Shorthorn Supreme 2018 – Information Package

The Committee has been hard at work and are excited to share information with you regarding the Junior National Shorthorn Show!

When & Where:

The Show will be held from August 3 to August 5 at the Stratford Agriplex, 353 McCarthy Road, Stratford, ON

Eligible Participants:

Open to all members of the Canadian Junior Shorthorn Association, who are 21 or under as of January 1, 2018.

Activities:

In addition to conformation and showmanship classes, the exhibitors will take part in the following activities throughout the show:

Marketing Judging Quiz Team Fitting Photography Activities for Peewee exhibitors

Conformation Classes:

The following conformation classes are being offered:

CLASS 1: CONFORMATION - SHORTHORN:

Open to CSA Registered Purebred Shorthorn animals which are owned wholly or in part by the Junior Member or is Family owned or is a qualified 4-H Shorthorn Project Animal.

- Section 1 Heifer calf born on or after January 1, 2018, minimum 3 months of age
 - 2 Heifer born on or after January 1, 2017 and before December 31, 2017
 - 3 Two year old female born on or after January 1, 2016 and before December 31, 2016 with her own natural 2018 calf at foot
 - 4 Mature female born before prior to January 1, 2016 with her own natural 2018 calf at foot
 - 5 Bull calf born on or after January 1, 2018
 - 6 Bull born on or after January 1, 2017 and before December 31, 2017

CLASS 2: CONFORMATION - SHORTHORN PLUS:

Must have CSA Appendix Registered Pedigree

- Section 1 Heifer calf born on or after January 1, 2018, minimum 3 months of age
 - 2 Heifer born on or after January 1, 2017 and before December 31, 2017
 - 3 Two year old female born on or after January 1, 2016 and before December 31, 2016 with her own natural 2018 calf at foot
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CLASS 3: CONFORMATION - Market:

Shorthorn cross animals that do not need to be registered but must exhibit Shorthorn characteristics

- Section 1 Prospect Heifer born on or after January 1, 2018, minimum 3 months of age
 - 2 Prospect Steer born on or after January 1, 2018, minimum 3 months of age
 - 3 Market Heifer born on or after January 1, 2017
 - 4 Market Steer born on or after January 1, 2017

CLASS 4: BRED & OWNED:

Purebred Shorthorn which must be bred & owned by the Junior and must be CSA registered with the Junior's own tattoo and prefix.

Section 1 Heifer calf born on or after January 1, 2018, minimum 3 months of age

- 2 Heifer born on or after January 1, 2017 and before December 31, 2017
- 3 Two year old female born on or after January 1, 2016 and before December 31, 2016 with her own natural 2018 calf at foot
- 4 Mature female born before prior to January 1, 2016 with her own natural 2018 calf at foot
- 5 Bull calf born on or after January 1, 2018
- 6 Bull born on or after January 1, 2017 and before December 31, 2017

CLASS SPLITS - to be determined by the Show Organizers

DEFINITIONS:

PUREBRED SHORTHORN	Females must be 87.5% pure or greater as registered by Digital Beef in the CSA Herdbook
	Males must be 93.8% pure or greater as registered by Digital Beef in the CSA Herdbook
SHORTHORN PLUS	A Shorthorn animal which must have a CSA Appendix Registered pedigree
FAMILY OWNED	Family includes parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles and legal guardians
CALF AT FOOT	Calf shown with his/her dam must be registered and tattooed
SHORTHORN CHARACTERISTICS	Shorthorn colours are red, white, roan, red & white or blue roan Animal must not have a black hide

Showmanship Classes:

The following showmanship classes are being offered: SHOWMANSHIP:

The Junior or his/her family does not have to own the animal in order to participate in the Showmanship classes, however, the Junior must be registered to participate in the show.

- Section 1 Peewee ages 8 and under as of January 1, 2018
 - 2 Junior ages 9 12 as of January 1, 2018
 - 3 Intermediate ages 13 15 as of January 1, 2018
 - 4 Senior ages 16-21 as of January 1, 2018

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JACKPOT SHOWMANSHIP:

- Section 5 Over the Hill age over 21 as of January 1, 2018. No age limit, \$5 entry fee and must use an animal already entered in the show.
- This will be a fun class, judged by Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Showmen with the winner receiving all of the entry fees from the class as a prize.

Schedule:

The following schedule has been set. *Times are subject to change*.

Friday, August 3, 2018

10:30 am – begin arrival and stall set up
3:00 pm – registration
4:00 pm – ice breaker and team scavenger hunt
5:30 pm – dinner

Saturday, August 4, 2018 8:30 am – opening ceremonies 9:00 am – showmanship (blow and go) Peewee activity to take place following the peewee showmanship class 11:45am – jackpot showmanship – judged by grand and reserve grand champion showmen

12:00 pm – lunch 1:00 pm – judging

marketing team fitting quiz CJSA meeting 6:00 pm – Banquet & Auction

Sunday, August 5, 2018 8:30am – Conformation: bred & owned classes Shorthorn plus classes Market classes Shorthorn classes

Lunch Wrap up and Prizes

What to eat:

Meals for the exhibitors are included in the cost of registration. Family members are encouraged to join us at each meal. The following have been arranged:

Friday

Dinner: Menu: Lasagna, Caesar salad, rolls, light dessert and drinks Supplied by L & M Catering Family Member Cost: \$15.00 Saturday Lunch: Menu: Submarine sandwiches Supplied by Subway Family Member Cost: To be determined

Banquet: Menu: Roast beef dinner, potatoes, vegetables, salads, rolls, drinks, assorted homemade pies Supplied by L & M Catering Family Member Cost: \$25.00

Sunday Lunch: Menu: Pizza, drinks, chips Supplier: to be determined Family Member Cost: To be determined

Where to Stay: We have chosen to partner with the following hotels:

Festival Inn:

http://www.festivalinnstratford.com/

Rates: Courtyard Rooms with 2 double beds (no wifi) \$139.00/night + taxes Main Building with 2 beds \$159.00/night + taxes

* Breakfast is included in room rate

Quote: Ontario Shorthorn Junior Nationals when making reservation to receive preferred rates shown Phone number: 519-273-1150 Distance from Agriplex: 4.8km

Best Western Plus The Arden Park Hotel:

https://www.bestwestern.com/en_US/book/hotels-in-stratford/best-western-plus-the-arden-parkhotel/propertyCode.66122.html

Rates: Standard 2 queen bed room \$209.99/night + tax Deluxe 2 queen bed room \$219.99/night + tax

Quote: Shorthorn Junior Nationals when making reservations to receive the preferred rates shown Phone Number: 1-877-788-8818 Distance from Agriplex: 3.1km

Camping:

Also limited onsite, unserviced camping is available. Charge of \$25.00/night applies. To be booked through the Show committee by emailing: shorthornjrnationals@yahoo.com

Registration:

Registration for the show will be done through Assist Expo. We will post a link on our Facebook page and will be available by email. Registration will be open as of May 15, 2018.

Cost:

The registration cost is \$75.00 for each exhibitor and 1 animal. An additional \$15.00 will be charged for each additional head/unit (cow/calf). This price will include all activities for the weekend, prizes, meals (except breakfast) and a show shirt for the exhibitor.

Late entry fees will be \$100.00 for exhibitor and 1 animal and \$45.00 for additional head/unit registered between July 1 and July 10, 2018.

Rules:

- 1. Open to all junior members who have paid their annual membership fees
- 2. All exhibitors must be 21 years of age and under as of January 1, 2018
- 3. All animals must have a CCIA tag or ATQ (Quebec)
- 4. All cattle must be broke to show
- 5. All entries in the Purebred classes must have official registration papers and ear tattoos according to the Canadian Shorthorn Association. Animals must be tattooed prior to arriving at the show
- 6. Class splits to be determined by show organizers
- 7. Cattle may be inspected for any contagious bovine disease (e.g. ringworm). Any livestock found to be ill will be asked to leave
- 8. Tampering with or unethical practices on cattle are prohibited. Exhibitors will be ejected if this occurs
- 9. Competitors must use their own entry to compete in showmanship
- 10. Show committee decisions are final.
- 11. No tie outs available. Cattle must remain in the barn overnight. All cattle must remain in the barn until the completion of the show on Sunday, August 5th
- 12. All participants are to show in shirt provided
- 13. Exhibitors are responsible for their own feed and bedding. NO BARK ALLOWED
- **14. NO ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION ALLOWED ON THE PREMISES** as it is a public facility. **ANY AND ALL FINES ARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THOSE FOUND DRINKING**

Contact:

Please contact the show committee by email at <u>shorthornjrnationals@yahoo.com</u> or on our Facebook page