

# ***RULES AND REGULATIONS***

All Announcements made during the show weekend will take precedence over any written publications.

- **Saturday Open Jackpot Show is a “NO FIT” show–**
  - No grooming products in aerosol cans (adhesives, paints, oils, foams, etc)
  - Aerosol fly spray allowed
  - Pump spray products (like Kleen-Sheen) allowed
- **Steer-Hereford steers born in 2023 and sired by a bull and dam recorded in the register of the AHA. AHA Hereford Steer Registration papers or AHA Steer Certificate papers with a registered sire and dam are required at check-in.** Steers weights will be declared and classes divided at check-in.
- **Out of state exhibitors – Please bring the original and a photocopy of your health papers.**
- Wisconsin now requires all cattle to have official ID on the health papers. The following are official ID:
  - **USDA metal ear tag number** that are part of the National Uniform Eartagging System (NUES) (starts with state 2-digit code, also known as “brite” tag)
  - **USDA Animal Identification Number tag (includes the visual number and/or RFID) - 15 digit number starting with 840**
  - Manufacturer-coded RFID tag - 15 digit number with the first three digits/letters USA, 980, 982 or 985
  - American ID tag - 8 or 9 digit number prefaced with "USA"
- Health regulations can be found here:  
[https://datcp.wi.gov/Pages/Programs\\_Services/CattleBison.aspx](https://datcp.wi.gov/Pages/Programs_Services/CattleBison.aspx)

## **Show Animals**

- **\*\*Entries must be submitted electronically no later than May 15, 2024 Visit the Showman App to enter.**  
Contact: BJ Jones cell 608-482-2961 bj@wildcatcattle.com.
- **Animals shown in the WLBA Preview Sunday morning show must have a paid membership in the WJHA for 2024. This show requires a separate entry form through the WLBA. Online entry is also due May 15 and can be entered here Schedule and rules for WLBA are here [https://www.wisconsinlivestockbreeders.com/2023/springpreviewentrvrules\\_42321.pdf](https://www.wisconsinlivestockbreeders.com/2023/springpreviewentrvrules_42321.pdf)**
- Our official junior show state show is on Sunday morning - individual showmanship events will be on Saturday after the open Jackpot Show.
- **Junior Preview Show is on Sunday morning – as the WJHA sponsors the awards for this event, you must pay be an active WJHA member to pay dues.**
- Saturday afternoon is an open jackpot show.
- **Jackpot Show Premiums are for Steer and Heifers only.** Champion Steer and Heifer Overall \$100, Reserve Champion Overall \$75. Heifer Division \$40, Reserve Division \$30. Bull and cow/calf – Champion \$40, Reserve Champion \$30, Mini Heifer and Steer - Champion \$40, Reserve Champion \$30.
- Heifers-Calved on or after September 1, 2022 with recorded ownership by June 1, 2024.
- **Bulls-Bred and Owned, calved after September 1, 2020, must be bred and owned by the junior exhibitor for the WLBA Preview Show. For the WJHA Open Jackpot Show, bulls do not need to be bred and owned.**
- Cow/Calf – no maximum age of cow. Calf must be her natural born calf and also must be registered. Calf cannot be over 240 days of age at the day of the show. **Juniors must have been the owner of the cow at the time of the breeding for the calf.**
- Health papers (out of state cattle) and registration certificates (all cattle) required at check-in during cattle processing Friday or Saturday. **Please bring along a photocopy of your health paper as well as the original.** Tattoos will be checked- missing, illegible, altered, or incorrect tattoos may result in disqualification.
- **No cattle are allowed to leave the fairgrounds once they are checked in for the WLBA or WJHA Jackpot show.**

- **Only the original certificate of registration will be accepted at check-in. Photocopies are not allowed. Registrations must be in the name of the exhibitor and his/her siblings only. Bulls may be co-owned by farms but must have the junior exhibitor as a current owner and sole breeder.**
- Entries must meet the state health regulations of Wisconsin and any states that are crossed. Health papers should be given at check-in.
- Both days are “No Fit”
- **Bred & Owned heifer placing will be made during the WLBA junior owned show on Sunday** – There will be an overall champion and reserve B&O heifer chosen after the owned championship, with B&O division champions after each heifer division. **Bred & Owned heifers must be bred by the exhibitor showing the animal and may be co-owned by siblings who are juniors. No farm co-ownership is allowed on the registration paper.**
- No oral pumping of cattle is allowed on Saturday or Sunday.
- If any requirements are not satisfactorily met, the Show Committee reserves the right to disqualify any entries.

### General Information

- Entry Fees are \$30.00 per class (Heifers, Cow/Calf, Bulls, Steers). LATE ENTRIES are \$60.00 per class.
- **Stalling will be at your trailer. All bedding, manure and garbage must be picked up and taken with you before leaving.**
- **NO POWER will be provided, please bring generators for your power needs.**
- No smoking in the barns
- Appropriate dress will be enforced in the show ring. **Please wear your show shirt on Sunday for the junior show. Free shirts are for current WJHA members who get their entries in on time. These will be the same shirts to be used for state photos at Junior National Hereford Expo (JNHE).**
- Cattle will be released at the conclusion of the show.

### Junior Events

- At least 7 years of age and not yet 22 as of January 1, 2024.
- **Participants must pay annual WJHA dues of \$10.00 if they are taking part in any event of the WLBA Junior Preview Show.**
- Showmanship Classes during the WLBA preview show
  - Peewee: 7-9 Years of age as of January 1, 2024
  - Junior: 10-13 Years of age as of January 1, 2024
  - Intermediate: 14-17 Years of age as of January 1, 2024
  - Senior: 18-21 Years of age as of January 1, 2024
  - Pre-Peewee: 6 and under as of January 1, 2024 – note this is a participation contest
- Showmanship Rules
  - Sign up for Showmanship will be via the Showman app
  - Classes will be divided into heats
  - Showmanship is a no-fit competition.
  - Bulls cannot be shown in any showmanship classes
- Fitting Contests for 2024 – Please let BJ Jones know if you would be interested in the team fitting at the 2024 JNHE.
- For all 2024 JNHE contests, visit <https://hereford.org/youth/junior-national-hereford-expo/resources/>