

Illinois Simmental Association

“Working Together to Make a Difference”

IJSA SUMMER PREVIEW SHOW

& IJSA Field Day - Lincoln, IL

May 23rd and 24th, 2015

The IJSA Simmental Preview Show will be held at the Logan County Fairgrounds in Lincoln, Illinois.

Hotel Block: A block of rooms is reserved at the Holiday Inn Express, 130 Olson Dr, Lincoln for \$84. Call 217/735-5800. Ask for the “Illinois Junior Simmental Association” Block.

Advance Entries: Advance entries can be made by May 15th for \$25.00 per head. Entries made on-site are \$30.00 per head. Check in will be from 4:00 - 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 23rd. The show will be held beginning at 9:00 a.m. on Sunday May 24th. Advance Entries can be sent to

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No Fit Show: Again this year, Illinois Junior Simmental Association voted to have a no fit Preview Show.

*Note $\frac{3}{4}$ blood SM will be considered as Percentage Simmentals to match IL Beef Expo and IL State Fair current rules for 2015.

Purebred and Percentage Cow Calf Classes will also be a part of the Preview show this year.

Schedule of Events:

Saturday May 23rd, 2015

On-Site Entries - 4:00 - 8:00 p.m.

IJSA Meeting - 2:00 p.m.

IJSA Field Day Activities - Following Meeting

Pizza for all attending – TBD

Sunday May 24th, 2015

Show - 9:00 a.m.

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- General Rules -

1. Eligible exhibitors must be 8 years of age on or before January 1st, 2015 and may not have reached their 22nd birthday prior to January 1, 2015.
2. Owners of all animals shown must be a member of the Illinois Junior Simmental Association and 2015 dues must be paid prior to exhibition.
3. All animal registration certificates must verify ownership in a junior member's name. Steers and heifers must have a registration certificate to show. The general expectation is that each animal will be shown in the individual animal competition classes by the owner (showmanship classes excluded). Exceptions can be granted by the ISA Board or a majority opinion of the board members present at the show.
4. Cattle must have a legible tattoo that conforms to ASA records.
5. All animals must have a health paper. Health papers must meet state of Illinois Animal Health Requirement.
6. Heifers must be born on or after September 1, 2013. Steers must be born on or after January 1, 2014.
7. Heifers $\frac{3}{4}$ blood SM and under are considered Low Percentage Heifers. Heifers greater than $\frac{3}{4}$ blood SM and higher are considered Simmentals. This is a change to match IL Beef Expo and IL State Fair rules. Steers recorded $\frac{1}{2}$ SM or higher on the registration paper are eligible to show as Simmental steers. Percent CS is not considered for steers nor heifers.
8. Animals may begin arriving on fairgrounds anytime on Saturday morning May 23rd. All Simmental cattle must be on the fairgrounds by 8:00 p.m. Saturday, May 23rd. All on-site entries must be made between 4:00 - 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 23rd. Steers will be shown by age.
9. No alcohol is permitted at the Preview Show regardless of person's age.
10. No artificial filling of animals will be allowed. The addition of hair, hemp or any similar substance to any part of an animal is prohibited.
11. IJSA voted at their February, 2011 meeting to have a no fit show.
12. Wood chip bedding in the barn provided from previous year. If you want additional bedding in your stalls, you must bring your own wood chip or wood shavings. NO STRAW ALLOWED IN THE BARN. All manure must be removed from the barn before premium monies will be dispersed.
13. Cattle can remain in the barn overnight. If you choose to tie-out, you are responsible for clean up and removal of your bedding. Tie-outs must be given board approval before premium monies will be dispersed.
14. No cattle may leave the fairgrounds until the show is completed.

IJSA SUMMER PREVIEW ENTRY FORM

EXIBITOR NAME _____

ANIMAL NAME _____

REGISTRATION NUMBER _____ Date of Birth _____

SIRE _____

SEX ("H" Heifer or "S" Steer) _____

*Advanced Entries \$25 and Day of Show \$30

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