

LIVESTOCK BREEDERS SHOW & SALE 2016
21st – 23rd July 2016

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES FOR HOLSTEIN FRIESIANS

Conditions for Show Classes.

1. Classes are open to Members of the Kenya Holstein Friesian Cattle Society only.
2. The Committee reserves the right to inspect any Cattle entered, and to limit the number of entries per class if necessary. Exhibitors are advised that they may only show 4 entries per class up to maximum of 20 animals per Exhibitor.
3. Ages to be calculated from the first day of the show, 21st July 2016. For in calf classes, animals need a recent veterinary certificate of pregnancy (not more than a month old) or else, inspection by a veterinary officer on the Showground.
4. The name of the sire and dam of the animal shown must be entered on the entry form, and also the last date of calving, or date due to calve. For Class 6, (Matrons Class) all lactations should be shown. Official lactation certificates (KMR or DRSK) should be sent with the entry form.
5. Animals entered in the Progeny Classes (Class 7 &8) must be shown in their individual inspection class. If a cow or heifer entered in Class 1 or Class 5 (in calf classes) calves early, or if a cow or heifer entered in Classes 2, 3 or 4 (in milk classes) has not yet calved, she may be transferred to her appropriate class.
6. Closing date for entries is 14th May 2016, but it would be appreciated if intending exhibitors could send in their entries as soon as possible. Entry fees are payable, at Shs. 500.00 per head. Group class entries count as one entry, and are free. Entry fee for the Young Stock & Young Handlers class is Shs. 300.00 per entry.
7. If, in the opinion of the Committee, the entries for any class are too many to be judged together, it will arrange for “heats”, the top placed animals in each “heat” then going forward to the final judging of that class.
8. All animals **MUST** be registered with the Kenya Stud Book
P.O. Box 478 – 20100, Nakuru.

Show Classes.

- Class 1** (a) **Heifer**, 12 months to 18 months.
(b) **Heifer**, 18 months to 24 months, **confirmed in calf**.
(c) **Heifer**, 24 months to 36 months, **at least 6 months in calf**.
- Class 2.** **Junior Cow**, in milk, in first lactation, under 3 years of age at calving.
- Class 3.** **Intermediate Cow**, in milk, in second lactation, under 4 years of age at second calving. **Give date of first calving**.
- Class 4.** **Senior Cow**, in milk, having had three or more calves. **Give dates of previous calvings**.
- Class 5A.** **Junior dry Cow, (in calf over 6 months)**, under 5 years of age, having calved at least once. **Give date(s) of calving**.

- Class 5B. Senior Dry Cow, (in calf over 6 months), over 5 years of age. Give dates of previous calvings.**
- Class 6. Matrons' Class.** Cow having had six or more calves, and having produced 45,000 kgs. Milk. In milk or dry and in calf. **All official lactation certificates to be sent with entries.**
- Class 7. Junior Progeny Class.** Group of 3 uncalved heifers, not more than 3 years old by the same sire, sire not to be shown. Entries in the name of the sire. **Animals must have been shown in their relevant individual inspection class.**
- Class 8. Senior Progeny Class.** 3 cows, having calved at least once, by the same sire, sire not to be shown. Entries in the name of the sire. **Animals must have been shown in their relevant individual inspection class.**
- Class 9. Best Udder.** Breeder's nomination, of not more than 3 cows or heifers.
- Class 10. Junior Championship.** No entry required. To be drawn from 1st and 2nd. placed cows or heifers in Classes 1, 2,3, and 5 (a).
- Class 11. Championship** No entry required. To be drawn for 1st. and 2nd placed cows in classes 4, 5 (b) and 6, and the Junior Champion and Reserve Junior Champion.
- Class 12. The Mary Nevill Trophy. Young Stock & Young Handlers Class** – entry fee is required Ksh 300.00 per entry. (Two age groups).

Conditions;-

1. Heifer aged 6 – 15 months.
Handler up to 12 yrs and under.
2. Heifer – uncalved heifer.
Handler: 13 – 16 yrs of age.
3. The classes will be judged on:
 - (a) Best individual Handler.
 - (b) Best Behaviour of animal.

There will be a prize for the best cow or heifer shown by a new Exhibitor.
Judge's nomination. No entry required.

There will also be a prize for the **Victor Ludorum (The Mexican Trophy)**, for the most points in the Holstein Friesian Classes. Points to be awarded as follows.

Champion	6	Reserve Champion	5
Junior Champion	5	Reserve Junior Champion	4
First	4	Second	3
Third	2	Highly Commended	1

Exhibitors interested in Interbreed Class 2, should bring the relevant lactation certificates to the Show.

INTERBREED CLASSES

Class 1. Dairy Champion Female of the Show "Pretty Miss."

No entry required- Breed Society Nomination of a maximum of 3 animals, one of which must be the Champion Female of the Breed.

Class 2: Supreme Champion Dairy Female of the Show. “Working Miss”

No entry required. Breed Society Nominations of a maximum of 3 animals, one of which must be the Champion Female of the breed.

Conditions:

- (a) Animals must have calved between 2nd July 2013 and 1st July 2015 inclusive with a lactation of not more than 305 days. The same record may not be used for two Livestock Breeders’ Shows.
- (b) Only records completed within the official D.R.S.K scheme with a minimum butterfat of 3.3% to be considered. Certificate to indicate that butterfat figures qualify.
- (c) An animal eligible to compete must be entered in its Inspection, or Inspection and Production Class at the Livestock Breeders’ Show.
- (d) Appoints to be awarded:-

- 1 point every 50kgs. of milk .
- 2 points for every 5 kgs of butterfat.
- 300 points maximum for each animal on inspection.

Class 3: Progeny Class: (THE BROOKSIDE TROPHY)

Team of 3 animals, sired by the same sire, sire not to be shown. Animals must be shown in their individual inspection classes.

Open to all Dairy Breeds. Nominations by Breed Societies, not necessarily from the same exhibitor.

Class 4: Supreme team of seven animals of any one Dairy Breed to be judged by a panel of judges. No entry required. To the selected from all Dairy Breeds who should forward seven animals to be nominated by the Breed Societies.

Class 5: Young Stock and young Handlers.

- (a) Handlers aged 12 years and under.
- (b) Handlers aged over 12 and under 16 years of age.
1st and 2nd prize winners of class 12 (1) and 12 (2) in their respective breed competitions qualify.
There will be no overall champion.

Class 6: STOCKMAN’S COMPETITION. DAIRY BREEDS

No entries required. Open to all Cattle Stockmen and Cattle exhibitors with animals forward at the Livestock Breeders’ Show. Competition to be in two parts:-

- (a) Best Individual Handler. Judges nomination taking into consideration enthusiasm and turnout.
- (b) Best Breeder’s Cattle line to be judged on the last day of the Show, at 9.00 a.m. , by a panel appointed by the Breed Societies.

Criteria:

- (a) Condition of the cattle.
- (b) Cleanliness of the cattle line and environment.

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Entry Form for Cattle Show Classes

Entries must be received not later than 21st May, 2016.

They may be sent by post to:-

Mr. T.A Van Helden, P.O Box 424 Ngong – Hills, 00208

Or left for collection at:-

**THE KENNEL CLUB, JAMHURI PARK between 10.00 am & 3.00pm
Monday- Friday.**

Payment may be made in the following manner:-

By cheque made payable to Livestock Breeders' Show Trust

Or

By Mpesa to M – Pesa line: 0723 222 642 –Mr. Shaban Mwazondo.

Please enter all details in block letters.

Exhibitor's Name & Address. _____

Name of the Animal (or Group) _____

KSB No _____

Date of birth _____

Sire _____

Dam _____

Classes _____

Date due to calve _____

Date of last calving _____

Date of the last service _____

Lactation (for class 6) All lactations

Calved Kgs milk days BF% BF kgs

I have read the Veterinary Regulations and Conditions for classes, and agree to accept the Committee's decisions on all matters pertaining to the Show & Sale.

Signed _____ (Exhibitor) Date _____

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JAMHURI PARK SHOWGROUND, NAIROBI.

TRANSPORT SUBSIDY

Cattle, sheep & goats will be conveyed to the Show Ground via Kibera gate and the Livestock Breeders' Show & Sale will subsidise the cost of transporting the stock, provided the rules and conditions, as laid down by the Veterinary Department and the Livestock Breeders' Show & Sale are strictly complied with.

The details of the subsidy scheme are being worked out by the finance sub – committee and will be forwarded to you as soon as they have been approved by the main committee.

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VETERINARY REGULATIONS.

1. All cattle to enter the Showground, by vehicle only, through the Kibera gate, where they will be inspected by a veterinary officer. Cattle with skin diseases foot rot or any unsightly condition will be refused entry to the Showground.
2. **Movement permits are necessary**, and should comply with veterinary regulations ruling at the time. Exhibitors should contact their local veterinary, or livestock office. There will be no movement of cattle from a farm in quarantine.
3. All cattle must be sprayed on arrival at the Showground.
4. Exhibitors must sign a certificate to the effect that to the best of his/her knowledge, cattle entering the Showground are not suffering from any contagious or infectious disease.

January 2016.

Secretary
K.H.F.C.S.