

# CHIANINA AND CHIANGUS SHOW

SUPERINTENDENT: Heather Counts

JUDGE: Kelsey Evans

ENTRIES CLOSE NOVEMBER 20, 2024

BEGIN ARRIVAL: Wednesday January 15, 8:00 a.m.

IN PLACE: Thursday, January 16, 6:00 p.m.

OPEN SHOW: Sunday, January 19, 9:00 a.m.

BEGIN RELEASE: Following Show, January 19, 5:00 p.m.

ALL OUT: Sunday, January 19, 10:00 p.m.

## 1. Entries:

- A. All NWSS livestock entries are online at <https://nwssrs.fairwire.com/>.
- B. Entry Fees: Entry fees are \$60.00 per head and a \$25.00 per head pre-bedding fee will be added. Free vehicle parking is included with entry. Trailer parking is available for a fee at Dicks Sporting Goods Field. Information online at [nationalwestern.com](http://nationalwestern.com)
- 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 on the grounds during the Feed Office hours should they choose to do so.
- D. ACA registration numbers must be stated on entries.

## 2. Special Rules

- A. Chianina entered must be registered with the American Chianina Association by the entry closing date and must be owned and registered in the name of an active member of the ACA or Junior ACA. Both Fullblood and Percentage Chianina will be eligible to show. All entries are subject to the provisions and rules set forth by the Board of Directors of the ACA.
- B. 6.25 % RULE – Animals must have a minimum of 6.25% Chianina blood to participate in ACA nationally sponsored shows.
- C. ACA registration papers for each entry must be available for presentation to the Breed Superintendent of the show at the time entries are verified before judging. All tattoos will be checked and must correspond with the registration papers. Any animal not having a legible tattoo, or a tattoo not corresponding with its ACA papers, will be ineligible to compete and will be barred from showing.
- D. All animals must be registered with the ACA. Registration applications will not be considered valid proof of ownership for this show. Original registration papers or an electronic copy must be presented to the breed superintendent at check-in.
- E. ACA Open Shows—Chianina and Chiangus entries will NOT be entered by designated show classes at the time of nomination. Classes will be broken after all animals are checked in at the show. Individual bull and female classes will be divided into as nearly equal numbers as possible depending on natural age breaks of entries and the total number of animals to be exhibited.
- F. All females eighteen (18) months of age and older must have a certificate of pregnancy from a licensed veterinarian or have produced fertile eggs as certified in a written statement by a licensed veterinarian or embryologist or have a calf at side.
- G. There will be a cow/calf class in each division and a Grand Champion Pair will be selected. The pair will not show against the heifers for Grand Champion Heifer. Calves exhibited in the cow/calf division are not allowed to show in individual classes. All cows and calves must

be registered with the ACA. The maximum age for calves is 260 days. No maximum age limit on the cows. The registration category of the cow determines the division in which the pair shows. Calves shown at the cow's side must be the cow's natural calf. The exhibitor may be asked to allow the calf to nurse the cow.

- H. All bulls shown in individual classes must have a permanent nose ring and an attached lead
- I. Classes will be determined by age, using the futurity system.

**CHIANINA FEMALES**

- 101 Heifers calved September 1 , 2022, and later ..... A
- 110 Cow/calf: All females older than September 1, 2022, with a calf at side ..... A
- Champion and Reserve Champion Female** ..... C

**CHIANINA BULLS**

- 201 Bulls Calved January 1, 2022, and later..... A
- Champion and Reserve Champion Bull** ..... C

**CHIANGUS AND RED CHIANGUS FEMALES**

- 301 Heifers calved September 1, 2022, and Later..... A
- 310 Cow/calf: All females older than Sept. 1, 2022, with a calf at side ..... A
- Champion and Reserve Champion Female** ..... C

**CHIANGUS AND RED CHIANGUS BULLS**

- 401 Bulls calved January 1 2022 and later ..... A
- Champion and Reserve Champion Bull** ..... C

**CHIANINA GROUPS**

- 407 Junior Get of Sire: Three (3) head by the same sire calved after Sept. 1, 2022. Both sexes represented. All three were exhibited in the individual classes. Need not be owned by the same exhibitor. Sire must be registered with the ACA (excludes commercial or foundation animals). ..... R
- 408 Senior Get of Sire: Four (4) head by the same sire. Both sexes represented. All four were exhibited in the individual classes. Need not be owned by the same exhibitor. The sire must be registered with the ACA (excludes commercial or foundation animals)..... R
- 409 Produce of Dam: Two (2) head produced by the same dam, both were exhibited in the individual classes. Need not be owned by the same exhibitor. The dam must be registered with the ACA (excludes commercial or foundation animals). .....R
- 410 Best Six Head: Six animals owned, co-owned or bred by one exhibitor or by a member of the immediate family. All six were exhibited in the individual classes. ....R