



# Beef

## Department 100

**Superintendent -**  
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**Entry Fee -** \$12.00 per head

**Intake Times - G #1 -** Tues. 8/1/06 - 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.  
**G #2 -** Fri. 8/4/06 - 8 a.m. - 10 a.m.

**Judge - Group 1 & 2 -** Dick Hubman

**Judging Times - G #1 -** Thur. 8/3/06 - 3 p.m.  
**G #2 -** Sun. 8/6/06 - 10 a.m.

**Release Times - G #1 -** Thur. 8/3/06 - 5 p.m. - 7 p.m.  
**G #2 -** Sun. 8/7/06 - after 9 p.m.  
(earlier release may be permitted with advanced notice)

<b>Premiums:</b>	<i>Showmanship Premiums</i>
1st place = \$50.00	1st place = \$20.00
2nd place = \$30.00	2nd place = \$15.00
3rd place = \$10.00	3rd place = \$10.00

**Admission & Parking Passes per day -**  
1-3 head = 1 adm. pass & 1 parking pass  
4-7 head = 2 adm. passes & 1 parking pass  
8+ head = 3 adm. passes & 2 parking passes

### Entry Procedures & Department Rules

- 1. Please read all Livestock Rules on pages 44-45.**
- Entries will be accepted on a first come - first served basis.
- Registration deadline is Friday, July 21, 2006 to the Benton County Fair Open Class Exhibit Coordinator.
- 4-H members may exhibit their registered animals in the open show as well as in the 4-H Show.
- Open class beef animals will be housed in the open class beef barn. Any beef shown in both 4-H and Open Class will be housed in the 4-H Beef barn.
- All bulls 12 months or older must be shown with a nose ring or exhibitor will forfeit all premiums.
- A list of special awards will be available at the show ring during each show.

### Group #1 - Breed Divisions

- Medal of Excellence Limousin Show (see following page)

### Group #2 -

#### Breed Divisions

- Angus (Black & Red)
- Murray Gray
- Simmental
- Shorthorn
- Other breeds

#### Class

- Junior heifer calf, born after 1/1/06
- Senior heifer calf, born 9/1/05 to 12/31/05
- Summer yearling heifer, born 5/1/05 to 8/31/05
- Junior yearling heifer, born 1/1/05 to 4/30/05
- Senior yearling heifer & 2 year old, born 9/1/04 to 12/31/04
- Cow, 2 years & older (must be nursing)
- Please see Award Classes below*
- Cow & calf. Calf must be under 10 months of age (heifers or intact bulls)
- Junior bull calves, born after 1/1/06
- Senior bull calves born 9/1/05 to 12/31/05.
- Summer yearling bull, born 5/1/05 to 8/31/05
- Junior yearling bull, born 1/1/05 to 4/30/05
- Senior yearling bull, born 9/1/04 to 12/31/04
- Mature bull, not over 2 years of age, born 1/1/04 to 8/31/04
- Please see Award Classes below*
- Pair of calves, either sex, from classes 1, 2, 8, & 9
- Get-of-sire, 3 head, both sexes represented, all by the same sire
- Produce of dam, 2 animals of either sex produced by the same dam

#### Award Classes

**\*\*Ribbons and special awards only - no premiums\*\***

- Champion female (winners in classes 1-6)
- Champion male (winners in classes 9-14)

**Division 10 - SHOWMANSHIP** - Held during both open beef group shows. In order to be eligible for showmanship, an exhibitor must have shown an animal in the open breed show, even if it is not owned by the showman.

#### Classes

- Youth - 12 years old and under
- Teen - 13 - 17 years of age
- Adult - 18 years old and over

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# MEDAL OF EXCELLENCE

## North American Limousin Foundation

### 2006 Standard Rules & Regulations For the Exhibition of Limousin Cattle - Level III

1. All animals must be registered with the North American Limousin Foundation. Any animal over 30 days of age, including calves to be shown at side of dam, must have proof of a registration certificate and be recorded with the North American Limousin Foundation. For ET calves, parentage verification paperwork must be in the NALF system.
2. All animals must be 75% (3/4) Limousin or greater as indicated by registration certificate. Percentage and purebred Limousin cattle shall compete in the same classes and championships (amended 8/98).
3. All animals must be properly tattooed and will be inspected at the show. Tattoos must be legible and must properly match the registration certificate. If an animal's tattoo is not legible and cannot be read the first time through processing, it will not be allowed to come back through with a fresh tattoo. Fresh tattoos are acceptable but animals that do not have legible tattoos when first processed will not be reprocessed, any animal not having a legible tattoo will not be allowed to participate in the show.
4. To maintain a high degree of confidence in Limousin shows, the North American Limousin Foundation reserves the right to disqualify any animal that has been fitted in an unethical manner. Unethical fitting shall include the following:
  - a) any use of paints, hair coloring conditioners, colored show foam, graphite, colored powders or any other substances; all animals subject to white towel test (amended 8/02);
  - b) The addition of any hair or hair like substances, including false tailheads and false polls (false tail switches are allowed);
  - c) The cutting, tearing or gluing of the hide or underneath the hide or removal of tissue in an attempt to alter the shape of the animal;
  - d) The injection of any gas, solid or liquid under the hide to alter the normal conformation;
  - e) Any products/solutions/liquids administered internally or externally to alter the conformation of the animal is prohibited. This includes the use of steroids, growth promotants, and the act of artificially filling animals internally, which would include stomach pumping, drench tubes, or any other method.

EXCEPTIONS: In the case of severely sick or severely dehydrated animals, the exhibitor may have fluids or electrolytes administered by the licensed official show veterinarian with the approval of the show superintendent and/or North American Limousin Foundation representative. This exception is not applicable on show day or weigh-in/check-in day.

5. All bulls over one year of age must show with a nose-lead. The right to disqualify from the show any animal deemed unmanageable is reserved by the Limousin show superintendent and the show management.
6. All protests against exhibitors, individual animals or fitting violations of show cattle must be submitted in writing and signed by five (5) lifetime members of the North American Limousin Foundation and presented to the show superintendent within 12 hours after the completion of the show.
7. The North American Limousin Foundation reserves the right to mouth animals for dental development at any show sponsored by the Foundation.
8. Classes and championship breaks will be made-up after all cattle have been checked in. No class shall contain more than 20 head or have an age spread of more than 60 days unless the animals are over two years old. Premiums will be awarded on a graduated basis among the animals in the classes after the show has been completed.
9. Calves exhibited alongside dams in the cow/calf division are ineligible to show as individuals. In addition, all calves exhibited alongside dams must be registered. (amended 1/00)
10. All cattle will be processed before the show.
11. In shows occurring after January 1, 2007; animals born through June 30, 2005 are eligible to show.
12. The North American Limousin Foundation reserves the right to collect hair samples from any animal, at any show.
13. All animals shown must be solid red or black above the flanks, except birth marks. (amended 1/03)

#### OTHER REQUIREMENTS THAT MUST BE MET TO RECEIVE POINTS AT LEVEL III MEDAL OF EXCELLENCE EVENTS :

##### Performance Requirements:

1. To receive MOE points all cattle must have the following performance data submitted and on file at the North American Limousin Foundation:
  - a. Birth Weight (bulls and heifers)
  - b. Weaning Weight (bulls and heifers)
  - c. Yearling Weight (bulls and heifers)
  - d. Scrotal at 1 year of age (bulls)

NOTE: All performance data must be submitted by December 1, 2006. Failure to have documentation on file at NALF by this date will result in disqualification from the MOE program and no points will be awarded. It is the responsibility of the breeder/owner to submit this information; NALF will not send any communication to breeder/owner requesting submission of the data.

##### CREDIBILITY REQUIREMENT:

In order to maintain a high degree of integrity and credibility in all Limousin shows, all owners and exhibitors will be expected to adhere to all North American Limousin Foundation rules and regulations regarding the exhibition of Limousin cattle. And, to adhere to any other rules or regulations deemed suitable by the particular show, fair or exhibition.

### CLASS 3 - MEDAL OF EXCELLENCE LIMOUSIN SHOW - Level III

#### FEMALES:

1. Spring Heifer Calf, Calved after March 1, 2006
2. Junior Heifer Calf, Calved between January 1 thru February 28, 2006
3. Division I Champion Female & Reserve Champion Female
4. Winter Heifer Calf Calved between November 1 thru December 31, 2005
5. Senior Heifer Calf Calved between September 1 thru October 31, 2005
6. Division II Champion Female & Reserve Champion Female
7. Late Summer Yearling Female Calved between July 1 thru August 31, 2005
8. Summer Yearling Female Calved between May 1 thru June 30, 2005
9. Division III Champion Female & Reserve Champion Female
10. Late Spring Yearling Female Calved between April 1 thru April 30, 2005
11. Early Spring Yearling Female Calved between March 1 thru March 31, 2005
12. Junior Yearling Female Calved January 1 thru February 28, 2005
13. Division IV Champion Female & Reserve Champion Female
14. Senior Yearling Female Calved between September 1 thru December 31, 2004
15. Cow/Calf Pair: Cows with natural calf at side. Cow must be born on or before August 31, 2004 and be 75% Limousin or greater. Calf must be 75% Limousin or greater and not more than 250 days old on date of show.
16. Division V Champion Female & Reserve Champion Female
17. GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE (Division I, II, III, IV, V Champions & Reserve competing)

#### BULLS:

18. Spring Bull Calf, calved after March 1, 2006
19. Junior Bull Calf, calved between January 1 thru February 28, 2006
20. Division I Champion Bull & Reserve Champion Bull
21. Winter Bull Calf Calved between November 1 thru December 31, 2005
22. Senior Bull Calf Calved between September 1 thru October 31, 2005
23. Division II Champion Bull & Reserve Champion Bull
24. Late Summer Yearling Bull Calved between July 1 thru August 31, 2005
25. Summer Yearling Bull Calved between May 1 thru June 30, 2005
26. Division III Champion Bull & Reserve Champion Bull
27. Spring Yearling Bull Calved between March 1 thru April 30, 2005
28. Junior Yearling Bull Calved between January 1 thru February 28, 2005
29. Division IV Champion Bull & Reserve Champion Bull
30. Senior Yearling Bull Calved between September 1 thru December 31, 2004
31. Summer Senior Yearling Bull Calved between May 1 thru August 31, 2004
32. Two-year Old Bulls Calved between January 1 thru April 30, 2004
33. Division V Champion Bull & Reserve Champion Bull
34. GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL Division I, II, III, IV, V Champions & Reserve competing )

#### GROUP CLASSES:

35. Produce-of-Dam: 2 head shown in individual classes produced by one dam. May be owned by different exhibitors.
36. Junior Get-of-Sire: 3 head shown in individual classes calved on or after September 1, 2004. Both sexes represented.
37. Senior Get-of-Sire: 4 head shown in individual classes any age. Both sexes represented.
38. Breeders Best 5 Head: 5 head shown in individual classes. Must be bred by and owned or co-owned by exhibitor. Either or both sexes represented.

#### Medal of Excellence - Level III Point Scale:

1st in class	5 points	Division Champion	5 points
2nd in class	4 points	Division Reserve	3 points
3rd in class	3 points		
4th in class	2 points	Grand Champion	5 points
5th in class	1 point	Reserve Champion	3 points

Level III shows with 70 or more head shown shall be awarded the same point scale as a Level II show.

The 2006 Medal of Excellence Limousin Show Program will start in December 2005 with the Arizona National Open Limousin Show and continue through December of 2006.

*(Premiums will not be paid in Division Championship Classes)*