

**DEPARTMENT J-14: DAIRY CATTLE**  
**Junior Superintendent: Lindsay Hope**  
**Department Head: Earl Lehner**

Skillathon - 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Saturday, September 12  
 Dairy Show - 9:30 a.m. Monday, September 21  
 Premiums: A - \$8.00 B - \$6.00 C - \$3.00

Senior Two year old Cow, born September 1, 2006 thru February 28, 2007  
 Three year old Cow, born September 1, 2005 thru August 31, 2006  
 Four year old Cow, born September 1, 2004 thru August 31, 2005  
 Aged Cow, 5 years and older, born before September 1, 2004  
 Dry Cow, 3 years and older born before September 1, 2006

1. **Read the FAIR GENERAL RULES.**
2. Judging will be Monday at 9:30 a.m., starting with showmanship, in conjunction with Senior Fair Classes.
3. Each exhibitor is limited to 6 animals per breed and not more than 2 animals per class.
4. Each animal must be a part of the project as of June 1 of the exhibit year.
5. Leased dairy animals may be exhibited at the fair. Exhibitors are still responsible for the daily care of animals and should be caring for the animals by the possession deadline. If an animal is leased, a copy of the lease agreement and a picture of the animal must be turned in to the Extension Office by the June deadline.
6. Dairy cattle must be securely fastened.
7. No bulls of any breed will be shown in the junior fair.
8. Stall space will be assigned by the Junior and Senior Department Heads.
9. Dairy Products auction - dairy exhibitors must be present to receive any proceeds from the auction. Dairy exhibitors must notify the Department Head of Dairy Cattle of their intention to participate in the sale prior to the Dairy Show.
10. Dairy Skillathon will be Saturday, September 12 at 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. in the Junior Fair Show Arena. The Skillathon will be divided into three age groups: 9-11 years of age, 12-14 years of age, and 15 -18 years of age. There will be prize money of \$25.00, \$15.00, and \$10.00 respectively in each age group.

- Section A: Jersey**  
**Section B: Guernsey**  
**Section C: Brown Swiss**  
**Section D: Holstein**  
**Section E: Ayrshire**  
**Section F: Milking Shorthorn & All Other Breeds**

- Class 1 - Junior Heifer Calf  
 Class 2 - Intermediate Heifer Calf  
 Class 3 - Senior Heifer Calf  
 Class 4 - Summer Yearling Heifer  
 Class 5 - Junior Yearling Heifer  
 Class 6 - Winter Yearling Heifer  
 Class 7 - Senior Yearling Heifer  
 Class 9 - Junior 2 Year Old Cow  
 Class 10 - Senior 2 Year Old Cow  
 Class 11 - Three Year Old Cow  
 Class 12 – Four Year Old Cow  
 Class 13 - Aged Cow  
 Class 14 - Dry Cow

Junior and Senior Champion - competition between the winners of their classes in their respective breeds.  
 Breed Champion will compete for supreme champion heifer and cow.

**Register for Dairy Skillathon in Division J-30 Junior Fair Skillathons.**

**HERDSMAN AWARD**

A special Herdsman Award will be offered to the cleanest and most attractive exhibit using the following score card.

Score Card for Determining Basis of Award

- A. Cooperative Effort
1. Courtesy and willingness to follow regulations
  2. Courtesy to the general public
- B. Animals
1. Animals tied for best presentation
  2. Animals kept clean at all times
  3. Plenty of bedding use
  4. Information on animals and advertising value
- C. Barn
1. Aisles kept free and clean for spectators
  2. Equipment kept in show boxes, etc.
  3. Feed kept in orderly manner
  4. Appeal to general public

Classes for all breeds as follows:

- Junior Heifer Calf, born on or after March 1, of current year, and over 4 months of age.  
 Intermediate Heifer Calf, born December 1, 2008 through February 28 of current year.  
 Senior Heifer Calf, born September 1 through November 30 of the previous year.  
 Summer Yearling Heifer, June 1 through August 31, of previous year  
 Junior Yearling Heifer, after March 1 through May 31, of previous year  
 Winter Yearling Heifer, December 1, 2007 through February 28, 2008  
 Senior Yearling Heifer, after September 1, 2007 through November 30, 2007, not milking  
 Junior Two Year Old Cow, March 1, 2007 through August 31, 2007

**AWARDS**

- Delaware County Jr. Fair Supreme Cow Champion ..... Trophy  
 Delaware County Jr. Fair Reserve Cow Champion - ..... Trophy  
 Delaware County Jr. Fair Supreme Jr. Champion - ..... Trophy  
 Delaware County Jr. Fair Reserve Jr. Champion – ..... Trophy  
 Champion Holstein ..... Trophy  
 Junior Champion Holstein ..... Trophy  
 Champion Jersey ..... Trophy  
 Junior Champion Jersey ..... Trophy  
 Champion Brown Swiss ..... Trophy  
 Junior Champion Brown Swiss..... Trophy  
 Champion Ayrshire..... Trophy  
 Junior Champion Ayrshire ..... Trophy  
 Champion Guernsey ..... Trophy  
 Junior Champion Guernsey ..... Trophy  
 Reserve Champion in each breed..... Rosettes  
 Best Fitted Dairy Animal..... Trophy  
 Reserve Best Fitted Dairy Animal ..... Trophy  
 Junior Showmanship (9-11 yrs. of age) ..... Trophy  
 Reserve Junior Showmanship (9-11 yrs.) ..... Trophy  
 Intermediate Showmanship (12-14 yrs.) ..... Trophy  
 Reserve Intermediate Showmanship ..... Trophy  
 Senior Showmanship (15-18 yrs)..... Trophy  
 Reserve Senior Showmanship (15-18 yrs.)..... Trophy  
 Showman of Showmen ..... Trophy  
 Outstanding Herdsman ..... Award  
 3rd - 5th place Showmanship & Best Fitted - ..... Rosettes  
 1st - 5th place all other classes - ..... Ribbons