



# MINNESOTA BEEF EXPO JUDGING CONTEST



Friday, October 21, 2011

Warner Coliseum, Minnesota State Fairgrounds, St. Paul, MN

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## ➤ JUDGING CONTEST RULES ➤

1. Contest will feature six classes of beef cattle, consisting of breeding heifers, market steers and prospect calves.
2. Time limit will be 12 minutes per class.
3. Classes may include questions that will be asked following the contest.
4. There will be no oral reasons.
5. Team entries will be comprised of four individuals. All four scores will be used to calculate the team score.
6. Individual entries will also be accepted.
7. Awards will be given to top teams and individuals in each age group.
8. Age groups for the judging contest will be as follows:
  - **Junior:** Grades 3–5
  - **Intermediate:** Grades 6–8
  - **Senior:** Grades 9–12
  - **Adult:** Post high school
9. Age groups are based on grade level and age on the day of the contest.
10. **Entry fee is \$15 per team, or \$5 per individual.**

### QUESTIONS?

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## ➤ REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 8 A.M. IN THE WARNER COLISEUM ARENA ➤

Please come prepared with your list of individual or team participants names and entry fee.

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| 8–9 a.m.  | Instructions, Section 21 Warner Coliseum      |
| 8–9 a.m.  | Registration, Warner Coliseum Arena           |
| 9:30 a.m. | Judging Contest begins, Warner Coliseum Arena |
| 2 p.m.    | Awards presentation, Warner Coliseum Arena    |