



Entry Fees and Deadlines:

\$6.00 per entry Due May 15, 2024
\$12.00 per entry After May 15, 2024

For Questions, please contact: Email: Livestock@alamedacountyfair.com
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DEPARTMENT 16

Youth Dairy Cattle Show

Showmanship

American System of Judging

Cash Awards for classes 4, 5 and 6

Showmanship Rules

1. All exhibitors will be entered in Showmanship, no pre-entry required.
2. FFA members in Class 1 will automatically be entered in class 6.
3. Only animals owned, fitted and properly entered for competition by youth exhibitors are eligible, except those horses may be leased. Exhibitors must use their own animals for showmanship.
4. Exhibitors are to wear official show attire.
5. Exhibitor's birthdate must be on the entry form or entered in the online entry platform.
6. The winner of Junior Master Showmanship from previous years may opt to enter in an older age class and compete for a chance to qualify for Advanced Master Showmanship.

Special Awards

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4-H Advanced Showmanship	Award, Rosette
4-H Intermediate Showmanship	Award, Rosette
4-H Junior Showmanship	Award, Rosette
4-H Beginner Showmanship	Award, Rosette
FFA First Year Showmanship	Award, Rosette
FFA Advanced Showmanship	Award, Rosette

AWARDS - Showmanship							
1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
\$30	\$25	\$20	\$18	\$15	\$10	\$7	\$5

DIVISION

A. Showmanship

CLASS

1. FFA First Year Project Members (Ribbon Only)
Open to members exhibiting that species of livestock for the first time ever. If an exhibitor has exhibited the project in another organization, he/she is not eligible for this class. First year project exhibitors may show in class 6 as well.
2. 4-H Beginner (Ribbon Only)
Open to members 9-10 years old as of December 31, 2023. Top three winners in this class compete in the next age group.
3. 4-H Junior (Ribbon only)
Open to members 11-13 years old as of December 31, 2023. Winner of class qualifies for Junior Master Showmanship. Previous Junior Master Showmanship winners may show in Intermediate.
4. 4-H Intermediate (Ribbon and Cash Award)
Open to 4-H members 14-15 years old as of December 31, 2023. Top three winners in this class will compete in the next age group.
5. 4-H Advanced (Ribbon and Cash Award)
Open to 4-H members 16 and over as of December 31, 2023. Winner of this class qualifies for Master Showmanship.
6. FFA Advanced (Ribbon and Cash Award)
Open to FFA members. Winner of this class qualifies for Master Showmanship.

Breeding

American Judging System
State Rule IV-6 Does Not Apply

Breeding Rules

1. Senior and Junior yearlings in milk must be shown with two-year olds as individuals.
2. Note "in milk" on entry form or online entry platform.
3. Registry by the applicable association is required. All original registration papers must be checked no later than Wednesday, June 26 at 10 a.m.
4. Exhibitors must arrange to dispose of milk off grounds.
5. All Breeds will show together.
6. 4-H and FFA will be judged together except in showmanship.

Special Awards

Champion Heifer (Each Division)
Reserve Champion Heifer (Each Division)
1st – 8th Each Class

Banner, Award, Rosette
Banner, Award, Rosette
Ribbon

AWARDS – Breeding Classes				
Place	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Registered	\$55	\$50	\$45	\$40
Grade	\$30	\$25	\$20	\$20

DIVISION

- B. Registered Dairy Cattle
- C. Grade & Unregistered Dairy Cattle

CLASS

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| 1. Calves | Sept. 2022-Feb 2024 |
| 2. Junior Yearling | March-Aug 2023 |
| 3. Senior Yearling | Sept. 2018-Feb 2023 |
| 4. Two-Year-Old & Older | Prior to Sept 2022 |
| 5. Champion & Reserve Champion (Ribbon Only) | No Pre-entry |
| 6. Pair of Females | Any Age |
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