



**WEST-CENTRAL JUNIOR SHOW
GRAND RIVER RACEWAY
August 23-24, 2018**



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This show is open to all dairy calf club members 9-13 years of age, as of January 1, 2018, who are registered as 4-H members in the counties of West-Central Ontario Holstein District. This show is designed as an educational and fun event.

1. Calves, 4-H'ers and chaperones to arrive at the Elora Fairgrounds and Raceway between noon and 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 23th. **No calves in the barn before vet inspection. Participants can come in to make the pack.** If the calves are at the Oxford County Show, they can come in late but this must be arranged beforehand. Participants can register later if they are participating at Youth Adventure Camp.
2. Calves must be the 2018 calf project of the 4-H member.
3. CALVES **MUST BE CLIPPED** EXCEPT FOR THE TOPLINE PRIOR TO ARRIVAL AT THE FAIRGROUNDS. The organizing committee will have fitters available to assist the contestants to complete the topline of the calf.
4. Stall cards will be provided to identify the calf and 4-H member.
5. *All calves must have plastic Panel NLID tag.*
6. Tie with County Exhibit to encourage group environment. **Participants are required to bring their own straw. No shavings will be allowed.**
7. Health, Medical and Participant agreements are now part of your online registration.
8. Calves will be inspected for ringworm and warts. Please be proactive and leave calves with health concerns at home. Participant may use another calf from home for showmanship and conformation or a calf from the show **only** for showmanship.
9. Bring show harnesses to the show.

Tentative Program

Thursday, August 23^d

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| Noon – 3:00 p.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ 4-H'ers and calves arrive at fairgrounds ♦ Prepare bedding pack *NO shavings allowed ♦ Wash calves ♦ Registration |
| 3:00 – 6:00 p.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Assistance to clip topline ♦ Educational stations |
| 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Dinner (provided to participants and chaperones) |
| 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Continue group workshop |

Overnight: Very limited hotel accommodation is available in Elora. 4-H'ers and chaperones should be prepared to stay overnight at fairgrounds. There is space for trailers and tents.

*** As this is an overnight event, chaperones are required with each group – 9:30 P.M. curfew***

Friday, August 24th Judge: **Matt Walker**

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| 6:00 – 7:00 a.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Wash calves / bed, feed, etc. |
| 7:30 a.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Breakfast (provided to participants and chaperones) |
| 10:00 a.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Senior Showmanship Class (ages 12-13) ♦ Junior Showmanship Class (ages 9-11) ♦ Pee Wee Showmanship (8 and under- must be able to show calf independently) ♦ Grand and Reserve Champion Showmanship |
| 12 noon | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Lunch (provided to participants and available to all) |
| 1:00 p.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Junior Calf Class (born after March 1, 2018) ♦ Intermediate Calf Class (born Dec. 1, 2017 – Feb. 28, 2018) ♦ Senior Calf Class (born Sept. 1, 2017 – Nov. 30, 2017) ♦ Yearling Calf Class (born Mar. 1, 2017 – Aug. 31, 2017) ♦ Champion and Reserve Champion Calf |
| 3:00 p.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Clean Up and Leave for Home |

Register online at <https://www.assistexpo.ca/juniorshow-ontario-westcentral>. Deadline: Aug. 15th. If you have any questions, please contact John Drummond at john.drummond@hotmail.ca.