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**137 Russellville Road
Westfield, MA 01085**

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A family tradition since 1927.

Welcome to the Westfield Fair

Admission:

Adults	\$10.00
Senior Citizens	\$8.00
Children under 12	Free with a paid adult admission
Parking	Free
Overnight campers	No overnight camping available

Fair Hours:

Friday Evening: 5:00 PM– 10:00 PM
Saturday: 8:00 AM – 10:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Westfield Fair Ground Rules:

- **NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES** or *Illegal Substances anywhere on the grounds (including TRUCKS OR CARS)*. Coolers will be checked at gate.
- **NO DRONES**/Aerial photography allowed on grounds.
- **NO** unsupervised children under 12
- **NO SMOKING** in barns, exhibit halls, or bleachers at the Horse/Oxen Pulling Ring.
- **NO DOGS ALLOWED ON THE GROUNDS.**
- **ALL** Trucks & Trailers **MUST** be parked in designated areas only.

Westfield Fair Association Officers for 2023:	
President	Sheila Phelon (413) 537-1421
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*The 95th Annual Westfield Fair
is dedicated to the Men and
Women of the Armed Forces of
the United States.*



Thank you!

*Special Thanks to the
Hampden County
Improvement League
for providing grant money
to improve our facilities.*

In Loving Memory

JOSEPH P. BOISSEAU (12/20/1955 – 11/9/2022)

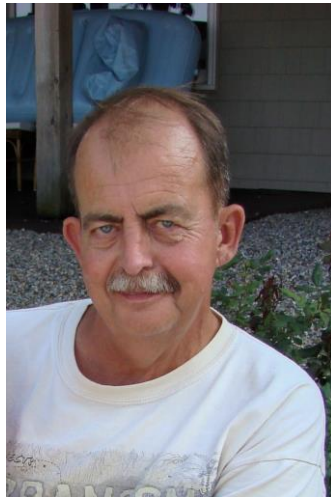
Joe grew up attending the Westfield Fair all his life. His entire family has been active with the fair for several generations, and you could always find Joe anywhere on the grounds where he was needed. We will all miss Joe very much.

(Ethel) Jean Stevens (7/4/39 – 3/14/2023)

Jean exhibited at the Westfield Fair for many years with her vegetables, her canning, and her crafts. She led several 4-H clubs for the children in her neighborhood, teaching canning, knitting, and crocheting and often loaded up her car and drove those who had no way to get to the fair so they could compete. Jean will be sadly missed by many of us.

*In Honor of James F. Phelon
Westfield Fair Dairy Cattle Scholarship*

James Phelon was well known here at Westfield Fair, not only for his love of showing Milking Shorthorns year after year at the fair, but most of the time during the fair you would find him tending to the gate. Jim was a volunteer for over 30 years here at the fair and served as president for 10 years. He loved to see improvements that would keep the future of the fair going, and was always the first to lend a helping hand. Jim was well known for his love of his family, traveling, farming and the Milking Shorthorn breed. He especially enjoyed showing his cows with family and friends at many local and national shows, and always found his way back here every third weekend in August.



Jim spent a lot of his time dedicated to seeing the success of youth whether it was through a 4-H club, national junior society, or just helping a youth get to a show, annual meeting or national convention. He loved to see everyone have the same opportunity to get involved in youth dairy activities. So in honor of Jim we would like to offer two scholarships to youth who have participated in the Dairy Cattle show here at Westfield Fair.

Westfield Fair Dairy Cattle Scholarship

*In Honor of James F. Phelon
1952-2009*

Requirements for the \$500 Scholarship:

- Each candidate must be attending an accredited 2 or 4 year college/university at any level.
- Each candidate must have participated for at least 2 years out of the last 5 years in the Dairy Cattle show at Westfield Fair.
- The scholarship may only be received once per person.
- Please submit a current photo with your application.
- A completed application and essays must be sent by **August 1, 2023** to Sheila Phelon
201 Pochassic Road Westfield, MA 01085

Name: _____ D.O.B _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

School You Will Be Attending: _____

Year in School: _____ Major: _____

1. *Please write a short essay on why you enjoy showing dairy cattle and what your plans are for the future of participating in shows.*
2. *List your 4-H involvement, Westfield Fair involvement, and extracurricular activities.*
3. *What are some good ideas for Westfield Fair to enhance their agricultural education to the public? How would you raise money for it?*
4. *If you could travel to one place in the world, where would you go and what would you go see?*

RAFFLES

Free Raffle: Bike Raffle to be held on Saturday and Sunday. One girl's bike and one boy's bike will be raffled each day. Recipient must be present at drawing. Tickets are available in the exhibit hall and will be drawn at approximately 4:00 PM during the rodeo on Saturday and at 3:00 PM on the main stage on Sunday.

50/50 Raffle: Raffle occurs each day of the fair – Recipients do not have to be present at drawing. Tickets are available in the exhibit hall.

Exhibit Entry and Premium Information

The Fair Association reserves the right to pay prize money on a percentage basis in case of bad weather or, if for any other reason, the Fair's treasury receipts fall short. Fair Premium money will be sent through the mail. Please cash checks promptly. All questions regarding checks should be directed to: Susan Phelon at 28 Pinewood Lane, Westfield, MA 01085, (413)562-4640 (*No collect calls please*).

All exhibits and changes must be on record in the Secretary's office to receive premium money. We suggest that exhibitors keep an accurate copy of their entry blank and winnings, as limited time prohibits return of original entries.

Entry Blanks are provided after all classes are listed in this book. Please submit entries as outlined for each Department Below. The following applies to all entries regardless of the department:

GENERAL ENTRY BLANK RULES:

- Only one person per entry blank, use additional plain paper, if necessary. **Entries must include mailing address.**
- Entries should be received at least one week prior to the fair, unless otherwise specified by the department.
- Animals must have registration numbers available if asked.
- Juniors must include age as of January 1st. Exhibitors 20 years of age and older are considered an adult. A junior cannot show in an adult hall class if there is a class available in junior.

DEPARTMENT ENTRY BLANK RULES:

Exhibit Hall Entries:

Entries must be mailed to Susan Phelon, 28 Pinewood Lane, Westfield, MA 01085, ***at least one week prior to the fair.***

Dairy & Beef Cattle Show Entries:

Entries must be mailed to Susan Phelon, 28 Pinewood Lane, Westfield, MA 01085, ***at least one week prior to the fair.***

- Animal registration papers must be available upon request.
- Changes must be submitted in writing to the Dept. Superintendent's office before entering the ring. Deadline is 9:30 AM on the day of the show.
- Use the base dates set up by Breed Associations when figuring the ages of your animals.
- Entries are limited to two (2) in singles classes (except Best Udder which is one entry) and one (1) in group classes.
- Group entries must have been shown in single classes. Only one entry per class per breed.

Sheep Entries:

Entries should be mailed to Kara Dziengelewski, 100 Davis Road, Southwick, MA 01077, Telephone 413-537-6235.

- Exhibitors are limited to one entry in group class. May show more in single classes but will be limited to two premiums per breed. Animals shown in group classes must have been shown in single classes.
- Exhibitor is limited to the showing of not more than two breeds.
- Entries may not be made in show ring. They will absolutely not be judged & will not receive premium.
- No entries will be transferred from Saturday to Sunday after the Fair has started.
- Substitutions may be made only within the same class entered. They will be accepted at check-in time only.
- For the safety of your animals, entries will be closed after the first 250 entries.

Hall and Animal Set Up, Show and Release Times

Please adhere to the published Exhibit Set Up/Arrival Times, Show Times and Release Times. Animals will **NOT** be received or released at any other times. In addition, once animals are unloaded/ loaded, **TRUCK AND TRAILERS MUST BE MOVED TO DESIGNATED AREAS**. If parking requirements are unclear, please see one of the Westfield Fair Committee Members for assistance.

Hall Exhibits:

Westfield Fair Exhibit Hall Set Up:	Thursday	6:00 PM to 9:00 PM
	Friday	9:00 AM to 12:00 PM (Noon)
Exhibit Hall Judging	Friday	1:00 PM
Release Times:	Sunday	5:00 PM (if show is complete)
Westfield Fair Exhibit Hall Hours:	Friday	5:00 PM to 9:00 PM
	Saturday	8:00 AM to 9:00 PM
	Sunday	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Notes:

- Exhibits must be in place *30 minutes* before judging starts. Halls are closed during judging.
- Early removal of exhibit without permission will result in forfeiture of premiums.
- Exhibits should be removed promptly at 5:00 PM, after which the Association *will not* be responsible for any loss or damage.
- Exhibitors wishing to donate exhibits for auction should see hall superintendent. Perishables left after 5:30 PM will be sold.
- Hall changes will be accepted by Secretary until 11:00 AM on Friday.

Junior Dairy and Junior Beef:

Set Up/ Arrival Times:	Friday	6:00 PM to 9:00 PM
	Saturday	6:00 AM to 8:00 AM
Showing Times:	Saturday	9:00 AM (Dairy) 11:30 AM (Beef – when Dairy breaks for lunch)
Release Times:	Saturday	5:00 PM (if show is complete)

Notes:

- Exhibitors are responsible for removal of manure from barn before being released.
- Late arrivals will be checked by the State Inspector at the inspector's convenience.
- Livestock changes will be accepted by Secretary until 9:30 AM the day of the show.

Adult Dairy and Adult Beef:

Set Up/ Arrival Times:	Saturday	6:00 PM to 9:00 PM
	Sunday	6:00 AM to 8:00 AM
Showing Times:	Sunday	9:00 AM 1:00 PM (Beef)
Release Times:	Sunday	5:00 PM (if show is complete)

Notes:

- Exhibitors are responsible for removal of manure from barn before being released.
- Late arrivals will be checked by the State Inspector at the inspector's convenience.
- Livestock changes will be accepted by Secretary until 9:30 AM the day of the show.

Hall and Animal Set Up, Show and Release Times (continued)

Junior Sheep:

Set Up/ Arrival Times:	Friday	6:00 PM to 10:00 PM
	Saturday	6:00 AM to 9:00 AM
Showing Times:	Saturday	11:00 AM
Release Times:	Saturday	5:00 PM (if show is complete)

Adult Sheep:

Set Up/ Arrival Times:	Saturday	6:00 PM to 10:00 PM
	Sunday	6:00 AM to 9:00 AM
Showing Times:	Sunday	10:00 AM
Release Times:	Sunday	5:00 PM (if show is complete)

Note: All Pens must be cleaned and taken down at the end of the show or premiums will be forfeited.

Ox Show/Draw Exhibits:

Set Up/ Arrival Times:	Saturday	8:00 AM
Showing Times:	Saturday	9:00 AM
Draw Time:	Saturday	10:00 AM
Release Times:	Saturday	at judges discretion

Note: Oxen in classes (1908 & 1909) will be weighed between 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM.

Horse Draw Exhibits:

Set Up/ Arrival Times:	Sunday	8:00 AM
Showing Times:	Sunday	11:00 AM
Release Times:	Sunday	When show is complete

Only two classes – with a 12' pull..

General Exhibit Information/Rules:

General Rules:

- No person shall exhibit, be awarded or receive premiums in any department in which that person is a judge.
- Exhibitors and/or public are not to expect privileges or rebates on account of rain.
- Exhibitors and the public are not allowed to go barefoot.
- Lost and found items will be held by the secretary.

Exhibit Rules:

- All exhibits must be produced, selected, and arranged by the exhibitor. Livestock must be owned by the exhibitor at least thirty (30) days prior to exhibition. An animal shown in a Junior class cannot be shown in an Adult class. Numbers will be checked at random by superintendents for age of animal, ownership, date of ownership, etc.
- Entries failing to comply with the Premium List requirements will be disqualified. Livestock exhibitors failing to comply with dress code requirements will not be allowed in the ring.
- Placing will be awarded on the basis of quality of exhibits. The decision of the judges will be final. The committee and the judges reserve the right to reject any or all exhibits which are not listed in the premium book.
- Exhibitors cannot enter more than 1 entry in a class with the following exceptions:
 - Any other class – up to 3 different entries.
 - Cattle and Goats – 2 entries per class in singles.
 - Sheep and Goats – 3 or more in singles, but only 2 premiums.
 - Cattle and Sheep – limited to 2 breeds per exhibitor.
- All animals shown in group classes must be shown in a single class.
- Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counterirritant, or similar substance) which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, conformation or appearance, except external applications of substances to the hoofs or horns of animals which affect appearance only and except for surgical procedures performed by a duly licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited.

Compliance/Damages/Loss:

In no case shall the Westfield Fair Association or any of its' officers be held responsible for any damages, loss, injury, death or disability by disease or from theft, or any other cause of such property, or to any person coming upon said Westfield Fair Grounds. The Westfield Fair Association hereby refuses to assume any responsibility for the safety as bailee or otherwise of any property brought upon said Fair Grounds. Said property being brought and kept upon said grounds at the owners own risk.

If the property owners or others interested in the property desire protection against loss, damage or injury from fire or any cause, they must make their own arrangement and pay for such insurance. The management will endeavor to use due care to protect all exhibits.

If it is ascertained that any exhibitor and/or exhibitor's employee has, in a disorderly and public manner, taken exception to the judgment or ruling of an awarding committee, judge, superintendent, or any official of the Westfield Fair Association, the Board of Directors may exclude said offending exhibitor and/or employee from competing for a premium, or from

exhibiting until such person shall have made proper apology and be reinstated by a vote of the majority of the entire Board of Directors.

Animal Health:

2023 Animal Health Rules for Fairs and Shows

Special Note: Due to the continuing US outbreak of High Path Avian Influenza (HPAI), Animal Health Officials from all six New England States may recommend postponing competitions, exhibitions, shows, swaps, or other in-person events encouraging the gathering or comingling of domestic fowl or poultry. If events are held, best practices for biosecurity should be implemented. In addition to complying with all laws and regulations governing animal health issues all fairs must adopt and enforce the following rules for governance for the fair. NO animal will be admitted to the fairgrounds unless it meets the requirements below. NO animal is to be unloaded or enter a barn or tie-out stall until the animal and its paperwork have been inspected and approved for entry.

A. General Rules for All Animals: See M.G.L. c. 128 §2C, 129 §2

1. All animals must be in proper physical condition, be properly identified and free of visual evidence of infectious, contagious or parasitic disease at time of arrival. Specific diseases and conditions which will disqualify an animal for entry are identified for each species in the following sections of the rules. Animals of any species with open or draining wounds will not be approved for entry.
2. Evidence of infectious, contagious or parasitic disease or failure to produce the necessary documents for health certification, vaccination or testing will result in the animal's rejection for entry. THE INSPECTOR'S DECISION IS FINAL.
3. Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counterirritant, or similar substance) which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, conformation or appearance, except external applications of substances to the hoofs or horns of animals which affect appearance only, and except for surgical procedures performed by a duly-licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited.
4. Official ID: See Final Rule: Summary of Traceability for Livestock Moved Interstate (Summary of general requirements by species) All livestock must have proper official, individual ID as required and approved for the species, e.g., official metal ear tag, tattoo, scrapie tag, or microchip. Registration forms must accompany health certificates when used as part of official identification.
5. Health Certificates: -- One Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) may be allowed for animals of the same species to be exhibited at fairs or shows in any of the New England states (*CT, *ME, MA, **NH, RI, and ***VT) when submitted with an itinerary of the dates and locations of the events at which the listed animals are expected to be shown. Only animals that are healthy at the time of shipment may be moved. Note that *CT, *ME, **NH, and ***VT have additional requirements. Certificates of veterinary inspection in these states are valid for a shorter period of time and may have additional language, movement and permit requirements.

For the 2023 Show and Fair Season, livestock animals being exhibited in New England states must have official certificates of veterinary inspection (OCVIs) that meet the following requirements:

- a. MA and RI: OCVIs issued on or after January 1, 2023 may be used for those animals being shown at multiple fairs and shows in MA, and RI through the 2023 show/fair season ending October 31, 2023. MA -Notes: The Big E Fairgrounds in West Springfield requires an Infectious Disease Waiver (provided by The Big E) for all equines entering the premises for any show, fair, or exhibition. All Bovines must have official RFID tags.
- b. CT and ME: An importation permit for exhibition animals is also required. Contact CT Dept. of Agriculture (860-713-2504) or ME State Veterinarian's Office (207-287-3701) for permits or questions.
- c. NH: * * NH: To qualify for the extended CVI, animals exhibited in NH must originate in a New England state and move on OCVIs issued on or after April 1, 2023 to participating NH fairs and shows from July 1 to October 31. The extended CVI is not available for animals that do not reside in New England. Contact NH State Veterinarian's Office (603) 271-2404 for details and permits.
- d. ***VT: Contact the VT Animal Health Office (802-828-2421) for specific import requirements that deviate from the general information in this letter and must be met for legal import of livestock.
- e. A single OCVI from the animals' home state may be completed for travel to and from the New England states in which the animals will be exhibited. MA animals being shown ONLY in MA may substitute a signed, dated letter on the letterhead of an accredited veterinarian for an OCVI if all required information is included and all additional requirements are met.
- f. Multiple animals of the same species may be listed on one health certificate with appropriate individual IDs and descriptions. Animals of different species may not be listed on the same official health certificate.
- g. An itinerary of the names and locations for each New England fair or show at which owner expects to show the listed animals and the dates when each animal is expected to be on each site, must be prepared by the owner and presented to the veterinarian at the time the OCVI is written.
- i. A copy of this planned itinerary must be attached to the official health certificate (import and export) for it to be used for more than one fair or show.
- ii. That proposed list should be signed by the veterinarian and the owner/ exhibitor and reference the relevant OCVI number(s).
- h. The name and address of the first show or fair where the listed animals will be exhibited is to be used as the "destination" on the OCVI form. In addition, "See attached list" or a similar statement directing Animal Health Officials or Fair Inspectors to the attached proposed itinerary must be included.
- i. Exhibitors must keep an accurate list of the show locations and dates when their animals were actually on show/fair grounds. This record must be available to fair inspectors at each inspection and check-in.
- j. Any animal listed on an OCVI that becomes sick must remain home. If the animal is refused entry to any exhibition during 2023 for health reasons it must have a new health certificate issued by an accredited veterinarian within 30 days of the next interstate movement.
- k. Any New England state may end their participation in this agreement and revert to the standard published requirements for livestock imports in the state at any time, in the event of foreign animal disease outbreak or change to state legislation.

All petting zoos are required to have a USDA APHIS Exhibitor's License (as needed) and valid 2023 health certificates. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR EACH SPECIES ARE LISTED BELOW

B. Cattle: See M.G.L. c. 129 §§2, 39 and 330 CMR 4.04(2).

1. TB and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from TB-Accredited and Brucellosis-Free States and in-state animals. Current brucellosis and TB status in the exhibitor's state can be obtained

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from the state veterinarian's office in each state. If the exhibitor's state is not TB-Accredited or Brucellosis-Free, then the exhibitor must call the Massachusetts Division of Animal Health for entry requirements (617-626-1795). All animals must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pinkeye, ringworm, warts, cowpox and open or draining wounds.

2. While not required, it is strongly recommended that all cattle be currently vaccinated for rabies.

3. Note: The Big E is requiring RFID official identification tags for all cattle entering the Big E Fairgrounds premises in 2023. Other fairs may add this requirement. Contact fair office with questions.

C. Poultry: See M.G.L. c. §§2, 129, and 330 CMR 5.02.

1. No poultry will be admitted to a fairground until it has been individually inspected.

2. All poultry must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: infectious bronchitis, coryza, pullorum-typhoid, fowl-pox, external parasites and laryngotracheitis.

3. Each bird must be accompanied by written proof (ID card or test report) that the breeding flock was blood- tested negative for pullorum-typhoid within one year prior to entry date.

4. Birds from quarantined states will not be permitted entry.

5. All birds over 16 weeks of age as of January 1, 2023 shall be individually leg banded with a state leg band. This includes out of state exhibitors.

6. No bird vaccinated for laryngotracheitis within thirty days of the fair will be admitted.

D. Goats: See M.G.L. c. 129 §2, 9 CFR 79.6 and Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06.

1. TB and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from TB-Accredited and Brucellosis-Free States and in-state animals.

2. All goats and kids presented, regardless of age, must be individually listed and identified on the health certificate. All goats must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pinkeye, ringworm, warts, pox and open or draining wounds. All goats must also be free of soremouth and scrapie exposure.

3. Based on the Federal Scrapie Eradication Program (FSEP), goats and sheep of any age or sex brought to show or exhibition from either out of state or within state must possess a USDA official individual identification tag or registry tattoo accompanied by current registration papers consistent with the requirements of the FSEP and the Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06. Information is available from USDA-APHIS at 508-363-2290.

E. Camelids (Llamas, Alpacas, etc.): See M.G.L. c. 129 §2, M.G. l. c. 131, §23, 321 CMR 9.02.

1. TB and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from TB-Accredited and Brucellosis-Free States and in-state animals. Current brucellosis and TB status in the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state. If the exhibitor's state is not TB-Accredited or Brucellosis-Free, then the exhibitor must call the Massachusetts Division of Animal Health for entry requirements (617-626-1795).

2. All Camelids originating from outside the Commonwealth are required to be tested for Blue Tongue. Exception: Animals from a USDA declared "Low Incident State" are exempt. New England and New York are low incident states.

3. All animals must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pinkeye, ringworm, warts, pox and open or draining wounds.

F. Swine: See M.G.L. c. 129 §14E, 330 CMR 11.04(2), 9 CFR 71.19

1. All swine must be identified by an official ear tag or registration.

2. Swine must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: erysipelas, atrophic rhinitis, mange and open or draining wounds.

3. No person shall import into Massachusetts from outside the state any swine which have been pseudorabies vaccinated. M.G.L. c. 129 §14E.

4. No person shall import into Massachusetts swine from Stage I or Stage II Pseudorabies States.

5. All swine shall originate from qualified pseudorabies-free herds or monitored herds in qualified pseudorabies free States only. The pseudorabies status of the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state.

G. Sheep: See 9 CFR 79 and Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06.

1. No sheep will be allowed entry from flocks in which Scrapie has been diagnosed or in which animals are under surveillance for Scrapie during the previous eighteen months. Based on the Federal Scrapie Eradication Program (FSEP), goats and sheep of any age or sex brought to show or exhibition from either out of state or within state must possess a USDA official individual identification tag or registry tattoo accompanied by current registration papers consistent with the requirements of the FSEP and the Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06. Information is available from USDA-APHIS at 508-363-2290.

2. No sheep will be permitted entry from flocks in which sore mouth has existed or in which sore mouth vaccine has been administered in the previous sixty (60) days.

3. Sheep must be free from visual evidence of foot rot, sore mouth, pink eye, ringworm, and open and draining wounds. While not required, it is strongly recommended that sheep be currently vaccinated against rabies.

H. Equine: M.G.L. c. 128 §§2C, 44, 330 CMR 16.05.

1. All equines entering a Massachusetts fairground must have a valid health certificate. Note: The Big E Fairgrounds in West Springfield requires for an Infectious Disease Waiver (provided by The Big E) signed by the exhibitor for all equines entering the premises for any show, fair, or exhibition.

2. All equines must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: mange, ringworm, soring, strangles, and open or draining wounds.

3. All equines originating from both within and outside of the Commonwealth must have a negative USDA approved EIA test (i.e., Coggins test or ELISA test) dated within twelve months of entry.

4. While not required, it is strongly recommended that all equines be vaccinated for rabies, tetanus, EEE and WNV within one year of the fair.

I. Rabbits: See M.G.L. c. 129 §2 Rabbits must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: rabbit hemorrhagic Disease Virus 2 (RHDV2), snuffles, wet tail, and skin and ear infections.

Microchips may be used for ID in rabbits originating in MA.

J. Dogs and Cats: See M.G.L. c. 129 §39G

1. All dogs and cats must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: kennel cough, distemper, hepatitis, parvo, ringworm and mange.

2. All dogs and cats must be accompanied by a valid and current vaccination certificate for rabies.

Contact the Massachusetts Division of Animal Health at 857-348-3922 or 617-626-1795 for further information

A State Photography Competition

The Massachusetts Agricultural Fair Association (MAFA) is hosting a statewide photography contest this year. The first place winner from each member Fair will be judged at the Annual MAFA convention this November. The winning photos will be featured in one or more MAFA and MDAR publications. The winning photographers will receive special recognition and passes to many Massachusetts Fairs.

Each member Fair must submit one first place NON-PROFESSIONAL photo in adult and/or youth categories that meets the regulations for this contest by November 1st.

CONTEST RULES & REGULATIONS:

The photo must be exhibited in a MAFA member's 2023 Fair by a non-professional adult and/or junior exhibitor.

The subject of the photo must be agricultural in nature and/or depicting the agricultural aspects of a Massachusetts Fair.

The photo must be exhibited and judged to be the best overall photo that meets the subject criteria for this contest at the originating member Fair.

Though photos may be exhibited at the Fair in a certain size, frame, etc., only an 8 X 10 un-matted and unframed photo will be judged at the convention. Therefore, winning photographers may need to resize and/or de-frame & de-matt the original exhibited piece before it is submitted to MAFA.

The winning photograph will reproduce with the best quality if it is taken with a minimum of 300 dpi, but this is not a requirement for submission.

MAFA and MDAR have the right to use the winning photograph in publications promoting agriculture in the state of Massachusetts.

Exhibits

**Exhibitors must adhere to General Exhibitor Rules within this document.
After unloading, all vehicles must be parked in designated areas only.**

Classes For Children Under Age 9 as of Jan 1st

Premiums: 2.00, 1.75, 1.50, 1.25, 1.00			
Class	Description	Class	Description
A	Bouquet of Garden Flowers	K	Drawing - Crayon
B	Bouquet of Wild Flowers	L	Drawwing - Pencil
C	Snapdragons – 5 Stems	M	Painting - Watercolors
D	Any Other Cut Flowers – 5 Blooms	N	Painting – Finger Paints
E	Red Tomatoes – 3 on a Plate	O	Popsicle Stick Art
F	Green Tomatoes – 3 on a Plate	P	Clothes Pin Doll
G	Green Beans – 10 on a Plate	Q	Brownies or Bars – Any 4 on a Plate
H	Yellow Beans – 10 on a Plate	R	Cookies – Any 4 on a Plate
I	Peppers – 3 on a Plate	S	No Bake Coolies – Any 4 on a Plate
J	Any other Vegetables – 3 on a Plate	T	Art Made with Macaroni or Beans, Etc.

Junior Hall Exhibits:

JUNIOR VEGETABLES

Donna Herman, Supervisor

- Quality Garden Displays that do not place will be paid \$2.00.
- Displays must be arranged in exhibit hall **without adult** help.
- Exhibitor must furnish peat to set up display.
- Must have exact amount of specimen outlined on premium list, and be quality & maturity specified.
- All entries in a class should be the same size, shape, and color.
- Product size should be not too large or small, and should have fine texture, and fresh, good color. No premium for largest specimen.
- Entries should be free from blemishes (i.e. cuts, bruises, insect injury, or disease).
- Be sure product is clean, as would be prepared for market. Do not scrub.
- Red tomatos, no stems, Green tomatos, leave stems on.
- Do Not peel onions and Do Not wash potatoes.
- Score card is as follows (classes 31 – 36):
 - 50% Quality, 30% Arrangement, 10% Utility Value, 10% No. of Kinds

PLATES - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.25, 2.00, 1.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1	15 pods green beans	13	5 yellow onions	24	2 winter squash - delicata
2	15 pods yellow beans	14	5 red onions	24A	2 hubbard squash
3	15 pods shell beans	15	5 peppers	24B	2 cushaw squash
4	5 beets	16	5 red potatoes	24C	2 butternut squash
5	2 cabbages	17	5 white potatoes	24D	2 buttercup
6	5 carrots – short	18	2 pumpkins - sugar	25	5 red tomatoes 6-13 yrs
7	5 carrots – long	18A	2 pumpkins - field	26	5 red tomatoes 14-19 yrs
8	5 ears sweet corn	19	2 yellow summer squash	27	5 green tomatoes 6-13 yrs
9	2 cucumbers	20	2 green summer squash	28	5 green tomatoes 14-19 yrs
10	2 eggplants	21	2 other summer squash	29	10 tomatoes-pear, plum or cherry
11	5 kohlrabi	22	Decorated summer squash 6-13 yrs	30	2 Any other vegetable
12	5 white onions	23	Decorated summer squash 14-19 yrs		
ARRANGEMENTS – (Minimum 5 kinds in bowl, tray, or basket) Premiums: 9.00, 8.00, 7.00, 6.00, 5.00, 4.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
31	Chopping bowl 6-13 yrs	33	Veggie tray 6-13 yrs	35	Veggie basket 6-13 yrs
32	Chopping bowl 14-19 yrs	34	Veggie tray 14-19 yrs	36	Veggie basket 14-19 yrs
GARDEN DISPLAYS – Premiums: 22.00 20.00 18.00 16.00 14.00 12.00					
Class	Description				
39	Display of at least 6 kinds of vegetables in 9 sq. ft. of space. Classes will be divided by age if sufficient entry.				

JUNIOR CANNED AND PRESERVED GOODS

- All canned goods to be processed – open kettles or hot water bath for jam, jellies, fruits, and tomatoes; pressure for vegetables and meat. Display without bands.
- Products should be of the best quality, uniform in size, and of good color. Use practical pack.
- Liquid should be clear, free from sediment, and proper amount in jar.
- Container should be matching pint jars, cleaned, properly sealed, and labeled. (Bail jars should not be used due to possible safety issues). Jams / jellies may be in matching jars less than a pint.
- Jelly should be clear and of good color and consistency. Jam should be of good color and consistency. Product must be processed.
- Judges may open glasses at random.

VEGETABLES AND FRUITS (2 pint jars) - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.25, 1.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
50	Green snap beans	55	Tomatoes	58	Blackberries
51	Yellow snap beans	55A	Tomato Juice or sauce	59	Applesauce
52	Beets – sliced or diced	56	Other vegetables	60	Peaches
53	Whole beets	56A	Corn	61	Plums
54	Carrots	57	Blueberries	62	Other fruit
RELISHES AND PICKLES (2 Pint Jars) - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.25, 1.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
63	Bread and Butter pickles	66	Other pickles	69	Other relish
64	Mustard pickles	67	Corn relish	70	Piccalilli
65	Dill pickles	68	Pepper relish		
JELLY AND JAM (2 Jars) - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.25, 1.50					

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52	Beets – sliced or diced	56	Other vegetables	60	Peaches
53	Whole beets	56A	Corn	61	Plums
54	Carrots	57	Blueberries	62	Other fruit
RELISHES AND PICKLES (2 Pint Jars) - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.25, 1.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
71	Apple jelly	72A	Rhubarb jelly	75	Raspberry jam
71A	Berry jelly	73	Other jelly	75A	Blueberry jam
72	Grape jelly	74	Strawberry jam	76	Other jam
COLLECTIONS (1 Jar each of 3 different varieties) - Premiums: 4.00, 3.50, 3.00, 2.75, 2.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
77	Vegetables	79	Pickles and/or relish	81	Jam
78	Fruit	80	Jelly	82	Balanced meal-3 jars different canned products with menu card

JUNIOR BAKED GOODS

- Product must be properly wrapped with the recipe attached.
- No packaged mixes will be considered.
- Product should be attractive with good color, texture and flavor.
- Classes may be divided by age or type if sufficient entry.

Baked Goods - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.25, 1.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
100	6 cupcakes, iced	105	6 other cookies	110	Quick bread
101	6 cupcakes, decorated	106	6 baking powder biscuits	111	Gingerbread
102	6 chocolate chip cookies	107	6 muffins without paper cups	112	Packed adequate school lunch w/menu for entire day
103	6 bar cookies	108	6 brownies	112A	Other food entry
104	6 drop cookies	109	6 pieces fudge or candy		
Cakes & Pies - Premiums: 3.50, 3.00, 2.50, 2.00, 1.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description		
113	Layer cake, iced	115	Two-crust pie		
114	Coffee cake	116	Decorated cake – Fall Theme		

JUNIOR SEWING AND NEEDLEWORK

- All articles should be clean and in good condition, suitable, and well constructed as to workmanship and ease of care.
- All exhibits must be made or completed during the past year.
- Exhibitor may enter only one outfit in a class with “or” in the description.

Junior Sewing - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
200	Sweatshirt	207	Jacket	214	Prom dress
201	Apron	208	Vest	215	Child's garment
202	Tote bag	209	Blouse	216	Accessory – belt, scarf, purse, etc
203	Shirt	210	Suit	217	Coordinated outfit
204	Shorts or slacks	211	Outdoor gear	218	Skirt
205	Jumper	212	Nightgown or pajamas	219	Any other article
206	Quilted garment	213	Party dress		
Junior Needlework - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
250	Stuffed animal, toy, etc	257	Needlepoint or bargello	264	Hat or scarf, knitted or crocheted
251	Plastic canvas	258	Pillow	265	Sweater, knitted or crocheted
252	Candle wicking	259	Pair of pillows	266	Other item, knitted or crocheted
253	Quilted item or original design	260	Other needlework	271	Pillowcase
254	Counted cross stitch pattern	261	Afghan, knitted or crocheted	272	Needle felting
255	Cross stitch – preprinted	262	Mittens or gloves, knitted or crocheted	273	Patchwork article
256	Latch hook item	263	Baby item, knitted or crocheted	274	Doll clothes

JUNIOR ARTS AND CRAFTS

- All items must be made during the past 12 months.
- No Color-by-number material will be judged, and no tracing or kits.
- Original art must be mounted (see class 304 for exception).
- Pictures must be mounted or framed.
- Painted items or pictures must be dry.
- Pencil, charcoal, or chalk must have fix applied.
- Only one (1) entry in any class which has “**or**” in the description.
- Classes may be divided by age or type of craft if sufficient entry.

ARTS AND CRAFTS - ORIGINAL ART - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.00, 1.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
300	Crayon	304	Poster, any media mounted on poster board	344	Pastels & charcoal
301	Watercolor, brushwork only	341	Oil painting	345	Ink drawing
302	Pencil drawing	342	Acrylic painting		
303	Other original art	343	Appliqué collage		
ARTS AND CRAFTS - OTHER CLASSES - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.00, 1.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
305	Calligraphy	317	Metal Punch	329	Seasonal theme article: a) winter, b) spring/summer c) fall
306	Wearable art- stenciled, appliqué, sponge paint, puff paint, etc.	318	Rock creatures	330	Lego Art Project
307	Stenciling	319	Papier-mâché	331	Molded item i.e. clay, plaster

ARTS AND CRAFTS - ORIGINAL ART - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.00, 1.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
300	Crayon	304	Poster, any media mounted on poster board	344	Pastels & charcoal
301	Watercolor, brushwork only	341	Oil painting	345	Ink drawing
308	Liquid embroidery	320	Slate painting	332	Bottle art
309	Decoupage	321	Stained glass	333	Insect craft
310	Earrings	322	String art (symmography)	334	Other art & craft items – up to 3 different entries
311	Pins	323	Origami	335	Bookmark
312	Necklaces, bracelets	324	Schrenschnitte	336	Item using dried material
313	Ceramic	325	Tie-dye	337	Magnets
314	Leather tooling	326	Craft using silk or dry flowers	338	Recycled craft
315	Macramé	327	Yarn craft	339	Sand arts
316	Pottery	328	Weaving (reed, etc)	340	Stick art
HOBBY DISPLAYS - Premiums: 12.00, 10.00, 8.00, 6.00			**All juniors competing together.		
Class	Description	Class	Description		
350	Craft or homemaker exhibit. Exhibit may include items-in-making. Each display must include at least 5 completed samples.	351	Hobby collection – baseball cards, souvenirs, etc.		

JUNIOR HANDICRAFT AND ELECTRICAL

Items must be made within the last 12 months.

HANDICRAFT AND ELECTRICAL - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
400	Model rocket	403	Large wood article	406	Extension cord
401	Bird house	404	Small wood article	407	Lamp (complete job by exhibitor)
402	Bird feeder	405	Wooden toy or game	408	Other handcraft or electrical article or wooden puzzle

JUNIOR PHOTOGRAPHY

- Photograph must be mounted or framed and have been taken in the past 12 months.
- See page 18 for Massachusetts State Photography Competition.

BLACK AND WHITE - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.00, 1.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
450	Still life	455A	People	459	Westfield Fair
451	Landscape/scenery	455B	People & animals	460A	Waterscape/Seascape
452	Nature study	456	Architecture	460B	Historical (please label)
453	Animal study	457	Collection, 3-5 photos	460C	Action
454	Portrait	458	Agriculture		
COLOR - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.00, 1.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
461	Still life	466B	People & animals	472	Waterscape/Seascape
462	Landscape/scenery	467	Architecture	473	Historical (please label)
463	Nature study	468	Collection, 3-5 photos	474	Sunrise/Sunset
464	Animal study	469	Agriculture	475	Action
465	Portrait	470	Westfield Fair	476	Collage/ Memory Book/Photo Album
466A	People	471	Any other photo		

JUNIOR EDUCATIONAL

- Individual display must be developed on a basic theme or subject, not a hobby. It can be the result of a school project. Include explanation cards for the viewer if needed.
- Youth Club program displays include FFA, 4-H, Vo-Ag, Scouts, etc.
- Any club setting up a qualified exhibit that does not place will be paid \$5.00.
- Youth Club displays should tell a complete story – dimensions maximum of 6 ft x 2.5 ft x 2 ft.
- Score card:
 - **50%** General effect - Attractiveness, neatness, scale, color scheme, and arrangement
 - **25%** Educational value - Tells a story to the public
 - **10%** Quality of material used and workmanship
 - **10%** Note card signs - Name of club and town, names of members and leaders
 - **5%** Judge's info sheet- Nature of club program, leader name, names & ages of members who helped plan and set up display.

INDIVIDUAL DISPLAYS - Premiums: 10.00, 9.00, 8.00, 7.00			
Class	Description	Class	Description
500	Educational exhibit (6 – 13 years)	501	Educational exhibit (14 – 19 years)
YOUTH CLUB DISPLAYS - Premiums: 35.00, 30.00, 25.00, 20.00, 18.00, 15.00, 10.00, 5.00			
Class	Description		
503	Youth Club program exhibit		

JUNIOR FLOWER

- All flowers must be grown, selected and arranged by exhibitor. Suggest the use of vases in arrangements.
- Arrangements must be assembled in the exhibit hall without adult help.

FRESH FLOWER/ PLANT ARRANGEMENT - Premiums: 3.00, 2.75, 2.50, 2.00, 1.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
600	5 blooms asters, 1 or more varieties	607	5 blooms large African marigolds	614	5 blooms large flowered zinnias
601	5 blooms bachelor buttons	608	5 blooms nasturtiums	615A	5 spikes gladiolus
602	5 blooms calendulas	609	5 stems single petunias	615B	3 spikes, one variety gladiolus
603	5 stems cosmos	610	5 stems double petunias	616	5 blooms, spikes, sprays of any other competing for 1 set of prizes
604	3 dahlias	611	5 stems salvia	617	House plant no larger than 6" x 6" pot
605	5 stems single French marigolds	612	5 spikes snapdragons	618A	Hanging basket
606	5 stems double marigolds	613	5 stems small flowered zinnias – all varieties competing together	618B	Herb collection
ARRANGEMENTS - Premiums: 5.00, 4.75, 4.50, 4.25, 4.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
619	"A Tisket a Tasket" – Arrangement in a basket	621	Grampa's Farm – wild flowers and foliage	623	Holiday – include card with name of holiday
620	Arrangement in a container not intended for flowers	622	Miniature – maximum 3" in each direction	624	Wall arrangement – to be viewed from one side only

JUNIOR DAIRY

Bridget Rida – Supervisor

- **After unloading, all trucks and trailers must be parked in designated areas.**
- Adults will not be allowed in the show ring, no adult assistance on youth day.
- An animal shown in a Junior class cannot be shown in an Adult class.
- All milking animals must be milked out the morning of show day.
- Dairy animals must be cleaned in areas specifically designated for dairy. Washing in other areas is not allowed, and wash time is limited.
- All dairy animals must be registered in exhibitor's name. No animals registered under farm name may be shown on Saturday. Registration paper must show name of youth showing the animal.
- Purebred animals to be shown must be accompanied by registration papers in case questions arise with respect to their proper status, particularly age and breeding. Bring registration papers with you in ring, numbers may be checked at random.
- Exhibitors must wear white shirts (no names) or blouses with tan or white skirts or slacks and will be disqualified if they fail to comply with this rule. Bare feet or sandals are not allowed in barns or the show ring. Helpers in group classes must follow dress code also. Shoes or sneakers should be sturdy.
- Junior Champion ribbons for each breed (animals less than 2 yrs), and Senior Champion ribbons for each breed.
- Classes to be shown in the following breeds:

A) Ayrshire B) Brown Swiss C) Guernsey D) Holstein E) Jersey F) Milking Shorthorn.

- Scoring for Fitting and Showmanship as follows: 50% appearance of animal; 50% showing animal in ring. Categories: Cleanliness; condition; grooming; clipping; leading; posing; showing animal to advantage; exhibitor appearance; poise, alertness, attitude.
- Herdsman Contest: Judges will be designated by superintendent or other fair official.

Promotion of Agriculture	Educational value, Attention to Massachusetts Department of Agriculture and Fair requirements, Appeal to the viewing public
Barn Activities	Grooming, neatness of tack and supplies, disposal of bedding and manure, attitude toward visitors in barns
Identification of Exhibits-Signs/Banners	Breed, sex and age of animal(s)
Appearance	Exhibitor's appearance in barn as well as in show ring

JUNIOR DAIRY SINGLE - Premiums: 13.00, 12.00, 11.00, 10.00, 9.00, 8.00, 7.00, 6.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
700	Junior heifer - 5/31	701	Intermediate heifer - 12/1 – 2/28	702	Senior heifer - 9/1 – 11/30
JUNIOR DAIRY SINGLE – Premiums: 14.00, 12.00, 11.00, 10.00, 9.00, 8.00, 7.00, 6.00					
702A	Summer yearling 6/1-8/31 (not milking)	703A	Intermediate Yearling 12/1 – 2/28	704A	Dry cow
703	Junior yearling 3/1 – 5/31 (not milking)	704	Senior yearling 9/1 (not milking)- 11/30	705	Cow, 2 years old and under 3
JUNIOR DAIRY SINGLE – Premiums: 16.00, 14.00, 12.00, 10.00, 9.00					
706	Cow, 3 years old and under 4	707	Cow, 4 yrs and under 5	708	Cow, 5 years old and over
GROUPS – Premiums: 14.00, 12.00, 10.00, 9.00, 8.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description		
709	Produce of Dam – 2 animals, dam must be named	710	Dam-Daughter – 2 females any age, one must be the daughter of the other. Must be owner by one exhibitor		
GROUPS – Premiums: 16.00, 14.00, 12.00, 10.00, 8.00					
711	Herd – 3 females any age, owned and exhibited by one individual				
FITTING & SHOWMANSHIP - Premiums: 9.00, 8.00, 7.00, 6.00, 5.00, 4.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description		
712	Novice (never been in showmanship before this year) 6 – 10 years	714	Intermediate 10 – 14 years		
713	Junior 6 – 9 years	715	Senior 15 – 19 years		
HERDSMAN CONTEST - Premiums: 40.00, 30.00, 20.00, 10.00					
Class	Description				
716	Junior Herdsman Award				
COSTUME CLASS					
Prettiest costume			Funniest costume		
Largest cow in costume			Smallest cow in costume		
Most colorful costume			Matching costume – cow & leader		
***A donation, to be divided equally amongst all entrants, has been allotted for this class. *** (One entry per person. Please write category on the bottom of your entry form.)					

JUNIOR BEEF

Rachel Monahan – Supervisor

- **After unloading, all trucks and trailers must be parked in designated areas.**
- An animal shown in a Junior class cannot be shown in an Adult class.
- Dress code is jeans and a white or western style shirt.
- Any single animal may be shown in only one single class.
- Market Beef breeds must be shown together & bred/crossbred to show meat producing lines.
- Breeds are as follows: A) Angus B) Hereford C) Other Pure Bred D) Market Beef
- Awards sponsored by Westfield Ready Mix.

JUNIOR BEEF Females (by breed) - Premiums: 13.00, 12.00, 11.00, 10.00, 9.00, 8.00			
Class	Description	Class	Description
750	Junior Heifer Calf (born after Jan 1)	754	Senior Yearling (Sept 1 – Dec 31)
751	Senior Heifer Calf (born Sept 1 – Dec 31)	755	2 Year Old
752	Summer Yearling (born May 1 – Aug 31)	756	3 Year Old
753	Junior Yearling (born Jan 1 – April 30)	757	Aged cow (4 Years and Older)
CHAMPION CLASSES are RIBBON ONLY			
777	Jr. Champion Female	778	Sr. Champion Female
779	Grand Champion Female		
MALES and MARKET STEERS - Premiums: 10.00, 9.00, 8.00, 7.00, 6.00, 5.00			
758	Junior Calf (born after Jan 1)	761	Market Steer – light weight (900# - 1099#)
759	Senior Calf (born Sept 1 – Dec 31)	762	Market Steer – medium weight (1100# - 1299#)
760	Summer Yearling (May 1 – Aug 31)	763	Market Steer – heavy weight (1300# and over)
GROUPS: Premiums: 16.00, 14.00, 12.00, 10.00, 8.00			
764	Cow/calf (cow over 2 yrs & calf under 6 mo)	766	Produce of Dam – 2 animals of same dam
765	Get of Sire – 3 animals of same sire	767	Exhibitors herd (3) animals – same breed
SHOWMANSHIP - Premiums: 9.00, 8.00, 7.00, 6.00, 5.00, 4.00			
758	Novice (6-10 years)	759B	Intermediate (10-14 years)
759	Junior (6-9 years)	760	Senior (15-19 years)
HERDSMAN – Premiums: 40.00, 30.00, 20.00, 10.00			
761	Junior Herdsman Award		

YOUTH WORKING STEERS

Eenie LaPrise – Supervisor

- After unloading, all trucks and trailers must be parked in designated areas.
- Dress code is jeans and a white or western style shirt.

- Footwear is BOOTS ONLY.

YOUTH WORKING STEERS - Premiums: 16.00, 14.00, 12.00, 10.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
773	Fitting and Showmanship Sr.	776	Senior youth trained steers, 14-19 years	778	Senior cart class, 14-19 years
774	Fitting and Showmanship Jr.	777	Junior cart class, 9-13 years	779	Herdsman
775	Junior youth trained steers, 9-13 years				

JUNIOR SHEEP - 11 AM Start

Ms. Kara Dziengelewski - Supervisor

- **After unloading vehicles, all trucks and trailers must be parked in designated areas.**
- An animal shown in a Junior class cannot be shown in an Adult class.
- All sheep must be unloaded and penned in order to qualify for money.
- Purebred animals must be registered & registration papers must be checked with supervisor before animal are unloaded. Sheep must be registered with exhibitor one month before showing at the Fair. Substitutions can be made only in same class entered, and will only be accepted at check-in time. Ear tags and tattoos must be on animals. Sheep may be shown on halters. Entries must be shown in papers.
- No Junior may stay overnight without permission.
- Do not bring your animals if they have been exposed to disease at some other show. If your animals have symptoms of disease while they are here, a Vet and/or Fair Official will send them home. If an obvious disease develops while your animals are on exhibition, they will be sent home by the proper authorities.
- Exhibitors must wear white shirts or farm shirts with tan or dark slacks, and will be disqualified if they fail to comply with this rule. Bare feet or sandals are not allowed in barns or the show ring. Helpers in Group classes must follow dress code also. Dress code will be strictly enforced.
- Youth exhibitors must be present to show their animals. When help is needed in group classes, it must be another youth.
- Ewe and ram lambs are divided into Junior and Senior divisions, age breaking dates as follows:
 - January 1 - Corriedales, Dorsets, Hampshires, Suffolks, any other breed: February 15 - Shropshires, Southdown: March 1 - Cheviots
- All sheep must be properly cleaned, fitted, and blocked and in show condition.
- Exhibitors are responsible for feeding and exhibiting their animals.
- All exhibitors must enter in showmanship classes.
- Animals may not be removed from barn until entire show is completed or 5 p.m. in case show ends early.
- Championship rosettes for market lambs, male in each breed, female in each breed.
- Show blankets to be awarded in the Novice, Junior, and Senior Showmanship classes.
- Classes to be shown in the following breeds:

A Cheviot	C Dorset	E Shropshire	G Suffolk	I. Natural colored
B Corriedale	D Hampshire	F Southdown	H Other Pure Breed	

JUNIOR SHEEP SINGLE - Premiums: 12.00, 10.00, 9.00, 8.00, 6.00, 5.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
800	Yearling rams, 1 year under 2	802	Junior ram lambs	806	Senior ewe lambs
801	Senior rams lambs	804	Yearling ewes, 1 year under 2	807	Junior ewe lambs
JUNIOR SHEEP GROUP - Premiums: 14.00, 12.00, 11.00, 10.00, 9.00, 8.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
803	Pair ram lambs, under 1 year	809	Get of sire (4 animals – both sexes, any age, sired by one ram)	812	Produce of dam (2 animals – any sex, any age, produced by one dam)
805	Pair yearling ewes	810	Exhibitors flock (5 animals- ram any age 2 yearling ewe, 2 ewe lambs)	813	Pair market lambs
808	Pair ewe lambs	811	Breeder flock (5 animals bred and owned by exhibitor – yearling ram or ram lamb, 2 yearling ewes, 2 ewe lambs)		
JUNIOR SHEEP MARKET LAMB (shorn after August 1st) (Class to be divided day of show) Premiums: 12.00, 11.00, 10.00, 9.00, 8.00, 7.00, 6.00, 5.00, 5.00, 5.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description		
814	Light weight	815A	Heavy weight		
JUNIOR SHEEP Showmanship - Premiums: 10.00, 8.00, 6.00, 5.00, 3.00, 3.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
815	Novice – 1 st year showing	816	Junior 9-13 years	817	Senior 14 – 19 years
JUNIOR SHEEP HERDSMAN - Premiums: 40.00 30.00 20.00 10.00					
Class	Description				
818	Junior Herdsman Award				

Adult Exhibits:

ADULT GARDEN

- Displays will be divided into Novice and Skilled. Bring your own peat.
- Sewing, canning, baking, any craft, can be part of the display. *Three-fifths of the total exhibit must be vegetables, including canning and flowers.* Also counted are honey, fruit, and maple products.
- Red tomatoes, no stems and Green tomatoes, leave stems on. Do Not peel onions and Do Not wash potatoes.
- Classes 1050 and 1051 – max 18” high back. Items included in your exhibit would follow the same line as for 1046 and 1047.
- Beginning exhibitors will be competing in classes 1046, 1048, and 1050
- For all displays, you must have a minimum of six (6) kinds of vegetables (beets, carrots, bean, squash, cucumber, onions, or whatever your garden yields). You can use more than six if you have good product and don't overcrowd the display.
- Any quality display not placing will be paid \$10.00. State rosette will be awarded for best agricultural exhibit. Score card is as follows: **50% Quality; 30% General effect; 20% Variety**

Exhibitors of the Family Agriculture Display- will need to build a 3-4 ft. high backing that is part of the display's total theme or design, (Examples: a window, the end of a barn, a set of shelves). You can arrange any article that has been grown or manufactured made by all members of your family on the exhibitor's property and/or that were raised by you in the past year. Sewing, canning, baking and any craft or papers the children have done in school can be part of the display. Do not overload your exhibit. Cover the shelf area with peat as the background on which you place any items that you don't hang from the backing. The Family Agricultural Display must cover approximately 15 sq. ft.

Beginning Exhibitors in Garden and Family Agricultural Display - will be assigned a space approximately 3ft. x 4ft. in the large exhibit hall (3 ft. x 5ft. for Family). Bring enough peat to cover the shelf area and to form padding on which to lay your vegetables. Select your best but not the largest vegetables. Be sure to clean them thoroughly, do not scrub or brush. Bring more than you plan to use for a choice when you assemble your display. Have a sketch or plan before you come- it should not be crowded.

ADULT GARDEN - Premiums: 3.50, 3.00, 2.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1000	15 pods green beans	1011	3 cucumbers, burpless	1021	5 potatoes, cobbler
1001	15 pods yellow beans	1012	3 cucumbers, other	1022	5 potatoes – Green Mountain
1002	15 pods shell beans	1013	10 cucumbers, pickling	1023	5 potatoes - Katahdin
1004	2 heads cabbage, green, smooth leaf	1014	5 onions, yellow	1024	5 potatoes – other, a. white, b. red
1005	2 heads cabbage, red	1015	5 onions, white	1025	2 pumpkins, sugar
1006	2 heads cabbage, other	1016	5 onions, other	1026	2 pumpkins, field
1007	5 carrots short, up to 6”-1” stem	1017	2 eggplants	1027	2 summer squash – yellow
1008	5 carrots long, over 6”-1” stem	1018	5 peppers-sweet bell, green or red	1028	2 summer squash, green
1009	2 bunches celery	1019	5 peppers, frying	1029	2 summer squash, other
1010	5 ears sweet corn, half husked	1020	5 peppers, hot	1030	2 acorn squash

ADULT GARDEN - Premiums: 3.50, 3.00, 2.50					
1031	2 butternut squash	1036	5 tomatoes, green (with stems)	1041	Other vegetables exhibited in 2, 5, 10, or 15 depending on size, competing for one set of prizes.
1032	2 hubbard squash	1037	10 tomatoes-cherry, pear, plum (no stems)	1041A	5 beets
1033	2 winter squash, other	1038	5 kohlrabi	1042	Other new worthy varieties
1034	6 squash, 2 each of 3 kinds	1039	2 muskmelon		
1035	5 tomatoes, red (with stems)	1040	2 watermelon		
ARRANGEMENTS - Premiums: 11.00, 10.00, 9.00, 8.00, 7.00, 5.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1043	Minimum 5 kinds in chopping bowl	1044	Minimum 5 kinds in basket (max size 6" high x 18" long x 18" wide minus vegetables and handles)	1045	Minimum 5 kinds on tray (max size 6" high x 18" long x 18" wide minus vegetables)
GARDEN DISPLAY - Premiums: 30.00, 28.00, 25.00, 22.00, 20.00, 18.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description		
1046	Beginning – maximum display size is 12 sq. ft. include minimum 6 different vegetables	1047	Skilled – maximum display size is 12 sq. ft. include minimum 6 different vegetables		
FAMILY AGRICULTURE DISPLAY - Premiums: 50.00, 45.00, 40.00, 35.00, 30.00, 28.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1048	Beginning High Back – minimum 3 ft. backing	1049	Skilled High Back – minimum 3 ft backing	1050	Beginning Low Back – 18 in. backing – maximum
1051	Skilled Low Back – 18 in. backing – maximum				
**Each of the Family Agriculture Display's must include a minimum of 6 different vegetables.					

FARM PRODUCTS

Rosette will be awarded for quality Honey and Maple display, labeled for public information.

HAY – Standard Size Bales - Premiums: 6.00, 5.00, 4.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1100	Timothy – baled, max 10% other grasses	1101	Alfalfa – Min 90%	1102	Mixed Hay – Grasses and legumes in any combination
1103	Ensilage corn – 5 stalks	1104	Straw		
HONEY, BEESWAX, AND MAPLE PRODUCTS - Premiums: 3.00, 2.50, 2.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1104	Beeswax novelty item	1107	Extracted Honey – Light, 2-1 lb. jars	1110	Maple sugar – 5 cakes
1105	Molded beeswax – 3 pieces handmade	1108	Extracted Honey – Dark, 2-1 lb. jars	1111	Maple sugar – soft, 1 lb.
1106	Comb Honey – 2 Sections	1109	Maple Syrup – 2 Pints		
HONEY AND MAPLE DISPLAY- Premiums: 5.00, 4.50, 4.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description		
1112	Beeswax and honey - labeled	1113	Sugar and syrup products		

- Eggs to be displayed one dozen in carton

EGGS - Premiums: 4.00, 3.50, 3.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1812	Pullet -White Eggs	1816	Jumbo White Eggs	1819	Large Brown Eggs
1813	Medium White Eggs	1817	Pullet - Brown Eggs	1820	Extra Large Brown Eggs
1814	Large White Eggs	1818	Medium Brown Eggs	1821	Jumbo Brown Eggs
1815	Extra Large White Eggs			1822	Other Eggs

ADULT FRUIT

- Fruit must be grown by exhibitor.
- Score card as follows: 50% quality; 30% arrangement; 10% utility value; 10% number of varieties

APPLES - Plate of 5 - Premiums: 4.50, 4.00, 3.75					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1150	Cortland	1154	Empress	1158	Other old varieties competing together
1151	Dayton	1155	Fugi	1159	New worthy varieties competing together
1152	Dutchess	1156	Lodi		
1153	Early McIntosh	1157	Summer Granny Smith		
49ers APPLES - Premiums 20.00, 17.00, 15.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1160	Early McIntosh	1162	Lodi	1164	Other variety
1161	Empress	1163	Summer Granny Smith		
OTHER FRUIT - Premiums 4.50, 4.00, 3.75					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1165	Crab apples, 10 specimen	1168	Blueberries, pint box	1170	Blackberries, pint box
1166	Plums, 10 specimen	1169	Grapes, 3 clusters	1171	Pears, 5 specimen
1167	Peaches, 5 specimen				
FRUIT DISPLAYS - Premiums 20.00 17.00 15.00					
Class	Description				
1172	Fruit – maximum display size 6 sq. ft				
MIXED FRUIT DISPLAYS - Premiums 10.00 9.00 8.00					
Class	Description				
1173	Mixed fruit arrangement in chopping bowl, basket or suitable container				

ADULT CANNED AND PRESERVED FOOD

- All canned goods to be processed - open kettle or hot water bath for fruits, tomatoes, jams, and jellies; pressure for vegetables and meat. Products should be of the best quality, uniform in size and color. Jelly must be processed.
- Liquid should be clear, free from sediment and proper amount in jar.
- Containers to be pint jar, cleaned, properly sealed and labeled. *Practical pack preferred.* Display without metal bands. **(DO NOT use bail jars for safety reasons).** Jams/jellies may be in matching jars less than a pint.
- Jelly should be clear, of good color and consistency.
- Jam must be processed, of good color and consistency, and properly sealed.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT (2 Pint Jars) Premiums 3.50, 3.00, 2.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1200	Green snap beans	1206	Tomatoes	1211	Peaches – halves
1201	Yellow snap beans	1206A	Tomato juice/sauce	1213	Peaches - sliced
1202	Whole beets	1207	Other – judges may group	1214	Plums
1203	Cut beets	1208	Applesauce	1215	Raspberries
1204	Carrots	1209	Blueberries	1215A	Cherries
1205	Corn	1210	Blackberries	1216	Other
JELLY and JAM (2 standard jars – same variety) Premiums 3.50, 3.00, 2.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1217	Apple jelly	1220	Strawberry jam	1223	Blackberry jam
1218	Grape jelly	1221	Strawberry Rhubarb jam	1224	Blueberry jam
1219	Other jelly	1222	Raspberry jam	1224A	Peach jam
				1225	Other jam
MARMALADE and PRESERVES (2 jars – same variety) Premiums 3.50, 3.00, 2.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1226	Orange marmalade	1228	Other marmalade	1230	Cherry preserves
1227	Peach marmalade	1229	Blackberry preserves	1231	Plum preserves
				1232	Other preserves
RELISHES and PICKLES (2 pint jars) Premiums 3.50, 3.00, 2.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1233	Bread and butter pickles	1236	Sliced dill	1239	Pepper relish
1234	Other sweet pickle	1237	Sour pickles	1239A	Corn relish
1235	Dill spears	1238	Other pickle	1240	Tomato relish
				1241	Other
COLLECTIONS (1 jar each of 3 different varieties) Premiums 5.00, 4.50, 4.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1242	Vegetables	1245	Jam	1248	Balanced meal – 3 jars different canned products with menu card
1243	Fruit	1246	Marmalades and preserves		
1244	Jelly	1247	Pickles and relish		

ADULT BAKED FOOD

- Item must be properly wrapped with the recipe attached.
- Product should be attractive, good color, texture, and flavor. Remove cups from muffins.
- No packaged mixes will be considered.

ADULT BAKED FOOD Premiums 3.00, 2.75, 2.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1300	6 yeast rolls	1307	6 plain white muffins	1314	Candy – 6 pieces
1301	6 yeast sweet rolls	1308	6 blueberry muffins	1315	6 Baking Powder Biscuits
1302	Yeast coffee cake/ fancy yeast bread	1309	6 bar cookies	1317	Coffee Cake
1303	White yeast bread	1310	6 brownies	1318	Ginger bread
1304	Dark yeast bread	1311	6 rolled cookies	1320	Layer cake – dark or light, iced
1305	Loaf quick bread – dark or light	1312	6 drop cookies	1321	Sheet cake white or dark unfrosted
1306	Loaf quick bread - fruited	1313	6 other cookies		

ADULT BAKED PIES Premiums 5.00, 4.50, 4.00															
1316	Pie, baked by person 60 yr or older	1319	Pie, 2 crust												
DECORATED CAKE - Judged for decoration skill only. Remove cake from pan. Premiums 5.00, 4.50, 4.00															
Class	Description														
1322	Decorated Cake – Fall Theme														
FAIR CAKE Premiums 5.00, 4.50, 4.00, 3.50, 3.00															
Class	Description														
1323	Fair Cake – Use Recipe Below														
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<i>ORANGE CHIFFON CAKE</i>															
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ADULT SEWING

- All articles should be clean and in good condition, suitable, and well-constructed.
- All exhibits must be made or completed during the past year.
- Exhibitor may enter only one (1) outfit in a class with ***or*** in the description.

ADULT SEWING Premiums 3.00, 2.75, 2.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1350	Layette, 2 - 4 pieces	1357	Child – shorts or pants	1365	Adult wool garment
1351	Preschooler – nightwear	1358	Child – play outfit	1366	Shirt, blouse or smock
1352	Preschooler- play clothes	1359	Man's shirt	1367	Pants or slacks
1353	Preschooler-other	1360	Man's pants	1368	Skirt
1354	Child–school outfit, 1-3 pieces	1361	Teen - sportswear	1369	Dress – formal
1355	Child – nightwear	1362	Teen – suit, 2 -3 pieces	1370	Dress – informal

1356	Child – other	1363	Teen – formal wear	1371	Other sewn garment
		1364	Teen – other	1372	Accessories and novelties –sewn

ADULT NEEDLEWORK - Premiums 3.00, 2.75, 2.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1400	Stuffed animal, doll or toy	1412	Needlepoint or bargello	1424	Crocheted –hat or scarf
1401	Doll clothes	1413	Latch hook	1425	Crocheted – mittens or gloves
1402	Flags	1414	Small quilted article (wall hanging, baby quilt)	1426	Crocheted – infant wear
1403	Pillow – crewel	1415	Knitted – hat or scarf	1427	Crocheted – child’s sweater
1404	Pillow – candle wicking	1416	Knitted – mittens or gloves	1428	Crocheted – toy or novelty
1405	Pillow – cross stitch	1417	Knitted – child’s sweater	1429	Crocheted – adult sweater
1406	Pillow – needlepoint or bargello	1418	Knitted – toy or novelty	1430	Crocheted – afghan
1407	Pillow – quilted	1419	Knitted – infant wear	1430A	Crocheted – child’s afghan
1408	Pillow – other	1420	Knitted – adult sweater	1431	Crocheted – set of 3 or more items
1409	Crewel embroidery	1421	Knitted – afghan	1432	Crocheted – other item
1410	Cross stitch – counted	1422	Knitted – set of 3 or more	1433A	Rug Hooking - Primitive
1411	Cross stitch – stamped	1423	Knitted – other item	1434B	Rug Hooking – Fine Shading
QUILTS - Premiums 10.00, 8.00, 6.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1433	Patchwork – hand sewn	1436	Appliqué – machine sewn	1439	Mini Quilt 20x20 max
1434	Patchwork – machine sewn	1437	Other – hand sewn	1440	Wall Hanging
1435	Appliqué – hand sewn	1438	Other – machine sewn		

ADULT ARTS AND CRAFTS

- Only one (1) entry in any class which has “**or**” in the description.
- Original art must be mounted or framed. Pencil, charcoal, or chalk must have fix applied.
- **Rosette awarded for class 1481 (Family Craft/Hobby Display).**

ADULT ARTS AND CRAFTS - Premiums 3.00, 2.75, 2.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1450	Article on holiday theme	1460	Metal punch	1471	Oil painting
1451	Article of dried materials	1461	Liquid embroidery	1472	Water color (brush work only)
1452	Stained or painted glass	1462	Basketry	1473	Pen Art
1453	Stenciling	1463	Tole ware	1474	Pastel
1454	Macrame	1464	Candles	1475	Chalk
1455	Leatherwork	1465	Glass etching	1476	Acrylics
1456	Weaving	1467	Ceramic	1477	Ink
1457	Symmography (string art)	1468	Pottery	1478	Cartoon sketch
1458	Origami	1469	Small wooden article	1479	Wood carving
1459	Schrenschnitte (paper cutting)	1470	Large wooden article	1480	Other craft
FAMILY CRAFT/HOBBY DISPLAY - Premiums 10.00, 9.00, 8.00, 7.00, 6.00					
Class	Description				
1481	Family Craft/Hobby – Approximately 3 feet x 4 feet and should include articles in area of arts and crafts made by 2 or more members of one family. Include card with names and ages				
1482	Educational exhibit to include a collection or display by family members that is educational by nature				

ADULT PHOTOGRAPHY

- Photograph must be mounted or framed and have been taken in the past 12 months.
- See page 18 for Massachusetts State Photography Competition.

ADULT PHOTOGRAPHY/BLACK AND WHITE- Premiums 3.00, 2.75, 2.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1500	Still Life	1505A	People	1509	Westfield Fair
1501	Landscape/Scenery	1505B	People & Animals	1510	Other entry
1502	Nature study	1506	Architecture	1510A	Waterscape/Seascape
1503	Animal study	1507	Collection 3-5 photos	1510B	Historical (please label)
1504	Portrait	1508	Agricultural	1510C	Action
ADULT PHOTOGRAPHY/COLOR - Premiums 3.00, 2.75, 2.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1511	Still Life	1517	Architecture	1521C	Action
1512	Landscape/Scenery	1518	Collection, 3-5 photos	1521D	Sunrise/Sunset
1513	Nature study	1519	Agricultural	1522	Seascape Action
1514	Animal study	1520	Westfield Fair	1522E	Seascape
1515	Portrait	1521	Other entry	1523	Collage, Memory Book or Photo Album
1516A	People	1521A	Waterscape		
1516B	People & Animals	1521B	Historical -please label		

ADULT FLOWER

- Flowers must be grown, selected, and arranged by exhibitor.
- Arrangements must be selected and arranged by the exhibitor.
- Flowers will be judged by the following criteria:
 - Condition: Uniformity – freedom from blemishes, insects and diseases, weather or dirt, and substance.
 - Form or Shape: Uniformity – immature, over mature, faulty shape and confused details, variety.
 - Stem and Foliage: Uniformity – strength and straightness, foliage quality, size proportions.
 - Color
 - Size

ADULT CUT FLOWERS - Premiums 3.25, 3.00, 2.75					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1550	Asters-5 blooms, 1 or more varieties	1558	Gladiolus – 5 spikes	1566	Petunias – 5 stems, double
1551	Bachelor Buttons – 5 blooms	1559	Gladiolus – 3 spikes, 1 variety	1567	Roses – 1 bloom, any type or variety
1552	Celosia – 5 stems	1560	Gourds – at least 5 different kinds	1568	Salvia – 5 Stems
1553	Cosmos – 5 stems	1561	Marigolds -5 blooms, large African	1569	Scabiosa – 5 stems
1554	Calendulas – 5 blooms	1562	Marigolds – 5 stems, single French	1570	Snapdragons – 5 spikes
1555	Dahlia – 1 giant	1563	Marigolds – 5 stems, double French	1572	Zinnias - 5 stems-small flowered any variety
1556	Dahlia – 5 single	1564	Nasturtiums – 5 blooms	1573	Zinnias– 5 blooms, large flowered any variety
1557	Dahlia – 5 any other variety	1565	Petunias – 5 stems, single	1574	Other flower – 5 stems competing for 1 set of prizes

ADULT HOUSE PLANTS - Premiums 3.25, 3.00, 2.75					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1575	African Violet – single or double	1578	Begonias, tuberous or fibrous rooted	1581	Hanging basket – non-flowering
1576	Cactus	1579	Philodendron	1582	Other house plant competing for 1 set of prizes
1577	Geranium or fibrous rooted	1580	Hanging basket – flowering		
ADULT HOUSE PLANT COLLECTIONS- Minimum six species - Premiums 6.00, 5.00, 4.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description		
1583	Flowering or foliage, maximum pot size 6" x 6"	1583B	Herbs		
ADULT ARRANGEMENTS - Premiums 5.00, 4.75, 4.50					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1584	Arrangement in a basket	1589	Driftwood arrangement	1594	Arrangement using foliage only
1585	Arrangement in a Blue container	1590	Table against wall	1595	Arrangement for a child or for children's room
1586	Wild flowers and foliage	1591	Container not intended for flowers	1596	Arthur Seher Memorial Arrangement – Dried
1587	Miniature – height 3"	1592	Seniors are Special		
1588	Holiday Theme	1593	Floating arrangement		

ADULT DAIRY

Bridget Rida – Supervisor

- **After unloading vehicles, all trucks and trailers must be parked in designated areas.**
- An animal shown in a Junior class cannot be shown in an Adult class.
- All milking animals must be milked out the morning of show day.
- Dairy animals will not be permitted to be cleaned in areas not allotted to dairy. Washing time is limited.
- Classes to be shown in the following breeds: A) Ayrshire B) Brown Swiss C) Guernsey D) Holstein E) Jersey F.) Milking Shorthorn
- All dairy animals must be registered in exhibitor's name. Purebred animals to be shown must be accompanied by registration papers in case questions arise with respect to their proper status, particularly age and breeding. Bring registration papers with you in ring, numbers may be checked at random.
- Exhibitors will wear white shirts (no names) or blouses with tan or white skirts or slacks, and will be disqualified if they fail to comply with this rule. Bare feet or sandals will not be allowed in barns or show ring. Helpers in group classes must follow dress code. Shoes/sneakers should be sturdy.

ADULT DAIRY SINGLE- Premiums 16.00, 12.00, 11.00, 10.00, 9.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1600	Junior heifer - 5/31	1602A	Summer yearling 6/1 – 8/31	1604	Senior yearling 9/1 (not milking)- 11/30
1601	Intermediate heifer - 12/1 – 2/28	1603	Junior yearling 3/1 – 5/31 (not milking)		
1602	Senior heifer - 9/1 – 11/30	1603A	Intermediate yearling 12/1 – 2/28		
ADULT DAIRY SINGLE - Premiums 18.00, 15.00, 11.00, 10.00, 9.00					
Class	Description				
1604A	Dry cow	1605	Cow, 2 years old and under 3		
ADULT DAIRY SINGLE - Premiums 20.00, 18.00, 13.00, 11.00, 10.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description		
1606	Cow, 3 years old and under 4	1608	Cow, 5 years old and over		
1607	Cow, 4 years old and under 5	1609	Best uddered cow, 1 entry per exhibitor, judged on udder alone, must be in milk. All breeds competing		
GRAND CHAMPION RIBBONS					
JUNIOR GRAND CHAMPION (Under 2 Years), SENIOR GRAND CHAMPION, GRAND CHAMPION					
GROUP CLASSES - Premiums 20.00, 19.00 18.00, 16.00, 15.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1610	Get of Sire – 3 females, same sire	1612	Dam-Daughter – 2 females any age, must be mother & daughter, must be owned by one family	1614	Herd – 5 head (any age)
1611	Produce of Dam – 2 animals any age, either sex, produce of one cow, dam must be named	1613	Best 3 females bred and owned by family		
HERDSMAN CONTEST - Premiums 50.00 40.00 30.00					
Class	Description				
1615	Senior Herdsman Award				

ADULT BEEF

Rachel Monahan – Supervisor

- **After unloading vehicles, all trucks and trailers must be parked in designated areas.**
- Bring proof of breeding lines of all animals being showed.
- An animal shown in a Junior class cannot be shown in an Adult class.
- Dress code will be jeans and white or western style shirt.
- Purebred classes to be shown in the following breeds:
 A) Angus B) Hereford C) Other Pure Bred D) Market Beef

ADULT BEEF FEMALES (by breed) – Premiums 14.00 10.00 9.00 8.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1630	Junior Heifer Calf (born after Jan 1)	1633	Junior Yearling (born Jan 1 – April 30)	1636	3 Year Old
1631	Senior Heifer Calf (born Sept 1 – Dec 31)	1634	Senior Yearling (Sept 1 – Dec 31)	1637	Aged Cow (4 years and Older)
1632	Summer Yearling (born May 1 – aug 31)	1635	2 Year Old		
ADULT BEEF MALES - Premiums 12.00, 8.00, 6.00, 4.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1650	Junior Calf, born after Jan 1)	1651	Senior Calf (born Sept 1 – Dec 31)	1651 A	Summer Yearling (May 1 – Aug 31)
1651 B	Market Steer – light weight (900# - 1099#)	1651 C	Market Steer – medium weight (1100# - 1299#)	1651 C	Market Steer – heavy weight (1300# and over)
GRAND CHAMPION FEMALES - RIBBONS ONLY					
GRAND CHAMPION GROUPS - Premiums 15.00 14.00 13.00 10.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1656	Produce of Dam – 2 animals, either sex	1658	Pair of Females – bred and owned by family	1660	Pair of Calves – 1 bull and 1 heifer, bred and owned by family
1657	Pair of Bulls – 2 animals from any one class or 1 animal from each of 2 classes, bred and owned by family	1659	Pair of Yearlings – 1 bull and 1 heifer, bred and owned by family		
HERDSMAN CONTEST - Premiums 50.00 40.00 30.00					
Class	Description				
1661	Senior Herdsman Award				

ADULT SHEEP - 10 AM Start

Kara Dziengelewski - Supervisor

- **After unloading vehicles, all trucks and trailers must be parked in designated areas**
- An animal shown in a Junior class cannot be shown in an Adult class.
- All champions will receive rosette awards only.
- All sheep must be unloaded and penned in order to qualify for state money.
- Exhibitors will wear white shirts or farm shirts with tan or dark slacks. Exhibitors will be disqualified if they fail to comply with this rule. Bare feet or sandals will not be allowed in barns or the show ring. Helpers in group's classes must follow the dress code. Shoes/sneakers should be sturdy.

- Qualifications for Animals - All purebred animals must be registered and registration papers must be checked with supervisor before animals are unloaded.
- All sheep must be registered with exhibitor one month before showing at the Fair. Substitutions can be made only in same class entered, and will only be accepted at check-in time. Ear tags and tattoos must be on animals. Sheep may be shown on halters. Entries must be shown in owner's name only as it appears on registration papers. Do not come if you can't find registration papers. Animals will not be allowed to unload.
- Ewe and ram lambs are divided into Junior and Senior divisions, age breaking dates as follows: January 1st - Corriedales, Dorsets, Hampshires, Suffolks, any other breed: February 15th -Shropshires, Southdown: March 1st – Cheviots
- Classes to be shown in the following breeds: A) Cheviot, B) Corriedale, C) Dorset, D) Hampshire, E) Shropshire, F) Southdown, G) Suffolk, H) Other Pure Breed, I) Natural colored
- For the Protection of All Exhibitors
 - Do not bring your animals if they have been exposed to disease at some other show.
 - If your animals have symptoms of disease while they are here, a Vet and/or Fair Official will send them home. If an obvious disease develops while your animals are on exhibition, they will be sent home by the proper authorities.

ADULT SHEEP SINGLE- Premiums 12.00, 10.00, 9.00, 8.00, 6.00, 5.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1700	Yearling rams, 1 year under 2	1702	Junior ram lambs	1706	Senior ewe lambs
1701	Senior ram lambs	1704	Yearling ewes, 1 year under 2	1707	Junior ewe lambs
ADULT SHEEP PAIRS- Premiums 14.00, 13.00, 11.00, 10.00, 9.00, 8.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1703	Pair ram lambs, under 1 year	1705	Pair yearling ewes	1708	Pair ewe lambs
ADULT SHEEP GROUPS - Premiums 14.00, 13.00, 11.00, 10.00, 9.00, 8.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1709	Get of Sire (4 animals – both sexes, any age, sired by one ram)	1711	Breeder flock (5 animals bred and owned by exhibitor – yearling ram or ram lamb, 2 yearling ewes, 2 ewe lambs)	1712	Produce of dam (2 animals – any sex & age – produced by one dam)
1710	Exhibitors flock (5 animals – ram any age, 2 yearling ewe, 2 ewe lambs)				
ADULT SHEEP MARKET - Premiums 14.00, 13.00, 11.00, 10.00, 9.00, 8.00					
Class	Description	Class	Description	Class	Description
1713	Market lamb light	1714	Market lamb heavy	1715	Pair of market lambs
ADULT SHEEP HERDSMAN CONTEST - Premiums 50.00, 40.00, 30.00					
Class	Description				
1716	Senior Herdsman Award				

OX and HORSE PULL

Rules Governing Pulling Contests - Mass. Department of Food & Agriculture Division of Fairs

There shall be a superintendent and three judges in charge at all drawing contests. They shall be vested with the authority to disqualify any team or driver for any cause that in their judgment might be detrimental to the best interest of the public, animals, or the organization conducting the contest.

The judges or superintendent shall be qualified in stone boat contests and shall have full jurisdiction to decide the weight of the load at any time and to decide anything relative to the actual drawing. Out of state teams shall be permitted to enter the contest if the judges or superintendent deem it advisable.

Any individual, firm or corporation found guilty of administering drugs which may affect the conduct, actions, endurance, strength, speed or performance of any animal competing in any pulling competition within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, shall forfeit all prize monies won that day and shall be barred from any pulling competition for the next calendar year. Second offenders shall be punished by forfeiture of prize monies and the individual, firm or corporation shall be barred for life in any pulling competition held in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Any owner and/or teamster who has been convicted, or found in violation in any other state's statute relating to the use of drugs or stimulants, or other animal protection statute shall be barred from participation in any contest, in this state, for the period prescribed by that state.

Any team disqualified by an agent of Humane Society appointed under Chapter 147, Section 10, of the M.G.L. shall be taken out of the contest immediately. Before any team is taken out, there should be consultation among the Humane Society, superintendent and judges, and so announced to the public by the judges.

All participants will be properly dressed. Any driver, hitcher, judge or superintendent, family member, raker, pinner, measurer, tractor driver or spectator who had been drinking alcoholic beverages will be disqualified, from the contest and removed from pulling area. Breathalyzers may be used at any time during the pulling event to determine if an individual has been drinking. The readings will show a .04 tolerance. The drinking of alcoholic beverages in and around the ring is prohibited. Any foul or abusive language to the public or anyone connected with the draw, by the driver or his helpers will cause the driver and team to be disqualified immediately. First offense may result in fines up to \$250.00 and a 2-week suspension; Second offense may result in a one-year suspension and fines up to \$1000.00; Third offense teamster will be barred for life. Anyone disputing the decision of the judges will be immediately disqualified and fined \$100.00. If the teamster is fined, the teamster will not be able to pull until fines are paid. (All fines payable to the Mass. Fairs Testing Fund and mailed to Bev Moulton).

*****NOTE*** At the discretion of the fair, all oxen may be subjected to blood testing.**

OX SHOW

- ***After unloading vehicles, all trucks and trailers must be parked in designated areas***
- Arrival time – Saturday 8:00 AM
- Show time – Saturday 9:00 AM
- Show classes are by team
 - Herford Durham
 - All others

OX SHOW- Premiums 12.00 11.00 10.00 9.00 8.00					
Class	Description			1801	3 – 5 years old
1800	1 – under 3 years old			1802	Over 5 years old

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OX DRAW

- **After unloading vehicles, all trucks and trailers must be parked in designated areas**
- No steers should be in draft classes that do not weigh 2000 pounds per pair without the yoke.
- **No filling higher classes – oxen to pull one class ONLY.** An ox can only pull in one class per day.
- Arrival time – Saturday 8:00 AM

Show time – Saturday 10:00 AM

OX DRAW- Premiums 95.00 80.00 70.00 60.00 50.00, 45.00					
Class	Description				
1907	Under 2400 pounds				
OX DRAW- Premiums 100.00 85.00 75.00 65.00 55.00 50.00					
Class	Description				
1908	Under 2800 pounds				
OX DRAW- Premiums 110.00 95.00 85.00 75.00 60.00 55.00					
Class	Description				
1909	Under 3200 pounds				
OX DRAW- Premiums 120.00 100.00 90.00 80.00 60.00 55.00					
Class	Description				
1910	Over 3200 pounds				

*****NOTE*** At the discretion of the fair, all horses may be subjected to blood testing.**

HORSE DRAW

- **After unloading vehicles, all trucks and trailers must be parked in designated areas.**
- **Premiums: The number of places paid depends on the number of teams competing. For example, if only four teams pull, only four places will be awarded.**
- **Holding weights will be accepted with signature of proof.**

All pulls will be 12'.

HORSE DRAW: Premiums 160.00 140.00 120.00 110.00 100.00 90.00					
Class	Description				
1915	Under 3400 pounds				
HORSE DRAW: Premiums 185.00 165.00 145.00 130.00 120.00 110.00					
Class	Description				
1916	Over 3400 pounds				

WESTFIELD FAIR EXHIBIT ENTRY BLANK

Age as of January 1st, 2023 (if under 20)_____

Exhibitor Name:_____ Tel#_____

Address: _____ City _____ State:_____ Zip _____

Department	Class	Breed	Description
Examples			
Adult Dairy	1600	Holstein	Jr Calf
Jr. Vegetables	1		Beets

Send completed entries to:

Susan Phelon, 28 Pinewood Lane, Westfield, MA 01085, by August 9th, 2023.

SHEEP ENTRIES

Kara Dziengelewski, 100 Davis Road, Southwick, MA 01077

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