



OPEN SHOW BREEDING CATTLE DIVISION

ALL BREEDS

ENTRY DEADLINEFEBRUARY 15
ENTRY FEE\$20.00
ENTRY FEE (GROUP CLASSES)\$20.00

Following applies to all breeds except Brahman, Red Brangus, Simbrah, Simmental and Zebu.

Arrival.....8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m., Thursday, March 11
Judging
 All Other Breeds4:00 p.m., Saturday, March 13
 Beefmaster2:00 p.m., Saturday, March 13
 Charolais8:00 a.m., Saturday, March 13
 Santa Gertrudis10:00 a.m., Saturday, March 13
Release of all cattle.....1:00 p.m., Sunday, March 14

Following applies to Brahman, Red Brangus, Simbrah, Simmental and Zebu.

Arrival.....8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 16
Judging
 Brahman.....1:00 p.m., Friday, March 19
 Open Commercial Female Pen Show
 10:00 a.m., Thursday, March 18
 Red Brangus10:00 a.m., Friday, March 19
 Simbrah2:00 p.m., Wednesday, March 17
 Simmental12:00 p.m., Wednesday, March 17
 Zebu.....9:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 17
Release7:00 a.m., Sunday, March 21

BREEDING CATTLE OPEN SHOW GENERAL RULES

1. All entries in this Division shall be subject to the General Rules and Regulations of the Show.
2. Entry fee of \$20.00 per animal, must accompany entry cards. Extra stalls for tack will be \$20.00 each; however, due to limited space, stalling of animals will be given preference over tack stalls. Entry fee includes sand bedding.
3. Entries must be in the name of the registered owner.
4. Stalls will be assigned on the basis of number of entries made by an exhibitor, one stall per animal. If at Show, an exhibitor has fewer animals than entered, the Management reserves the right to assign any extra stalls to another exhibitor. No refund of entry or stall fees will be made.
5. No adhesives, oil or any foreign substance of any type will be allowed as this is a Blow and Go Show.
6. Nose leads are required on all bulls exhibited in the show ring with the exception of calves shown at side of dam.
7. If an animal becomes uncontrollable, the exhibitor may be required to tie the animal up or remove it from the show ring. This will be at the discretion of the Judge and/or Show officials.
8. It is the intent of the Show Management that no premium be given any animal that is not deserving. In cases where only one animal is being exhibited in a class, the judge shall make his award in accordance with the merits of the animals being exhibited which may be either first, second, third, etc. The judge must not award a premium to an unworthy animal.
9. Entries will be listed numerically according to age (oldest first within the class) in catalog and judging schedules.
10. Only first prize-winning animals are eligible to compete for championship honors.
11. In the event there are less than twenty (20) entries in a breed division, the division, at the option of the Show Management, may be canceled for the following year.
12. Females 24 months of age and older must have produced a calf or be bred with the exception of those in an Embryo Donor Program. If in Embryo, within 90 days of the Show date, after 90 days she must be bred, The Show reserves the right to require pregnancy determination by palpation if an official protest is filed or at the request of Show Officials.
13. Bulls 18 months of age or older must have produced viable semen. If a protest is filed or at the request of Show Officials, exhibitors must furnish a certificate stating the bull has produced viable semen.



- 14. No calf, either heifer or bull, can be shown at side of dam if older than 205 days of age on day of show.

General Rules, Regulations and Procedures on page 42 also apply.

PREMIUM SCHEDULE

Breeding Cattle Division (Open Show)

The Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show will offer premiums in each breed division as follows based upon the number of entries shown in competition.

Premium money will be paid in all classes except Champion classes and Best of Polled classes in the Santa Gertrudis Division.

PREMIUM MONEY

1 to 20 entries	\$750.00
21 to 30 entries.....	\$1,000.00
31 to 40 entries.....	\$1,250.00
41 to 50 entries.....	\$1,500.00
51 to 60 entries.....	\$1,750.00
61 to 70 entries.....	\$2,000.00
71 to 80 entries.....	\$2,250.00
81 to 90 entries.....	\$2,500.00
91 to 100 entries	\$2,750.00
101 to 110 entries.....	\$3,000.00
111 to 120 entries	\$3,250.00
121 to 130 entries.....	\$3,500.00
131 - 140 entries	\$3,750.00
141 -150 entries	\$4,000.00
151 – 160 entries.....	\$4,250.00

Premium money will be paid on a point system. Points to be awarded in each class except Champion Classes as follows:

<u>Place</u>	<u>Points</u>
1st.....	5
2nd.....	4
3rd	3
4th.....	2
5th.....	1

