

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.

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| 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

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| 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 |
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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 5: SHORTHORN CONFORMATION - OPEN:

Open to CSA Registered Purebred Shorthorn animals which are not owned by the Junior Member.

- 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

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

CLASS SPLITS – to be determined by the Show Organizers

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-park-hotel/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:

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. Registration will close on June 30 at 11:59pm.

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 will be accepted for registrations between July 1 and July 10 at 11:59pm. Late fees will be \$100.00 for exhibitor and 1 animal and \$45.00 for additional head/unit.

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 shorthornjrnationals@yahoo.com or on our Facebook page