

DAIRY CATTLE

DEPARTMENT #26

ENTRIES CLOSE:	Wednesday, April 14th	before 5:00 p.m.
ENTRIES RECEIVED:	Monday, May 10th	Animals must be in place by 5/11 by 7 p.m.
JUDGING:	Thursday, May 13th	9 a.m. Replacement Heifers, Club/Chapter Group Replacement Heifers, followed by showmanship, Breeding & Club/Chapter Group Breeding
	Thursday, May 13th	6:00 p.m.—Dairy Ice Cream give-away
		6:30 p.m.—Replacement Heifer Preview Party
		7:30 p.m.—Dairy Heifer Sale
EXHIBITS RELEASED:	Sunday, May 16th	1:00 p.m.
LIMIT: 14 Breeding animals per exhibitor.		

Rules: The exhibitors must have sole ownership of their purebred/grade dairy animal(s), under their care and management, and under the supervision of the organization in which the project will be shown for a minimum of the 30 consecutive days immediately prior to the opening day of the fair.

REGISTERED PUREBRED BREEDING ANIMALS

Premiums Offered Per Class

(Classes 1 -13)

1st - \$30

2nd - \$25

3rd - \$20

4th - \$17

5th - \$14

6th - \$11

Entry Fee \$7.00 per Class

DIVISION 1: 4-H / FFA All Breeds

Note: Name (Breed) must be from recognized breed association

CLASS:

BULLS

1. Junior Yearling – March 1, 2009 – May 31, 2009
2. Summer Yearling – June 1, 2009 – August 31, 2009
3. Senior Calf – September 1, 2009 – February 28, 2010

FEMALES

4. Four years & over – prior to September 1, 2006
5. Three years, under four – September 1, 2006 – August 31, 2007
6. Two years, under three – September 1, 2007 – August 31, 2008
7. Senior Yearling – September 1, 2008 – February 28, 2009
8. Junior Yearling – March 1, 2009 – May 31, 2009
9. Summer Yearling – June 1, 2009 – August 31, 2009
10. Senior Calf – September 1, 2009 – February 28, 2010

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GROUPS

Note: All owned by one exhibitor and entered as individuals. All animals entered as groups must be of one breed.

- CLASS:
- 11. Young Herd*
 - 12. Produce of Dam**
 - 13. Best 3 Head, either sex

***YOUNG HERD:** One bull and two females, all senior yearlings or younger.

****PRODUCE OF DAM:** Two animals, any age & either sex, the produce of one cow. The dam must be identified by registration number. Each exhibitor is limited to one entry from the same dam.

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GRADE OR UNREGISTERED PUREBRED ANIMALS BY REGISTERED SIRE

Premiums Offered Per Class

(Classes 1 - 8)

- 1st - \$20
- 2nd - \$17
- 3rd - \$14
- 4th - \$11
- 5th - \$9
- 6th - \$7
- 7th - \$5
- 8th - \$3

RULES: Senior and Junior Yearling in milk must show with 2 year olds (Note "in milk" on your entry form.) By his/her signature as the owner or agent on an entry form, the exhibitor also certifies that the sire of each animal entered in the following divisions for grade animals was registered. A permanent ear tag or tattoo number is required. State Brucellosis tag number is acceptable. Animals that have been registered by a purebred breed association cannot be entered in these divisions. Use the same birth dates as registered dairy cattle.

Entry Fee: \$5.00 per entry

DIVISION 2: 4-H & FFA All Breeds

Note: Name (Breed) must be recognized breed association.

- CLASS:
- 1. Four years & over
 - 2. Three years, under four
 - 3. Two years, under three
 - 4. Senior Yearling
 - 5. Junior Yearling
 - 6. Summer Calf
 - 7. Senior Calf
 - 8. Best 3 Head

DIVISION 3 - 4-H / FFA Club or Chapter Group for Breeding Dairy - Enter at Ringside only

NO Entry Fee

Note: 4-H & FFA use same class.

CLASS: 1. Breeding—Three animals that have been shown in registered or grade classes as specified, owned by members of one club. *No member may enter more than one animal.*

BEST UDDERED COW AWARD

This award will be given to the exhibitor showing the best uttered cow in FFA or 4-H. Best uttered cow, in milk, any age. To be judged on udder only and to be milked in ring if Judge so desires. Entries to be made at ring side.

DAIRY HEIFER PROJECT ANIMALS

Any questions regarding the Dairy Springer Heifer Project, please call the Dairy Springer Heifer Project Committee Chairman, Duarte Goncalves (559) 474-2994.

Limited to Madera County exhibitors in 4-H Clubs & FFA Chapters who are enrolled in the special Dairy Spring Heifer Project program.

ENTRIES CLOSE:	Wednesday, April 14th	before 5:00 p.m.
ENTRIES RECEIVED:	Monday, May 10th	Animals must in place by 5/11 by 7 p.m.
VET CHECK:	Tuesday, May 11th	8:00 a.m.—All Replacement Heifers
JUDGING:	Thursday, May 13th	9 a.m. Replacement Heifers, Club/Chapter Group Replacement Heifers, followed by showmanship.
EXHIBITS RELEASED:	Thursday, May 13th	Following the conclusion of the sale.

LIMIT: 1 animal per class.

Rules: A copy of the brand inspection for sale heifer **must** accompany entry. Animals to be sold at the Replacement Heifer sale Thursday, May 13, 2010, must be entered in this division and complied with Dairy Springer Heifer Project requirements. All breeds will be judged together. Danish system of judging.

Entry Fee: Class 1—\$14.00
 Class 2—\$7.00

DIVISION 4: FFA Heifer Project

DIVISION 5: 4-H Heifer Project

CLASS: 1. 2 year old – January 1, 2008 – April 30, 2008
 2. Yearling – January 1, 2009 – March 31, 2009

DIVISION 6: 4-H/FFA Club or Chapter Group Replacement Heifers – Enter at Ringside ONLY

NO Entry Fee

Note: 4-H & FFA use same class.

CLASS: 1. Replacement Heifers—Three animals that have been shown in the replacement heifer classes as specified, owned by members of one club or chapter. **NO MEMBER MAY ENTER MORE THAN ONE ANIMAL.**

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