

ADULT DAIRY SHOW

Superintendent:
Joyce West
219 Bay Rd.
Hadley, MA 01035

ARRIVAL TIMES: Friday, 9/1/17 All breeds of cattle
Between 8:00 – 12:00 PM
SHOW TIMES: Friday, 9/1/17 Judging of Ayrshire, Guernsey and Milking
Shorthorn at 7:00 PM
Saturday, 9/2/17 Judging of Brown Swiss, Jersey, Holstein, at 11:00 AM
RELEASE TIMES: Saturday, 9/2/17 All Adult Cattle – Out by 5:00 PM

NOTE: If arrival and release times interfere with other shows exceptions can be made by contacting the Superintendent in advance.

ENTRY FEE: \$1.00 per head must be paid with entries

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 11th. Use entry form in book

RULES FOR THE EXHIBITION OF CATTLE

1. All cattle must be from an accredited herd or have passed tuberculin test within 60 days.
2. Any animal showing signs of any communicable diseases will be barred.
3. The Society reserves the right to reject any or all entries and will not accept entries in excess of the accommodations.
4. Each animal must have a sign or card over its stall showing name, date of birth, name of sire and dam.
5. No animal shall receive a prize unless worthy of it.
6. Brucellosis - must come from a certified herd or be tested within 30 days.
7. All animals must be accompanied by registration papers in case any questions arise with respect to their proper status.
8. The Cattle Committee may limit the number of animals shown by an exhibitor in a class and determine eligibility of all entries.
9. Interfering with the Judge is prohibited.
10. Animals and exhibits must be kept clean and neat at all times.
11. **Per Order of the Northampton Fire Department:**
 - **No Cooking in Any Barns**
 - **All Electrical Cords Must be 3 Prong**
 - **All Fans Must Be 3 Wire Grounded Plugs**

*******NO CLIPPING CHUTES IN BARN*******

PLEASE LEAVE PEN AND STALL AREAS CLEAN WHEN LEAVING

NO DUMPING OF WATER BUCKETS IN PENS AND STALLS

EXHIBITORS STANDARDS

The Fair is an educational activity. Fairs should establish discretionary standards for dress. Positive social behavior, good sportsmanship and cooperation should be encouraged. It is recognized that in classes of livestock, exhibitors have standards of dress which have been accepted by the industry; white or khaki slacks, white skirts or dresses and white shirts (no farm names allowed on clothing). No shorts or bathing attire will be allowed. A solid, durable shoe must be worn at all times while on the grounds. No sandals, clogs, or bare feet will be allowed. Failure to comply with these rules will mean forfeit of all premiums.

DAIRY CATTLE SHOW RULES

1. Base date for computing ages: All breed March 1st and September 1st
2. All breeds are classified the same but shown separately. Holstein, Guernsey, Brown Swiss, Ayrshire, Jersey and Milking Shorthorn.
3. Individual classes will be limited to 2 entries per class per exhibitor.
4. Group classes will be limited to 1 entry per class per exhibitor. **One entry per family or farm.**
5. All animals shown in group classes must have been shown in their individual classes.
6. Best Uddered - only one per exhibitor. **One entry per family or farm.**

Divisions:

AYRSHIRE	BROWN SWISS	GUERNSEY
300	301	302
HOLSTEIN	JERSEY	SHORTHORN
303	304	305

CLASS:

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| 01 Spring Calf | Born on or after 3/1/17 |
| 02 Winter Calf | Born 12/1/16 - 2/28/17 |
| 03 Fall Calf | Born 9/1/16 - 11/30/16 |
| 04 Summer Yearling | Born 6/1/16 - 8/31/16 |
| 05 Spring Yearling | Born 3/1/16 - 5/31/16 |
| 06 Winter Yearling. | Born 12/1/15 - 2/28/16 |
| 07 Fall Yearling | Born 9/1/15 - 11/30/15 |
| 08 Two Year Old | Born 9/1/14 - 8/31/15 |
| 09 Three Year Old | Born 9/1/13 - 8/31/14 |
| 10 Four Year Old | Born 9/1/12 - 8/31/13 |
| 11 Aged Cow | Born on or before 8/31/12 |
| 12 Dry Cow | Dry Cow – one animal, calved at least once, not in milk |
| 13 Best Uddered Cow (must be in milk) | |
| 14 Dam/Daughter | |
| 15 Best 3 Females Bred & Owned by Exhibitor | |
| 16 Exhibitors Herd 5 Females of Any Age. | <u>One entry per family or farm.</u> |

PREMIUMS:	1 ST	2 ND	3 RD	4 TH	5 TH
Classes 01 - 15	30.00	27.00	22.00	18.00	14.00
Class 16	85.00	75.00	65.00	55.00	

ROSETTES: Reserve Grand Champion, Senior Champion, Junior Champion

ROSETTE & TROPHY: Grand Champion