



### **1. Ownership:**

Steers and heifers must be owned by May 1, 2015 and managed under supervision of County Agent or Agricultural Education Advisor. Steers may be purebred or grade, but only steer calves may be entered. Market Steers must be tagged with NMSF ear tag by May 1, 2015 to be eligible for entry. Steers and heifers must have been continuously owned in the name of the exhibitor and personally cared for and may be transferred from 4-H Club to FFA or vice versa or within family during the feeding period. Bill of Sale must be available to be checked if requested.

Steers and heifers must be out of a New Mexico resident cow, but may be the result of artificial insemination or embryo transfer.

A copy of the New Mexico Livestock Board Form 1 will be required for steers and heifers. Heifers showing in breed classes will be required to present a copy of the appropriate breed registration form and meet the requirements of their individual breed association.

### **2. Entries:**

The Entry Deadline is midnight September 1, 2015. Entries may be mailed to New Mexico Breeders Classic, P.O. Box 7458, Albuquerque NM 87194 or emailed to New Mexico Breeders Classic, P.O. Box 7458, Albuquerque NM 87194. Entry Fee is \$25.00.

### **3. Arrival:**

Entries must be on grounds by 9am Sunday, September 13th, 2015.

### **4. Steer Classification:**

Entries will be classified by weight. Prior to the show steers will be weighed at a holding area prior to entering the show ring. Steers must not weigh above 5% of the declared weight or will be disqualified from the show. NO FEEDING OR WATERING will be allowed in the holding area.

### **5. Request For Re-Weigh:**

A second weight will be allowed at the request of the exhibitor. The request must be made to the Weigh Master official, before steer leaves the scale. The second weighing will be the official weight of record.

## 6. Heifer Classification

### Herefords

1. Heifers, Junior Calves, calved on or after January 1, 2015
2. Heifers, Winter Calves, calved October-December 2014
3. Heifers, Senior Calves, calved August-September, 2014
4. Heifers, Summer Yearlings, calved May-July, 2014
5. Heifers, Spring Yearlings, calved March-April, 2014
6. Heifers, Junior Yearlings, calved January-February, 2014

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

### Angus

1. Heifers, Junior Calves, calved on or after March 1, 2015
2. Heifers, Junior Calves, calved January - February, 2015
3. Heifers, Late Senior Calves, calved between Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2014
4. Heifers, Early Senior Calves, calved between Sept. 1 - Oct. 31, 2014
5. Heifers, Late Summer Yearlings, calved July 1 - Aug. 31, 2014
6. Heifers, Early Summer Yearlings, calved May 1 - June 30, 2014
7. Heifers, Junior Yearlings, calved Jan. 1 – April 30, 2014
8. Heifers, Senior Yearlings, calved Sept. 1 – Dec. 31, 2013

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

### Red Angus

1. Heifer Calves, calved on or after January 1, 2015
2. Heifer Junior Yearlings, calved July 1 to December 31, 2014
3. Heifer Senior Yearlings, calved January 1 to June 30, 2014

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

### Charolais

1. Heifer, calved after January 1, 2015
2. Heifer, calved between September 1 and December 31, 2014
3. Heifer, calved between May 1 and August 31, 2014
4. Heifer, calved between January 1 and April 30, 2014

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

### Simmental

1. Heifers, calved on or after September 1, 2014
2. Heifers, Summer Yearlings, calved June 16 - August 31, 2014
3. Heifers, Spring Yearlings, calved April 1 - June 15, 2014
4. Heifers, Junior Yearlings, calved January 1 - March 31, 2014

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

## **Brangus**

1. Heifer, calved on or after September 1, 2014
2. Heifer, Summer Yearling, calved May 1 - August 31, 2014
3. Heifer, Junior Yearling, calved January 1 - April 30, 2014

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

## **Limousin**

1. Heifer, calved on or after January 1, 2015
2. Heifer Calves, calved May 1 - December 31, 2014
3. Heifer Calves, calved October 1 - April 30, 2014

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

## **Brahman**

1. Heifers, born in 2015
2. Heifers, born in 2014

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

## **Chianina**

1. Heifer Calves, calved on or after September 1, 2014
2. Heifer, Summer Yearlings, calved April 1 - August 31, 2014
3. Heifer, Spring Yearlings, calved January 1 - March 31, 2014

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

## **Maine-Anjou**

1. All 2015 born calves will be split after check-in
2. Senior Calves, September 1 to December 31, 2014
3. Summer Yearling Heifers, May 1 to August 31, 2014
4. Spring Yearling Heifers, March 1 to April 30, 2014
5. Junior Yearling Heifers, January 1 to February 28, 2014
6. Early Senior Yearling Heifers, September 1 to December 31, 2013

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

## **Gertrudis**

1. Heifer calves, calved on or after April 1, 2015
2. Heifer, Junior & Senior calves, Sept. 1, 2014 - March 31, 2015
3. Heifer, Summer & Junior yearlings, calved Jan. 1 - Aug. 31, 2014

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

## **Salers**

1. Heifer, born in 2015
2. Heifer, born in 2014

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

## **Shorthorn**

1. Heifer calves, calved on or after September 1, 2014
2. Summer yearling females, calved May 1 to August 31, 2014
3. Spring yearling females, calved Jan. 1 to April 30, 2014

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

## **American Lowline**

1. Heifer calves, calved on or after January 1, 2015
2. Heifer calves, calved July 1 to December 31, 2014
3. Heifer calves, calved January 1 to June 30, 2014
4. Heifer calves, calved July 1 to December 31, 2013

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

## **A.O.B. (All Other Breeds & Crosses)**

### **(Commercials, Not Registered or Recognized by a Breed Association)**

Heifers will be broken at the discretion of the Superintendents, determined by the hip height method. Superintendents may add classes if needed. Heifers must be Born on or after January 1, 2014. If there is a discrepancy, heifers will be toothed to determine age.

1. Heifer-short
2. Heifer-tall

**Champion**

**Reserve Champion**

**Supreme Champion**

**Reserve Supreme Champion**

## **7. Prizes:**

Buckles will be awarded to Grand and Reserve Champions.

Premiums will be paid based on the amount of money in the pot after expenses.

Champions & Reserves for each steers and heifers will receive 50% of the pot.

Champion 30%

Reserve 20%

Class Winners will receive 50% of the pot.

1<sup>st</sup> pays 50%

2<sup>nd</sup> pays 30%

3<sup>rd</sup> pays 20%

## **8. Showmanship**

The New Mexico Junior Cattle Growers' Association (NMJCGA) will hold a showmanship contest immediately following the New Mexico Breeders Classic. Exhibitors must be members of the NMCGA as of September 13, 2015. Exhibitors will be broken into three (3) age groups. Buckles will be awarded to the winner of each group during the 2015 Joint Stockmen's Convention to be held in Albuquerque December 3 through 6, 2015.