

CATTLE

Saturday 30th April 2011

Convenor: Luke Scicluna 0428 421828
Stewards: G Barnes, O Jerry, S Gardner, B & J Johnston, T Vincent
Entry Fee: \$8.00 per entry.
Fees to accompany Entry Form.
No Entry Fee for Group Classes
Judging: Stud Classes commence **8.30am** Saturday of Show.
Entries Close: With the Secretary, Gunnedah Show Society, **Monday 25th April at 4 pm**
NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED
Local Breeders: Please supply a plate for morning tea.

Conditions:

The age of Stud Beef Cattle will be the actual age up to and including 29th April 2011

Exhibitors to show Breed, Sex, Date of Birth and Class entered of exhibits on Entry form.

All animals must be registered or be eligible for registration with their respective Breed Societies, and in the case of Simmentals, Braford's, Murray Greys, Santa Gertrudis and Brahman must be classified A. or be eligible for classification.

All breeds to be ready for judging by 8.30am Saturday.

All exhibitors are expected to participate in the Grand Parade.

Animals must be led, bulls over 12 months by a nose ring. CLIPS NOT ACCEPTED. Bulls six months and under twelve months must be led with a nose clip. All bulls must be secured with a nose ring and halters.

All females over eight months must be led with a nose clip. Insurance will not cover liability unless properly secured. All bulls must be tied up with an effective halter and neck collar or rope whilst they are in the shed and not under the immediate control of an attendant.

Where possible, exhibitors are requested to have an appropriate sign, indicating name of stud etc., placed over the team in the cattle pavilion.

Where possible all grooms should wear dust coats when parading.

It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to arrange his own feed and feeders.

No bedding straw is allowed in the cattle pavilion. All cattle to be bedded on sawdust provided.

All Perpetual Trophies to remain at the Show Office after judging.

ANIMAL INDEMNITY & WAIVER FORM

EACH COMPETITOR MUST SIGN AN ANIMAL INDEMNITY & WAIVER FORM WHEN HANDLING ANIMALS AT THE 2011 GUNNEDAH SHOW. These are available at the Secretaries office or from the Convenor.

RIBBONS AND TROPHIES - Show Society Championship, Reserve Champion, First, Second and Third Place Ribbons awarded in all single classes. Trophy First, Second and Third Place Ribbons awarded in Group Classes. Fourth and Fifth Place will be awarded in those classes large enough.

RIBBONS KINDLY SPONSORED BY NSW FARMERS ASSOCIATION, GUNNEDAH.

1. **SUPREME BEEF ANIMAL OF SHOW** - donated by Elders Limited & **QUEEN ELIZABETH SILVER JUBILEE TROPHY** - donated to the Gunnedah Show Society by the Silver Jubilee Committee for the Supreme Beef Animal
2. **CHAMPION BULL OF SHOW** - donated by Regency Jewellers
3. **TALLY HO TROPHY** - donated by R & V Davidson for Champion Cow of Show
4. **T & M ELLISON HAULAGE TROPHY** - donated by T & M Ellison Haulage for the Supreme Hereford or Poll Hereford Exhibit.
5. **T & M ELLISON HAULAGE TROPHY** - donated by T & M Ellison Haulage for the Supreme Shorthorn Exhibit.
6. **KIRBY MURRAY GREY TROPHY** - donated by Mrs E Kirby for the Supreme Murray Grey Exhibit
7. **GUNNEDAH SHOW SOCIETY TROPHY** - donated by the Gunnedah Show Society for the Champion Junior Parader
8. **DONALDSON TROPHY & PRIZE** - donated by K Donaldson Rocklea, Gunnedah for Cow with Calf at foot.
9. **LEA GOLLAN & DAVIDSON CAMERON & CO TROPHY** - donated by Mr L J Gorrie, Lea Gollan, Armidale & Davidson Cameron & Co for Two Registered Bulls under 2 years
10. **FUTURE BREEDERS TROPHY** - donated by Davidson Cameron P/L for Registered Bull and 2 Heifers under 2 years
11. **MIKE FERRIS MEMORIAL TROPHY** - Best Local Exhibit donated by T & M Ellison Haulage. As defined by map
12. **DAVIDSON CAMERON & CO TROPHY** - donated by Davidson Cameron & Co for the Supreme Angus Exhibit
13. **NORTHERN CHAROLAIS BREEDERS GROUP TROPHY** - for the Supreme Charolais Exhibit
14. **PURLEWAUGH CHAROLAIS STUD TROPHY** - donated by Purlewaugh Charolais Stud for the Supreme Charolais Exhibit
15. **OLDFIELD POLL HEREFORD TROPHY** - donated by Peter & Juliana McArthur, Emerald Hill, for 2 Heifers under 20 months
16. **KILLARNEY TROPHY** - donated by Johnston Family, Killarney Carroll for Open Led Steer
17. **GUNNEDAH SHOW SOCIETY CENTENARY CUP** - Awarded to the Supreme Santa Gertrudis Exhibit

CLASSES FOR STUD CATTLE:

The following standard schedule is provided for each recognised Beef Breed. Exhibitors are requested to state Breed of Cattle on the Entry Form

1. Bull 8 months under 12 months
2. Bull 12 months and under 16 months
3. Bull 16 months and under 20 months. Class to be split if number of cattle warrant it. i.e. 16 - 18 months, 18-20 months.

Junior Champion & Reserve Champion Bull under 20 months

4. Bull, 20 months and under 24 months
5. Bull, 24 months and under 30 months
6. Bull, 30 months and over

Senior Champion & Senior Reserve Champion Bull Grand Champion Bull

7. Heifer, 8 months under 12 months
8. Heifer, 12 months and under 16 months.
9. Heifer, 16 months and under 20 months

Junior Champion Female & Reserve Champion Female under 20 months

10. Heifer, 20 months and under 24 months
11. Cow, 24 months and under 36 months
12. Cow, 36 months and over

Senior Champion & Reserve Senior Champion Female Grand Champion Female.

INTERBREED COMPETITION

Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion Bull - All Breeds
Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion Female - All Breeds.
Supreme All Breeds Champion.

POST ENTRIES:

13. Cow with calf at foot (calf under 10 month still being suckled).
Donaldson Trophy - Judged - 60 points for cow and 40 points for calf. Exhibit does not have to be bred by exhibitor
14. Registered Bull (any age) and 2 Heifers under 2 years. Exhibits to be bred by exhibitor. Any beef breed but of the same breed.
The Future Breeders Trophy and Prize donated by Davidson Cameron Pty Ltd.
15. Two Registered Bulls under 2 years. Any beef breed of the same breed and not necessarily a pair. Bulls to be judged on individual merit.
16. **The Oldfield Trophy** - Two Registered Heifers under 20 months. Bred by the exhibitor. Heifers to be judged on individual merit. Any beef breed but of the same breed.
17. **The Killarney Trophy** - Open Led Steer class (pure bred & cross bred) Milk - 2 teeth
Class 1 - Up to 400kg
Class 2 - 400kg & over
(classes may be amalgamated if numbers aren't sufficient)