

# BEFEXPO

OCT. 19-22, 2023
MINNESOTA STATE FAIRGROUNDS

# TRADE SHOW

### BEEF EXPO FACTS \*\*\*

The Minnesota Beef Expo brings cattle producers and beef specific agri-businesses together for a fun, exciting and rewarding event held annually in Oct. The Expo provides the perfect opportunity to network, learn and view great cattle at one of the largest beef industry events in the Upper Midwest.

**Dates:** Oct. 19-22, 2023

#### **Location:**

Minnesota State Fairgrounds St. Paul, Minn.

#### **Trade Show Hours:**

Thurs. Noon to 4 p.m. Fri. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sat. 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Sun. 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

**Admission:** Free **Parking:** Free

Attendance: More than 5,000 attendees and 1,000 head shown

#### **Facilities:**

- Two show rings in the Lee & Rose Warner Coliseum with 5.250 seats
- Cattle facilities with 1,500 head capacity
- · One sale ring
- Trade show with space for dozens of commercial booths

#### The four-day event provides a full schedule for both youth and adults:

- Breed & Club Calf Sales
- Supreme Row Sale
- **Trade Show Exhibits**
- Junior Heifer & Steer Show
- **Judging Contest**

- **Photography Contest**
- **Sullivan Supply Fitting** Contest
- **Premier Exhibitor Contest**
- Knowledge Bowl

- **Educational Seminars**
- **Breed Displays**
- Farm & Ranch Displays
- Minnesota Youth Beef **Experience Program**





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# \* \* \* \* \* SCHEDULE OF EVENTS \* \* \* \*

#### Wednesday, Oct. 18, 2023

8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Trade Show set-up

#### Thursday, Oct. 19, 2023

Barn opens for stalling

6 a.m. - 8 p.m. Junior Show and Showmanship check-in:

Show Office

8 A.M. - NOON TRADE SHOW SET-UP

8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Delivery of photography contest entries

Sullivan Supply Fitting Contest registration closes 10 a.m. 10:30 - 11 a.m. Knowledge Bowl check-in: Warner Coliseum

11 a.m. Knowledge Bowl: Warner Coliseum

Noon - 2 p.m. Sullivan Supply Stock Show University Seminar:

Show Ring, Warner Coliseum

This well-attended event will be led by some of the best fitters in the Midwest and their No. 1 priority is helping you be more confident in your skills. The  $\,$ seminar isn't over until every question is answered.

NOON - 4 P.M. TRADE SHOW & SILENT AUCTION OPEN

2:30 - 4 p.m. Sullivan Supply Fitting Contest

4 p.m. Photography Contest entry delivery ends 5 - 7:30 p.m. MYBEP Symposium Beef Industry Ideas

& Insights Symposium: CHS Miracle of

Birth Center

Please join us for this incredible opportunity geared toward helping youth explore the beef industry in a fun and rewarding atmosphere filled with elite cattle people! This event was initially designed to bring together youth who submitted a MYBEP application, but did not win a heifer; MYBEP staff is proud to expand this incredible experience by inviting anyone who is interested in beefing up their industry knowledge, while enjoying the company of amazing people. Adults and kids are welcome to attend this memorable night. Note: Points can be earned for the Premier Exhibitor Award. Sponsored by Compeer Financial.

Barn closes for the night for stalling 8 p.m.

(Online registration closes for showmanship.)

All cattle arriving after this time MUST REMAIN ON TRAILERS. TIE-OUTS OR STALLS CANNOT BE TAKEN. Stalls will be assigned when the show office opens again at 6 a.m. Friday morning.

#### Friday, Oct. 20, 2023

6 a.m.

Barns open for stalling 8 - 9 a.m. Judging Contest registration Warner Coliseum Concourse

8 - 10 a.m. Junior Show & Showmanship check-in

8 a.m. - noon Sale cattle check-in & weigh-in: Christensen Pavilion

9:15 - 11:30 a.m. Judging Contest: Warner Coliseum

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Sale and Junior Cattle must be in place and 10 a.m.

and checked in by Expo staff

10 A.M. - 4 P.M. TRADE SHOW & SILENT AUCTION OPEN

1 p.m. 2022 MYBEP Interviews: Warner Coliseum 1 - 3 p.m. Junior Show Prospect & Market weigh-in:

Christensen Pavilion

2:30 p.m. Judging Contest Awards: Warner Coliseum 2:30 p.m. 2022 MYBEP Showmanship: Warner Coliseum 3:30 - 6 p.m. Junior Showmanship Competition: Warner Coliseum 4 - 6 p.m. Grab & Go Burger Dinner: Warner Coliseum Concourse

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#### **Saturday, Oct. 21, 2023**

8:30 a.m. Sale Cattle Show: Warner Coliseum

8 - 11:30 a.m. 2023 MN Beef Ambassador Team Competition:

CHS Miracle of Birth Center

9 A.M. - 6:30 P.M. TRADE SHOW & SILENT AUCTION OPEN

11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. All sales will run concurrently in Warner Coliseum Supreme Row Social! Warner Coliseum Concourse 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Fruit and desserts will be offered

20th ANNUAL SUPREME ROW Selection: Warner 2 p.m.

• 2023 Minnesota Beef Ambassador recognition

• 2023 MYBEP heifers awarded

• 2022 MYBEP achievement award presented

• Selection of Supreme Row Champions

4 p.m. Junior Market Beef and Prospect Show: Warner Coliseum

Ring 1: Prospect Steers (breed steers followed by

crossbred steers)

Ring 2: Market Beef followed by Prospect Heifers

\*Prospect Calf Championship

6:30 p.m. Silent Auction bidding ends

#### Sunday, Oct. 22, 2023

Junior Breeding Heifer Show: Warner Coliseum 8 a.m.

The Supreme Champion Heifer selection will follow the last class of the show. Premier Exhibitor winners will be announced during the Supreme Heifer Selection.

8 a.m. - 2 p.m. Photography contest entries may be picked up.

8 A.M. - 3 P.M. TRADE SHOW OPEN

#### RESERVE YOUR ROOM TODAY!

Exclusive Rate with \$8 going back to the Beef Expo until Sept. 23, 2023, OR UNTIL BLOCK IS FILLED.



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# \*\*\* EXHIBITOR RATES & HOURS \*\*\*

#### **Indoor Commercial Exhibit Rates**

10' x 10'	\$250 (Coliseum)
20' x 10'	\$350 (Coliseum)
20' x 20' Bulk	\$300

### Interested in a space size not listed? Call 651-643-6476 for more information.

\*\$50 discount with a Silent Auction donation! Discount has a maximum of \$50 if multiple items are donated.

# Indoor Non-Profit, Breed Association, and Non-Commercial Exhibit Rates

10' x 10'.....\$200 (Coliseum)

#### **Indoor Rates Include:**

- 3' x 8' table with two chairs
- 8' high backdrop drapes
- 3' high side drapes
- Identification sign
- Basic Electric\* (1-110 volt, 15 amp, duplex plug)
  \*more available for additional charge

#### **Outdoor Commercial Exhibit Rates**

\$25/front foot (25' minimum)

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\$20/front foot (25' minimum)

#### **Outdoor Rates Include:**

- 3' x 8' table with two chairs
- Basic electric\* (1-110 volt, 15 amp, duplex plug)
  \*more available for additional charge

#### **Commercial Exhibit Hours:**

Thursday, Oct. 19	noon to 4 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 20	10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturday, Oct. 21	9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 22	8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

#### **Commercial Exhibitor Set-Up:**

Wednesday, Oct. 18 ....8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 19 ............ 8 a.m. to Noon

#### **Commercial Exhibitor Tear-Down:**

Saturday after 7 p.m. <u>OR</u> Sunday after 3 p.m. Please let us know your intentions.

\*Absolutely no tear-down during exhibit hours.

The exposition service will provide on-site decorating services. There is no charge for vehicle, exhibitor trailer or livestock trailer parking.

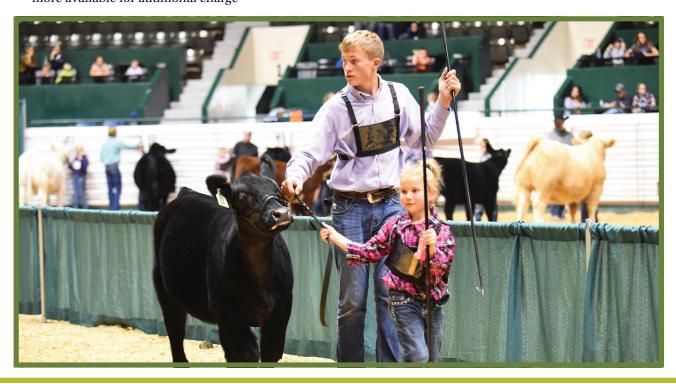
A limited number of fairground campsites providing electricity and water are available for \$30 per night. All self-contained units will be accommodated free of charge. Please stop by the Junior Show office in the Cattle Barn upon arrival to reserve your campsite.

#### Minnesota Beef Expo Name or Logo

Written permission is needed to sell items featuring the Minnesota Beef Expo name or logo.

#### **Internet Availability**

Internet (wired, wireless or DSL) options can be purchased. Contact data@mnstatefair.org for more information.



# **COLISEUM FLOOR PLAN** SALES RING RING A BLEACHERS 30 12 \| 13 \| 14 \| 15 \| 16 \| 17 \| 18 \| 24 23

# \* \* VENDOR LICENSE REGISTRATION \* \*

Firm, Organization or Individual Name				
(You may include a photo and/or brochure of your product or service. Do not send samples)				
Contact				
Address				
City/State/Zip				
Phone (include area code)				
Website				
Email				
☐ I will need / not need a 3' x 8' tal	ble			
☐ I will need / not need two chairs				
☐ I will need / not need electric				
We are a (check one):	Type of site desired:	Site Size: (include all awnings, tie-outs,		
☐ Commercial Enterprise	☐ Indoor	overhangs, trailer hitches, etc.)		
☐ Non-profit Organization	☐ Outdoor	Minimum Maximum		
☐ Other (specify below)	er (specify below)  An electrical outlet (110 volt, 15 amp) is provided in booth rental fee. If additional	Frontage		
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Two expos or shows with recent participation (contact person, address, phone & email for each):				
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Signature and date:				