

# THE UPPER CUMBERLAND SHOWDOWN

## 2023 RULES AND REGULATIONS

### Exhibitors

- a. Open “to the world” junior show at Hyder-Burks Ag Pavilion, Cookeville TN on April 15, 2023
- b. Must be 21 years old or under as of January 1, 2023
- c. Entries will be limited to the first 250 head entered. Stall space will be assigned.

### Entries

- a. Entry fee - \$35 per entry – Limit 4 entries per exhibitor; no substitutions; no refunds except when entries exceed allowable capacity or event is cancelled due to COVID
- b. Entries will be accepted starting February 10, 2023. Entries must be submitted via The Show Portal at the following link: <https://ucs.theshowportal.com/> by March 21, 2023. Entries will not be accepted without payment.
- c. Barn will be bedded.

### Heifer Eligibility

- a. All registered breeds are eligible.
- b. Must have minimum of 15 head for a breed show or heifers will show in AOB division.
- c. Simmental and Percentage Simmental will be shown separately if there is a minimum of 15 head of each. If not, all will show in the Simmental show if there is at least 15 head of both. Same rule applies for Shorthorn/Shorthorn Plus and Limousin/LimFlex.
- d. Heifers can only be entered and shown in one breed show.
- e. Heifers must be registered in individual junior’s name by March 20, 2023 (issue date, not sale date). **No joint ownerships will be accepted.**
- f. Heifers must be born between September 1, 2021 and October 31, 2022.
- g. **No “leased” heifers; no “commercial” heifer division**
- h. Tattoos, registration papers and health papers will be checked at the show.
- i. All animals must be shown by the owner unless given permission by show committee.

### Steer Eligibility

- a. Steers will be shown by weight, not breed.
- b. Minimum weight is 850 lbs.

### Prize Money

- a. Heifers – maximum of 7 classes per breed
- b. Pay 4 placings/class - \$50, \$30, \$20, \$10; breed champion \$100; reserve champion \$50

### Steers

- a. Classes decided by weight.
- b. Pay 4 placings/class - \$50, \$30, \$20, \$10; champion \$200; reserve champion \$100

### Top Five Heifers

- a. Breed champions and reserves only will show for “Top Five” heifers.
- b. Pay \$500, \$300, \$200, \$100, \$50

### Arrival

- a. Must arrive by 6 pm Friday, April 14, 2023
- b. Check-in is 3 pm to 7 pm Friday, April 14, 2023
- c. All shows will be Saturday, April 15, 2023
- d. Barn will be available for tie-in beginning at 8 am on Friday
- e. Outside tie-out available Thursday afternoon

Submit entries via: <https://ucs.theshowportal.com/>

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