

— ENTRIES CLOSE SEPTEMBER 15, 2016 —

Online entries and payment will be accepted beginning August 1st at ncstatefair.org. Mailed or hand delivered paper entries will be charged a \$5.00 processing fee.

Admission policy for livestock exhibitors! After October 1, exhibitors who entered online will receive an e-mail with directions on printing a bar coded sheet for parking passes and admission wristbands. Exhibitors entering hard copies will receive similar bar coded sheets via US mail. All exhibitor households will receive two stickers for reserved livestock parking lots and 5 wristbands valid for show period entered. Parking stickers and wristbands can be picked up at the livestock entry gate upon presentation and scanning of the bar coded entry sheet.

DEPARTMENT 007 Jr. Beef Heifer

Total Premiums Offered—\$18,100

SUPERINTENDENT: AMANDA WACHS, NCDA & CS

JUDGES: AMANDA SCHNOOR - Modesto, CA
MATT LEO - Snelling, CA

[Health Regulations](#)-see page 23

RULES AND REGULATIONS

CHECK IN: All heifers accepted must be checked in between the hours of 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., Thursday, October 13, 2016. Heifers will be checked for tattoo against registration papers. Registration papers must accompany all breeds except those entered in the commercial classes. Each purebred heifer must have permanent identification per respective association rules, either tattoo or brand. NC State Fair reserves the right to inspect tattoos and/or brands at any time. The readability of the tattoo and/or brand is the sole responsibility of the exhibitor. All heifers entered are subject to being mouthed. Stall assignments will be made starting at 6:00 a.m. Wednesday, October 12, 2016, or as soon as the barn is ready. Animals will not be allowed to enter the barn until inspected and passed by health officials. An approval card to the superintendent will be issued after inspection, prior to entering the barn and receiving stall assignments.

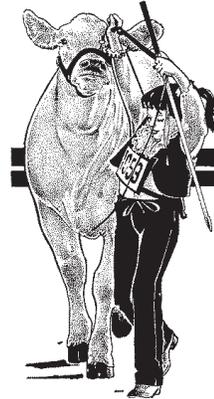
SHOW DATE: Friday, October 14 - 1:00 PM - showing in one ring (order to be determined) Charolais, Santa Gertrudis, Gelbvieh, Red Angus

Saturday, October 15 - 8:00 AM - showing in two rings (order to be determined) Simmental, Commercial, Shorthorn, Limousin, Angus, Hereford, AOB

RELEASE TIME: Exhibitors will furnish feed for all their animals during the Fair until animals are released at 10:00 p.m., Saturday, October 15. All cattle must be removed from the barn by 10:00 a.m. on Sunday.

1. Heifers must be in the exhibitors care and possession by July 15, 2016. Heifers may be shown in county or district shows within the state of North Carolina prior to showing at the N. C. State Fair provided they show in the N. C. State Fair exhibitor's name. An exhibitor may exhibit out-of-state upon written approval by the superintendent, and only when the heifer is exhibited in the North Carolina resident's name.

Otherwise, exhibitors must have been involved with the care and training of all heifers exhibited at the 2016 N. C. State Fair Junior Beef Heifer Show from July 15, 2016 to October 15, 2016. The Superintendent or other NCSF Livestock Show Official reserves the right to inspect the cattle premises at any time between July 15 and October 15, 2016. Any exhibitor/animal found in violation of this rule will be ineligible to compete at the 2016 NC State Fair, and may be subject to an additional probationary period.



2. Open to North Carolina residents 21 years of age and younger as of January 1, 2016. Exhibitors must be able to exhibit animal on their own without any assistance.
3. Exhibitors will be allowed to enter three heifers per breed but will be limited to exhibit two of the entries per breed in the Heifer Show. NO SUBSTITUTIONS will be allowed.
4. Heifers must be halter broken. Unruly animals that may endanger the safety of exhibitors will be asked to leave the ring.
5. Animals exiting the show ring will not be stopped to put on a second halter until they have cleared the makeup area. The superintendent and ring staff have discretion in special situations.
6. You must enter at www.ncstatefair.org by 11:59 p.m. on September 15. Mailed entries must be postmarked NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 15, 2016. This rule will be enforced.
7. Mailed entries for Junior Beef Heifer Show must be on separate entry forms from the Open Beef Show, Feeder Calf Show, Jr. Market Steer Show.
8. If a junior has more than one heifer in a class, the other heifer must be shown by a junior (must be a resident of North Carolina) approved by the show superintendent.
9. NO adhesives are allowed. NO painting or dyeing is allowed. Any animal found in violation of this rule, when rubbed with a white cloth or other means, will be immediately disqualified and the exhibitor along with any additional entries may be subject to disqualification.
10. **No drenching is allowed, unless under the direct supervision of a licensed veterinarian in the state of NC with a valid medical reason.**
11. **Exhibitors need to enter showmanship online or on paper entry forms by September 15, 2016. They are not automatically entered. Showmanship can be found in Department 28, Section 101.**
12. Any exhibitor or his representative who interferes with or displays disrespect to a judge, official, or the Fair (at the discretion of the Superintendent) could forfeit any premiums of monies earned and/or are subject to other penalties assessed by the NC State Fair.
13. Any complaints regarding age, ownership, participation, eligibility or presence of "owners" must be made by junior exhibitors to the superintendent prior to the particular breed show in which the contested animal is registered of the Junior Beef Heifer show in respective age grouped class.
14. Any question not covered by these rules will be ruled on by the Superintendent.

EXCEPT AS NOTED, ALL GENERAL RULES OF THE FAIR AND OF THE LIVESTOCK DIVISION, AND BREED ASSOCIATION RULES WILL APPLY AND GOVERN THIS DEPARTMENT



2015 Supreme Grand Champion Junior Beef Heifer

JUNIOR BEEF HEIFER PREMIUMS

PREMIUMS	1st Place - \$110	2nd Place - \$105	3rd Place - \$100	4th Place - \$95	5th Place - \$90	6th Place - \$85
	7th Place - \$80	8th Place - \$75	9th Place - \$70	10th Place - \$65	11th Place - \$60	12th Place - \$55
	13th Place - \$50	14th Place - \$45	15th Place - \$40	16th Place - \$35	17th Place - \$30	18th & above - \$25

GRAND CHAMPION \$50 (Pewter Plate)

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION \$25 (Pewter Plate)

SUPREME GRAND CHAMPION \$500 (Banner) - Sponsored by Umbarger Show Feeds

RESERVE SUPREME GRAND CHAMPION \$250 (Banner) - Sponsored by Sonny Brothers Livestock

Show day schedules will be determined based on best use of rings and will be posted prior to show day. NCSF management reserves the right to make any and all changes necessary.

ALL OTHER BREEDS OR AOB

If an effort to increase purebred representation and allow registered, low-percentage cattle the opportunity to compete in a class other than commercial, the NC State Fair has introduced the All Other Breeds or AOB class. For cattle to be eligible for this class, they must have registration papers which must be presented at check-in. Any animal that does not have registration papers will be placed in the appropriate commercial class.

Section 101-RED ANGUS

Class

00001	March and April, 2016
00002	January and February, 2016
00003	November and December, 2015
00004	September and October, 2015
00005	July and August, 2015
00006	May and June, 2015
00007	March and April, 2015
00008	January and February, 2015
00009	November and December, 2014
00010	September and October, 2014
	GRAND CHAMPION RED ANGUS
	RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION RED ANGUS

Section 102-ALL OTHER BREEDS

Class

00001	March and April, 2016
00002	January and February, 2016
00003	November and December, 2015
00004	September and October, 2015
00005	July and August, 2015
00006	May and June, 2015
00007	March and April, 2015
00008	January and February, 2015
00009	November and December, 2014
00010	September and October, 2014
	GRAND CHAMPION ALL OTHER BREEDS
	RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION ALL OTHER BREEDS

Section 103-SANTA GERTRUDIS

Class

00001	March and April, 2016
00002	January and February, 2016
00003	November and December, 2015
00004	September and October, 2015
00005	July and August, 2015
00006	May and June, 2015
00007	March and April, 2015
00008	January and February, 2015
00009	November and December, 2014
00010	September and October, 2014
	GRAND CHAMPION SANTA GERTRUDIS
	RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION SANTA GERTRUDIS

Section 104-CHAROLAIS

Class

00001	March and April, 2016
00002	January and February, 2016
00003	November and December, 2015
00004	September and October, 2015
00005	July and August, 2015
00006	May and June, 2015
00007	March and April, 2015
00008	January and February, 2015
00009	November and December, 2014
00010	September and October, 2014
	GRAND CHAMPION CHAROLAIS
	RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION CHAROLAIS

Section 105–COMMERCIAL**Class**

00001 March and April, 2016
 00002 January and February, 2016
 00003 November and December, 2015
 00004 September and October, 2015
 00005 July and August, 2015
 00006 May and June, 2015
 00007 March and April, 2015
 00008 January and February, 2015
 00009 November and December, 2014
 00010 September and October, 2014
 GRAND CHAMPION COMMERCIAL
 RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION COMMERCIAL

Section 106–ANGUS**Class**

00001 March and April, 2016
 00002 January and February, 2016
 00003 November and December, 2015
 00004 September and October, 2015
 00005 July and August, 2015
 00006 May and June, 2015
 00007 March and April, 2015
 00008 January and February, 2015
 00009 November and December, 2014
 00010 September and October, 2014
 GRAND CHAMPION ANGUS
 RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION ANGUS

Section 107–SIMMENTAL**Class**

00001 March and April, 2016
 00002 January and February, 2016
 00003 November and December, 2015
 00004 September and October, 2015
 00005 July and August, 2015
 00006 May and June, 2015
 00007 March and April, 2015
 00008 January and February, 2015
 00009 November and December, 2014
 00010 September and October, 2014
 GRAND CHAMPION SIMMENTAL
 RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION SIMMENTAL

Section 108–LIMOUSIN**Class**

00001 March and April, 2016
 00002 January and February, 2016
 00003 November and December, 2015
 00004 September and October, 2015
 00005 July and August, 2015
 00006 May and June, 2015
 00007 March and April, 2015
 00008 January and February, 2015
 00009 November and December, 2014
 00010 September and October, 2014
 GRAND CHAMPION LIMOUSIN
 RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION LIMOUSIN

Section 109–GELBVIEH-Balancer or 75% Hybrid Pedigree**Class**

00001 March and April 2016
 00002 January and February, 2016
 00003 November and December, 2015
 00004 September and October, 2015
 00005 July and August, 2015
 00006 May and June, 2015
 00007 March and April, 2015
 00008 January and February, 2015
 00009 November and December 2014
 00010 September and October, 2014
 GRAND CHAMPION GELBVIEH
 RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION GELBVIEH

Section 110–HEREFORD**Class**

00001 March and April, 2016
 00002 January and February, 2016
 00003 November and December, 2015
 00004 September and October, 2015
 00005 July and August, 2015
 00006 May and June, 2015
 00007 March and April, 2015
 00008 January and February, 2015
 00009 November and December, 2014
 00010 September and October, 2014
 GRAND CHAMPION HEREFORD
 RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEREFORD

Section 111–SHORTHORN/SHORTHORN PLUS

Class

- 00001 March and April 2016
 - 00002 January and February, 2016
 - 00003 November and December, 2015
 - 00004 September and October, 2015
 - 00005 July and August, 2015
 - 00006 May and June, 2015
 - 00007 March and April, 2015
 - 00008 January and February, 2015
 - 00009 November and December 2014
 - 00010 September and October, 2014
- GRAND CHAMPION SHORTHORN/SHORTHORN PLUS
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION SHORTHORN/SHORTHORN PLUS

The Junior Market Steer/Junior Beef Heifer Showmanship Champion Contest can be found in Department 028, Section 101.

JIMMY SMITH MEMORIAL AWARD

The N.C. Simmental Association will be presenting an award to an outstanding Simmental exhibitor in the Junior Beef Heifer Show in memory of the late Jimmy Smith of Cove City. Jimmy Smith was a strong supporter of the Junior Beef Heifer Show by providing heifers for many urban and rural youth to show, and providing guidance both inside and outside the show ring. A belt buckle will be awarded to a Junior Simmental exhibitor that shows good sportsmanship, leadership and good conduct throughout the Junior Show weekend. Assisting other exhibitors, helping to keep the barn clean and promoting agriculture will be taken into account by the selection committee. This award will be determined by a committee assigned by the N.C. Simmental Association, and will be presented during the Junior Simmental Show.

SENATOR JAMES D. SPEED ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

The Senator James D. Speed Achievement Scholarship is presented to a deserving Junior Beef Exhibitor, age 14-18 years old, in the Jr. Market Steer and/or Jr. Beef Heifer competition. The scholarship continues the legacy that Senator Speed created as a 32-year member of the North Carolina State Legislature and through his commitment and dedication to agricultural interests. To honor his memory, the Franklin County Cattlemen's Association is honoring him by establishing and presenting an academic scholarship to an outstanding achiever in the Junior Beef Program. The scholarship is funded through an endowment in the NC Cooperative Extension Service Foundation.

The Senator James D. Speed Achievement Scholarship is valued at \$500. The Achievement Scholar will demonstrate strong leadership skills, integrity, good sportsmanship, achievement of goals, and be an advocate of today's agricultural industry. The scholar will be selected by the Franklin County Cattlemen's Association Scholarship Committee and will be announced at the NC State Fair. To be considered for the scholarship, applicants should download the scholarship application at www.FranklinCountyFarmFresh.com or call (919)496-3344. Applications are due by September 15th to be considered for the scholarship. The Senator James D. Speed Achievement Scholarship will be awarded during the scholar's freshman year and will be made payable to the scholar's selected institution of higher education on behalf of the named scholar.

MILEAGE PAYMENTS

The State Fair Management will pay mileage compensation for animals exhibited in the Junior Heifer Show as outlined here. Payment will be made for each animal based on the distance (one-way) between the county seat of the county involved and Raleigh. For computing mileage, the official Highway Map issued by the State Department of Transportation will be used. Payments will be made on the basis of \$.50 per animal, per mile.

MILEAGE \$0.50