

2024 Oklahoma Youth Expo Heifer & Steer Futurity Sale and Showback

Schedule of Events:

Heifer Sale

Sale Date: Saturday, March 16, 2024
Cattle Viewing: 5:30 p.m. on Sale day
Sale Time: 6:30 p.m.
Sale Location: Barn 8 Arena

Heifer Showback (For heifers purchased in 2023 sale)

Showback Check-in: Due at 9:00 a.m. – Beef Office
Showback Date: Friday, March 15, 2024
Showback Time: 11:00 a.m.
Showback Location: Barn 8 Arena

Steer Sale

Sale Date: Tuesday, March 19, 2024
Cattle Viewing: 5:30 p.m. on Sale Day
Sale Time: 6:30 p.m.
Sale Location: Barn 8 Arena

Steer Showback (For steers purchased in 2023 sale)

Showback Check-in: Due at 10:00 a.m. – Beef Office
Showback Date: Tuesday, March 19, 2024
Showback Time: 2:00 p.m.
Showback Location: State Fair Arena Ring 1

General Sale Information:

Cattle Arrival

- Heifers may begin arriving on Friday, March 15 at 8 a.m. and must be in place by 9:00 a.m., Saturday, March 16.
- Steers may begin arriving on Monday, March 18 at 6 p.m. and must be in place by 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, March 19.
- **Gates will close at 8 p.m. daily and will re-open at 8 a.m. each morning. No animals can be brought in while gates are closed.**
- Health papers will be inspected upon arrival and collected by sale staff at check-in.
- **Health papers will be required for EACH animal, dated within 30 days of Sale Day. Do not expect sale management to make copies for you. Multiple animals can be listed on the same paper, but you are expected to bring a copy for each animal you are selling.**

Sale Cattle Check-In

- Heifers - Saturday, March 16, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in the Futurity cattle stalling area.
- Steers - Tuesday, March 19, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. in the Futurity cattle stalling area.
- If you have questions about check-in, please call Sydnee at 405-368-0908 or Colton at 405-385-1054.

Stalling

- All futurity sale cattle will be stalled in Barn 8.
- Stalls will be assigned and marked prior to your arrival.

Tie Outs

- Tie out space is not guaranteed for sale cattle.

Paperwork and Fees

- Sale staff will validate cattle, paperwork and fee payment status at check-in. Animals not approved during check-in, or with incomplete registration/breeder certification or with unpaid fees will not be sold.
- **Initial paperwork due February 1, 2024**
 - Completed Information Packet for each consignment including a **profile photo of each consignment**.
 - Copy of registration papers or copy of application for registration, or if commercial heifer, the OYE Heifer Futurity Sale Breeder's Certificate or OYE Steer Breeder's Certificate.
 - Futurity fee of \$40/head (This fee will be returned in the form of premium money to exhibitors participating in the 2025 Futurity Showback)
 - Catalog and stall fee of \$35/head
- **Final Paperwork due at check-in (Heifers: Saturday, March 16; Steers: Tuesday, March 19)**
 - Original registration papers (not application for registration), signed and dated
 - Health papers for each animal-each animal must have a separate paper!
 - **Heifers that do not have a registration number on file with a breed association at the time of sale will be sold as commercial.**

Sale Order

- The sale manager will determine sale order.

Sale Commission

- Each consignor agrees to pay 10% commission based on the final ring bid of each lot. In the event that an animal's ring bid is less than \$1000 the consignor agrees to pay \$100 commission in lieu of the 10%. These fees are in addition to the \$40 Futurity fee and the \$35 catalog/stall fee.

Pass out fee "P.O."

- If the consignor chooses to floor their cattle and the desired bid is not obtained, the consignor will be charged \$100 in the event of a P.O. This fee is in addition to the \$40 Futurity fee and \$35 catalog/stall fee.
*******These animals will not be eligible for the Futurity Showback.**

Alley Trades

- Alley trades are prohibited. Animals sold as an alley trade are not eligible for Showback.

Oklahoma Youth Expo Heifer & Steer Futurity Sales Terms of Consignment

- Deadline for initial paperwork (photo, information form and copy of Breeder's Certificate, and registration papers or application for registration) as well as Futurity fees and catalog/stall fees is February 1, 2024.** Consignments made after February 1 will be accepted through February 10, 2024 and will be charged a \$20/head late fee. Cattle consigned after Saturday, February 10 may not be included in the sale catalog and are not guaranteed entry.
- All consignments must be born prior to November 1, 2023. No exceptions. Spring borns will be considered on a limited basis.**
- Registered and commercial heifers may be consigned. Futurity fees of \$40/head and catalog/stall fees of \$35 head are due at the time of consignment (February 1, 2024.) The Futurity fee will be returned to exhibitors in the form of premium money during the 2025 Futurity Show back. Cattle will not be allowed to sell unless all fees are paid.
- Registered heifers: A photocopy of registration papers or photocopy of the application for papers must be included with the Consignment Information Form due February 1, 2024. If a heifer qualifies for dual registration, please note any addition registrations that are pending and provide pedigree information. Heifers eligible for dual registration must be offered for sale with at least one completed registration. Original registration papers (not application for registration) must be turned into Sale Manager at the time of check-in (9:00 a.m., Sale Day.) **Under no circumstance will cattle sell as a registered without proof of registration available at the time of sale.**
- Breed designation: Steers should be consigned with the OYE Steer Classification guidelines in mind. Please visit the Oklahoma Youth Expo website at www.okyouthexpo.com for guidance on steer breed classification.
- Health papers dated within 30 days of sale day must accompany each consignment. **ONE COPY PER SALE ANIMAL, NO EXCEPTIONS.** Health papers must be turned in to the Sale Manager at the time of check-in.
- Each Consignment Information Form must be accompanied by at least one profile photo of the animal being consigned. Consignments received without an accompanying photo will not be included in the sale.** For show back verification purposes, it is imperative that a profile photo accompany each Consignment Information Form. Acceptable photos will be published in the sale catalog. The OYE Futurity Sale Superintendent reserves the right to decline any animal deemed not suitable for the sale. All consignment fees will be returned if an animal is declined for participation in the sale.
- Upon completion of the sale, consignors will see sale staff for the check-out process:
 - OCA - OYE Futurity Sales will mail sale proceeds to the consignor within 30 days of the sale date. 10% sale commission or \$100 (in the event that an animal's final ring bid is less than \$1000) will be deducted from your sale proceeds.
 - P.O.—In the case your consignment does not sale, the sale manager will collect the \$100 P.O. fee. The fee is due at the conclusion of the sale if you only have one consignment to the sale.
 - Floor Prices: Sale management will collect floor prices (the minimum you will accept for your consignment(s)) prior to the beginning of the sale. Should you choose to cover floor prices on your own, you will be charged 10% commission rather than the \$100 PO fee.
- Sale Management reserves the right of final approval of all sale consignments.

All sale cattle must be broke to lead.

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Consignment Photo Suggestions

- Please take at least one profile photo of calves with their head up.
- The photos should be taken in the sunlight with the sun at the photographers back to prevent unwanted shadows
- Photos should be taken outdoors to ensure proper lighting. Photos that are too dark will not reprint well in the sale catalog.
- Photos should be taken at a reasonable distance from the animal, not too close and not too far away.
- If cattle are haltered for the photo, do not tie the calf. Instead, hold the halter with enough lead to allow space between you and the calf. This will allow for you to be cropped out of the photo if needed for sale catalog.
- Avoid shooting at a location where the background is cluttered by corrals, fences, gates or trees.
- Please do not crop photos before sending.
- The sale management reserves the right to decline pictures for the sale catalog.

Notes about Sale Catalog

- Emailed digital photos are preferred to ensure better quality. If emailing photos, please include footnotes in the email. If you do not choose to email photos, please include photos with this form. Photos should be received no later than February 1, 2024. The sale manager will determine photos included in the catalog.
- Please identify animal in the photo so that it can be correctly placed with its paperwork.

We appreciate your participation in the 2024 OYE Heifer & Steer Futurity Sale and Showback. Your cooperation coupled with the efforts of the sale staff ensures that this event will be successful. Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions that you may have.

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