

Open Limousin Show - Division 204

Entry Form Registration Deadline - February 9, 2012

Arrival Date - March 21, 2012 from 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the World of Agriculture.

Show Date - March 22, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. in the Ag Arena.

Release Date - March 23, 2012 from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. in the World of Agriculture.

Rules:

1. Animals must be registered with the North American Limousin Foundation (NALF).
2. Animals must be Purebred, Fullblood or 75% Limousin (NALF percentage, not actual) or greater as indicated on NALF registration certificates. The 75% can be purple papered. "Percentage", "Purebred" and Fullblood cattle shall compete in the same classes and championships.
3. If a show does not abide by the NALF MOE show rules exhibitors will not be awarded points for that show.
4. 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 or cannot be read upon initial processing, it will be ineligible to show and not be allowed to return with a new or corrected tattoo.
5. 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, 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 tail heads 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 or liquids administered internally or externally to alter the conformation of the animal is prohibited. That includes the use of steroids, growth stimulants and the act of artificially filling animals internally, which would include stomach pumping, drench tubes or any other method.
EXCEPTION: 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 or a NALF representative. That exception is not applicable on show day or weigh in/ check-in day.
6. 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.
7. Protests against exhibitors, individual animals or fitting violations must be submitted in writing, signed by five (5) active members of the NALF and presented to the show superintendent within 12 hours of the show's completion.
8. NALF reserves the right to mouth animals for dental development.
9. NALF reserves the right to collect hair samples from any animal.

10. Class size shall be to the discretion of the show superintendent and may not contain more than 20 head. The given classes may be split or combined only within their given division.
11. Calves exhibited alongside dams in the cow-calf division are not eligible to show as individuals.
12. Animals shown must be solid red or black above the flanks, excluding birth marks.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

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

- a. Birth weight (bulls and heifers)
- b. Weaning weight (bulls and heifers)
- c. Yearling weight (bulls and heifers)
- d. Yearling scrotal circumference
- e. Pregnancy test (females older than 600 days at season's end)
- f. Breeding Soundness Exam and semen test (bulls older than 400 days)

NOTE: Failure to have performance data on file at NALF 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 requests from NALF.

Credibility Requirement:

To maintain 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.

Premiums:

1st Place	\$100.00
2nd Place	90.00
3rd Place	80.00
4th Place	70.00
5th Place	60.00
6th Place thru 10th Place.....	50.00

Premiums - Classes 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 15, 19, 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, 32, 33, 34, 37, 38, 41, 42, 45, 46, 47, 52, 53, 54, 55

Grand Champion - Classes 25 and 50	\$250.00 and Award
Reserve Champion - Classes 26 and 51.....	150.00 and Award
Division Champion	
Classes 4, 9, 13, 17, 23, 30, 35, 39, 43, 48	100.00 and Award
Reserve Division Champion	
Classes 5, 10, 14, 18, 24, 31, 36, 40, 44, 49	75.00 and Award

Female Classes:

- Class 1 - Junior Heifer Calf, calved on or after November 1, 2011
 - Class 2 - Early Junior Heifer Calf, calved between September 1 and October 31, 2011
 - Class 3 - Late Junior Heifer Calf, calved between July 1 and August 31, 2011
 - Class 4 - DIVISION I CHAMPION FEMALE
 - Class 5 - DIVISION I RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE
 - Class 6 - Senior Heifer Calf, calved between May 1 and June 30, 2011
 - Class 7 - April Junior Yearling Female calved between April 1 and April 30, 2011
 - Class 8 - March Junior Yearling Female calved between March 1 and March 31, 2011
 - Class 9 - DIVISION II CHAMPION FEMALE
 - Class 10 - DIVISION II RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE
 - Class 11 - Junior Yearling Female calved between January 1 and February 28, 2011
 - Class 12 - Late Yearling Female calved between November 1 and December 31, 2010
 - Class 13 - DIVISION III CHAMPION FEMALE
 - Class 14 - DIVISION III RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE
 - Class 15 - Fall Yearling Female calved between September 1 and October 31, 2010
 - Class 16 - Summer Senior Yearling Female calved between July 1 and August 31, 2010
 - Class 17 - DIVISION IV CHAMPION FEMALE
 - Class 18 - DIVISION IV RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE
 - Class 19 - Senior Yearling Female calved between May 1 and June 30, 2010
 - Class 20 - Spring Yearling Female calved between March 1 and April 30, 2010
 - Class 21 - Early Senior Yearling Female calved between January 1 and February 28, 2010
 - Class 22 - Cow/Calf Pair: Cows must be purple-papered Lim-Flex or at least 75% (3/4) Limousin with natural calf at side. Calf must be registered Limousin, percentage Limousin or Lim-Flex and not more than 250 days old on date of show. Class may be broken into two or more classes at the discretion of show staff.
 - Class 23 - DIVISION V CHAMPION FEMALE
 - Class 24 - DIVISION V RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE
 - Class 25 - GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE
 - Class 26 - RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE
- Division I, II, III, IV, V (Champion & Reserve Champion Division's competing)

Bull Classes:

- Class 27 - Junior Bull Calf, calved on or after November 1, 2011
- Class 28 - Early Junior Bull Calf, calved between September 1 and October 31, 2011
- Class 29 - Late Junior Bull Calf, calved between July 1 and August 31, 2011
- Class 30 - DIVISION I CHAMPION
- Class 31 - DIVISION I RESERVE CHAMPION
- Class 32 - Early Senior Bull Calf, calved between May 1 and June 30, 2011
- Class 33 - Spring Yearling Bull calved between April 1 and April 30, 2011
- Class 34 - Early Spring Yearling Bull calved between March 1 and March 31, 2011
- Class 35 - DIVISION II CHAMPION
- Class 36 - DIVISION II RESERVE CHAMPION
- Class 37 - Junior Yearling Bull calved between January 1 and February 28, 2011
- Class 38 - Late Senior Yearling Bull calved between November 1 and December 31, 2010
- Class 39 - DIVISION III CHAMPION
- Class 40 - DIVISION III RESERVE CHAMPION
- Class 41 - Senior Yearling Bull calved between September 1 and October 31, 2010
- Class 42 - Summer Senior Yearling Bull calved between July 1 and August 31, 2010
- Class 43 - DIVISION IV CHAMPION
- Class 44 - DIVISION IV RESERVE CHAMPION
- Class 45 - Spring Senior Yearling Bull calved between May 1 thru June 30, 2010
- Class 46 - Two-year Old Bulls calved between January 1 thru April 30, 2010
- Class 47 - Three-year Old Bulls calved January 1, 2008 thru December 31, 2009
- Class 48 - DIVISION V CHAMPION
- Class 49 - DIVISION V RESERVE CHAMPION
- Class 50 - GRAND CHAMPION BULL
- Class 51 - RESERVE CHAMPION BULL Division I, II, III, IV, V Champions & Reserve competing
- Class 52 - 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.
- Class 53 - Junior Get-Of-Sire: Three (3) head shown in individual classes calved on or after September 1, 2010. Both sexes represented.
- Class 54 - Senior Get-Of-Sire: Four (4) head shown in individual classes at any age. Both sexes represented
- Class 55 - Breeders Best 5 Head: Five (5) head shown in individual classes any age. Must be bred by and owned or co-owned by a single exhibitor. Both sexes may be represented.