

## Department 7A Beef Cattle – Open

**Please review "Exhibit Information - General Rules and Information." See "Main Menu - Calendar" for entry schedule.**

1. Entry forms must be completed for each animal and returned to the County Extension office prior to date posted in Calendar or uploaded on the Fair website.
2. All beef cattle must be purebred (except as otherwise specified) and registration papers are required at time of entry.
3. No heifers or bulls in barn until the day of the show.
4. Where there is no competition in a class, second prize money will be given.
5. Animals will be classed by their registration papers. Each entry must have registration papers at time of entry and be in the name of the exhibitor except in crossbred and commercial divisions.
6. To be eligible to compete for premiums, all animals must be halter broken and well groomed. Bulls must have nose ring and lead. Cattle that are wild and not in creditable condition will be ruled out. All animals will be exhibited at owner's risk.
7. No more than two (2) entries may be made in one class by the same exhibitor.
8. Feed and care must be furnished by the exhibitors
9. Release of all Beef Cattle is 9:00 PM of the show day or when approved by Fair Authority
10. Health Regulations:
  - A. General: All cattle exhibited must appear in healthy condition. An official health certificate signed by an accredited veterinarian is not required.
  - B. Brucellosis:
    1. No test required on calves under 6 months of age
    2. No test required on officially calfhood vaccinated animals under 24 months
    3. No test required on Alabama cattle if they originate from a herd that is not under quarantine because of brucellosis
  - C. Tuberculosis: No TB test required
11. All Breeds
  - A. Separated into 6 classes based on age for each sex.
  - B. Class 01 will be for those born in the year of the fair.
  - C. Class 06 will be for 2 year old females born in the fall 2 years before the fair.
12. Places & Awards for Bulls and Females:

- A. 1st - \$65 2nd - \$55 3rd - \$45 4th - \$35 5th - \$25 All others - \$15  
 B. Champion Bull and Female of Each Breed Rosette  
 C. Reserve Champion Bull and Female of each Breed Rosette

<b>Division # and Name</b>	<b>Classes</b>
01 Angus Bulls	01 through 06
02 Angus Females	01 through 06
03 Charolaise Bulls	01 through 06
04 Charolaise Females	01 through 06
05 Chianina Bulls	01 through 06
06 Chianina & Crosses Females	01 through 06
07 Commercial Females	01 through 06
08 Maine Anjou Bulls	01 through 06
09 Maine Anjou & Crosses Females	01 through 06
10 Polled Hereford Bulls	01 through 06
11 Polled Hereford Females	01 through 06
12 Shorthorn Bulls	01 through 06
13 Shorthorn Females	01 through 06
14 Simmental Bulls	01 through 06
15 Simmental Females	01 through 06
16 AOB I Bulls	01 through 06
17 AOB I Females	01 through 06
18 AOB II Bulls	01 through 06
19 AOB II Females	01 through 06
20 AOB III Bulls	01 through 06
21 AOB III Females	01 through 06