



## FEES

Entry Fee, **\$20.00 per head (Longhorns \$25)**, including nurse cows will be charged and must be paid when entries are made. Bark bedding will be used. **DO NOT RESERVE SPACE FOR TACK STALLS. TACK STALLS WILL BE ASSIGNED BY SUPERINTENDENTS.**

**Grooming chutes, grooming stands, and/or any additional equipment must be paid for through the Entry Department.**

**STALL SPACE WILL BE ASSIGNED ON THE TOTAL NUMBER OF HEAD BROUGHT TO THE FAIR, NOT THE NUMBER ENTERED. SUPERINTENDENTS WILL MAKE ADJUSTMENTS AT CHECK-IN.**

### Rules:

1. Additional premiums MAY be added to classes with more entries than premiums listed. Quality Permitting.
2. Any exhibitor who requests either a late arrival time or an early dismissal must make such a request in writing to: Competitive Exhibits, PO Drawer 986, Lewisburg, WV 24901. All such requests will be handled on an individual basis.
3. Special outside tie-out space will be provided and animals will not be allowed to be tied to the outside fence at any time. Stock trailers must be parked in designated areas, outside of the Main Fairgrounds.
4. **PLEASE REFER TO HEALTH REGULATIONS.**
5. **REGISTRATION: Entries in Dept. B must be registered in the National Herd Book of the Breed. Registration certificates will be checked against tattoos by the Superintendents, and any discrepancies found will be barred from showing.**
6. In case of sickness of any cattle that appear to be in an unhealthy condition, the SFVW reserves the right to have them isolated.
7. The date of birth shown on the registration certificate will determine the class in which an animal is shown.
8. NO EXHIBITORS SHALL BE PERMITTED TO WIN MORE THAN TWO (2) PREMIUM MONIES IN ANY ONE CLASS.
9. **Please attach a copy of registration papers with entry forms. For entries made online registration forms may be emailed to [entries@statefairfww.com](mailto:entries@statefairfww.com)**
10. **ALL BULLS MUST HAVE NOSE RING TO SHOW!!**
11. **All grooming chutes, grooming stands, and/or any additional equipment MUST be entered on the State Fair of West Virginia entry form. Any equipment that is not registered will not be allowed. Chutes are allowed in TACK SPACE ONLY.**



# SOUTHERN STATES

Farmer owned since 1923.

**Division 1 - ABERDEEN ANGUS**  
**Tuesday, August 15, 2017, 9:00 a.m.**  
**Southern States Livestock Arena**

Point Recognition Show

**Participation Statement**

- The American Angus Association<sup>®</sup>, 3201 Frederick Avenue, St. Joseph, Mo., will participate in premiums offered for open class Angus breeding cattle classes according to the premium schedule based on the number of head shown. The premium assistance provided by the American Angus Association for participation in this show is in addition to the premiums offered by the show itself. The premium assistance should not be used to offset show expense and shall be included in the premium payments distributed by the show to the exhibitors.
- A minimum of 50 head must be shown in the open class division to receive American Angus Association premium participation for the following year. Premiums from the Association are paid only to registered Angus cattle and only if the registration number is a part of the show report provided to the Association. Therefore, all cattle should be registered at the time of entry to make certain they receive the Association's portion of premiums. The Association does not pay on championship or any group classes, (i.e. get-of-sire, junior get-of-sire or breeder six-head).
- Exhibitors must have the original registration certificate issued by the American Angus Association available for inspection at the show for each animal or another current proof of ownership issued by the American Angus Association pedigree look up. Any animal, upon check-in, which does not have a legible permanent identification mark (ear tattoo marks, freeze-branded marks or hot-branded marks) corresponding to the permanent identification mark on the registration certificate, is ineligible to show. Once disqualified due to an incorrect or illegible permanent identification mark, animals cannot be re-identified (tattooed/branded) and rechecked at the show.
- Any female shown with a calf at side: the calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf, and the calf must be registered by show day and have proof of registration at check in.
- Only one person at a time shall lead an animal into the show ring.

*Exhibitors who participate in shows that accept premium monies contributed by the American Angus Association are subject to the Association Rules as found in the Breeders Reference Guide of the Association. These rules are found in Part 2; Association Rules. The rules relating directly with the exhibition of Angus cattle are Part 2: Association Rules; Rule 800 Series; including Rule 800 - 810. These rules can be found at [www.angus.org](http://www.angus.org).*

- Altering the conformation and/or appearance of an animal for exhibition is prohibited. This includes the covering of white skin, false tail heads (or use of any false hair), with the exception of false tail switches. The use of graphite, powders, hemp or other similar substances used externally are also prohibited. Other prohibited products include those used internally such as steroids, illegal or unlicensed pharmaceuticals or artificial filling. Any animal found to be in violation will be barred from showing.
- At any show for which the American Angus Association appropriates funds toward the payment of premiums, no exhibitors, individuals assisting exhibitors or member owners at such show shall be allowed to use any coloring agents, on any animal exhibited. The Association may adopt and implement various tests designed to monitor this prohibition, including but not limited to a “white towel” or “white glove” test. No aerosol cans or other pressurized containers will be allowed in designated line up areas. All animals exhibited are subject to DNA marker or blood type test to verify accuracy of parentage as covered under the Association Rules and for other testing as required by the individual show.
- Authorized representatives of the Association have the authority to enforce the rules set forth herein as well as in the Association Rules, including the barring of a registered animal from a livestock show at which it is to be shown, if there are reasonable grounds to believe a violation has occurred.

***Open Show American Angus Association Show Classifications for Angus***  
***THIS CLASSIFICATION IS EFFECTIVE FOR SHOWS FROM***  
***JULY 16, 2017 TO DECEMBER 31, 2017***

Only registered Angus Cattle that meet the age requirements listed within this classification are eligible to receive premium participation and be counted in the total number of head shown — Champion and Reserve Champion placing's are not counted in the number of head shown.

**FEMALE CLASSES**

**Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)**

Premiums listed include Association Support

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>6th</u>
\$84	\$74	\$65	\$56	\$52	\$49

**Any female that qualifies for female classes in the Association’s standard classifications are not eligible to show in the Cow/Calf Classes. However, the calf at the side of the female is eligible to show in its respective class.**

1. Cow/Calf Class: Cows three (3) years of age and younger, cows must be born January 1, 2014, through August 31, 2015. Calf must be the cow’s most recent natural born calf and be no more that 280 days of age on the day of the show.
2. Cow/Calf Class: Cows four (4) years of age and older, cows must be born December 31, 2013, or earlier. Calf must be the cow’s most recent natural born calf and be no more that 280 days of age on the day of the show.
3. **GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR** (winners from classes 1-2) - Rosette
4. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR** - Rosette

Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Cow/Calf Pairs do not show for Grand Champion Female and are ineligible to compete in the Get-of-Sire, Junior Get-of-Sire and Breeder's Six-Head classes.

5. Junior Heifer Claves, calved March 1, 2017 and after
6. Junior Heifer Claves, calved February 2017
7. Junior Heifer Claves, calved January 2017
8. **JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION** (Classes 5-7) - Rosette
9. **RESERVE JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
10. Late Senior Heifer Calves, calved November and December 2016
11. Early Senior Heifer Calves, calved September and October 2016
12. **SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION** (Classes 10-11) - Rosette
13. **RESERVE SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
14. Late Summer Yearling Heifers, calved July and August 2016
15. Early Summer Yearling Heifers, calved May and June 2016
16. **INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION** (Classes 14-15) - Rosette
17. **RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION** - Rosette
18. April Junior Yearling Heifers, calved April 2016
19. March Junior Yearling Heifers, calved March 2016
20. Early Junior Yearling Heifers, calved February 2016
21. Early Junior Yearling Heifers, calved January 2016
22. **JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** (Classes 18-21) - Rosette
23. **RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
24. Late Senior Yearling Heifers, calved November and December 2015
25. Early Senior Yearling Heifers, calved September and October 2015
26. **SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** (Classes 24-25) - Rosette
27. **RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
28. **GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE** (All Champions Competing) - Banner
29. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE** - (Champions and Reserve Champions Competing) - Banner

## BULL CLASSES

### Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)

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<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$84	\$74	\$65	\$56

30. Junior Bull Calves, calved March 1, 2017 and after
  31. Junior Bull Calves, calved January and February 2017
  32. **JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION** (Classes 30-31) - Rosette
  33. **RESERVE JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
  34. Late Senior Bull Calves, calved November and December 2016
  35. Early Senior Bull Calves, calved September and October 2016
  36. **SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION** (Classes 34-35) - Rosette
  37. **RESERVE SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
  38. Late Summer Yearling Bulls, calved July and August 2016
  39. Early Summer Yearling Bulls, calved May and June 2016
  40. **INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL** (Classes 38-39) - Rosette
  41. **RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  42. April Junior Yearling Bulls, calved April 2016
  43. March Junior Yearling Bulls, calved March 2016
  44. Early Junior Yearling Bulls, calved January and February 2016
  45. **JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL** (Classes 42-44) - Rosette
  46. **RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  47. Senior Yearling Bulls, calved September through December 2015
  48. Summer Senior Yearling Bulls, calved May through August 2015
  49. Two-Year Old Bulls, calved January through April 2015
  50. **SENIOR CHAMPION BULL** (Classes 47-49) - Rosette
  51. **RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  52. **GRAND CHAMPION BULL - The Colonel H.B. Moore and Dr. H.B. Moore, Jr., Memorial Trophy** - Banner
  53. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL** -  
(Champions and Reserve Champions Competing) - Banner
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## GROUP CLASSES

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$84	\$74	\$65	\$56

54. Junior Get-of-Sire: Three (3) animals by one (1) sire, both sexes represented shown in classes; 5, 6, 7,10, 11, 14, 15 and 30, 31, 34, 35, 38 and 39.
55. Get-of-Sire: Four (4) animals by one (1) sire shown in the above classes, both sexes represented.
56. Breeder's Six-Head: The exhibitor of the breeder's six-head must be the breeder and first owner, identified by the same member code for the animals exhibited. Cattle owned by other exhibitors may be included provided the exhibitor of the breeder's six-head is the breeder and first owner of the included animal(s). Animals must be exhibited in individual classes. Cattle bred and owned by a junior member(s) may be included if the exhibitor of the breeder's six-head is an individual or married couple and is the parent or legal guardian of the junior member(s).

**Division 2 – HEREFORD**  
**Saturday, August 19, 2017, 9:00 a.m.**  
**Southern States Livestock Arena**

**American Hereford Association**  
**REGIONAL POINT SHOW**

**Official Hereford Classification for the 2017-2018 Show Season**

Exhibitors in Hereford classes are subject to the association's special rule on class qualification, and any animal without a legible tattoo will not be eligible for show. All Hereford animals must be officially recorded at show time to be eligible to show. Entries with registrations "Pending" or "Applied for" will be ineligible to show.

**FEMALE CLASSES**

**Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)**

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>6th</u>
<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$60</b>	<b>\$50</b>	<b>\$43</b>	<b>\$39</b>	<b>\$36</b>

1. Cow/Calf: Any female older then the below ages with a calf at side. Calf older the 270 days of age on the show date is not eligible to show in cow/ calf class. If the cow is horned and the calf polled, then the pair shows in the horned cow/calf class, and if the cow is polled and the calf is horned, then the pair shows in the polled cow/calf class. Calf is eligible for individual classes but must be entered in the appropriate class. Cow/calf does not compete foe overall champion female.
2. **CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR** - Rosette
3. **RESERVE CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR** - Rosette
4. Spring Heifer Calves, calved March 1 to June 30.
5. Junior Heifer Calves, calved January 1 to February 28.
6. **CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER CALF** - Rosette
7. **RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER CALF** - Rosette
8. Senior Heifer Calves, calved November 1 to December 31.
9. Senior Heifer Calves, calved August 1 to October 31.
10. **CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER CALF** - Rosette
11. **RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER CALF** - Rosette
12. Late Summer Yearling Females, calved June 16 to July 31.
13. Early Summer Yearling Females, calved May 1 to June 15.
14. **CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE YEARLING FEMALE** - Rosette
15. **RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE YEARLING FEMALE** - Rosette
16. Spring Yearling Females, calved March 1 to April 30.
17. **CHAMPION SPRING YEARLING FEMALE** - Rosette
18. **RESERVE CHAMPION SPRING YEARLING FEMALE** - Rosette
19. Junior Yearling Females, calved January 1 to February 29.
20. **CHAMPION JUNIOR YEARLING FEMALE** - Rosette
21. **RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR YEARLING FEMALE** - Rosette

- 22. Senior Yearling Females, calves August 1 to December 31.
- 23. **CHAMPION SENIOR YEARLING FEMALE** - Rosette
- 24. **RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR YEARLING FEMALE** – Rosette
- 25. **GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
- 26. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette

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**BULL CLASSES**

**Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)**

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$60</b>	<b>\$50</b>	<b>\$43</b>

- 27. Spring Bull Calves, calved March 1 to June 30.
- 28. Junior Bull Calves, calved January 1 to February 28.
- 29. **CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL CALF** - Rosette
- 30. **RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL CALF** - Rosette
- 31. Senior Bull Calves, calved November 1 to December 31.
- 32. Senior Bull Calves, August 1 to October 31.
- 33. **CHAMPION SENIOR BULL CALF** - Rosette
- 34. **RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL CALF** - Rosette
- 35. Late Summer Yearling Bulls, calved June 16 to July 31.
- 36. Early Summer Yearling Bulls, calved May 1 to June 15.
- 37. **CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE BULL** - Rosette
- 38. **RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE BULL** - Rosette
- 39. Spring Yearling Bulls, calved March 1 to April 30.
- 40. Junior Yearling Bulls, calved January 1 to February 29.
- 41. **CHAMPION YEARLING BULL** - Rosette
- 42. **RESERVE CHAMPION YEARLING BULL** - Rosette
- 43. Senior Yearling Bulls, calved August 1 to December 31.
- 44. Two-Year Old Bulls, calved January 1 to July 31.
- 45. **CHAMPION SENIOR BULL** - Rosette
- 46. **RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL** - Rosette
- 47. **GRAND CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
- 48. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette



### GROUP CLASSES

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$60</b>	<b>\$50</b>	<b>\$43</b>

49. Get-of-Sire - Four (4) animals shown in above single entry classes with both sexes represented and all to be the progeny of one sire. It is permissible to use either the cow or calf from a cow/calf pair. May be comprised of animals from one or more owners.
50. Best Six Head - Owned by the exhibitor. All animals must have been shown in their respective single entry classes and they must be owned by the exhibitor or by a member of his/her immediate family. A cow/calf will be considered as two head. Best six head may be comprised of both horned and polled animals.
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### PREMIER EXHIBITOR/BREEDER

51. **PREMIER EXHIBITOR** - Awarded with the following point system:  
1st place = 5 points; 2nd place = 4 points; 3rd place = 3 points;  
4th place = 2 points; and 5th place = 1 point. No points will be given for champions. Points will be awarded for the Best Six-Head.  
Premier Exhibitor - Banner. No premium monies given.
52. **PREMIER BREEDER** - Awarded with the following point system:  
1st place = 5 points; 2nd place = 4 points; 3rd place = 3 points;  
4th place = 2 points; and 5th place = 1 point. No points will be given for champions. Points will be awarded for the Best Six-Head.  
Premier Breeder - Banner. No premium monies given.

**Division 3 – SHORTHORN**  
**Friday, August 18, 2017, 9:00 a.m.**  
**Southern States Livestock Arena**

- **All cattle must be purebred and have an original American Shorthorn Association registration paper to be eligible to show.**
- The Fair must adhere to these Show Classifications regardless of entry numbers. Age divisions are **not** flexible.
- No exhibitor shall be permitted to win more than two (2) prizes in any one class.
- All animals must be registered as the property of the exhibitor in the records of the ASA by the time of the Fair or Show.
- Animals in a Junior Show may only be in the sole name of the individual exhibitor.
- Individual animals shown in all of the group classes listed below must have been entered and shown in one of the following classes for single animals. Multiple owned animals must be exhibited in the name of all owners. Family bred and raised animals entered by juniors in Junior Classes and subsequently entered in Open Classes may be treated as family entries in group classes.
- **All Shows held on or after October 1st** of the show year must have Late and Early Spring Calf Championships added to the Division Championships, and seven Champions will be available for consideration for Grand Champion Awards.
- All Shorthorns are subject to a tattoo inspection by show officials. All Shorthorns and Polled Shorthorns are also subject to an age inspection if deemed necessary and the decision of the examining veterinarian is final. Use of artificial fins on show animals is not permitted.

**FEMALE CLASSES**

**Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)**

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>6th</u>
<b>\$89</b>	<b>\$78</b>	<b>\$67</b>	<b>\$58</b>	<b>\$54</b>	<b>\$50</b>

1. Late Spring Heifer Calves, calved after May 1, 2017
2. **LATE SPRING HEIFER CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
3. **LATE SPRING HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette
4. Early Spring Heifer Calves, calved in April 2017
5. Early Spring Heifer Calves, calved in March 2017
6. **EARLY SPRING HEIFER CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
7. **EARLY SPRING HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette
8. Junior Heifer Calves, calved in February 2017
9. Junior Heifer Calves, calved in January 2017
10. **JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
11. **JUNIOR HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette

12. Winter Heifer Calves, calved between November 1 and December 31, 2016
13. Senior Heifer Calves, calved between September 1 and October 31, 2016
14. **SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
15. **SENIOR HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette
16. Summer Yearling Females, calved between July 1 and August 31, 2016
17. Late Spring Yearling Females, calved between May 1 and June 30, 2016
18. **INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
19. **RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
20. Early Spring Yearling Females, calved between March 1 and April 30, 2016
21. **JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
22. **RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
23. Junior Yearling Females, calved between January 1 and February 28, 2016
24. Senior Yearling Females, calved between Sept. 1 and Dec. 31, 2015
25. **SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
26. **RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
27. Two-Year Old Cow/Calf Class: Cows born between January 1, 2015 and August 31, 2015
28. Three-Four Year Old Cow/Calf Class: Cows born between January 1, 2013 and December 31, 2014

**\*Both Cow and Calf Must be Purebred Shorthorn, calf age may not exceed 280 days on show day.\***

29. **CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR** - Rosette
30. **RESERVE CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR** - Rosette
31. **GRAND CHAMPION SHORTHORN FEMALE** - Banner
32. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION SHORTHORN FEMALE** - Banner
33. Group of Two Females - **bred and owned or co-owned** by the breeder (exhibitor). (Four monies only)

***Senior/Junior Yearling Pregnancy Rule for exhibitors at all Open Shows:***

*If a Purebred Female has a Shorthorn Plus calf at side, it is not eligible for the Purebred Shorthorn Show, however it is eligible for the Shorthorn Plus show. All females 20 months old at the time of the show need to have a 60 day pregnancy verification signed by an accredited, non-owner veterinarian at the time the female is processed for the show and are subject to a blood test to prove pregnancy. Exhibitors may be asked to present said verification upon request of the Show Officials or ASA representatives. If verification cannot be produced, the female may be allowed to participate if the exhibitor can produce a qualified veterinarian to examine the female at the show site, and verify a 60 day pregnancy. Any infractions against this rule will lead to disqualification of that animal for that specific show.*

### BULL CLASSES

Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$89	\$78	\$67	\$58

34. Late Spring Bull Calves, calved after May 1, 2017
  35. **LATE SPRING BULL CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
  36. **LATE SPRING BULL CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette
  37. Early Spring Bull Calves, calved between March 1 and April 30, 2017
  38. **EARLY SPRING BULL CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
  39. **EARLY SPRING BULL CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette
  40. Junior Bull Calves, calved between January 1 and February 29, 2017
  41. **JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
  42. **JUNIOR BULL CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette
  43. Winter Bull Calves, calved between November 1 and December 31, 2016
  44. Senior Bull Calves, calved between September 1 and October 31, 2016
  45. **SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
  46. **SENIOR BULL CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette
  47. Summer Yearling Bulls, calved between July 1 and August 31, 2016
  48. Late Spring Yearling Bulls, calved between May 1 and June 30, 2016
  49. **INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  50. **RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  51. Early Spring Yearling Bulls, calved between March 1 and April 30, 2016
  52. Junior Yearling Bulls, calved between January 1 and February 28, 2016
  53. **JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  54. **RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  55. Senior Yearling Bull, calved between July 1 and December 31, 2015
  56. Two-Year-Old Bulls, calved between January 1 and June 30, 2015
  57. **SENIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  58. **RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  59. **GRAND CHAMPION BULL** - Banner
  60. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL** - Banner
  61. Group of Two Bulls: **Bred and Owned or Co-Owned** by the breeder (exhibitor).
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### GROUP CLASSES

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
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62. Super Cow Class: Class should consist of two (2) offspring of **either or same** sex of show age classification. Offspring **do not** need to be owned by the same exhibitor. No more than one paid from each cow can win a prize in the class.
63. Get-of-Sire Class: Class should consist of three (3) offspring of **either or same** sex of any age from the same sire. Offspring **do not** need to be owned by the same exhibitor. No more than one group from each sire can win a prize in the class.
64. Breeders Herd: **Owned or Co-Owned** by the exhibitor or working family,

**Division 3A – SHORTHORN PLUS**  
**Friday, August 18, 2017**  
**Southern States Livestock Arena**

- All Cattle must be registered Shorthorn Plus (green paper). Shorthorn Plus animals must be 50% Shorthorn blood concentration or higher to be eligible for Shorthorn Plus shows.
- The Fair must adhere to these Shoe Classifications regardless of entry numbers. Age divisions (i.e. Junior Calf, Senior Calf, Junior, Senior) are not flexible.
- No exhibitor shall be permitted to win more than two (2) prizes in any one class.
- All animals must be registered as the property of the exhibitor in the records of the American Shorthorn Association by the time of the Fair or Show. Please refer to specific show guidelines for a junior show ownership deadline.
- Animals in a Junior Show may only be in the sole name of the individual exhibitor.
- Individual animals shown in all of the group classes listed below must have been entered and shown in one of the following classes for single animals. Multiple owned animals must be exhibited in the name of all owners. Family bred and raised animals entered by juniors in Junior Classes and subsequently entered in Open classes may be treated as family entries in group classes.
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6. **EARLY SPRING HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette
7. Junior Heifer Calves, calved between January 1 and February 29, 2017
8. **JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
9. **JUNIOR HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette

10. Winter Heifer Calves, calved between November 1 and December 31, 2016
  11. Senior Heifer Calves, calved between September 1 and October 31, 2016
  12. **SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
  13. **SENIOR HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette
  14. Summer Yearling Females, calved between July 1 and August 31, 2016
  15. Late Spring Yearling Females, calved between May 1 and June 30, 2016
  16. **INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
  17. **RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
  18. Early Spring Yearling Females, calved between March 1 and April 30, 2016
  19. **JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
  20. **RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
  21. Junior Yearling Females, calved between January 1 and February 28, 2016
  22. Senior Yearling Females, calved between September 1 and December 31, 2016
  23. **SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
  24. **RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
  25. Two-Year Old Cow/Calf Class, cows born between January 1, 2015 and August 31, 2015
  26. Three-Four Year Old Cow/Calf Class, cows born between January 1, 2013 and December 31, 2014
- Cow or calf must be Shorthorn Plus 50% or higher - Calf age may not exceed 280 days of age on show day.
27. **CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR** - Rosette
  28. **RESERVE CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR** - Rosette
  29. **GRAND CHAMPION SHORTHORN FEMALE** - Banner
  30. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION SHORTHORN FEMALE** - Banner
  31. Group of Two Females, bred and owned or co-owned by the breeder (exhibitor).

***Senior/Junior Yearling Pregnancy Rule for exhibitors at all Open Shows:***

*If a Purebred Female has a Shorthorn Plus calf at side, it is not eligible for the Purebred Shorthorn Show, however it is eligible for the Shorthorn Plus show. All females 20 months old at the time of the show need to have a 60 day pregnancy verification signed by an accredited, non-owner veterinarian at the time the female is processed for the show and are subject to a blood test to prove pregnancy. Exhibitors may be asked to present said verification upon request of the Show Officials or ASA representatives. If verification cannot be produced, the female may be allowed to participate if the exhibitor can produce a qualified veterinarian to examine the female at the show site, and verify a 60 day pregnancy. Any infractions against this rule will lead to disqualification of that animal for that specific show.*

### BULL CLASSES

#### Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$89	\$78	\$67	\$58

32. Late Spring Bull Calves, calved after May 1, 2017
33. **LATE SPRING BULL CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
34. **LATE SPRING BULL CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette
35. Early Spring Bull Calves, calved between March 1 and April 30, 2017
36. **EARLY SPRING BULL CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
37. **EARLY SPRING BULL CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette
38. Junior Bull Calves, calved between January 1 and February 29, 2017
39. **JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
40. **JUNIOR BULL CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette
41. Winter Bull Calves, calved between November 1 and December 31, 2016
42. Senior Bull Calves, calved between September 1 and October 31, 2016
43. **SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION** - Rosette
44. **SENIOR BULL CALF RESERVE CHAMPION** - Rosette
45. Summer Yearling Bulls, calved between July 1 and August 31, 2016
46. Late Spring Yearling Bulls, calved between May 1 and June 30, 2016
47. **INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
48. **RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
49. Early Spring Yearling Bulls, calved between March 1 and April 30, 2016
50. Junior Yearling Bulls, calved between January 1 and February 28, 2016
51. **JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
52. **RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
53. Senior Yearling Bull, calved between July 1 and December 31, 2015
54. Two-Year Old Bulls, calved between January 1 and June 30, 2015
55. **SENIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
56. **RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
57. **GRAND CHAMPION BULL** - Banner
58. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL** - Banner
59. Group of Two Bulls, bred and owned or co-owned by the breeder (exhibitor).

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### GROUP CLASSES

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$89	\$78	\$67	\$58

60. Super Cow Class: Class should consist of two (2) offspring of **either or same** sex of show age classification. Offspring **do not** need to be owned by the same exhibitor. No more than one paid from each cow can win a prize in the class.
61. Get-of-Sire Class: Class should consist of three (3) offspring of **either or same** sex of any age from the same sire. Offspring **do not** need to be owned by the same exhibitor. No more than one group from each sire can win a prize in the class.
62. Breeders Herd: **Owned or Co-Owned** by the exhibitor or working family.<sup>30</sup>

**Division 4 - CHAROLAIS**  
**Wednesday, August 16, 2017, 11:00 a.m.**  
**Southern States Livestock Arena**

**2017 FALL SHOW CLASSIFICATIONS**

**June 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017**

**SPECIAL RULES**

All animals to be eligible from an Open Charolais Breeding Class must be purebred and registered with the American-International Charolais Association (AICA). Only bona fide (original) certifications of registration will be accepted as evidence of registration and ownership; **NO PHOTOCOPIES.**

- An animal is eligible to enter or complete in an open Charolais breeding class if registered in country of origin outside of the United States and is eligible for purebred registry in the AICA Herd book.
- All animals to be eligible may be approved by a sifting committee designated by the AICA. Stall space will not be provided for any Charolais cattle that have not been accepted by the sifting committee.
- All animals are subject to a medical examination in order to determine age, and each animal will be present in the show ring in its natural conformation without alteration or modification. Use of artificial tail heads are not permitted.
- Any animal not having a legible tattoo or firebrand number is ineligible and will be barred from showing.
- Bulls from classes 36, 37, 40, 41, and 42 must have a valid, satisfactory semen test certificate in possession. This certificate is valid for the entire show season.
- All animals shown in individual classes must be weaned, with the exception of the Cow/Calf Class and calves at the side of females that calved after Sept. 1, 2015. Calves at side must be purebred and registered with the AICA. Females calved after Sept. 1, 2015, must show in individual female class appropriate to age. Nurse cows are not permitted.
- All females 20 months and older exhibited at AICA sanctioned shows must be accompanied by a certificate of pregnancy from a licensed veterinarian or have produced fertile eggs as certified in a written statement by a licensed veterinarian or embryologist or have a calf at side.
- AICA requires that all animals be shown with a halter and suggest that all bulls be shown with a nose lead.
- ALL EXHIBITS OF CHAROLAIS BREEDING CATTLE SHALL BE GOVERNED BY THE AICA RULES AND REGULATIONS, ARTICLE XV, TITLED EXHIBITION OF ANIMALS. THE INSPECTION OF EXHIBIT CATTLE IS SPECIFIED IN ARTICLE XV, PARAGRAPH C, OF THE ASSOCIATION RULES AND REGULATIONS AND NON-COMPLIANCE OF EXHIBIT INSPECTION IS SPECIFIED IN PARAGRAPH D OF THE SAME ARTICLE XV.
- ARTICLE XV, PARAGRAPH B, POINT 2: "Each animal will be presented in its natural conformation and structure without alteration or modification. Alteration or modification shall be defined to include any surgical, chemical, electrical or other (including branding or other circulatory constriction) appearance change for some cosmetic purpose, save only branding, tattooing, foot trimming or dehorning. The act of artificially filling animals internally, which would include some stomach pumping, drench tubes or any other method (by esophagus) is prohibited. Anabolic steroid use shall likewise be prohibited and any animal testing positive for anabolic steroid or diuretic use shall be presumed to be altered and modified."
- **ALL RULES OF SHOW APPLY.**



Effective October 22, 2004, at any American–International Charolais Association (AICA) sanctioned show (including shows receiving AICA premium funding and/or qualifying as a Roll of Excellence Show), the use of a coloring agent, flock and powder is prohibited. Use of these products will result in the immediate disqualification of a given animal at such show.

**FEMALE CLASSES**

Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>6th</u>
\$58	\$53	\$48	\$43	\$38	\$33

1. Spring Heifer Calves, calved after March 1, 2017
2. Junior Heifer Calves, calved between January 1 and February 28, 2017
3. **JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
4. **RESERVE JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
5. Winter Heifer Calves, calved between November 1 and December 31, 2016
6. Senior Heifer Calves, calved between September 1 and October 31, 2016
7. **SENIOR CALF CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
8. **RESERVE SENIOR CALF CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
9. Late Summer Yearling Females, calved between July 1 and August 31, 2016
10. Summer Yearling Females, calved between May 1 and June 30, 2016
11. **INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
12. **RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
13. Late Spring Yearling Females, calved between April 1 and April 30, 2016
14. Early Spring Yearling Females, calved between March 1 and March 31, 2016
15. **JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
16. **RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
17. Junior Yearling Females, calved between January 1 and February 29, 2016
18. Senior Yearling Females, calved between September 1 and December 31, 2015
19. **SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
20. **RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
21. Cow/Calf Class: Calf must be cow's natural calf, not embryo transplant. Calf to be no more than 250 days of age by the day of the show. Calf must be purebred and registered with the AICA. No age restriction on cow. Calf is not eligible to compete in individual calf classes if show with dam. Pair is eligible for Grand or Reserve Grand Champion Female. Cow and/or calf may be included in group class entries as individual, not as a pair comprising a single animal unit.
22. **CHAMPION COW/CALF** - Rosette
23. **RESERVE CHAMPION COW/CALF** - Rosette
24. **GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE** - Banner
25. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE** - Banner

### BULL CLASSES

#### Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$58	\$53	\$48	\$43

26. Spring Bull Calves, calved after March 1, 2017
  27. Junior Bull Calves, calved between January 1 and February 28, 2017
  28. **JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  29. **RESERVE JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  30. Winter Bull Calves, calved between November 1 and December 31, 2016
  31. Senior Bull Calves, calved between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, 2016
  32. **SENIOR CALF CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  33. **RESERVE SENIOR CALF CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  34. Late Summer Yearling Bulls, calved between July 1 and August 31, 2016
  35. Summer Yearling Bulls, calved between May 1 and June 30, 2016
  36. **INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  37. **RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  38. Spring Yearling Bulls, calved between March 1 and April 30, 2016
  39. Junior Yearling Bulls, calved between January 1 and February 29, 2016
  40. **JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  41. **RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  42. Senior Yearling Bulls, calved between September 1 and December 31, 2015
  43. Summer Senior Yearling Bulls, calved between May 1 and August 31, 2015
  44. Two-Year-Old Bulls, calved between January 1 and April 30, 2015
  45. **SENIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  46. **RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  47. **GRAND CHAMPION BULL** - Banner
  48. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL** - Banner
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### GROUP CLASSES

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$58	\$53	\$48	\$43

49. Produce of Dam - Two (2) animals, either sex, from one dam. Must be shown in individual classes to be eligible. May be owned by more than one exhibitor.
50. Junior Get-of-Sire - Three (3) animals all by one sire, both sexes to be represented, may be owned by more than one exhibitor. All animals must be shown in individual classes to be eligible. Bulls from classes 26, 27, 30, or 31; Females from classes 1, 2, 5, or 6.
51. Get-of-Sire - Three (3) animals all by one sire, both sexes to be represented, may be owned by more than one exhibitor. All animals must be shown in individual classes to be eligible. This Get must have a minimum of two (2) animals born before September 1, 2016.
52. Breeders' Herd - Four (4) animals, either sex, bred and owned by exhibitor. All animals must be shown in individual classes to be eligible.
53. Group of Five Head - Five (5) animals of either sex owned by the exhibitor from either the Calf Classes, Junior Classes, the Senior Classes or a combination.

**Division 5 - SIMMENTAL**  
**Must be 7/8 or (87.5%) to be purebred**  
**Wednesday, August 16, 2017, 9:00 a.m.**  
**Southern States Livestock Arena**

**DIVISION 5A - PERCENTAGE SIMMENTALS**  
 Percentage will show immediately following purebreds.  
 Percentages will not show for overall Grand Champion.  
 Percentages must be a minimum of 50% and up to 7/8 and be registered  
 Percentage with Simmental Association.  
**IMPORTANT: Enter Percentages in Division 5A and use classes below.**

**RULES**

1. All animals must be registered with the American Simmental Association
2. Any animal not having a legible permanent identification corresponding to that listed on the registration certificate is ineligible to compete.
3. Exhibitors must have the animal's original ASA registration certificate or owner's copy of the animal's registration application certificate as appropriate for the animal being shown.
4. All cattle will be subject to age determination by mouthing.
5. All bulls 15 months of age and older should have a veterinary proof of semen test/ breeding soundness exam and proven as a satisfactory breeder. All bulls 12 months of age or older must be shown with a nose ring or lead. All females 18 months of age or older must be: A). Certified pregnant by a licensed non-owner veterinarian, or B). Have certification that she has been used in embryo transfer.

**FEMALE CLASSES**

**Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)**

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>6th</u>
<b>\$53</b>	<b>\$48</b>	<b>\$44</b>	<b>\$39</b>	<b>\$35</b>	<b>\$30</b>

1. Junior Heifer Calves, calved Jan. 1, 2017 and after
2. Winter Heifer Calves, calved between Nov. 1 and Dec. 31, 2016
3. Senior Heifer Calves, calved between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, 2016
4. **CHAMPION HEIFER CALF** - (Classes 1-3) - Rosette
5. **RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER CALF** - From remaining winners and the second place heifer from Champion's class - Rosette
6. Late Summer Yearling Heifer, calved between July 1 and Aug. 31, 2016
7. Early Summer Yearling Heifer, calved between May 1 and June 30, 2016
8. Late Junior Yearling Heifer, calved between March 1 and April 30, 2016
9. **CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE HEIFER** - (Classes 6-8) - Rosette
10. **RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE HEIFER** - From remaining winners and the second place heifer from Champion's class - Rosette
11. Early Junior Yearling Heifer, calved between Jan. 1 and Feb. 29, 2016
12. Senior Yearling Heifer, calved between Sept. 1 and Dec. 31, 2015
13. **SENIOR CHAMPION HEIFER** - (Classes 11-12) - Rosette
14. **SENIOR RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER** - From remaining winners and the second place heifer from the Champion's class - Rosette
15. **GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER** - Banner
16. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER** - Banner

**BULL CLASSES**

**Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)**

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
<b>\$53</b>	<b>\$48</b>	<b>\$44</b>	<b>\$39</b>

17. Junior Bull Calves, calved Jan. 1, 2017 and after
  18. Winter Bulls Calves, calved between Nov. 1 and Dec. 31, 2016
  19. Senior Bull Calves, calved between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, 2016
  20. **CHAMPION BULL CALF** - (Classes 17-19) - Rosette
  21. **RESERVE CHAMPION BULL CALF** - From remaining winners and the second place bull from the Champions Class - Rosette
  22. Late Summer Yearling Bull, calved between July 1 and Aug. 31, 2016
  23. Early Summer Yearling Bull, calved between May 1 and June 30, 2016
  24. Late Junior Yearling Bull, calved between March 1 and April 30, 2016
  25. **INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL** - (Classes 22-24) - Rosette
  26. **INTERMEDIATE RESERVE CHAMPION BULL** - From remaining winners and the second place bull from the Champion's class - Rosette
  27. Early Junior Yearling Bull, calved between Jan. 1 and Feb. 29, 2016
  28. Senior Yearling Bull, calved between Sept. 1 and Dec. 31, 2015
  29. Two-Year-Old Bull, calved between Jan. 1 and Aug. 31, 2015
  30. **SENIOR CHAMPION BULL** - (Classes 27-29) - Rosette
  31. **SENIOR RESERVE CHAMPION BULL** - From remaining winners and the second place bull from the Champion's class - Rosette
  32. **GRAND CHAMPION BULL** - Banner
  33. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL** - Banner
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**GROUP CLASSES**

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
<b>\$53</b>	<b>\$48</b>	<b>\$44</b>	<b>\$39</b>

34. Cow/Calf Class: Cow is to be in lactating stage and is to be exhibited with natural calf at side (calf may have been artificially inseminated but not a embryo transplant). Calf must be born Jan. 1, 2017 or later and must be nursing.
35. Get-of-Sire: Four (4) animals by one sire shown in the above classes, both sexes represented.
36. Junior-Get-of-Sire: Three (3) animals by one sire, both sexes represented, calved after May 1, 2015.
37. Produce of Dam: Two (2) animals, either sex, from one dam to be shown in individual classes to be eligible. Both owned by exhibitor.
38. Breeder's Herd: Four (4) animals, both sexes to be represented with a minimum of two (2) females. Must be owned or co-owned by exhibitor and exhibitor must be breeder or co-breeder. Animals must have shown in breeding classes.

**Division 6 - LIMOUSIN**  
**Thursday, August 17, 2017 , 9:00 a.m.**  
**Southern States Livestock Arena**

**LEVEL 2 MEDAL OF EXCELLENCE (MOE) SHOW**  
**North American Limousin Foundation Standard Rules and Regulations for the**  
**Exhibition of Limousin Cattle**  
**2017**

1. All animals must be registered with the North American Limousin Foundation (NALF). Embryo Transfer (ET) calves with pending registration must have parentage verification paperwork in the NALF system.
2. Animals must be 75% Limousin (NALF percentage, not actual) or greater as indicated on orange NALF registration certificates or purple-papered Lim-Flex® cattle as indicated by NALF registration certificates. Percentage, full blood, purebred and Lim-Flex® cattle shall compete in the same classes and championships.
3. Animals must be properly tattooed and will be inspected at the show. Tattoos must be legible and match the registration certificates. If an animal's tattoo is not legible and cannot be read upon check-in, it will be ineligible to show and not be allowed to return to check-in with a new or corrected tattoo.
4. To maintain a high degree of confidence in Limousin shows, NALF 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 other substances; animals may be subject to a white towel test;
  - 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 or the injection of any gas, solid or liquid under the hide to alter the normal conformation.
  - D) Any products/solutions/liquids administered internally or externally to alter the conformation of the animal is prohibited. That includes the use of steroids, growth simulants, and the act of artificially filling animals internally, which would include some stomach pumping, drench tubes or any other method.

**EXCEPTIONS:**

In the case of severely sick or 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. Bulls older than one (1) year must show with a nose lead. The Limousin show superintendent and the show management reserve the right to disqualify animals deemed unmanageable.
6. Protests against exhibitors, individual animals or fitting violations must be submitted in writing and signed by five (5) active members if the North American Limousin Foundation and presented to the show superintendent within 12 hours of the show's completion.
7. The North American Limousin Foundation reserves the right to inspect animals for dental ("mouth") development.
8. NALF reserves the right to collect hair samples from any animal.
9. Classes and championship breaks will be determined 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 older than two (2) years.
10. Calves exhibited alongside dams in the cow/calf division **are NOT eligible** to show as individuals.
11. All animals shown must be solid red or black above the flanks, excluding birth marks.
12. All cattle will be checked in before the show.
13. If a show does not abide by the NALF MOE show rules, exhibitors won't be awarded points for that show.
14. The West Virginia Limousin Association will pay 10% of the premiums offered.

#### **OTHER REQUIREMENTS**

**The following performance-data submission requirements must be met by Dec. 1 to receive Medal of Excellence points.**

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|--------------------------------------|---|
| A. Birth weight (bulls & heifers)    | D. Yearling scrotal circumference (bulls only)                                |
| B. Weaning weight (bulls & heifers)  | E. Pregnancy test<br>(females older than 60 days at seasons end)              |
| C. Yearling weight (bulls & heifers) | F. Breeding Soundness Exam and Seamen test<br>(bulls older than 400 days old) |

**NOTE:** Failure to have performance data on file at NALF by the deadline will result in disqualification from the MOE program, and no points will be awarded. It is the responsibility of the breeder/owner/exhibitor to submit that information without special request from NALF.

#### **Credibility Requirements**

To maintaining a high degree of integrity and credibility in all Limousin shows, all owners and exhibitors are expected to adhere to all NALF rules and regulations regarding the exhibition of Limousin Cattle and to adhere to rules and regulations of particular shows, fairs and exhibitions.

**Level 2 Medal of Excellence Point Distribution**

The new point distribution for Medal of Excellence shows, as introduced in 2007, will depend on the number of head exhibited at each approved MOE show (other than the four (4) major shows). Points will awarded as follows

<u>Number of Entries Shown</u>	<u>MOE Points Awarded</u>
<b>51 or more entries shown</b>	1st in class = 15 points 2nd in class = 13 points 3rd in class = 11 points 4th in class = 9 points 5th in class = 7 points 6th in class = 5 points 7th in class = 4 points 8th in class = 3 points 9th in class = 2 points 10th in class = 1 point
Division Champion/Division Reserve	15 points/12 points
Grand Champion/Reserve Grand	15 points/12 points
<b>26 to 50 entries shown</b>	1st in class = 10 points 2nd in class = 8 points 3rd in class = 6 points 4th in class = 4 points 5th in class = 2 points
Division Champion/Division Reserve	10 points/8 points
Grand Champion/Reserve Grand	10 points/8 points
<b>25 or fewer entries</b>	1st in class = 5 points 2nd in class = 4 points 3rd in class = 3 points 4th in class = 2 points 5th in class = 1 point
Division Champion/Division Reserve	5 points/3 points
Grand Champion/Reserve Grand	5 points/3 points

## FEMALE CLASSES

### Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)

Premiums listed include association support

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>6th</u>
\$50	\$45	\$40	\$35	\$30	\$25

1. Spring Heifer Calf, calved on or after March 1, 2017
2. Junior Heifer Calf, calved between Jan. 1 and Feb. 29, 2017
3. **DIVISION 1 CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
4. **DIVISION 1 RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
5. Winter Heifer Calf, calved between Nov. 1 and Dec. 31, 2016
6. Senior Heifer Calf, calved between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, 2016
7. **DIVISION 2 CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
8. **DIVISION 2 RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
9. Late Summer Yearling Female, calved between July 1 and Aug. 31, 2016
10. Summer Yearling Female, calved between May 1 and June 30, 2016
11. **DIVISION 3 CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
12. **DIVISION 3 RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
13. April Junior Yearling Female, calved between April 1 and April 30, 2016
14. March Junior Yearling Female, calved between March 1 and March 31, 2016
15. Junior Yearling Female, calved between Jan. 1 and Feb. 28, 2016
16. **DIVISION 4 CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
17. **DIVISION 4 RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
18. Late Yearling Female, calved between Nov. 1 and Dec. 31, 2015
19. Fall Yearling Female, calved between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, 2015
20. Summer Senior Yearling Female, calved between July 1 and Aug. 31, 2015
21. **DIVISION 5 CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
22. **DIVISION 5 RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE** - Rosette
23. **GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE** (Division 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5) - Banner
24. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE** (Division 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5) - Banner
25. Cow/Calf Pair: Cows must be purple-papered Lim-Flex animals or at least 75 percent Limousin blood with natural calves at side. Calves must be registered Limousin, percentage Limousin or Lim-Flex animals and not more than 250 days old on the show date. The class may be broken into two (2) or more classes at the show staff's discretion.
26. **GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF** - Banner
27. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF** - Banner



## BULL CLASSES

### Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)

Premiums listed include association support

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$50	\$45	\$40	\$35

26. Spring Bull Calf, calved on or after March 1, 2017
  27. Junior Bull Calf, calved between Jan. 1 and Feb. 29, 2017
  28. **DIVISION 1 CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  29. **DIVISION 1 RESERVE CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  30. Winter Bull Calf, calved between Nov. 1 and Dec. 31, 2016
  31. Senior Bull Calf, calved between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, 2016
  32. **DIVISION 2 CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  33. **DIVISION 2 RESERVE CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  34. Late Summer Yearling Bull, calved between July 1 and Aug. 31, 2016
  35. Summer Yearling Bull, calved between May 1 and June 30, 2016
  36. **DIVISION 3 CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  37. **DIVISION 3 RESERVE CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  38. Spring Yearling Bull, calved between March 1 and April 30, 2016
  39. Junior Yearling Bull, calved between Jan. 1 and Feb. 28, 2016
  40. **DIVISION 4 CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  41. **DIVISION 4 RESERVE CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  42. Senior Yearling Bull, calved between Sept. 1 and Dec. 31, 2015
  43. Senior Yearling Bull, calved between May 1 and Aug. 31, 2015
  44. Two-Year Old Bull, calved between Jan. 1 and April 30, 2015
  45. **DIVISION 5 CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  46. **DIVISION 5 RESERVE CHAMPION BULL** - Rosette
  47. **GRAND CHAMPION BULL** (Divisions 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5) - Banner
  48. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL** (Divisions 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5) - Banner
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### Group Classes

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$50	\$45	\$40	\$35

49. Produce-of-Dam: Two (2) head shown in individual classes produced by one dam. May be owned by different exhibitors. Both sexes may be represented.
50. Junior Get-of-Sire: Three (3) head shown in individual classes, calved on or after Sept. 1, 2015, and produced by one sire. May be owned by different exhibitors. Both sexes may be represented.
51. Senior Get-of-Sire: Four (4) head shown in individual classes; at any age; and produced by one sire. May be owned by different exhibitors. Both sexes may be represented.
52. Breeders' Best Five Head: Five (5) head shown in individual classes of any age. Must be bred and owned or co-owned by a single exhibitor. Both sexes may be represented.

**Division 7 - Open Feeder Steer Show  
Sunday, August 13, 2017, 1:00 p.m.  
Southern States Livestock Arena**

Open and junior feeder steers will show separately. Junior exhibitors **cannot** show in both junior and open feeder steer shows. Junior exhibitors must choose to show in the junior or open show.

All steers will be weighed at the time of check-in. All steers must be born after Jan. 1, 2017, weaned before the show and weigh between 350-650 pounds. All steers must be properly dehorned and castrated, and must be halter-broke. Exhibitors may enter up to a maximum of five (5) head.

**NOTE: Please register all feeder steers as Dept. B, Division 7, Class 1.  
Animals will be divided by weight at the fair.**

**FEEDER STEER CLASSES**

**Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)**

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>
\$40	\$35	\$30	\$25	\$20

**Division 7A - Light Weight Steers**

**Division 7B - Medium Weight Steers**

**Division 7C - Heavy Weight Steers**

**Division 7D - Class 1: Grand Champion Feeder Steer - Banner**

**Class 2: Reserve Grand Champion Feeder Steer - Banner**

**Division 8 - Texas Longhorn**  
**Sunday, August 13, 2017, 9 a.m.**  
**Southern States Livestock Arena**

**Show Rules**

1. All cattle registered with the International Texas Longhorn Association, Cattlemen's Texas Longhorn Registry or Texas Longhorn Breeders Association of America are eligible to compete in the International Texas Longhorn Association Regional Shows. A photocopy of the registration papers must accompany the International Texas Longhorn Association entry form. **No cattle with pending registration will be accepted.** Registrations other than ITLA will be charged an extra \$5.00 and this fee will be used to dual register, if so desired. Dual registration must be decided when entries are mailed for any show. All cattle competing in the annual International Championship Show must be registered with ITLA.
2. All animals must be branded. Brand must be the owner's holding brand.
3. The ITLA's goal is to show Longhorns in their natural condition with the exception of trimming prepuce hair and trimming hooves. Exhibitors expressly prohibited from altering the physical appearance or features of any animal on the show premises. Exhibitors are encouraged to bathe and brush their cattle and present them in a neat and professional manner. **Any animal physically altered on show premise will be removed from the show by the show chairman.**
4. Calves shown at side must be on halter and be led by an exhibitor. Animals must be kept under control at all times. Should animal become unmanageable, the Judge shall have the right to remove such animal from competition and all entry fees shall be forfeited.
5. A calf shown with a cow shall not be older than 210 days of age. A calf shall be at least 180 days of age to show in individual classes. Calf at side may show only in one class as calf at side with dam or in individual class.
6. Pregnancy status and/or DOB of calf at side must appear on health certificates to confirm the eligibility of all female cattle 30 months and older entered in the show. Pregnancy status can be determined by palpation, ultrasound or blood test and reported by a licensed veterinarian or certified technician. In cases where no health certificates are required, the pregnancy status will be acceptable if reported on a letter (with letterhead identifying the facility) and signed by the veterinarian, which clearly identifies the animal(s). Any proof of pregnancy status must be dated within 30 days of the show in which the animal is entered.
7. All bulls are required to be shown with a nose lead.
8. All cattle shown must be haltered.
9. **"ITLA POINT MERIT SYSTEM FOR ITLA High Point Show Legacy"** - The ITLA will retain a permanent record of "competitively successful cattle" for special recognition, including annual lifetime awards. The ITLA membership regions may earn local merit acknowledgement as well as international year-end competitive awards. The ITLA Office will maintain documentation of winnings per Point Rating System. See ITLA Standardized Rule Book for more details.
10. **Fees** - In order to cover the cost of tabulating ITLA Merit Points and providing the Legacy Awards, \$5.00 must be included for each entry in an ITLA approved Open Show. This fee, the official show book and a copy of the show program must be sent to the ITLA Office within 10 days of the show date.

**FEMALES**

**Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)**

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>6th</u>
\$53	\$48	\$44	\$39	\$35	\$30

**JUNIOR HEIFER CLASSES**

1. Born March - April of current year (must be 180 days of age at show time.)  
This class does not have to qualify for the International Show.
2. January - February of current year
3. Born November - December of 1st preceding year
4. Born September - October of 1st preceding year
5. Born July - August if 1st preceding year
6. Born May - June of 1st preceding year
7. Born March - April 1st of preceding year
8. Born January - February of 1st preceding year
9. **CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER** - Rosette
10. **RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER** - Rosette

**Note: Females over 30 months of age must be shown with calf at side or be verified safe in calf as outlined in paragraph 8b.  
No crossbred calves may be shown at side of cows.**

**SENIOR HEIFER CLASSES**

11. Born September - December of 2nd preceding year
12. Born May - August of 2nd preceding year
13. Born January - April of 2nd preceding year
14. **CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER** - Rosette
15. **RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER** - Rosette

**JUNIOR COW CLASSES**

16. Born 3rd preceding year
17. Born 4th preceding year
18. Born 5th preceding year
19. **CHAMPION JUNIOR COW** - Rosette
20. **RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR COW** - Rosette

**SENIOR COW CLASSES**

21. Born 6th and 7th preceding year
22. Born 8th and 9th preceding year
23. Born 10th preceding year and before
24. **CHAMPION SENIOR COW** - Rosette
25. **RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR COW** - Rosette
26. **GRAND CHAMPION ALL AGE FEMALE** - Banner
27. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION ALL AGE FEMALE** - Banner

## BULLS

*(Approved classes for haltered bulls)*

### Premiums: (Except Championship Classes)

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
\$53	\$48	\$44	\$39

**Note:** All bulls will be shown haltered and must have a nose lead when shown without their dam.

### JUNIOR BULL CLASSES

28. Born March - April of current year (must be 180 days of age at show time.)  
This class does not have to qualify for the International Show.
29. Born January - February of current year
30. Born November - December of 1st preceding year
31. Born September - October of 1st preceding year
32. **CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL** - Rosette
33. **RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL** - Rosette

### INTERMEDIATE BULL CLASSES

34. Born July - August of 1st preceding year
35. Born May - June of 1st preceding year
36. Born March - April of 1st preceding year
37. Born January - February of 1st preceding year
38. Born September - December of 2nd preceding year
39. **CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE BULL** - Rosette
40. **RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE BULL** - Rosette

### SENIOR BULL CLASSES

41. Born May - August of 2nd preceding year
  42. Born January - April of 2nd preceding year
  43. Born May - December of 3rd preceding year
  44. **CHAMPION SENIOR BULL** - Rosette
  45. **RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL** - Rosette
  46. **GRAND CHAMPION ALL AGE BULL** - Banner
  47. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION ALL AGE BULL** - Banner
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## STEERS

*(Approved classes for both haltered and non-haltered steers.)*

### JUNIOR STEER CLASSES

48. Current year. (must be 180 days of age at show time.) This classes does not have to qualify for the International Show
49. Born July - December of 1st preceding year
50. Born January - June of 1st preceding year
51. Born July - December of 2nd preceding year
52. Born January - June of 2nd preceding year
53. Born January - December of 3rd preceding year
54. **CHAMPION JUNIOR STEER** - Rosette
55. **RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR STEER** - Rosette

### SENIOR STEER CLASSES

56. Born January - December 4th preceding year
57. Born January - December 5th preceding year
58. Born January - December 6th preceding year
59. All steers born the 7th preceding year and before
60. **CHAMPION SENIOR STEER** - Rosette
61. **RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR STEER** - Rosette
62. **GRAND CHAMPION ALL AGE STEER** - Banner
63. **RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION ALL AGE STEER** - Banner

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### GROUP CLASSES

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
<b>\$53</b>	<b>\$48</b>	<b>\$44</b>	<b>\$39</b>

40. Produce-of-Dam - Two or more animals from the same dam, any sex.  
Natural birth only - calves resulting from Embryo Transfer will not be eligible to compete in this class.

41. Get-of-Sire - Three or more animals by the same sire, any sex

*Group classes will be shown at halter. All animals must be at least 180 days old. These will be point classes, with a high point award given at the end of the year to the respective animal's owner.*

### Best Dressed Cow Contest

All Dairy and Beef Exhibitors are invited to compete in the Best-Dressed Cow Pageant. Simply dress your cow, steer or heifer in any creative way you want which demonstrates the fair's theme "Start Your Traditions"

<u>Prizes</u>		
<b>1st - \$65</b>	<b>2nd - \$55</b>	<b>3rd - \$45</b>

#### Rules:

1. The contest will begin at 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, August 16. Exhibitors must be in the Southern States Livestock Arena with their cow and all decorations they plan to use.
2. Exhibitors will have 10 minutes to decorate their cow.
3. After cows/animals are attired, they will parade them around the ring for the audience to see.
4. Exhibitor may have the assistance of one or more helpers to decorate their cow and more than one person made lead the cow around the ring.
5. Exhibitors may decorate their animal in any way they desire as long as it is not considered harmful to the animal or potentially harmful to other competitors.

***See Page 50 for entry instructions.***