

## 2019 BEEF CATTLE COMPETITION

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Entry Closing Date: Monday September 30, 2019  
 Entry Fee: \$60\* per entry  
 Late Entry Fee: \$250 per entry will apply to all entries after  
 September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019  
 Tie-Out Fee: Included in the Entry Fee  
 Blocking Chute Fee: \$38\*\*

### NOTES

1. **Tie outs will NOT be available until Monday October 28, 2019, after 8:00am.**
  2. A single leadsman can only handle a maximum of 2 animals at one time for safety reasons. Non-compliance with this rule will result in disciplinary action.
  3. Manitoba Drive will be closed to vehicle traffic for one hour daily as indicated below:  
 Thursday – Saturday: 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm; Sunday: 8 pm – 9 pm.
- \* No entry fee in group classes: Breeders Herd, Junior Get of Sire, Get of Sire, Progeny of Dam, Two Bulls Bred and Owned, Best Pair of Females and Best Pair Both Sexes.
- \*\* Blocking chute spaces are available to purchase for exhibitors with three or more head stabled, please see the Beef Cattle Competition Rules and Regulations Rules #16 & 17.

## EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE:

- All electrical panels must remain clear of all items at all times. Hay and feed can be stored no closer than 1 foot around electrical panels.
- **All exhibitors** who require parking for their trailer must provide details on the entry form so that The RAWF may appropriately allocate space for parking in 2019. A survey will be sent via email to those who have not done so.
- In 2019, **Supreme Champions** from select, premier regional beef shows in Ontario, Quebec New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island will be invited to participate and compete against Royal Grand Champions in the **2019 Masterfeeds® Supreme Beef Champions Class** at The Royal.
- Most breed association **junior shows** will take place on Monday November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019 (with the exception of Charolais).
- **Show Champions Inc.** will be the 2019 Official Beef Cattle Photographer for champion pictures as well as candid.
- **Cattle Walk:** Manitoba Drive will be closed to vehicle traffic for one hour daily on Thursday to Saturday from 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm and on Sunday from 8 pm – 9 pm.
- Exhibitors may **ONLY** bring a maximum of **24 hours worth of feed and bedding** into the barns for their own livestock.
- The southwest corner of the industry building to the Lower East Annex will be closed to cattle in 2019 so that pedestrian access remains unobstructed.

## GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS TO REMEMBER

- #25 & #26** It's the responsibility of each exhibitor to **keep stalls, pens and/or exhibit areas clean and neat**. Professional displays are encouraged. Space visible to the public and/or your neighbouring exhibitors must be finished attractively

## BEEF CATTLE COMPETITION RULES & REGULATIONS TO REMEMBER

- #1** Exhibitors will **NOT** be allowed to begin dismantling their displays **until the indicated time** in their specific breed section. Exhibitors with special requests **MUST** contact the Barn Manager. Any exhibitor that moves out early without the approval from the barn manager will be subject to penalties.
- #2b** The RAWF has banned the placing of heating elements and aerosol cans together in the same container/pail. Failure to comply will result in disciplinary action.
- #16** Clipping or grooming of cattle is **prohibited in main aisles** of the barn. Chutes will be allowed behind exhibitor stall space on show day only (at the discretion of the Barn Boss). Chutes not identified with a 2019 RAWF sticker will be removed from the barns.
- #17** Blocking chute spaces are **available to purchase** for exhibitors with three or more head stabled
- #19** All needles/sharps **MUST** be disposed of in a 'Sharps Disposal Container'. If an exhibitor does not have a 'Sharps Disposable Container,' one **WILL** be located for use on site, in the Livestock Superintendents trailer. Failure to comply will result in disciplinary action.
- #28** Exhibitors who wish to bring an RTV for their personal use must pay a \$50 fee upon entry. Only recreation-type vehicles with four wheels and a steering wheel will be permitted

## NEW RULES FOR 2019:

- RAWF has banned the placing of heating elements and aerosol cans in the in the same container/pail
- All animals must be stalled in their barn displays daily from 7:00am to 5:30pm from Friday November 1, 2019 through to and including Monday November 4, 2019.

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Exhibitors will NOT be allowed to begin dismantling displays until the indicated time in their specific breed section. Upon written request to the barn manager, out of province cattle may be allowed to move out early. Exhibitors with special requests MUST contact the Barn Manager. Any exhibitor that moves out early without approval from the Barn Manager will be subject to penalties as per Livestock Rule and Regulations #17.
- 2a. The Royal Agricultural Winter Fair (RAWF) has banned the use of aerosol cans in the marshalling area of the Semex Ring of Excellence. Failure to comply with this rule will result in disqualification from the competition.
- 2b. The RAWF has also banned the placing of heating elements and aerosol cans together in the same container/pail. Failure to comply will result in disciplinary action.
3. This show (sections 300-305) is recognized as a purebred show (unless specific classes state otherwise) and as such, registrations will be governed by Livestock Rules and Regulations #4.
4. There shall be no limit on the number of entries that may be made by an exhibitor. Notwithstanding this provision, the maximum number of animals and groups that may be shown by an exhibitor shall be as follows:
  - a. In classes for single animals, there will be no restriction on the number of animals shown by an exhibitor
  - b. In classes for groups: One group
  - c. The maximum number of animals of one breed that an exhibitor may bring to the show (in classes for single animals) is 16 for all breeds
  - d. A breeding unit may show 2 additional exhibits provided these are 4-H animals shown by 4-H members. These exhibits will be ineligible to compete in the Breeders Herd and Get of Sire Class.
5. No animal may be shown in more than one class for single animals except championships, special prizes or groups. To be eligible for showing in a group class, every member of the group must have been exhibited in its appropriate class for single animals within the breed show. Calves shown in single classes will not be allowed to be shown in a single class with their dam, unless otherwise stated in the individual breed section.
6. There will be a **MINIMUM 50 animals SHOWN** in any beef breed show. The RAWF reserves the right to cancel a show if insufficient entries are received by the entry deadline.
  - a. Entries in the cow/calf classes are considered to be one animal entry, as the cow/calf must be shown as a single unit to be eligible for placement by the judge
  - b. If a breed does not show the minimum number of animals, that breed will be placed on probation for the following two years. If that breed does not reach the minimum number of animals shown during the probation period, the association will not have breed representatives on the RAWF beef cattle show committee, the show will be discontinued and the breed association will have presence at The Royal through a live animal display.
7. At the time of entry the following information must be given with respect to each animal entered, including calves with cows:
  - a. Name and registration number
  - b. Tattoo number (MUST BE LEGIBLE)
  - c. Date of birth
  - d. Name of sire and dam
  - e. All calves must be entered on the Entry Form along with their dams including calves with cows
  - f. Entered in the name of the registered owner(s)
  - g. Breeder's Name
  - h. Farm of Origin Premise ID#
  - i. Farm of Departure Premise ID#\*
 

\* Required if farm of departure is different than the farm of origin only.

NOTE: The entry fee is for making the entry ONLY. It is not a stall fee and does not guarantee stall space. You will be allocated space based on Livestock Rules and Regulations #9.

Substitutions will be allowed, as follows:

  - a. 2 substitutions within breed per exhibitor
  - b. If made with the RAWF Agriculture Show
8. Office staff upon arrival
  - c. If a change of ownership occurs to an animal entered in the RAWF after the entry closing date **and** a copy of the transferred registration paper is presented to the RAWF Agriculture Show Office prior to the printing of the catalogue the new owner will be credited as the exhibitor

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### RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONTINUED)

9. The original registration certificates of all entries must accompany cattle to the show and must be checked by an official of the relevant breed association.
10. Ear tagging and animal identification must be in compliance with mandatory traceability rules and regulations of Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada as per Livestock Rules and Regulations #6.
11. Requirement for entry in classes for breeding animals: All calves and yearlings must be weighed at the show prior to showing with their birth date, show weight, and weight per day of age posted in the stall. All other entries must be weighed with their weight posted (at the breed association's discretion).
12. An animal owned jointly by more than one individual, firm or corporation, must be registered in the names of such owners jointly, and when shown as a single animal must be entered in the names of the joint owners.  
In the event that one of the joint owners is the breeder of the animal they may include it in a group class having a "Bred-And-Owned" requirement. Only one exhibitor can receive points for the animal's placing for calculation of the premier exhibitor award. In this case, the exhibitor must be specified in advance of weigh-in to the official of the breed association, otherwise the joint owners will be considered as one exhibitor/entity for calculation of points. A joint ownership entry must be made on a separate Entry Form.
13. An exhibitor is not required to list the names and numbers of the animals comprising a herd or group at the time of entry, but must give such information to the official of the breed association concerned with checking registration certificates before the commencement of judging of the herd or group
14. Provision has been made whereby the RAWF will supply an area for tying out beef cattle at night, from 5:30 pm to 7:00 am Thursday to Saturday and on Sunday from 8:00 pm to 7:00 am. Only cattle will be allowed in the designated area. The tie out fee is included in the entry fee. No first bedding will be provided in tie outs. **Tie outs will NOT be available until Monday October 28, 2019 after 8:00am.**
15. Any male over a year must have a ring or lead when out of stalls. Any male over a year found to be out of stalls without a ring or lead will be barred from showing.
16. **CLIPPING, TRIMMING CHUTES, AND TACK BOXES:** Clipping or grooming of cattle is prohibited in main aisles of the barn. Chutes will be allowed behind exhibitor stall space on show day only (at the discretion of the Barn Boss). Chutes will be allowed in the barns as space permits at the discretion of the Barn Boss. Barn Bosses will designate where chutes and tack boxes are to be located. All chutes must be clearly identified with stickers provided by the RAWF. Stickers are available from the Barn Boss upon payment of a chute fee with entries or in the show office. Chutes not identified with a 2019 RAWF sticker will be removed from the barns.
17. In an effort to improve traffic flow, the following restrictions have been placed on the number of chutes that an exhibitor may bring to the RAWF:
  - a. less than 3 head stabled - no chute
  - b. 3 - 6 head stabled - 1 chute
  - c. 7 or more head stabled - 2 chutes
  - d. Chute stickers must be purchased at the time of entry. All chutes must have a RAWF issued sticker visible.
  - e. Chutes must be placed in an area as directed by the Barn Manager, the Beef Cattle Superintendent or Barn Bosses.
  - f. Chutes will not be provided by the RAWF.
18. Blocking chutes found in the barn that are not identified by a 2019 RAWF sticker or are not located in a designated area will be charged a fee of \$500.00 per chute and removed/ impounded.
19. All needles/ sharps MUST be disposed of in a 'Sharps Disposal Container'. If an exhibitor does not have a 'Sharps Disposal Container,' one WILL be located for use on site, in the Livestock Superintendent Trailer. Failure to comply will result in disciplinary action.
20. A standard amount of a first bedding pack of wood bark will be provided for Beef Cattle. **NO STRAW WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE BEEF BARN.** Shavings may be used at the owner's expense. Straw is **ONLY** allowed in tie-outs.
21. A maximum of 1 head fan per 5 animals will be permitted.
22. No butt fans. Only overhead side mounted fans will be allowed.
23. Fire Marshal orders prohibit the stacking of feed and hay against the wall of the cattle barn. All feed and hay MUST BE contained within the feed aisles between stalls. Fire Marshal orders also prohibits the stacking of hay, feed & clothing on or near (no closer than 1') electrical panels. Electrical panels must remain clear of all items at all times.

## RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONTINUED)

24. All exhibitors are required to show in dress approved by the breed association while showing animals in the ring. Such apparel shall not bear any letters, marks or labels purporting to reveal the identity of the exhibitor.
25. All animals must be identified in the show ring by numbers only displayed on the backs of the exhibitors. In order for these numbers to be displayed properly, a special show harness is necessary. The numbers will be supplied at no cost to the exhibitor. No ear tags which identify the exhibitor will be allowed.
26. Tents are not permitted in the tie out area as they pose a danger and the space is required for animals.
27. Stalls will be assigned at the complete discretion of the Barn Bosses in regards to the number of entries that an exhibitor brings to the RAWF. All animals must remain tied in their barn display stalls between 7:00am & 5:30pm on Friday November 1, 2019 through to and including Monday November 4, 2019. Any exhibitors who do not tie their entries as assigned, or uses more space than designated, may be asked to leave the grounds, forfeit their entry fees and may not be welcome to exhibit at the RAWF in future years. Cooperation from everyone is required.
28. Exhibitors who wish to bring an RTV\* for their personal use must pay a \$50 fee upon entry. Proof of RTV insurance & license information will also be required. Exhibitors must park their RTV in a RAWF designated RTV parking area and display a RAWF issued parking pass at all times. From Thursday October 31 to Monday November 4, RTVs will be prohibited from the cattle barn between the hours of 7 am – 9 pm. After 9 pm, any RTV that requires charging will be allowed to do so at their pack. Manitoba Drive and the surrounding area are public roads under the jurisdiction of the City of Toronto and the Toronto Police Service. All relevant laws will apply to the operation of a motor vehicle while on roadways. \* 4-wheeler or 2-up RTV type vehicles are prohibited from use on Exhibition Place grounds – only recreational-type vehicles with four wheels and a steering wheel will be permitted.
29. The following criteria will be used to determine the winners of the Premier Exhibitor and the Premier Breeder Awards for each beef breed (sections 300–305):
- Premier Exhibitor Award:** An award is presented to the exhibitor\*\* with the most points for animals owned and shown by the exhibitor, based on their highest six (6) placings in the individual classes. All animals accumulating points for this award must be the entries of one exhibitor. Points shall be awarded as follows:  
1<sup>st</sup>–7 2<sup>nd</sup>–6 3<sup>rd</sup>–5 4<sup>th</sup>–4 5<sup>th</sup>–3 6<sup>th</sup>–2 7<sup>th</sup>–1
- Premier Breeder Award:** An award is presented to the individual or company (as recorded on the Certificate of Registration) whose animals accumulate the highest total points based on their highest six (6) placings in individual classes. To be eligible for the Premier Breeder Award, the breeder must exhibit at the show. Qualification for this award is based on Canadian rules that specify all owners at the time of conception are the breeders of the animals. Points will be awarded as follows:  
1<sup>st</sup>–7 2<sup>nd</sup>–6 3<sup>rd</sup>–5 4<sup>th</sup>–4 5<sup>th</sup>–3 6<sup>th</sup>–2 7<sup>th</sup>–1  
In the event of a tie for the Premier Breeder Award, the award shall go to whichever breeder places highest in the Breeder's Herd class.
- To be eligible for this award the exhibitor must have entered and shown in a minimum of five single classes.  
\*\*In the case of a joint ownership, the exhibitor must be specified in advance of cattle weigh-in to the official of the breed association, otherwise the joint owners will be considered as one exhibitor/entity for calculation of points.
- Note:**
1. There must be a minimum of 13 animals exhibited in a class before it will be split.
  2. Classes will be split in multiples of 12 (i.e. 1-12, 13-24, 25-36, 37-48, etc.)

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## PREMIER HERDSMAN AWARDS

### GENEROUSLY SPONSORED BY H.S. KNILL TRANSPORT

1. Open to all owner-exhibitors or herdsman in Beef Cattle Sections
2. Every owner-exhibitor or herdsman in charge of an exhibit comprised of at least four animals shall be deemed a Competitor
3. Judges will inspect the exhibits several times daily between 8:00 am and 9:00 pm throughout the RAWF
4. Points will be awarded as follows:

Neatness of the exhibit and the surrounding area	30
Appearance of the animals at all times but particularly on non-show days	30
Attractiveness of signs and the display area	10
Initiative and courtesy displayed by the contestant in dealing with the public and fellow exhibitors (including RAWF staff)	30
<hr/> Total	<hr/> 100

Awarded at the start of the Masterfeeds Beef Supreme Championship Sunday November 3, 2019  
in the Semex Ring of Excellence

## THE ELITE BEEF BREEDS SALE

Saturday November 2, 2019 6:30 pm

Semex Ring of Excellence

Managed by T Bar C Cattle Co.