

**2020 Minnesota Junior Spring Classic**  
**June 12-14th 2020~ Mower County Fairgrounds~ Austin, MN**  
**Website: [mnjuniorspringclassic.com](http://mnjuniorspringclassic.com)**  
**Official Rules and Regulations**

**GENERAL INFORMATION:**

- **Entry & Stalling Deadlines.** All entry forms must be received online by Friday, June 12th, 2020, to enter without paying the late entry fees. The late entry deadline is on Saturday, June 13th, 2020 by 10 AM. Cattle must be stalled by the respective entry deadline. The Minnesota Junior Spring Classic reserves the right to reject any entry.
- **Registered Cattle.** All entries must be registered, except market heifers, crossbred steers, and commercial heifers. Original registrations papers are required at check-in.
- **Health Certificates.** Health papers for cattle originating from Minnesota will not be required. Cattle from out of state will need health papers and they will be collected at check-in. All cattle will be subject to an examination by the MJSC veterinarian on the day of arrival.
- **Official IDs.** Official ID numbers are required for all cattle exhibited in Minnesota.
- **Call to Ring.** Each individual will be called once to the ring for their show. If they are not in the ring after one call, they will be disqualified.
- **Check-In.** All exhibitors must check in at the designated check-in time on Saturday, June 13th, 2020. Registration papers and health certificates will be checked at this time. Tattoos will be checked to match the tattoo on papers with the heifer/steer.
- **Stalling.** All cattle entered in the Minnesota Junior Spring Classic will be assigned a stall in the Mower County Fairgrounds. If desired, exhibitors may stall their cattle in their trailers, but will be expected to clean up around their trailer. Failure of anyone to abide by the rules and regulations will result in penalization. Efforts must be made to insure that stalls are kept as clean as possible. Because of fire rules and regulations, no hay or feed can be stored behind livestock.
- Barns will open on Friday, June 12th, 2020 at 3 PM. Due to the continued growth of the Minnesota Junior Spring Classic, and to ensure all exhibitors are accommodated, stalls will be assigned. No pre-marking of stall will be allowed. All cattle must be out of the barns an hour after the conclusion of the show on Sunday, June 14th, 2020.
- **Tie Outs.** Tie outs will be bedded in designated tie out areas, no straw is allowed; exhibitors may pick their own tie outs. There will be an \$5 fee per tie out spot.
- **Bedding.** All stalls will be bedded before you arrive.

- **Livestock Fans.** Butt fans are not allowed.
- **Exhibitor Liability and Ethics.** Exhibitors are required to carry their own liability insurance. Upon entering the Minnesota Junior Spring Classic show, the exhibitor agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the University of Minnesota Block and Bridle Club, the Minnesota Junior Spring Classic, its directors, officers, agents and employees from any and all claims, demands, suits, actions, losses, costs or expenses, including attorney's fees arising in whole or in part out of the negligent acts, errors or omissions of you, your agent, or invitees. All livestock exhibited in this show will be entirely at the owner's risk. Presentation of the entry blank shall be deemed acceptance of these rules and the IAFE Code of Ethics. No unethical oral, injected or physical altering material will be allowed on any animal at the Minnesota Junior Spring Classic. The Minnesota Junior Spring Classic retains the right to sample/test if needed. All exhibitors violating this rule will be disqualified.
- **Dogs.** Only service dogs are allowed on the Mower County Fairgrounds.
- The Minnesota Junior Spring Classic is an **open show**; Minnesota residency is not a requirement. Exhibitors in the junior show must meet the eligibility requirements of their respective National Junior Breed Associations. For those breeds not governed by association rules, juniors 21 and younger, as of January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020, will be allowed to show.
- **Cattle** must be in the name of the junior or family to be shown at the Minnesota Junior Spring Classic.
- To show in the registered breed classes (minimum of 5 head), animals must meet the registration requirements per respective breed and be born on or after Sept. 1, 2018.
  - Black Angus
  - Red Angus
  - Charolais
  - Composite Charolais (1/2 or more)
  - Hereford
  - Maine Anjou (1/4 or more)
  - Limousin (1/2 or more)
  - Scottish Highland
  - Shorthorn
  - Shorthorn Plus
  - South Devon (1/2 or more)
  - Simmental
  - Foundation Simmental (1/2, 5/8, 3/4)
  - Chianina (6.25% or more)
  - Gelbvieh (1/2 or more)
  - Registered AOB

- **Breeding Heifers.** Breeding heifer classes will be split by age, with the youngest heifers being shown first.
- **Steers.** Steers will be split by British, Continental, Crossbred, and Dairy. Then by weight.
- **Market Heifers.** Market heifers classes will be determined by weight. Champion and Reserve Champion Market Heifer will be eligible to compete for Grand Champion Market Animal.
- **All Other Breeds Classification.** Breeding heifers and steers that are registered, but are not sponsored at the Minnesota Junior Spring Classic by their respective state breed association, will be shown in the All Other Breed (AOB) classes. A registration paper is required to show in the AOB classes.
- Exhibitors **must** wear the official 2020 MJSC shirt while showing their animal during the breeding heifer and market animal show on Sunday, June 14, 2020
- The Minnesota Junior Spring Classic reserves the right to use all entries for the boot camp and judging contest.
- **No refunds** will be given for the show or boot camp.
- If checks aren't picked up by the time the show ends, exhibitors will forfeit the premium. We will **NOT** be mailing out checks after the show has completed.
- **All decisions of Minnesota Junior Spring Classic personnel and Judges will be final.**