



2011 Ontario Spring Discovery Show

March 30 & 31, 2011

at Ancaster Fairgrounds, Jerseyville, Ontario

Welcome Exhibitors,

The Ontario Spring Discovery Show Committee is pleased to be presenting the 2011 edition at the Ancaster Fairgrounds in Jerseyville, Ontario on March 30 & 31.

Included in the 2011 show are:

- Red & White Holstein Heifer Classes – 5 Classes; Intermediate Calf, Senior Calf, Summer Yearling, Junior Yearling and Senior Yearling (including both Intermediate and Senior Yearlings). Black & White classes and Red & White classes will alternate, beginning with Black & White Holsteins at 9:30 a.m.
- ***Ontario Spring Discovery Silent Embryo Auction***

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Ontario Spring Discovery Show Committee

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Schedule of Events

Monday, March 28

11:00 AM

Agriplex open for cattle to be moved-in

Tuesday, March 29

5:30 PM

All animals to be checked in by the breed association

Wednesday, March 30

5:30 – 9:00 AM

Exhibitor Coffee served in the barns (*sponsored by Genervations*)

7:00 – 8:30 AM

Exhibitor Breakfast

12 Noon

Exhibitor Pizza Lunch

4:00 PM

Purina Cup Showmanship Competition, Judge: Mike West, Guelph, ON

6:30 PM

Ontario Spring Discovery Jersey Show *begins*

6:30 PM

Ontario Spring Discovery Silent Embryo Auction *begins*

Thursday, March 31

5:30 – 9:00 AM

Exhibitor Coffee served in the barns (*sponsored by Genervations*)

6:00 – 8:00 AM

Exhibitor Breakfast

9:30 AM

Black & White Holstein, Red & White Holstein Show

1:00 PM

Ontario Spring Discovery Silent Embryo Auction *concludes*

Holstein Judge: Justin Burdette, Mercersburg, PA ,

Jersey Judge: Steve Borland, Ormstown, QC

Entry Rules & Regulations

1. This is an OPEN SHOW. There are no restrictions on the number of animals an exhibitor may enter and show.
2. Entry fee is \$15.00 per animal, (including H.S.T.), with no entry fee for the group classes. **Entries close Friday, March 14, 2011.** Entry fees must accompany the entries. All faxed entries must include a valid **VISA & MASTERCARD** number. Only entries for which the entry fee has been received will be catalogued. A late entry fee of \$50.00 (including H.S.T.) will apply to all animal not catalogued.
3. Substitutions are limited to a maximum of two (2) per exhibitor (not necessarily within the same class or breed). All substitutions and late entries must be declared and fees paid to the show management prior to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 29, 2011.
4. An Exhibitor Agreement Forms must be signed as a condition of entry. Rules and Regulations for Showing Dairy Cattle, and Standard Procedures and Penalties for Enforcing Rules and Regulations for Showing Dairy Cattle are available at any time from the Ontario Spring Discovery Office, or show management at the time of the show.
5. Stabling allotment is on the entry form. Please complete and return with entry. Separate stabling for CHAH and Leucosis Free Status herds will be available. If there are changes before the show, please notify Dwayne Hartle 519-318-6060 or Chris Kyle, 519-632-7602.
6. Showmanship is on the entry form. All Canadian 4-H members are eligible to compete. International youth ages 9-21 as of January 1, 2011 are also encouraged to compete. It is the responsibility of the leadsperson to arrange a calf to show.
7. All Exhibitors are asked to be considerate and courtesy to the overall condition and appearance of the cattle barn. Please remember to remove any leftover supplies & feed after the show, to help reduce clean up costs. Failing to do so, may result in clean up charges/bill.

Black & White, Red & White and Jersey Prize List – Entries close March 14, 2011

- * Red & White Holstein class immediately following respective Black & White Class
- * Class 1: Intermediate Calf, born after December 1, 2010
- * Class 2: Senior Calf, born September, October or November 2010
- * Class 3: Female Summer Yearling, born June, July or August 2010
- * Class 4: Female Junior Yearling, born March, April or May 2010
- * Class 5: Female Intermediate Yearling, born December 1, 2009 to February 28, 2010
(*Jersey & Holstein Only*)
- Class 5a: Female Senior Yearling, born September 1, 2009 to February 28, 2010 (*Red & White Only*)
- Class 6: Female Senior Yearling, born September, October or November 2009 (*Jersey & Holstein Only*)
- ***Junior and Reserve Junior Champion**
- Class 7: Junior Herd – A group of three (3) junior animals bred by one breeder as defined by the National Breed Association.
- Lunch Break** (time permitting)
- Class 8: Female 2 Year Old, born Sept 1, 2008 to August 31, 2009. In milk.
- Class 9: Female Junior 3 Year Old, born March 1, 2008 to August 31, 2008. In milk.
- Class 10: Female Senior 3 Year Old, born September 1, 2007 to February 28, 2008. In milk.
- Class 11: Female 4 Year Old, born September 1, 2006 to August 31, 2007. In milk.
- Class 12: Female 5 Year Old, born September 1, 2005 to August 31, 2006. In milk.
- Class 13: Female Mature Cow, born prior to September 1, 2005. In milk.

Grand and Reserve Grand Champion

Class 14: Breeder's Herd – A group of three (3) animals bred by one breeder as defined by the National Breed Association.

Special Awards

Production Awards based on total kilograms of fat on a completed 305 day record for each milking class (Junior 3 year old through to Mature cow). To qualify for this award, the animal must place in the top five (5) of her class. *Sponsored by Gay Lea Food Cooperators.*

Bred and Owned Awards will be presented to the animals whose breeder is the owner of the animal, as defined by the National Breed Association Guidelines. *Sponsored by Gencor*

Premier Breeder Banners will be presented to the individual, partnership or institution having the largest number of points won in the individual classes by not more than ten (10) animals, bred but not necessarily owned by the breeder. In the case of jointly bred animals, points will be awarded as defined by the National Breed Association. *Sponsored by Jones Feed Mills*

Premier Exhibitor Banners will be presented to the individual, partnership or institution having the largest number of points won in the individual classes by not more than ten (10) animals. This does not limit the number of animals that may be shown. In the case of jointly owned animals, the joint ownership will be considered as one exhibitor and no part of the points awarded will count toward the individual point total of any of the joint owners. *Sponsored by Jones Feed Mills*

Points will be awarded on the following basis:

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th
Junior Females	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Milking Females	20	18	16	14	12	10	8	6	4	2

A Premier Sire will be calculated on the same basis as the Premier Breeder and Exhibitor. However, at least one-half of the points for Premier Sire must be earned by milking females.

Additional Show Details

- Harness Cards will be used. Exhibitors are responsible for providing their own harness.
- Trailer Parking – Please park your trailer in the lots designated.
- Each exhibitor shall hold the show management blameless for any loss or accident. It shall also be a condition of entry that each exhibitor shall be responsible for any injury or damage that may be occasioned to any person or things whomsoever or whatsoever against all claims or demands for loss or damage occasioned thereby. Every exhibitor must carry liability insurance. In most cases, exhibitors are covered with the farm liability for up to five shows. Please check with your insurance company.
- Patty Jones will be on-site to take portraits on show day.

Directions From Toronto (East)

Take the 401 West to exit 52 – 427 South. Keep right and merge onto Queen Elizabeth Way. Merge onto 403 W and continue until you reach the County Road 52 exit. Turn left onto County Road 52/Trinity Rd. The Ancaster Fair Grounds will be on the right hand side.

From Windsor (West)

Take the 401 East to the 403 East exit. Continue on 403 East to the County Road 52 exit. Turn right onto County Road 52/Trinity Rd. The Ancaster Fair Grounds will be on the right hand side.

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