 - July 31, 2021
- Early summer yearling bulls calved May 1 - 31, 2021

Spring yearling bulls calved April 1 - 30, 2021
Spring yearling bulls calved March 1 - 31, 2021
Junior yearling bulls calved February 1 - 29, 2021
Junior yearling bulls calved January 1 - 31, 2021
Senior yearling bulls calved August 1 - December 31, 2020
Two-year old bulls calved January 1 - July 31, 2020

AHA reserves the right to break classes so a 30 day age span may be maintained in the spring, junior, and senior calf classes.

Bull Division Champions:

Spring Bull Calves
Junior Bull Calves
Senior Bull Calves
Intermediate Bulls
Yearling Bulls
Senior Bulls

GROUP CLASSES

01 Get-of-Sire - Four animals shown in above single entry classes with both sexes represented and all to be the progeny of one sire. It is permissible to use either the cow or calf from a cow/calf pair for the Get of Sire. Get-of-Sire may be comprised of animals from one or more owners and of both horned and polled animals.

02 Best Six Head - Owned by Exhibitor. All animals must have been shown in their respective single entry classes and they must be owned by the exhibitor or by a member of his/her immediate family. A cow/calf will be considered as two head in the Best Six Head class.

Premier Breeder/Premier Exhibitor

Awarded with the following point system --1st place = 5 points, 2nd place = 4 points, 3rd place = 3 points, 4th place = 2 points and 5th place = 1 point. No points will be given for champions. Points will be awarded for the Best Six Head for Premier Exhibitor. The same scoring system as above will be used for awarding points for the group classes. It is suggested that banners be given to the Premier Exhibitor and Premier Breeder.

The Cattlemen's Congress awards rosettes to all Division Champions and Reserve Champions and banners to Grand Champions and Reserve Grand Champions.

HEREFORD PEN BULL SHOW

SUPERINTENDENTS: Joe Rickabaugh & Bailey Clanton

JUDGES:

Jeff Gooden, MO : Sam Shaw, ID : Bruce Thomas, MT

SHOW: Thursday, January 5, immediately following female pen show

Animals competing in the Hereford division must be registered in the American Hereford Association. Both Horned and Polled Herefords are eligible and will be shown together. Pens will consist of three (3) bulls.

PEN OF THREE BULLS

- 01 Pen of Three Spring Bull Calves calved on or after March 1 - June 30, 2021
- 02 Pen of Three Junior Bull Calves calved on or after January 1, 2021
- 03 Pen of Three Senior Bull Calves calved October 1 - December 31, 2020
- 04 Pen of Three Senior Bull Calves calved August 1 - September 30, 2020
- 05 Pen of Three Yearling Bulls calved January 1 - July 31, 2020
- 06 Pen of Three Senior Bull calved August 1 - December 31, 2019
- 07 Pen of Three Two-year old Bulls calved January 1 - July 31, 2019

CHAMPION PEN OF THREE BULLS

RESERVE CHAMPION PEN OF THREE BULLS

Senior bull calves, Intermediate, Yearling and Senior bulls are required to provide a licensed veterinarian's statement indicating the bull has been semen checked and evaluated fertile. Semen evaluation is to occur within 90 days of show date.

PEN OF FIVE BULLS

- 08 Pen of Five Spring Bull Calves calved on or after March 1 - June 30, 2021
- 09 Pen of Five Junior Bull Calves calved on or after January 1, 2021
- 10 Pen of Five Senior Bull Calves calved October 1 - December 31, 2020
- 11 Pen of Five Senior Bull Calves calved August 1 - September 30, 2020
- 12 Pen of Five Yearling Bulls calved January 1 - July 31, 2020
- 13 Pen of Five Senior Bull calved August 1 - December 31, 2019
- 14 Pen of Five Two-year old Bulls calved January 1 - July 31, 2019

CHAMPION PEN OF FIVE BULLS

RESERVE CHAMPION PEN OF FIVE BULLS

Senior bull calves, Intermediate, Yearling and Senior bulls are required to provide a licensed veterinarian's statement indicating the bull has been semen checked and evaluated fertile. Semen evaluation is to occur within 90 days of show date.

HEREFORD PEN FEMALE SHOW

SHOW: Thursday, January 5, 11:00 a.m.

Animals competing in the Hereford division must be registered in the American Hereford Association. Both Horned and Polled Herefords are eligible and will be shown together. Pens will consist of three (3) females.

- 15 Spring Heifer Calves born on or after March 1, 2021
- 16 Junior Heifer Calves born on or after January 1, 2021
- 17 Senior Heifer Calves born October 1 - December 31, 2020
- 18 Senior Heifer Calves born August 1 - September 30, 2020
- 19 Summer Yearling Heifers born May 1 - July 31, 2020
- 20 Spring Yearling Heifers born March 1 - April 30, 2020
- 21 Junior Yearling Heifers born January 1 - February 28, 2020

CHAMPION PEN OF THREE HEIFERS

RESERVE CHAMPION PEN OF THREE HEIFERS

Females entered in the spring and junior yearling classes are required to have a confirmation of pregnancy from a licensed veterinarian.

HEREFORD JUNIOR FEMALE SHOW

JUDGE: Tyler Cates, IN

ASSOCIATE JUDGE: Kyle Shoufler, IN

SHOW: Wednesday, January 4, 8:00 a.m.

Heifers may be jointly owned by siblings provided both are individual members of the National Junior Hereford Association and between the ages of 7 and 21 as of January 1 of the current year. No animal is eligible to compete if recorded in joint ownership (other than the sibling rule) or ownership of farm or family name.

HORNED HEREFORD DIVISION

Spring heifer calves calved after May 1 - June 30, 2022

Spring heifer calves calved April 1 - 30, 2022

Spring heifer calves calved March 1 - 31, 2022

Junior heifer calves calved February 1 - 29, 2022

Junior heifer calves calved January 1 - 31, 2022

Senior heifer calves calved November 1 - December 31, 2021

Senior heifer calves calved October 1 - 31, 2021

Senior heifer calves calved August 1 - September 30, 2021

Late summer yearling females calved June 1 - July 31, 2021

Early summer yearling females calved May 1 - 31, 2021

Spring yearling females calved April 1 - 30, 2021

Spring Yearling females calved March 1 - 31, 2021

Junior yearling females calved February 1 - 29, 2021

Junior yearling females calved January 1 - 31, 2021

Senior yearling heifer calved August 1 - December 31, 2020

*Senior yearling females shown after January 1 must show with a calf at side.

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE

POLLED HEREFORD DIVISION

Polled Hereford females must be naturally polled or scurred and registered in the American Hereford Association. Heifers may be jointly owned by siblings provided both are individual members of the National Junior Hereford Association and between the ages of 7 and 21 as of January 1 of the current year. No animal is eligible to compete if recorded in joint ownership (other than the sibling rule) or ownership of farm or family name.

Spring heifer calves calved after May 1 - June 30, 2022

Spring heifer calves calved April 1 - 30, 2022

Spring heifer calves calved March 1 - 31, 2022

Junior heifer calves calved February 1 - 29, 2022

Junior heifer calves calved January 1 - 31, 2022

Senior heifer calves calved November 1 - December 31, 2021

Senior heifer calves calved October 1 - 31, 2021

Senior heifer calves calved August 1 - September 30, 2021

Late summer yearling females calved June 1 - July 31, 2021

Early summer yearling females calved May 1 - 31, 2021

Spring yearling females calved April 1 - 30, 2021

Spring yearling females calved March 1 - 31, 2021

Junior yearling females calved February 1 - 29, 2021

Junior yearling females calved January 1 - 31, 2021

Senior yearling heifer calved August 1 - December 31, 2020

*Senior yearling females shown after January 1 must show with a calf at side.

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE

Hereford and Polled Hereford females entered in the junior show have to be born before June 30, 2022. Divisions will include spring, junior & senior heifer calves along with an intermediate, spring, junior and senior yearling divisions.

A champion and reserve champion for each division will be selected, and they will compete for the overall champion and reserve champion female in the junior Hereford shows.