

HEREFORD SHOW

SUPERINTENDENT: Joe Rickabaugh & Bailey Clanton

JUDGE: Donnie Robertson

ENTRIES CLOSE NOVEMBER 21, 2022

BEGIN ARRIVAL: Wednesday January 4, 8:00 a.m.
IN PLACE: Sunday January 9, 8:00 a.m.
OPEN SHOW: Saturday January 14, 9:00 a.m. (Bulls)
Saturday, January 14, 9:00 a.m. (Females)
SALE: Friday, January 13, 6:00 p.m. (Stout Hereford Sale, In The Yards)
BEGIN RELEASE: Saturday, January 14, Following Show
ALL OUT: Saturday January 14, 10:00 p.m.

PREMIUMS, NATIONAL WESTERN STOCK SHOW \$20,000

1. Entries:

- A. All NWSS livestock entries are online at livestockentry.nationalwestern.com.
- B. Entry Fees: Entry fees are \$40.00 per head, and a \$25.00 per head pre-bedding fee will be added. Free parking is included with entry.
- C. All Yards and Hill cattle pens/stalls will be pre-bedded for a fee of \$25.00 per head entered. Exhibitors may purchase additional bedding through the NWSS Feed Store online at store.nationalwestern.com or on grounds during the Feed Office hours should they choose to do so.
- D. AHA registration numbers must be stated on entries.

2. Special Rules:

- A. All cattle, including calves on the side of cow-calf pairs and senior yearlings entered 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.
- B. The exhibition of cattle displaying false hair will not be allowed.
- C. 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.
- D. The act of artificially filling animals internally. Which includes stomach pumping, drench tubes or any other method by mouth or esophagus is prohibited.
- E. 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.
- F. 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.
- G. It is recommended by the AHA Show Committee that classes with 10 or more head be considered to be split depending on animals' birth dates in each particular class.
- H. Any animal without a legible tattoo will not be eligible to show.
- I. 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.

- J. 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.
 - K. 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 class to the oldest with in each class.
 - L. Calves on the side of cow-calf pairs MUST BE the cow's natural calf
3. Hereford Show Classification Rules:
- A. The female classes will consist of females born on or after August 1, 2020
 - B. The bull classes will consist of bulls born on or after January 1, 2020
 - C. The cow/calf classes will consist of any females born before July 31, 2020 with a calf at side. Calf is eligible for individual classes, but must be entered in appropriate class.

HEREFORD FEMALES - HORNED

- 101 Spring heifer calves calved after March 1 - June 30, 2022
 - 102 Junior heifer calves calved January 1 - February 28, 2022
 - 103 Senior heifer calves calved November 1- December 31, 2021
 - 104 Senior heifer calves calved August 1 - October 31, 2021
 - 105 Late summer yearling heifers calved June 16 - July 31, 2021
 - 106 Early summer yearling heifers calved May 1 - June 15, 2021
 - 107 Spring yearling heifers calved March 1 - April 30, 2021
 - 108 Junior yearling heifers calved January 1 - February 29, 2021
- 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.
- 301 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.)*

HEREFORD FEMALES - POLLED

- 401 Spring heifer calves calved after March 1 - June 30, 2022
- 402 Junior heifer calves calved January 1 - February 28, 2022
- 403 Senior heifer calves calved November 1- December 31, 2021
- 404 Senior heifer calves calved August 1 - October 31, 2021
- 405 Late summer yearling heifers calved June 16 - July 31, 2021
- 406 Early summer yearling heifers calved May 1 - June 15, 2021
- 407 Spring yearling heifers calved March 1 - April 30, 2021

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- 601 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.)

HORNED & POLLED FEMALE DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIPS

From Classes:

- Junior Heifer Calves
- Senior Heifer Calves
- Intermediate Heifers
- Spring Yearling Heifers
- Junior Yearling Heifers

HEREFORD BULLS - HORNED

- 201 Spring bull calves calved after March 1, - June 30, 2022
- 202 Junior bull calves calved January 1 - February 29, 2022
- 203 Senior bull calves calved November 1 - December 31, 2021
- 204 Senior bull calves calved August 1 - October 31, 2021
- 205 Late summer yearling bulls calved June 16- July 31, 2021
- 206 Early summer yearling bulls calved May 1 - June 15, 2021
- 207 Spring yearling bulls calved March 1 - April 30, 2021
- 208 Junior yearling bulls calved January 1 - February 28, 2021
- 209 Senior yearling bulls calved August 1 - December 31, 2020
- 210 Two-year old bulls calved January 1 - July 31, 2020

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- 501 Spring bull calves calved after March 1, - June 30, 2022
- 502 Junior bull calves calved January 1 - February 29, 2022
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HORNED & POLLED BULL DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIPS

From Classes:

- Junior Bull Calves
- Senior Bull Calves
- Intermediate Bulls
- Yearling Bulls
- Senior Bulls

HEREFORD GROUPS

- 701 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.
- 702 Best Six Head: Owned by Exhibitor. All animals must have been shown in their respective single entry classes and they must be owned by 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:

PREMIER EXHIBITOR:	
1 st	5 Points
2 nd	4 Points
3 rd	3 Points
4 th	2 Points
5 th	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.