

So you want to take a Dairy Feeder Steer

Exhibitors are responsible to read and comply with all rules from ODA, Senior Fair Boards and Livestock Committees



<u>Project Book:</u> #117Dairy Feeder Steer for 1st year members, or Washington County Livestock Record Book for 2nd year members and beyond (required for Skillathon). FFA exhibitors see your advisor for requirements.

ALL project books must be in print form.

Resource Guide: #117R Beef Resource Handbook

Enrollment Form Due: April 15 – completed enrollments turned in between April 16 and May 1 will be accepted with a

\$10 late fee. After May 1 NO LATE ENROLLMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED

Project Animal Requirements: See Back

Pre-Fair Tag-In: 1st Saturday in June, 8-10 am (can tag-in maximum of 3), Washington Co. Fairgrounds

*Castrated, hornless and healed by date of tag in *Fair weight limits: Min. 350# Max. 700#

*Blue Breed Verification Card due on or before June tag-in or not eligible for project

<u>Quality Assurance:</u> Exhibitor and one parent/guardian **must** attend one of the sessions offered in Washington County or any other Ohio County.

See Important Market Livestock Dates in the Junior Fair Activities Guide or 4-H Calendar available at the Extension Office or online at http://washington.osu.edu for dates, times and locations.

Skillathon: Skillathon is **required** for exhibitor to be eligible to show and/or sell at the fair

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What Fair will I show at? Washington County Fair (always Labor Day Weekend)

Fair Pen Reservations Due? Mail directly to the Fair Board Office – 922 Front St., Mtta, 45750

Forms available from the Extension Office, Junior Fair Activities Guide and/or website http://washington.osu.edu What happens at the Fair?

Check in – 8-8:30pm - Friday (completed DUNF must be presented to committee before weighing in)

Buyer Thank you posters – make a Thank You poster to thank previous buyer. Hang it in the barn. See Jr Fair Guide for details and size

Classes – To be eligible to sell, exhibitor must do both Showmanship and Market Classes

See Fair Schedule for dates and times of showmanship and market classes

What is the Premier Exhibitor Award?

High scoring exhibitor from skillathon (100 points), showmanship (100 points) & market class placing (50 points)

Sale: Tuesday, Multi-Purpose Arena (Buyers Reception before sale).

See Fair Schedule for sale order and time

What happens after the Sale?

Thank/contact buyers – thank buyers by note, call or in person

Sale Checks – checks are mailed directly to the exhibitors after payment from buyers has been made. If you have questions about your checks contact a 4-H Livestock Committee member.



For Further information or Questions contact OSU Extension Office at 740-376-7431 visit our web site at: http://washington.osu.edu