



MINNESOTA BEEF SHOWCASE

SALE AND AGRIBITION

SALE ENTRY GENERAL RULES

Featuring the MN Angus State Sale, MN Gelbvieh State Sale,
MN Maine Anjou State Sale, MN Limousin State Sale
and other Breeds.

- 1) **DATE & LOCATION:** March 29, 30 & 31; Red Horse Ranch Arena. 22671 County Highway 10, Fergus Falls, MN 56537 Phone: Office: 218.736.3000 Fax: 218.736.3232
- 2) **ENTRY FEE:** \$100.00 per head. The entry fee includes \$40.00 bedding fee for stalls and tie outs. \$60 will be used for sale expenses which will be deducted from the total sale expense. Entry fee must accompany entry form and made payable to Minnesota Beef Showcase. No sales will be charged the sale expense percentage minus \$60.00.
- 3) **ENTRIES ARE DUE FEBRUARY 1, 2011.** All entries will be published in one catalog.
- 4) **SALE CATTLE:** Sale is open to bulls, heifers, bred heifers, bred cows and cow/calf pairs 8 years old or younger. Sale is open to pens of 3 in all sale divisions.
- 5) **FEMALES:** All females must be officially calf-hood vaccinated for Brucellosis with the vaccination tattoo listed on the health certificate. Bred females need to be pregnancy checked.
- 6) **BULLS:** All bulls born before January 1 of the prior year must be halter broke. Haltered bulls should be lead with a nose lead at all times. Bulls over one year of age should be semen tested.
- 7) **EMBRYO LOTS:** Embryo lots of 3 embryos and confirmed embryo recipis are also accepted for sale.
- 8) **ENTRY FORMS:** Separate entry forms for single entry and pens of three are available. Use one entry form for each single entry (form #1) and one entry form for each pen (form #2).
- 9) **PEDIGREES:** A copy of pedigree of each animal consigned must accompany entry form. Consigner must have original registration paper at time of check in to be included in the sale.
- 10) **REGISTRATION PAPERS:** The consignor will be responsible for transferring registration papers and any expenses for transfer of paper.
- 11) **QUALITY OF CONSIGNMENTS:** The MN Beef Showcase committee reserves the right to refuse cattle for temperament, cleanliness, structure and overall quality. Sale committee and association representatives are available to assist with the selection of cattle for the sale.
- 12) **UNHALTERED CATTLE:** Pens will be available for unaltered cattle. Keep in mind haltered cattle bring a better price.
- 13) **ARRIVAL TIME:** Cattle may arrive on Thursday March 29. Cattle must be ready for viewing by 9:00am Friday March 30.
- 14) **HEALTH PAPERS:** All entries must have health papers. Minnesota is TB Free, no TB testing is required. One health paper is required for each animal.
- 15) **GENETIC DEFECTS:** Genetic Defects will be handled according to each Breed Association requirements.
- 16) **BREED SALES:** All breed sanctioned sales will follow their association rules governing their sales.
- 17) **SALE ORDER:** All breeds will sell separately. All breed association sanctioned sales will sell first other breeds will follow. Individual breed sales will sell consecutively on Saturday March 31st. Sale will start at noon. Sale time subject to change depending on number of sale entries.
- 18) **LOADING OUT AND DELIVERY:** It will be the responsibility with assistance from the consignor to arrange transportation and loading of cattle following the sale. No cattle may be removed for the premises until arrangement for payment has been made with the clerk of the sale.