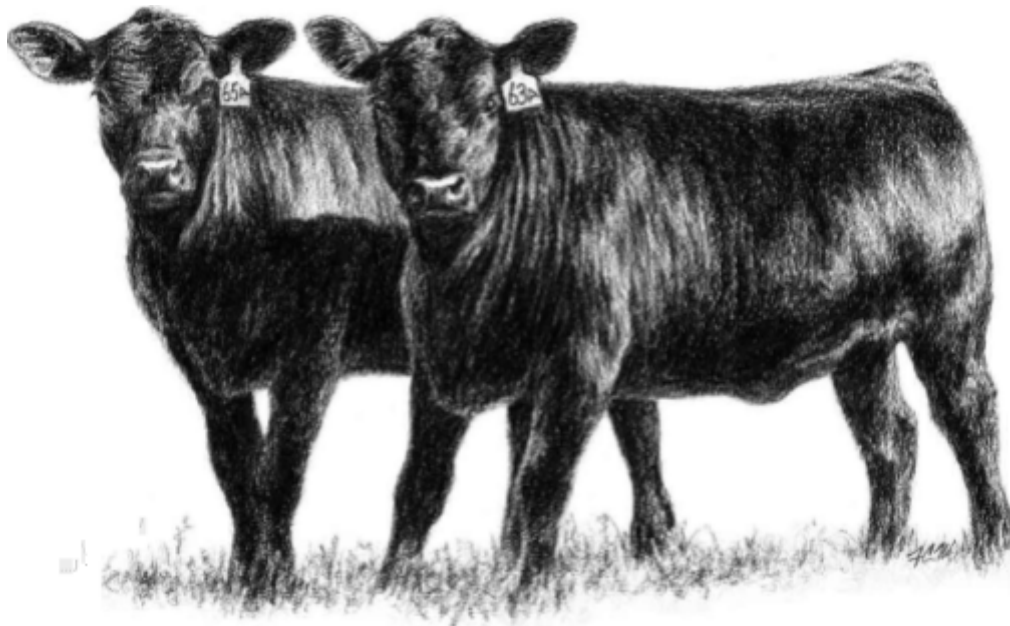# Polk County Youth Fair

Beef Breeding Record Book

Commercial Heifer and Registered Beef

POLK COUNTY YOUTH FAIR

Breeding Animal Record Book

This record book is to be turned in at check in.

Circle one: REGISTERED BEEF COMMERCIAL BEEF
EXHIBITOR NAME: AGE:
CLUB or CHAPTER:
I hereby certify that as the exhibitor of this project, I have personally been responsible for the care of this (these) animal (s), have personally kept records on this project, and have personally completed this record book. Exhibitor Signature _____ Date: _____
I/ We the parents/Guardians certify that our son/daughter has completed this project and completed this record book and will comply with all the rules and regulations of this show. Parent/Guardian Signature _____Date: _____
This child is a member of the _____FFA Chapter/ 4-H Club, And is eligible to show livestock at the Polk County Youth Fair. I verify that this record book has been completed by the student and is an accurate representation of the project. FFA advisor/ 4-H leaders signature _____Date_____

Purpose:

THE PURPOSE OF A BREEDING ANIMAL YOUTH PROJECT IS TO ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING:

1. To acquire an understanding of animal production for caring for and keeping record for your animal(s)
2. To acquire knowledge of feeding, caring, raising, breeding and marketing your fair animal(s).
3. To understand the business aspects and responsibilities of your animal(s).
4. To develop responsibility for your animal(s), record keeping, leadership, and knowledge of the community.

*It is very important you take care of your animal, keeping them healthy, keeping them free from harmful drugs or harmful situations. You are responsible for your animals' livelihood.

*This record book will be read, checked for dates, signature's and calculations please make sure every page has been completed to the best of your ability.

* You may make additional copies of pages if needed.

* You must have these items at check in:

___Health Certificate ___.Registration Papers (unless showing commercial)   ___Record book

*You will be directed to your tie area after all paperwork has been approved.

DRUG STATEMENT

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ANY DRUG, ANTIBIOTIC OR BIOLOGICAL SUBSTANCE WHICH MAY HAVE BEEN ADMINISTERED BY MYSELF, OR ANY OTHER PERSON, WAS DONE SO IN STRICT COMPLIANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S LABEL REQUIREMENTS OR UNDER VETERINARIAN SUPERVISION.

_____
SIGNATURE OF STUDENT

_____
SIGNATURE OF PARENT/ GUARDIAN

PROJECT GOALS:

Explain three goals you plan to accomplish, learn, or achieve while completing this beef breeding project. Goals may be specific to the care of your animal, management of your herd, performance in shows, or personal growth as a result of what you've learned. List goals that are specific and measurable.

GOAL #1:

GOAL #2:

GOAL #3:

PROJECT ANIMAL INVENTORY (ASSETS): (Make copies if additional space is needed).

List all the animals you own at the beginning of the project year and add any animal(s) you purchase, lease, or are born to your animal during this project year. Animals SOLD must be recorded under Income.

NAME	REG. NUMBER	DATE BORN	BREED	SEX	BEGINNING VALUE $	DATE ACQUIRED
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
VALUE ANIMAL ASSETS	************	**********	**********	****	$	*********

PEDIGREE AND BREEDING RECORDS: (Use one page per animal. Make copies for Additional Animals)

ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION

NAME: _____REG. #_____
DATE OF BIRTH: _____EAR TAG # _____
ID BRAND OR PERMANENT TATTOO _____

IF NOT BRED AND OWNED:

DATE PURCHASED OR OBTAINED: _____
PURCHASED/ LEASED FROM: _____
PRICE: _____

PEDIGREE:

<div>
SIRE-

NAME/NO.

SIRE   DAM-

DAM   SIRE-

NAME/NO.

DAM-
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HERD BREEDING RECORDS:

If your animal has not reached breeding age, please indicate "None" in the charts below.

NATURAL BREEDING:

HERD BREEDING RECORDS					
DATE EXPOSED	DATE REMOVED	DAM NAME/ID	SIRE NAME/ID	BRED Y-YES N-NO	DUE DATE

ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION:

HERD BREEDING RECORDS					
DATE OBSERVED ESTRUS	DATE A.I.	DAM NAME/ID	SIRE NAME/ID	BRED Y-YES N-NO	DUE DATE

CALVING RECORD:

List all calves born to your project animal(s). Record the income received from the sale of any calves during this project year in the "Income" section of this book. If no calves are born, enter "None".

DATE BORN	CALF NAME	SEX	DAM NAME/ID	SIRE NAME/ID

HEALTH AND VETERINARY RECORDS:

This should include a record of any health related activities (deworming, vaccination, dehorning, tattooing, or use of veterinarian services for any reason such as health certificates). Fill in all applicable information. Be sure to identify the animal treated or indicate "All" if the entire herd was treated. If the animal is healthy throughout the project make note of that. Remember to include the cost of veterinary services in NONFEED EXPENSES.

DATE	ANIMAL ID	DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITY	PRODUCT USED	WITHDRAWAL TIME	DOSEAGE

PROJECT INVENTORY (ASSETS): (Make copies if additional space is needed).

List equipment and assets, <u>specific to this project,</u> that you had at the beginning (clippers, blowers, tack). After listing those items, keep an ongoing list of supplies you purchase for your project throughout this year. Even items given as gifts must be assigned a dollar amount for value and added to your inventory. Do not list expendable items such as shampoo. When identifying the year owned, you do not need to write the words "current year" or "last year"-- only the digits of the year when the item was bought.

Item Description	Year Item was Acquired	Original purchase cost	Depreciation (10% of purchased cost, per year	TOTAL AT VALUE END OF PROJECT
EXAMPLE Clippers	2 years ago	$108	10% or .10 x $108 =$10.80 x 2 years =$21.60	$108-$21.60 =$86.40
EXAMPLE Lead Rope	Last year	$10.00	10% or .10 x $10 =1.00	$9.00
EXAMPLE Feed Scoop	Current year	$8.00	no depreciation the current year	$8.00
TOTAL DEPRECIATION EXPENSE	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	$	XXXXXXXXXX
TOTAL VALUE OF ASSETS	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	$

NON- FEED EXPENSES:

List everything you purchased that you will NOT have at the end of the project and is NOT feed or hay. This includes show entry fees, veterinary expenses, A.I. semen or other breeding costs, purebred registration fees, cost of printing pictures for recordbook, etc. Also include expendable items such as shampoo, adhesives, bedding, etc. Items which will be used in the future such as tools and equipment should be listed on your Project Inventory page.

DATE	DESCRIPTION	PAID TO	TOTAL COST
TOTAL NON-FEED EXPENSE			$

FEED EXPENSES:

List all feed expenses on this page. Each feed purchase should be listed separately or monthly.

Note: Hay expenses will be listed separately on the following page.

DATE	DESCRIPTION	PAID TO	POUNDS	COST
TOTAL FEED EXPENSE				$

HAY EXPENSES:

List all hay expenses on this page. This is hay that is eaten, not used for bedding. Bedding is listed under Non-Feed Expenses. If the animal(s) were kept in pasture for forage, record this as a note in this section. Do not forget to include the purchase of hay for shows and fairs.

DATE	DESCRIPTION/TYPE	PAID TO	QUANTITY	COST
TOTAL HAY EXPENSE				$
TOTAL FEED AND HAY EXPENSE				$

INCOME:

Income from your project should be recorded here. Include income from the sale of calves, sale of breeding stock, stud fees received, show premiums or other money earned.

DATE	DESCRIPTION	TOTAL
TOTAL INCOME *if none enter a zero		$

SPONSOR INCOME:

You should record any money given to you for support from a sponsor. Example: If someone buys or provides store credit for feed, hay, or show supplies for your animal. No sponsorship money is to be turned in. You are responsible for collecting/managing all money pledged.

SPONSORS NAME	Total
TOTAL SPONSOR INCOME *if none enter a zero	$

GRAND TOTAL FROM SPONSOR, SALES, AND OTHER INCOME	$

PROJECT FINANCE SUMMARY:

<u>INCOME:</u>

Income (from page 13)

TOTAL INCOME

[ ]

<u>EXPENSE:</u>

Total Depreciation Expense (from page 9) $_____

Non-feed Expense (from page 10) $_____

Feed + Hay Total Expense (from page 12) $_____

TOTAL EXPENSE

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<u>Final Summary:</u>

Profit/Loss Summary

(Total Income minus Total Expense)

[ ]

<u>ASSETS:</u>

Animal Inventory (from page 5) $_____

Project Inventory (from page 9) $_____

TOTAL ASSETS

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PROJECT PHOTOGRAPHS:

Show the beginning and progression of your project using a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 8 colored photographs. Include captions (in complete sentences) for each picture. Captions and pictures should reflect on skills you have learned or important aspects of caring for your animal. When writing captions, explain what you are doing in the pictures and describe why you are doing it. Use correct spelling, grammar, punctuation, and neatness.

Project Story:

Your story is an important part of your project experience! Discuss reasons for selecting this project (breed, cost, experience, interests, etc) and how you came to show this particular animal(s). Describe the kind of work you did each day/week/month in caring for your animal(s). Share some of the new knowledge and skills you learned, and explain your project plans for the future. What went well? What would you improve upon? How do you hope to grow or change your project? Include stories or any other information about your experience that you find applicable. Use proper spelling, grammar, punctuation, and neatness. You may type or write your story and include additional pages if necessary.

JUDGES SCORING SHEET

EXHIBITOR NAME:		
CLUB NAME:		
CIRCLE ONE: JR.	INT.	SR.

SECTION	POINTS	POINTS EARNED	RUBRIC SCORING GUIDE. WHAT ARE WE LOOKING FOR?
1. Signatures and drug agreement	5		All are signed.
2. Project Goals	6		2 points awarded per goal. Goals should be specific and measurable.
3. Project Animal Inventory	5		All applicable information is completed.
4. Pedigree/Breeding Records	9		All applicable information is completed.
5. Herd Breeding Records	5		All applicable information is completed or otherwise marked none.
6. Calving Record	5		All applicable information is completed or otherwise marked none.
7. Health and Veterinary Records	5		All applicable information is completed or otherwise marked healthy. Must include health certificate at minimum.
8. Project Inventory	5		Calculations are correct. Depreciation included. At least five items are listed.
9. Non-Feed Expenses	5		Appropriate items listed.
10. Feed Expenses	5		Appropriate items listed.
11. Hay Expenses	5		Appropriate items listed. Information provided in each column.Forage note if applicable.
12. Income Page	5		Appropriate items listed. Information provided in each column or "zero"
13. Project Finance Summary	5		Completed accurately.
14. Project Photographs	8		2 points awarded per photograph/caption up to 8 points. Captions and pictures show safe interaction with animals and display skill.
15. Project Story	15		Well written for the student's age and answers the questions provided at the top of the story page.
16. Overall neatness	3		Neatness, grammar, spelling, punctuation, etc may be considered in each part of the record book, but overall neatness is considered here.

Total Points out of 100 =