



Canadian Junior Shorthorn Association (CJSA)
2021 National Junior Shorthorn Show
Rules and Regulations
July 8-10, 2021 – Lacombe, AB

The Canadian Junior Shorthorn Association is proud to give our juniors the opportunity to show off their accomplishments.

1. Entry fee is \$40 for juniors attending the show, and \$25 for juniors only submitting online entries to be judged at the show. Entry fee for juniors attending show also includes the cost of a banquet ticket.
2. The \$40 entry fee includes one animal in the conformation show, any additional entries will be \$10 per animal.
3. Juniors must register as a Canadian Junior Shorthorn Association member before the show (\$25 + HST/GST). Email registry@canadianshorthorn.com or call the CSA registry at 306-757-2212 to purchase your membership.
4. All participants must be 21 years and under as of January 1st, 2021.
5. All cattle entered in the show must be broke.
6. Registration papers must accompany exhibitor, and all registered animals must be tattooed.
7. Animals must have proper RFID Indicators (CCIA).
8. Substitute entries are permitted.
9. Each member will send a completed entry form via email to juniors@canadianshorthorn.com which will include the activities they have chosen to participate in by **June 25, 2021 (e-transfer entry fees to same email)**.
10. Each member attending in person must choose to participate either **in at least five out of the 10 activities** listed below: Juniors who cannot attend the show can submit entries in the events starred* below to be judged at the show (All juniors competing in starred competitions must submit your competition entries by email by **July 4, 2021**. Submit your entries via email to juniors@canadianshorthorn.com
 - a. Conformation Show
 - b. Photography Competition*
 - c. Graphic Design Competition*
 - d. Literature Competition*
 - e. Public Speaking Competition*
 - f. Sales Talk Competition
 - g. Judging Competition
 - h. Team Judging Competition
 - i. Team Grooming Competition
 - j. Showmanship Competition
 - k. Cattlemen's Written Test (Mandatory) – will be emailed to **all** entrants after June 25, 2021
11. There will be four age divisions – peewee (8 and under), junior (9-12), intermediate (13-15) and senior (16-21). Age as of January 1, 2021.
12. The CJSA board has the right to decide upon any point not covered by these rules.

Conformation Show Rules

1. Members are allowed to enter any animal: owned, family owned or borrowed.
2. All cow/calf pairs must have natural calf shown at side.
3. Juniors can only enter and show one animal per conformation class.
4. Animals may be entered in a maximum of one class except 2021 calves which can be shown in calf class and with their natural dam in a pair class and animals entered in the peewee division.
5. Classes may be split, depending on the number of entries.
6. Members participating in the conformation show must wear a show harness to ensure the judge can identify the animal by the show number. The member who enters the animal, must be the individual showing the animal.
7. Arrival is Thursday, July 8 by 6 pm and departure is by noon Sunday, July 11. Mixer Thursday night, show 9 am Friday, skills competitions 10 am Saturday, banquet and awards Saturday night.

1. Peewee Division: purebred or commercial - animal may be owned by the exhibitor or by someone else. **(The Peewee class will have all the entries judged together. Peeweeps may only show in one division, animals may show in two but must be exhibited by another member).**

- a. Heifer Calf (born on or after January 1, 2021)
- b. Heifer (born on or after January 1, 2020)
- c. Bull calf (born on or after January 1, 2021)
- d. Steer calf (born on or after January 1, 2021)
- e. Steer (born on or after January 1, 2020)

2. Open Division: purebred animal can owned by someone other than the junior exhibitor.

- a. Heifer calf (born on or after January 1, 2021)
- b. Heifer (born on or after January 1, 2020)
- c. Two-Year-Old Female (cow born on or after January 1, 2019) (calf born on or after January 1, 2021)
- d. Mature Female (calf born on or after January 1, 2021)

3. Bred & Owned Female Division: purebred animal must be bred & owned by junior exhibitor.

- a. Heifer calf (born on or after January 1, 2021)
- b. Heifer (born on or after January 1, 2020)
- c. Two-Year-Old Female (cow born on or after January 1, 2019) (calf born on or after January 1, 2021)
- d. Mature Female (calf born on or after January 1, 2021)

4. Bred & Owned Bull Division: purebred animal must be bred & owned by junior exhibitor.

- a. Bull calf (born on or after January 1, 2021)
- b. Yearling Bull (born on or after January 1, 2020)

5. Bull Division: purebred animal

- a. Bull calf (born on or after January 1, 2021)
- b. Yearling Bull (born on or after January 1, 2020)

6. Shorthorn Plus Division: animal can owned by someone other than the junior exhibitor

- a. Heifer calf born on or after January 1, 2021
- b. Heifer born in 2020
- c. Two-Year-Old Female born in 2019 with natural calf born in 2021 (calf does not have to be registered as Shorthorn Plus)
- d. Mature Female born in 2018 or earlier with natural calf born in 2021 (calf does not have to be registered as Shorthorn Plus)
- d. Steer calf (born on or after January 1, 2021)
- e. Steer (born on or after January 1, 2020)

Photography Competition: (to be submitted via email to juniors@canadianshorthorn.com by July 4)

1. Members are to take a pasture picture with a Shorthorn(s) present in the photo.
2. Only one photography entry is allowed per member.

Graphic Design Competition: (to be submitted via email to juniors@canadianshorthorn.com by July 4)

1. Peewee members will pick a costume (fun hat, Halloween costume, cool glasses, whatever they may choose) and dress themselves and/or their animal of choosing. They will then get a picture taken of themselves and their animal, add their name to the photo and submit it to the email shown above.
2. Junior, intermediate and senior members will produce a one-page advertisement electronically, selling an animal(s) of their choice. Ads are to be emailed in PDF or jpeg format.
3. Only one marketing entry is allowed per member.

Literature Competition: (to be submitted via email to juniors@canadianshorthorn.com by July 4)

1. Members are to write a poem, short story (fiction, or nonfiction), or essay about agriculture with a Shorthorn(s) present in the writing.
2. Only one literature entry is allowed per member.

Public Speaking Competition: (Post speech on YouTube and submit link to juniors@canadianshorthorn.com by July 4)

Juniors can present a speech on a topic that is agriculture or Shorthorn related. Peewee speech time limit 1-3 minutes, Junior speech time limit 2-4 minutes, Intermediate speech time limit 3-5 minutes, and Senior speech time limit 4-8 minutes.

Sales Talk Competition:

A live setting, complete with a potential buyer as a judge. Sales talk evaluates participants' ability to promote a product or animal. Time is given at the conference; participants are not permitted to use/submit materials in advance.

Juniors will pick from a selection of show supplies to "sell" to the judge.

Intermediates and Seniors will pick from a selection of registered Shorthorn cattle to sell. They will be supplied with the animal's picture and registration paper.

Judging Competition:

Peewees and Juniors will go first with assistance provided by older members if wanted. Intermediate and Senior will follow and there will be a 15 minute time limit for each group. On an individual basis, participants will judge one (1) beef class. Classes will be determined at the show by the show committee. Participants will complete written reasons on the class on the cards they are given.

Show Team Judging Competition:

This competition gives members the opportunity to judge and ring a live class. Members will be paired in teams of two in which they decide who will be the judge and who will be the ring person. They will be required to have the cattle move around the ring and place them like a judge would during a conformation class and follow that with a set of reasons on a live mic. The team will be judged on their communication throughout the class, how well they keep the class organized as well as the reasons that are given by the member who plays the judge role.

Team Grooming Competition:

Teams of 3-4 participants of the same age category. Team members will be pre-determined.

- Compete in a 10 - 20 minute grooming competition, depending on whether power is available

- Any animal may be used for this competition
- Animal must be washed and dried before the grooming competition
- Before any grooming can be done each entry must be examined by the Judge
- Any fitting prior to commencement of the competition will result in disqualification of the team from the competition
- Clippers and blowers may only be used if power is available
- All entries will be judged in a show ring situation
- Once at chute area you are not allowed to leave so bring all equipment with you

Showmanship Competition:

Showmanship classes will be held separately from conformation. All exhibitors are automatically entered. Animals can be made available to participants not exhibiting animals. Based on showmanship skills – presentation of oneself and presentation of how the animal is shown.

Cattlemen's Written Test:

The purpose of the Cattlemen's Written Test is for CJSA members to show their individual knowledge on the Shorthorn breed, the cattle industry and the beef industry.

The test will be completed on Google Forms, and juniors will have 2 days to complete the quiz. Doing the test is **mandatory** in order to be able to compete in any of the rest of the show.

1) The quiz will consist of multiple-choice questions.

a) Peewee and Junior - 15 questions

b) Intermediate - 25 questions

c) Senior - 35 questions

Aggregate:

Aggregate points will be awarded in each age category and event. Juniors will get 1 point for each activity they compete in. Points will be awarded to 5th place in each event, with 1st place receiving 6 points, 2nd place receiving 5 points etc. Points will be totalled, and winners will be announced at the banquet. The more activities you enter the better your chances of winning aggregate in your age category!

Entry deadline: June 25, 2021, email entries to juniors@canadianshorthorn.com and e-transfer entry fees here as well

Entry content deadline: July 4, 2021, email entries to juniors@canadianshorthorn.com

For any assistance, please contact our show committee via email – juniors@canadianshorthorn.com

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