

56th Annual

UGA Spring Dairy Show



Saturday, April 6th, 2019

UGA Livestock Instructional Arena

Athens, Georgia

BROWN SWISS, HOLSTEIN, AND JERSEY BREEDS

Rules and Regulations:

1. This is a show for **REGISTERED** females of Holstein, Jersey and Brown Swiss breeds. If less than 15 animals are entered in a breed, the show may be canceled.
2. For showmanship, exhibitors must be a minimum of nine years old to participate, but not have reached their 22nd birthday by show day. Animals must be owned (or appropriately leased) by the JUNIOR exhibitor.
3. All animals being exhibited in any type of livestock show (local, county, area, district, or state) must have an official certificate of veterinary inspection (health certificate). Georgia cattle have no brucellosis test requirements. Georgia cattle have no tuberculosis test requirements. Out-of-state cattle must satisfy Georgia import requirements for tuberculosis and brucellosis. (Regulations are contingent on state of origin – call (404) 656-3667 for current regulations). **Health papers must accompany all cattle. An inspector will be present.**
4. Each exhibitor must assume all risks in showing his or her animals. The sponsoring groups assume no responsibility in case of fire or accident.
5. Exhibitors must furnish feed, water tubs and feed boxes. No straw allowed in the barn.
6. An entry fee of \$15.00 per animal will be charged. **Make check payable to Georgia 4H Foundation** and include with entry form and mail to Dr. Jillian Bohlen, 138 C Animal and Dairy Science Complex, 425 River Road, University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia 30602-2771. Telephone number (706) 542-1852. **Entries must be postmarked by March 22, 2019.**
7. At the discretion of the personnel in charge, all animals shall be made available to be used in judging contest Friday afternoon or forfeit all premiums, entry fees, and awards.

8. The barns will be open for receiving cattle after 10 AM, Thursday, April 4th. Cattle must be in the barn by 12 PM (NOON), Friday, April 5th. Animals will be released at the conclusion of the show Saturday.
9. Exhibitors should provide official registration papers to show officials at entry by 1 PM Friday, April 5th.
10. Judging will begin at 9:00 AM April 6th beginning with Promotional Showmanship Class (boys and girls ages 8 years and under) followed by The Junior, Senior, and Collegiate Showmanship Classes. Breeds will show together for showmanship. Heifer classes will follow showmanship. Cow classes will follow heifer classes. There may be a short break between heifers and cows.
11. All animals must be registered in the Herd Book of its Breed Association. If a JUNIOR member, all animals must be registered or leased in the Junior Exhibitor's name 60 days prior to date of show. Any lease documentation must be provided.
12. Each Exhibitor will be responsible for **cleaning** all manure; excess feed, trash, hay, hair and soiled bedding from the tie space and raking it into the center aisles after the judging contest. Failure to comply results in complete forfeit of all premiums and awards.
13. The possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages is prohibited at event where 4-H and FFA members are present.
14. Those youth and coaches judging in the contest will not be allowed in the barn at any time prior to the contest. Those exhibitors showing animals are asked to have no contact or communications with other exhibitors or anyone associated with this activity, and remain out of the barn after 1:00 PM on Friday until the judging contest begins. There are no exceptions.
15. All rules will be enforced and failure to comply will result in forfeiture of all premiums and awards.

Class Premiums:

First place Junior, Senior, and Collegiate Showmanship Winners will be awarded \$50.

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
Heifers	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$15.00	\$10.00
Cows	\$50.00	\$40.00	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$20.00

Rosettes (no money premiums) are awarded to Junior, Senior, Grand, Supreme and all Reserve Champions.

Final Piece of Information:

We would LOVE to see you all in Athens on April 6th!

Please watch the UGA Dairy Extension blog for official entry forms in the next month:

<https://site.extension.uga.edu/dairy/>

A high quality State 4-H Dairy Judging Contest is not possible without our exhibitors!!!