



2017 North Okanagan Breeder's Cup

Judge: Brian Goertzen

Judging Day: July 12/13, 2017

Awards Presentation: July 13, 2017

This is a CONFORMATION COMPETITION that is aimed at promoting the registered Holstein breed by attracting and encouraging members to participate without the cost and time constraints of travelling.

This is an ON FARM competition – Open to the North Okanagan

Classes:

- There will be four classes:
 - 1st Lactation
 - 2nd Lactation
 - 3+ Lactations
 - 60,000 kgs +
- Cows must be bred and owned by the exhibitor and housed in the North Okanagan
- Cows must be in full flow of milk to be eligible for competition
- Cows must be registered with Holstein Canada (**Have paper available on judging day**)
- Exhibitors may enter 2 cows per class, except in 60,000 kgs + class – only 1 entry per exhibitor
- Must have proof of completed 60,000 kgs for 60,000 + class

Rules and Regulations

- Animals may be washed and clipped but not fitted for the ring (no toplines)
- Cows are not allowed more than 12 hours of milk
- There are no classification or production requirements to enter
- Cows that have been shown within the past year in an “in milk” class are not eligible to compete

Judging Process:

- Exhibitors will be given the day and estimated arrival time of the judge after all entries are submitted
- On judging day, exhibitors will be given a 15 minute warning of judge's arrival
- Cows must be separated in area where they can walk freely and easily be judged
- Judge will make notes and take pictures of each entry.
- After all on-farm visits are completed, judge will place the top 5 within each class.

Awards:

- Awards will be presented on July 13th at Sunninghill Holsteins, 15 Grandview Bench Rd, Grindrod
 - Pizza dinner/social to begin at 7pm
 - Awards presentation at 8:30pm
 - i. Top 10 in each class will be considered for Production Award
 - ii. Judge will also select a Breeder's Herd Winner – best pair from one breeder

Entries:

- Entries must be **emailed** to gina.flukiger@gmail.com by **July 1st** with the following information:

Exhibitor Name/Prefix	Class	Animal Name and Registration Number	Contact Name and Phone Number for Judging Day
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- For any questions regarding entries, please contact Gina Haambuckers at 250 540 3675
- **No late entries will be accepted**
- Entry Fee is \$10.00 per animal - cheques payable to the North Okanagan Holstein Club
 - Fees can be sent to 2293 Deep Creek Road, Enderby BC V0E 1V3 or given to Gina **before judging day**
 - Unpaid entries will not be eligible for competition