


**MAINE STATE HOLSTEIN SHOW
MONDAY, AUGUST 28, 2017 9:00 A.M.
JUDGE JAMIE BLACK, CONSTABLE, NY
WINDSOR FAIRGROUNDS, WINDSOR, MAINE**

The 2017 Maine State Show will be held at Windsor Fairgrounds on August 28, 2017. Below, please find relevant information for this event.

RULES FOR SHOW:

1. Show rules will follow national show rules.
2. Entry Deadline: August 15, 2017.

Enclosed is a complete list of classes and an entry form Please fill out the entry form and send it to the contact below. Additional entry forms are available online at www.nesholsteins.com and on Facebook.

<p>Entry Deadline: August 15</p> <p style="text-align:right"></p> <p style="text-align:center"><u>Send Entries to:</u> David Marcinkowski 5735 Hitchner Hall University of Maine Orono, ME 04469-5735 Fax: (207) 581-4430 Phone: (207) 581-2740 Email: davidmar@maine.edu</p>
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3. **Entry fee of \$5.00 per head** is due at the time entries are submitted. Fees are charged *for all junior and adult entries*. Make checks payable to Pine Tree Holstein Association.
4. Added entries will be accepted until 6 p.m. on Sunday, August 27. A **late entry fee of \$25.00 per head** will be assessed for any animals that are not entered prior to the August 15th deadline and any entry payments received after that deadline. Please send in entries prior to the deadline and make sure that payment is included with the entry form.
5. Cattle must be in place by 9 a.m. Sunday, August 27 and remain in place until 5:00 p.m. August 28. (May arrive before Sunday.)
6. Entries and production verification will be conducted by *6 p.m. on Sunday, August 27*. All animals must be entered and entry payments must be received by this time. Animals will not be allowed to show without payment of the entry fee.
7. Junior clipping contest will take place Sunday at 5:00 p.m. and junior showmanship will be Monday morning before the conformation classes.

8. Use of show harnesses is required and are to be provided by each exhibitor.
9. Premier Breeder and Exhibitor points will be computed on six (6) head.
10. Judge to designate outstanding showman/sportsman of show.
11. Fair cattle for the Windsor Fair shows will stay until Labor Day. Windsor offers attractive premiums and encourages Holstein Breeders to participate. Contact Curtis Prime, Supt.
12. **Judge's reception follows show:**
Food, spirits, and merriment
Presentation of Showman/Sportsman Award
Premier Breeder and Premier Exhibitor awards

*The judge's reception provides exhibitors a chance to visit with the Judge, breeders, and guests. Exhibitors are encouraged to contribute any food or beverage in an effort to make this a memorable event to all participating.
13. There will be a herdsmanship contest with premiums of \$50 (1st), \$25 (2nd) and \$25 (3rd). To be considered, a minimum of six (6) head must be included in the exhibit. An exhibit is limited to a single ownership. If more than one owner is cooperating in presenting an exhibit, the person in charge must be designated when entries are checked. Entries will be judged based on:
 - a. Care and presentation of cattle;
 - b. Effectiveness of display in promoting cattle and/or dairy products; and,
 - c. Attitude of personnel involved with the exhibit toward fairgoers, prospective customers, and fair management.
14. There will be a railbird judging contest on one milking class and one heifer class. This will include a small entry fee. Winners will be announced at the judge's reception and money prizes awarded in both Junior and Senior categories.
15. 2018 judges voting ballots will be available at the show.

Reminder: E.S.E. entry deadline is August 15.