

2008 MINNESOTA BEEF EXPO JUDGING CONTEST

sponsored by the Minnesota Farm Bureau

Friday, October 17, 2008

Warner Coliseum, Minnesota State Fairgrounds, Saint Paul MN

JUDGING CONTEST RULES

8 a.m. - 9 a.m.	Instructions, Section 21 Warner Coliseum concourse
8 a.m. - 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

- Contest will feature six classes of beef cattle, consisting of breeding heifers, market steers and prospect calves.
- Time limit will be 12 minutes per class.
- Classes may include questions that will be asked following the contest.
- There will be no oral reasons.
- Team entries will be comprised of four individuals. All four scores will be used to calculate the team score.
- Individual entries will also be accepted.
- Awards will be given to top teams and individuals in each age group.
- Age groups for the judging contest will be as follows:
 - ❖ JUNIOR Grades 3 through 5
 - ❖ INTERMEDIATE Grades 6 through 8
 - ❖ SENIOR Grades 9 through 12
 - ❖ ADULT Post high school
- Age groups are based on grade level and age on the day of the contest.
- **Entry fee is \$10 per team, or \$3 per individual.**
- Questions? Contact Kent Thiesse, Junior Activities Coordinator, at 507-381-7960 or e-mail kent.thiesse@minnstarbank.com, or the Minnesota Beef Expo at telephone 651-643-6476 or e-mail info@mnbeefexpo.com

Registration will begin at 8 a.m. in the Warner Coliseum Arena

**Please come prepared with your list
of individual or team participant names and entry fee**

COLLEGIATE JUDGING CONTEST RULES

- Collegiate judging contest begins at **7:00 a.m.** in the Swine Barn show rings.
- Contest will feature 12 classes: 3 sheep, 3 hogs and 6 beef cattle
- Time limit will be 12 minutes per class.
- There will be 8 sets of reasons.
- National Contest Bound 4H or FFA teams and teams from a 4 year college are eligible to enter.
- Awards will be given to top teams and individuals in each age group.
- Questions? Contact Kyle Rozeboom at 651-624-7497 or via e-mail at rozeboom@umn.edu or the Minnesota Beef Expo at telephone 651-643-6476 or e-mail info@mnbeefexpo.com

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