

Department A – Beef Cattle

No Reweighs Allowed

BREEDING BEEF

Judging: Wednesday, July 25 – 8 a.m.

Breeding & Market Beef Premiums

First Place: \$10	Fourth Place: \$3
Second Place: \$7	Fifth Place: \$2
Third Place: \$5	Sixth-Tenth Place: \$1

	British Breeds Hereford/Polled Hereford, Angus Angus, Shorthorn	Continental Simmental, Charolais Limousin, Etc.	Other Breeds & Crossbreeds
Jr. Hfr. calves, calved on or after Jan. 1, 2018	1	12	23
Sr. Hfr. calves calved Aug-Dec., 2017	2	13	24
Summer Yrlg. Hfrs., calved May-July, 2017	3	14	25
Spring Yrlg. Hfrs, calved Mar.-April, 2017	4	15	26
Jr. Yrlg. Hfrs, calved Jan-Feb., 2017	5	16	27
Hfr. born Sept. 1 to Dec. 31, 2016	6	17	28
Cow/calf pair (cow born 2016, calf born 2018)	7	18	19

Be sure to include breed, birthdate, sex, I.D. number and other pertinent information on your entry form(s).

Breed Champion Heifer – Ribbon

(selected from first place winners in breed class)

Breed Reserve Champion Heifer – Ribbon

(selected from first place winners with the second place winner of the breed class from which the Champion was selected)

(Additional \$10 premium if 10 or more in breed division.)

4-H and FFA Supreme Champion Heifer – Rosette

(selected from breed champions)

Jr. Bull calf, born after Jan. 1, 2018	8	19	30
Sr. Bull calf, born Sept. 1 to Dec. 31, 2017	9	20	31
Summer Yrlg. Bull May 1 to Aug 31, 2017	10	21	32
Jr. Yrlg. Bull calf Jan. 1 to April 30, 2017	11	22	33

Breed Champion Bull – Ribbon

Breed Reserve Champion Bull – Ribbon

MARKET BEEF

Informational Meeting: Monday, July 23 – 8:45 a.m. –
in show barn

Weigh-in: Monday, July 23 – 10-11 a.m.
(Must have your brand papers present.)

BEEF SHOWMANSHIP

Judging: Wednesday, July 25
(Immediately following breeding beef show.)

Live Animal Beef Carcass Contest:
Simultaneous during beef weigh-in (for those pre-entered)

Beef Showmanship Premiums

\$3 – Will be awarded to those participating in
the beef showmanship contest.

Class No.

- 34. **Senior beef showmanship** – 14-19 yrs. as of Jan. 1 of current year (prior entry mandatory).
- 35. **Intermediate beef showmanship** – 11-13 yrs. as of Jan. 1 of current year (prior entry mandatory).
- 36. **Junior beef showmanship** – 8-10 yrs. as of Jan. 1 of current year (prior entry mandatory).

Market beef classes will be determined at weigh-in time with champion and reserve champion being named in light-weight, middle-weight, and heavy-weight classes.

Note: Market heifers will be shown in a separate class(s). Should number of entries warrant, market heifer classes will be divided by weight. Should there not be sufficient numbers, all market heifers will be shown together. Market heifer weight champions will be shown against market steer weight champions for overall grand and reserve grand champion market beef.

Weight Requirements

Market Steers: 1050 – 1500 lbs.
Market Heifers: 1000 – 1450 lbs.
(Must have 2.0 lbs/day A.D.G. from initial weigh-in to Fair.)

Class No.

- 37. **Market Steers**
A. Show order (light to heavy)
- 38. **Market Heifers**
- 39. **4-H Catch-it-Calf Class**, (premium money same as market class).
- 40. **4-H Club Class**, 5 market beef (premium money same as market class). **Must have 5 entries or more for contest to be held.**
- 41. **Bucket calf showmanship** – 8-10 yrs. as of Jan 1 of current year (prior entry mandatory).

Champion and Reserve Champion
Light-weight Group – Ribbon
Champion and Reserve Champion
Medium-weight Group – Ribbon
Champion and Reserve Champion
Heavy-weight Group – Ribbon
Grand Champion Market Beef – Rosette
Reserve Grand Champion Market Beef – Rosette

Live Animal Beef Carcass Contest
Sponsored by: Kit Carson County CattleWomen

Contest Entry Fee: \$20

Ultrasound Scan: Monday, July 24 – 10 – 11 a.m. (following beef weigh-in) Will be done simultaneously during beef weigh-in (for those pre-entered).

Rules:

1. Beef animal must meet all requirements of *Department A – Beef Cattle* to be eligible for Carcass Contest.
2. All market beef (heifers and steers) meeting *Department A – Beef Cattle* requirements and that compete in market classes are eligible for contest. No limit per exhibitor other than those placed in general rules.
3. Over-weight and under-weight cattle are not eligible for contest or prize money.
4. Beef animals must be entered for contest and entry fees paid by the livestock entry deadline specified in the K.C.C. Fair rule book to be eligible for contest.
5. Ultrasound scan will be completed by qualified ultrasound tech.
6. Animal must be able to stand quietly for scan to be completed. Ultrasound tech will make the decision on if animal will not cooperate to his/her satisfaction to complete scan.
7. Hair and coat of animal will be oiled for animal to be ultra-sound scanned. No hair will be shaved or trimmed.
8. No re-scans.
9. No refund on entry fees for any reason i.e. overweight, underweight or uncooperative animals.
10. Carcass data collected in ultrasound scan:
 - a. Back-fat
 - b. Ribeye area
 - c. Marbling score
11. Ultrasound scans will be read and graded by The Central Ultrasound Processing Lab, i.e. Cup Lab, LLC.
12. Beef animals will be placed for carcass merit using Cup Lab, LLC data for quality grade, weigh-in weight, and yield grade using average yield of 63.5%. Real Market value at time of the contest will be applied to the carcass scan and final placement of the carcasses will be made on a total dollar value. Carcass contest winner will be carcass with the highest dollar value.
 - 1st place - \$500
 - 2nd place - \$300
13. Results of the Live Animal Carcass Contest are final and not open for contesting.

Winners will be posted Thursday morning of Fair in the beef barn.

Awards presented during 4-H awards presentation on Friday. Winners must be present during 4-H awards presentation on Friday to receive prize money.

Class No.

42. Live Carcass Contest