



## Purebred Cattle Show & Sale Rules & Regulations *Details subject to change.*

*The Sioux Empire Livestock Show is proud to feature the 72<sup>nd</sup> annual Purebred Cattle Show & Sale!*

**Entry Deadline:** All entries must be submitted online at [sioux.fairwire.com](http://sioux.fairwire.com) or received by mail by November 15, 2024. Entries not received or made online by November 15<sup>th</sup> will not be accepted.

**Entry Fees:** \$130 for BULLS & \$110 for HEIFERS per head; no refunds, however, substitutions can be made on the day of check-in. All entries must be submitted online ([sioux.fairwire.com](http://sioux.fairwire.com)) or received by mail on or before November 15, 2024. You must include the following: copy of certificate of registry, footnotes, and bull service in case of females. Entries not received by November 15 will not be accepted. Entry fees must accompany entry and be made payable to the Sioux Empire Livestock Show, 200 N. Phillips Ave., Suite 200, Sioux Falls, SD 57104. Age: All animals must be born after January 1, 2023.

**Entry Information:** The exhibitor must identify the specific breed of the entry when entering. The breed registry, registered name of the animal and registration certificate number for each entry is required at the time of entry. The name and registration number of the sire and dam is also required through both online and postal mail entry forms and must be received by the SELS on or before November 15. **If any breed consigns less than ten (10) head by the November 15<sup>th</sup>, that breed(s) will be transferred to the AOB Show & Sale.**

**Online Entry Information:** Enter online through November 15, 2024. Go to [sioux.fairwire.com](http://sioux.fairwire.com) to register online! If you have any questions, feel free to contact Brooke Hendrickx, Show Manager, at [bhendrickx@siouxfalls.com](mailto:bhendrickx@siouxfalls.com) or 218-639-3758.

**Registration Papers:** ORIGINAL REGISTRATION PAPERS MUST ACCOMPANY THE HEALTH CERTIFICATE.

*Consignors are responsible for completing the transfer of ownership on registration paper(s) immediately following the sale, including transfer fees.*

**Quality:** A screening committee will be checking cattle during the Show for soundness and quality. Any cattle sifted will be asked to leave the building prior to the sale, with no refund of entry fees. We ask you to bring your best, so we can have one of the top sales in the area.

**Supreme Row:** The 2025 Sioux Empire Livestock Show's \$12,000 Supreme Row is brought to you by our generous sponsors: The First National Bank in Sioux Falls (gold sponsor), First Bank & Trust (silver sponsor), and The Cattle Business Weekly (bronze sponsor). *See enclosed rules.*

**Purebred Sale Catalog:** All 2025 Sioux Empire Livestock Show entries will also be published in a catalog. The catalog is distributed through The Cattle Business Weekly. You are encouraged to do your homework and invite buyers, as well. The catalog will also be published on the Sioux Empire Livestock Show website and be available to all visitors of the 2025 Show.

**Arrival Time:** Cattle can arrive any time after **3 p.m.** on Monday, January 20<sup>th</sup>, but must be stalled by 12 p.m. (noon) on Tuesday, January 21<sup>st</sup> at the W. H. Lyon Fairgrounds Expo Building – 100 N. Lyon Blvd., Sioux Falls, SD 57107.

**Check-In Time:** 5 p.m. on Tuesday, January 21, 2025. During Consignors Meeting.

- Angus Bulls will be weighed at 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, January 21, 2025.

**Show & Sale Time:** Show: 9 a.m. Wednesday, January 22, 2025. Sale: Approximately 12:30 p.m. on Wednesday, January 22; sales will run concurrently. Sale order to be determined, based on breeds represented, with the AOB Sale concluding Sale Day.

**Release Time:** All cattle will be released at the conclusion of Supreme Row Social (6:30 p.m. on January 22).

**Additional Fees:** Eight percent (8%) of each sale will be retained to compensate for advertising and sale expenses.

**NO SALES MUST PAY THE SALE COMMISSION ON THE LAST BID ACCEPTED.**

\$1 fee will also be deducted for the Beef Checkoff.

\$10 will be deducted for the first layer of wood chips.

*If you desire more than what is provided, you must bring your own.*

Fitting Chute: One fitting chute will be allowed per three animals at a fee of \$30 per chute with the second chute allowed in with the fourth head at an additional cost of \$30. Upon barn check-in, chute tags will be issued and must be visible on the fitting chute(s).

**Additional Information:** Terms of each breed sale are cash or check with a settlement to be made with the Sale Clerk at time of sale. Consignors and/or buyers' representative(s) should be prepared to pay the total price in the absence of the buyer.

After an animal is sold, it will be led from the sale ring to stalling area. Sold animals may not be removed from the building until the pink slip is presented to and initialed by Sioux Empire Livestock Show staff in the information shed. Arrangements may be made to house the animal overnight, but care for that animal is solely the responsibility of the consignor or buyer.

Each consignor accepts the responsibility of guaranteeing breeding soundness of each animal consigned. The Sioux Empire Livestock Show acts only as an agent and does not assume any responsibility for the health and breeding soundness of the animal. All guarantees are strictly between buyer and seller.

The buyer assumes all risk on animals as soon as they are declared sold. The Sioux Empire Livestock Show, the Greater Sioux Falls Chamber of Commerce, the W.H. Lyon Fairgrounds, and anyone associated with helping with the Show assumes no responsibility for accident of injury and will not be responsible for any injury, loss of any animal, or accident thereby. **ALL LIVESTOCK CONSIGNORS ARE RESPONSIBLE, AT ALL TIMES, FOR THEIR ANIMALS AND THEIR WELFARE** (i.e.: if one gets loose, etc.).

**Cattle Health Requirements:** A current, completed Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI), listing individual animal official identification (official ear tag or registration tattoo accompanied by the registration certificate) must accompany all animals exhibited. The CVI must be issued within 30 days of entry. CVIs written for animals originating from outside the state of South Dakota must have a telephone import permit number listed on the certificate. Import permits are issued to the veterinarian completing the CVI and can be obtained by calling (605) 773-3321. Cattle originating from outside of the state may be subject to more requirements. Animal health import requirements can be found at <http://aib.sd.gov/mainimport.html> or call the SD Animal Industry Board at (605) 773-3321.

**Trichomoniasis:** All non-virgin bulls must be tested negative within 30 days of the sale date. Approved testing methods include:

- One negative PCR test conducted on a preputial scraping sample.
- Three consecutive negative culture attempts of preputial scraping samples collected with a minimum of seven days between each collection.

The veterinarian issuing the CVI must certify that the bull has not bred since the start of the test and a copy of the test results must be attached to the CVI. Virgin bulls are exempt from testing. **MAKE SURE IT IS STATED ON THE CERTIFICATE IF YOUR BULL(S) IS/ARE VIRGIN.**

Cattle must be free of any infectious, contagious, or communicable disease at the time of entry onto the Fairgrounds. If warts have been surgically removed, the scars must be healed by the time of exhibition.

Semen check is required on all bulls 15 months of age, or older, as breed requires. We must have the **DATES OF TESTS AND WHERE THEY WERE TESTED** (name of lab and address) listed on CVI.

**ALL INFORMATION MUST BE RECORDED ON THE CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION TO ACCOMPANY THE ANIMALS ENTERED.**

When you get your catalog, put your lot number on the top right-hand side of the CVI. Give the CVI to the barn attendant in blue information shack in the northeast corner of the stalling barn prior to unloading.

Any questions regarding the health of an animal will be based on the animal's condition as it is presented on entry day. This determination is at the discretion of the Show veterinarian and official show representative.

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# SIoux EMPIRE LIVESTOCK SHOW

## GOLD SPONSOR



## SILVER SPONSOR



## BRONZE SPONSOR



## \$12,000 Supreme Row Rules & Regulations

1. Animals must be owned by consignor and registered in same name 6 months prior to entry date.
  - a. Exception for registration only: The dam of animals born in 2023 must be registered in consignor's name six months prior to entry date. (Breed representatives may require entries to be first owner.)
2. Minimum of 50% interest and full possession of animal must sell.
3. Grand Champion Bulls and Grand Champion Heifers from each qualifying breed must be displayed on Supreme Row from 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 22. The animal's care will be the consignor's responsibility.
4. Judging format will be announced at the Sioux Empire Livestock Show.
  - a. The Supreme Row Social will be held immediately after the Supreme Row Judging on Wednesday, January 24. The Supreme Row Social is a great opportunity to visit after the cattle sales and enjoy some beverages with other producers from the region.
  - b. All Supreme Row exhibitors will be entered into the drawing for a 1-year lease on a livestock trailer provided by M.H. EBY, Inc. Drawing of the trailer will take place at the conclusion of Supreme Row Judging by an M.H. EBY, Inc. representative.
  - c. The Supreme Bull and Supreme Heifer will be selected at approximately 6 p.m. on Wednesday, January 22, however the presentation of the Supreme Champions will be made at the Sale of Champions on the evening of Friday, January 24, which takes place at the north end of the Expo Building.
5. All registration certificates of animals sold will be transferred to a bonafide new owner, who is independent of the consignor. The Sioux Empire Livestock Show will check with breed associations, or other sources before sending award money and reserves the right to check in the future to verify bonafide sales of Supreme Champions.
6. The Sioux Empire Livestock Show reserves the right to determine if rules have been violated and impose penalties on all individuals and firms involved. Penalties may include withholding, or reimbursement of all awards and being banned from future Sioux Empire Livestock Shows.
7. Any deviations or changes to these rules will be the discretion of the Sioux Empire Livestock Show; consignors and buyers will be informed in appropriate and timely manner. Decisions of the Sioux Empire Livestock Show are final.

