

**REGIONAL SHORTHORN SHOW**  
**SHORTHORNS, POLLED SHORTHORNS & SHORTHORNPLUS**  
**SUPERINTENDENTS: ASA Staff**  
**JUDGE: Todd Herman – Lima, OH**  
**ENTRIES CLOSE NOVEMBER 20, 2023**

BEGIN ARRIVAL: Sunday, January 7, 12 Noon  
IN PLACE: Tuesday, January 9, 10:00 a.m.  
OPEN SHOW: Friday, January 12, 8:00 a.m.  
BEGIN RELEASE: Friday, January 12, Following show  
ALL OUT: Friday, January 12, 10:00 p.m.

**PREMIUMS**

**NATIONAL WESTERN STOCK SHOW**

**\$4,000**

**1. Entries:**

- A. All NWSS livestock entries are online at [livestockentry.nationalwestern.com](http://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](http://store.nationalwestern.com) or on grounds during the Feed Office hours should they choose to do so.
- D. ASA registration numbers must be stated on entries.

**2. Special Rules:**

- A. Entry in this show binds the exhibitor to all regulations pertaining thereto. All entries and exhibitors are subject to the Rules & Regulations of the American Shorthorn Association; including but not limited to Rule VI: Shows & Rule VII: Enforcement Proceeding.
- B. All cattle must be purebred Shorthorn or ShorthornPlus with the American Shorthorn Association to be eligible to show. ShorthornPlus animals must be registered as 50% Shorthorn or higher in registry. ASA Staff will accept electronic registration papers for check-in unless otherwise stated by show rules.
- C. All animals must be registered as the property of the exhibitor in the records of the American Shorthorn Association by the time of the Show.
- D. All Shows held on or after October 1st of the show year must have Late and Early Spring Calf Championships added to the Division Championships, and eight Champions will be available for consideration for Grand Champion Awards.
- E. All Shorthorns are subject to a tattoo inspection by representatives of the ASA. All Purebred and ShorthornPlus are subject to parentage DNA testing by ASA. All Purebred Shorthorns and ShorthornPlus are also subject to an age inspection if deemed necessary by the ASA and the decision of the examining veterinarian is final.
- F. **Females with calves at side rule for exhibitors at all Open shows:** If a Purebred Female has a ShorthornPlus calf at side, it is not eligible for the Purebred Shorthorn Show, however it is eligible for the ShorthornPlus show. All calves showing alongside a cow must be a registered animal with ASA.

- G. Senior/Junior Yearling Pregnancy rule for exhibitors at all Open shows:** All females 20 months old at the time of the show need to have a 60-day pregnancy verification signed by an accredited, non-owner veterinarian at the time the female is processed for the show and are subject to blood test to prove pregnancy. Exhibitors may be asked to present said verification upon the request of the Show officials or ASA representatives. If verification cannot be produced, the female may be allowed to participate if the exhibitor can produce a qualified veterinarian to examine the female at the show site and verify a 60-day pregnancy. Any infractions against this rule will lead to disqualification of that animal for that specific show.
- H.** The below classes will be broken using the Shorthorn Show System Classifications following check-in procedures.

**SHORTHORN FEMALES**

- 101** Shorthorn Heifer calved September 1, 2021 and after.....A  
**102** Shorthorn Cow/Calf-Cows born January 1, 2017-August 31, 2021.....A  
*Both Cow and calf must be purebred Shorthorn. Calf age may not exceed 280 days on show day.*  
**Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Female** ..... C

**SHORTHORN PLUS FEMALES**

- 201** Shorthorn Heifer calved September 1, 2021 and after .....A  
 Champion and Reserve Champion Late Spring Heifer Calf.....B  
**202** Shorthorn Cow/Calf-Cows born January 1, 2017-August 31, 2021.....A  
*Both Cow and calf must be purebred Shorthorn. Calf age may not exceed 280 days on show day.*  
**Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Female** ..... C

**SHORTHORN BULLS**

- 301** Shorthorn Bull calved January 1, 2021 and after .....A  
**Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Bull**..... C

**SHORTHORN PLUS BULLS**

- 401** ShorthornPlus Bull calved January 1, 2021 and after .....A  
**Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Bull**..... C