

Dept. 16 - Beef Cattle

Superintendents – Heath Shrable and Rob Long

Assistants: Brian Davis, Wayne Neal, Michael Rook, Rich Horner and Denny Young

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2. Breeding Beef classes are judged by breed unless indicated as “all breeds competing.”.
3. **Fulton County Bred and Owned classes** are limited to animals that originated on a farm/ranch within the geographical area of Fulton County. All animals in the Bred and Owned classes must have an “Assurance of Origin” on file in the fair office by check-in date (July 26, 2017), and must meet exhibition health requirements. Animals must be owned by the exhibitor and the exhibitors must be residents of Fulton County or attend school in Fulton County.
4. Points Awarded as follows: 1st – 40 pts.; 2nd – 35 pts.; 3rd – 30 pts.; 4th – 25 pts.; 5th – 20 pts.; and 6th – 15 pts. No Points are awarded for Grand Champion or Reserve Champion Awards.

Out-of-County youth exhibitors and adult exhibitors must use Divisions 300 – 303!

Division 160: Breeding Beef – Fulton County Youth

Class	Class Description
01	Late Junior Heifer- DOB March 1, 2017 or later (must be at least 4 months old)
02	Early Junior Heifer - DOB Jan. 1 - Feb. 28, 2017
03	Late Senior Heifer - DOB Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2016
04	Early Senior Heifer - DOB Sept. 1 - Oct. 31, 2016
05	Late Senior Heifer - DOB July 1 - Aug. 31, 2016
06	Early Junior Yearling Heifer - DOB May 1 - June 30, 2016
07	Late Junior Yearling Heifer - DOB March 1 - April 30, 2016
08	Early Junior Yearling Heifer - DOB Jan. 1 - Feb. 28, 2016
09	Senior Yearling Heifer - Oct. 1 - Dec. 31, 2015
10	Late Summer 2 Yr. Old Heifer - Aug. 1 - Sept. 30, 2015
11	Fulton Co. Bred and Owned Heifer (sub classes will be determined by age)- All breeds competing
12	Fulton Co. Born and Raised on Exhibitor Farm Beef Heifer - All breeds competing
13	Late Junior Bull - DOB March 1, 2017 or later (must be at least 4 months old)
14	Early Junior Bull - DOB Jan. 1 to Feb. 28, 2017
15	Late Senior Bull - DOB Nov. 1 to Dec. 31, 2016
16	Early Senior Bull - DOB Sept. 1 to Oct. 31, 2016
17	Late Senior Bull - DOB July 1 to Aug. 31, 2016
18	Early Junior Yearling Bull - DOB May 1 to June 30, 2016
19	Late Junior Yearling Bull - DOB March 1 to April 30, 2016
20	Early Junior Yearling Bull - DOB Jan 1 to Feb. 28, 2016

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Division 160: Breeding Beef – Fulton County Youth

Class	Class Description
21	Senior Yearling Bull - DOB Oct. 1 to Dec. 31, 2015
22	Late Summer 2 Year Old Bull - Aug. 1 to Sept. 30, 2015
25	Fulton County Bred and Owned Beef Bull (sub-classes will be determined by age) - All breeds competing.
26	Fulton Co. Born and Raised on Exhibitor Farm - Beef Bull (sub-classes will be determined)
27	Aged Cow - 3 to 5 years old
28	Cow-Calf Pair - All breeds competing
29	Fulton County Bred and Owned Aged Cow - All breeds competing.
30	Fulton County Born and Raised on Exhibitor Farm Aged Cow - All Breeding Competing
	Supreme Bull – All Breeds Competing
	Supreme Heifer – All Breeds Competing

Division 161: Commercial Heifers – Fulton County Youth

1. Commercial Heifers must be 4 months of age or older.
2. Animals will be placed in appropriate class according to hip height of animal after check-in.

Class	Class Description
01	Small American Cross Commercial Heifer
02	Medium American Cross Commercial Heifer
03	Large American Cross Commercial Heifer

Division 161: Commercial Heifers – Fulton County Youth

1. Commercial Heifers must be 4 months of age or older.
2. Animals will be placed in appropriate class according to hip height of animal after check-in.

Class	Class Description
04	Small British Cross Commercial Heifer
05	Medium British Cross Commercial Heifer
06	Large British Cross Commercial Heifer
07	Small Exotic Cross Commercial Heifer
08	Medium Exotic Cross Commercial Heifer
09	Large Exotic Cross Commercial Heifer
10	Fulton County Bred and Owned Commercial Heifer (sub-classes will be determined)
	Grand Champion Commercial Heifer
	Reserve Champion Commercial Heifer
	Supreme Commercial Heifer

Division 162: Market Steers – Fulton County Youth

Class	Class Description
01	Lt. Weight Market Steer
02	Med. Weight Market Steer
03	Heavy Weight Market Steer
04	Fulton County Bred and Owned Steer (sub-classes will be determined by weight)
	Grand Champion Market Steer
	Reserve Champion Market Steer

Division 163: Youth Beef Calf Project – Fulton County Youth

The Youth Calf Project is open to Fulton County youth. Youth cannot be over 14 years of age as of January 1, 2017. Sub-classes will be determined by weight on check-in day. Calves must not weigh over 250 pounds as of May 1, 2017

Class	Class Description
01	Heifer
02	Bull
03	Steer
	Grand Champion Beef Calf
	Reserve Champion Beef Calf

Division 164: Beef Showmanship – Fulton County Youth
Age as of date of show.

Class	Class Description
01	Wee Junior Showmanship – age 8 and under
02	Junior Showmanship – age 9 -13
03	Senior Showmanship – age 14 - 19

Division 300: Open/Out-of-County Breeding Beef

Class	Class Description
01	Late Junior Heifer- DOB March 1, 2017 or later (must be at least 4 months old)
02	Early Junior Heifer - DOB Jan. 1 - Feb. 28, 2017
03	Late Senior Heifer - DOB Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2016
04	Early Senior Heifer - DOB Sept. 1 - Oct. 31, 2016
05	Late Senior Heifer - DOB July 1 - Aug. 31, 2016
06	Early Junior Yearling Heifer - DOB May 1 - June 30, 2016
07	Late Junior Yearling Heifer - DOB March 1 - April 30, 2016
08	Early Junior Yearling Heifer - DOB Jan. 1 - Feb. 28, 2016
09	Senior Yearling Heifer - Oct. 1 - Dec. 31, 2015
10	Late Summer 2 Yr. Old Heifer - Aug. 1 - Sept. 30, 2015
11	Cow/Calf Pair (all breeds competing)
	Supreme Heifer – All Breeds Competing
12	Late Junior Bull - DOB March 1, 2017 or later (must be at least 4 months old)
13	Early Junior Bull - DOB Jan. 1 - Feb 28, 2017
14	Late Senior Bull - DOB Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2016
15	Early Senior Bull - DOB Sept. 1 - Oct. 31, 2016
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18	Late Junior Yearling Bull - DOB March 1 - April 30, 2016
19	Early Junior Yearling Bull - DOB Jan. - Feb. 28, 2016
20	Senior Yearling Bull - DOB Oct. 1 - Dec. 31, 2015
21	Late Summer 2 Yr. Old Bull - Aug. 1 - Sept. 30, 2015
22	Aged Cow – 3 to 5 years old
	Reserve Champion Bull by Breed
	Supreme Bull – All Breeds Competing

Division 301: Open/Out-of-County Commercial Heifers

1. Commercial Heifers must be 4 months of age or older.
2. Heifers will be placed in appropriate class according to hip height of animal after check-in.

Class	Class Description
01	Small American Cross Commercial Heifer
02	Medium American Cross Commercial Heifer
03	Large American Cross Commercial Heifer
04	Small British Cross Commercial Heifer
05	Medium British Cross Commercial Heifer
06	Large British Cross Commercial Heifer
07	Small Exotic Cross Commercial Heifer
08	Medium Exotic Cross Commercial Heifer
09	Large Exotic Cross Commercial Heifer
	Grand Champion Commercial Heifer
	Reserve Champion Commercial Heifer
	Supreme Commercial Heifer

Division 302: Open/Out-of-County Market Steers

Class	Class Description
01	Lt. Weight Market Steer
02	Med. Weight Market Steer
03	Heavy Weight Market Steer
	Grand Champion Market Steer
	Reserve Champion Market Steer

Division 304: Youth Beef Calf Project – Out of County Youth Only

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Class Description
Heifer
Bull
Steer
Grand Champion Beef Calf
Reserve Champion Beef Calf

Division 303: Open/Out-of-County Beef Showmanship (Age as of date of show)	
Class	Class Description
01	Wee Junior Showmanship – age 8 and under
02	Junior Showmanship – age 9 -13
03	Senior Showmanship – age 14 - 19

Youth who are a member of a Fulton County 4-H Club or FFA Chapter and attend school in the county may sell their calves at the Junior Livestock Auction scheduled for 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 29. Youth are limited to two animals from the beef department for the sale.