

## CAMPING REGULATIONS

The following regulations are to ensure the orderly placement of trailers, campers, tents and motor homes for the week of the Queens County Fair in Caledonia, Queens County. This effort and camper co-operation, is required to maintain maximum capacity within regulations for fire and public safety.

1. No camper units are allowed to enter the grounds or set up prior to 8 a.m. the Sunday before the yearly fair start date.
2. No campers are to be left on the grounds or set up without an attendant designated by the Board of Directors present, except those belonging to Directors who are there to work and who have previously been assigned sites.
3. Returning campers will be assigned the site used in previous years unless otherwise requested. In that case, the camper will be assigned a site to be designated by the parking attendant.
4. **CAMPING FEES MUST BE PAID PRIOR TO PARKING. The attendant will not be accepting camping fees so you will be required to show a paid receipt before you are permitted to park . Anyone who chooses to prepay with your entry will be required to pick up your receipt at the Westfield Gate before proceeding. All others will be required to stop and pay the camping fees before proceeding to the camping area.**
5. Exhibitors Fees - \$60.00 per week (taxes included)
6. Non-Exhibitors fees - \$15.00 per night (taxes included)
7. Canopies may not be able to be used, dependant on space available will be authorized at the discretion of the attendant.
8. Water connections to be secured to prevent leaking (prevent strain on the water conditioning system).
9. It is recommended by the Queens County Fair that all Recreational Vehicles and Campers be equipped with a working fire extinguisher.
10. **Campers are requested to keep their site free of litter and please place garbage in the receptacles provided in the camping area for early morning pick-up. You are requested to leave your site free of garbage as well as any other items when leaving the grounds at the end of the week. Also, you are requested not to place any items in the compost bins which should be placed in garbage cans.**

**PLEASE CHECK WITH PARKING ATTENDANTS BEFORE PARKING LIVESTOCK TRAILERS AS SPECIFIC AREAS HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED FOR THAT PURPOSE-DEPENDANT ON WHICH BARN YOU ARE ASSIGNED. DUE TO A SHORTAGE OF PARKING SPACE –ONLY ONE PARKING PASS PER CAMPER WILL BE AVAILABLE NO AVAILABLE PARKING IN OTHER AREAS ON THE GROUNDS –ANY VEHICLE NOT DISPLAYING A PARKING PERMIT WILL BE REMOVED AT THE OWNERS EXPENSE**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION**

**QUEENS COUNTY FAIR 2016**

**Caledonia, N. S.  
SEPTEMBER 20<sup>TH</sup> -24th**

THE EXHIBITION GROUNDS WILL BE OPEN SUNDAY, 8 A.M. TO ACCEPT CAMPERS-CHECK RULES PAGE 1  
THE EXHIBITION GROUNDS WILL BE OPEN MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19<sup>TH</sup> FROM 8 A.M TO 9 P.M. TO  
RECEIVE LIVESTOCK ENTRIES. THE MAIN BUILDING WILL BE OPEN FROM 12 NOON TO 6 P. M. TO  
RECEIVE ENTRIES.

**NOTE:** ALL LIVESTOCK ENTRIES ARE TO BE RECEIVED BY MAIL OR DELIVERED TO THE SECRETARY BY  
**AUGUST 31<sup>ST</sup>** TO INSURE THERE IS AVAILABLE SPACE. ALL ENTRIES MUST BE COMPLETED IN FULL  
WITH CONTACT INFORMATION, LIVESTOCK INFORMATION, ALL CLASSES TO BE ENTERED LISTED AND  
PAYMENT IN FULL FOR ENTRY FEES, CLASS FEES AND EXHIBITOR ADMISSION. ( INCOMPLETE ENTRY  
FORMS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED TO RESERVE LIVESTOCK STALLS. ) YOU ARE REQUIRED TO ENCLOSE  
PROOF OF INSURANCE EITHER WITH YOUR ENTRY, ON ARRIVAL OR AT SCALES WHEN WEIGHING  
LIVESTOCK. YOUTH AND LADIES WILL BE REQUIRED TO SHOW PROOF OF INSURANCE WHEN  
REGISTERING FOR THEIR CLASSES. THE WAIVER ON THE ENTRY FORM MUST BE SIGNED.

**ATTENTION:** WHEN LIVESTOCK IS IN THE BARN PROCEED TO THE WESTFIELD GATE TO COMPLETE  
REGISTRATION AND RECEIVE YOUR EXHIBITOR BRACELET AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

**LIVESTOCK EXHIBITOR FEES**

Adult Exhibitor Pass (13 years & over)	\$12.00
Child Exhibitor Pass (5 – 12 years)	5.00
Exhibitors under 5 years of age	Free
Livestock Entry fee, per head	3.00
Class Entry Fee, per Class	1.00
Post Entry Class Fee	5.00

**WEIGH IN FOR LIVESTOCK - MONDAY, Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> - from 3 pm – 4 pm & 7pm - 9pm**

**PUBLIC ADMISSION PRICES**

Adult Season Ticket (13 year and over)	\$25.00
Adult Day Pass (13 years and over)	\$7.00
Child Season Pass (5 – 12 years)	\$5.00
Child Day Pass (5 – 12 years)	\$2.00
Children under 5 years admitted free	
Car Pass	\$5.00
Wednesday, September 21 <sup>st</sup> - Children's Day – School Children – Free	

# QUEENS COUNTY FAIR 2016 - September 20<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup>

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President - Elliot Payzant	Vice President - Peter vanDyk
Secretary Manager - Doreen Holdright	Assistant Manager - Jonathan Roach
	Treasurer - Yvonne Mansfield
Shelley Conrad	Carolyn Tufts
Carolyn Conrad	Mark Roach
Stephen Fullerton	Rene Sutherland
Larry Forrest	Scott Mansfield
Tommy Kaulback	Doris Atkins

## COMMITTEES

BEEF BREEDS	Rene Sutherland, Michael Reeves, Kevin Sutherland, Chris Whynot,
DRAFT HORSE	Stephen Fullerton, Kerri Fullerton, Kevin Minnick, Tina Brown
DRAFT SHOW HORSE	David Freeman, John Tufts, Everette Henley, Ronnie Uhlman, Marissa & Kyle Smith, Doreen Holdright
LIGHT HORSE	Shelley Conrad, Ronna Young, Carla Mahoney, Tina Roy, Judy Frail Heather Whynot
OXEN	Larry Forrest, Jonathan Roach, Mark Roach, Carolyn Tufts
WEIGHING COMMITTEE	Jonathan Roach, Stephen Fullerton, Scott Mansfield
MOTOR SPORTS	Rene Sutherland, Scott Mansfield, Tom Kaulback,
PARADE COMMITTEE	Jonathan Roach, Bruce Peach, Robert Carver, Dennis Wills
MAINTENANCE & PLANNING	Elliot Payzant, Peter vanDyk, Tom Kaulback, Larry Forrest Scott Mansfield, Stephen Fullerton, Mark Roach
CAMPING & STORAGE	Tom Kaulback, Scott Mansfield, Bruce Peach

## GENERAL LIVESTOCK REGULATIONS

1. Horses, cattle and other livestock will be received on Monday until 9 p.m. Unavoidable delays will be dealt with at the discretion of the appropriate committee.
2. The Fair grounds will be open to the public Tuesday through Saturday - 8 a.m. to 11 p.m.
3. Judges of livestock will meet at the Manager's Office on Tuesday to pick up their books and proceed to judge classes as scheduled. On completing their judging, these books are to be signed and returned to the Manager's office.
4. No cattle of any breed under 3 months of age shall be allowed to compete for prizes.
5. Pedigrees of all purebred animals over one year of age shall be shown at the time of judging. For purebred animals under one year of age the name and number of sire and dame shall be submitted in writing at the time of judging. Grade animals are the progeny of a purebred sire.
6. Animals low in flesh or otherwise inferior character, unworthy of a place in exhibition, will not be admitted under any circumstances.
7. All livestock entries shall be received by the date as shown in the prize books, on forms which are supplied by the Fair and are required to be completed with contact information and registration for livestock and all class entries .
8. Safety of Exhibits: though the Association will take reasonable precaution to insure the safety of articles sent or brought to the exhibition, yet it must be definitely understood that the owner themselves must assume all risk. Should any article be accidentally injured, lost or stolen the association will give all the assistance in its power toward recovery
9. All livestock must be shown in the ring unless otherwise specified. In estimating the value of livestock the judges will take into consideration where animals of different ages are competing against each other.
10. No animal or article can compete in more than one class or in more than one section of the same class except as a herd.
11. No reward or money prize not offered in the list will be paid except it be highly recommended by
12. It does not follow that because a prize is offered for any particular animal or article, that it must be awarded unless there is proper competition or unless the exhibit is of sufficient merit to warrant the award being made
13. Exhibitors can ascertain from the Superintendent in charge of several departments, when the judge will examine their exhibits. No complaint based upon the statement that Judges overlook animals or articles will therefore be entertained by the executives.
14. Livestock for competition or exhibit shall not be removed from the grounds before 9 p.m. the closing day of the Exhibition.
15. Exhibitors must supply proper fastenings for safety securing the animals in stalls. The Committee will not be responsible for any injury or accident to any animal during the time of the Exhibition or on the Exhibition grounds.
16. Five members of the general committee shall form a quorum for the transaction of business.
17. Any Exhibitor infringing any of the regulations shall forfeit all or any of the prizes that may have been awarded to him.

18. Prize Colors: 1<sup>st</sup> - Red 2<sup>nd</sup> - Blue 3<sup>rd</sup> - White 4<sup>th</sup> - Green
19. No person shall be allowed to interfere with the Judges while in the discharge of their duties. Exhibitors who interfere will forfeit their right to any premium to which they might otherwise be entitled. This rule is strictly enforced
20. Prize money not be paid out immediately following the class will be paid during the two week period following the closing of the fair, by cheque, through the mail. These cheques are to be cashed by the end of November. Exhibitors are urged to have their prize accounts checked at the fair office the day following the close of the Fair.
21. All hauling contests will be judged on a percentage basis unless otherwise stated.
22. Try as we may, we cannot always avoid mistakes, but we can and will cheerfully correct them. Please call our attention to our mistakes.

## CLASS 120 OXEN SHOW CLASS

PRIZE MONEY for Sections 1 - 7

1<sup>st</sup> Place - \$18.00  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - \$16.00  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - \$14.00  
 4<sup>th</sup> Place - \$12.00  
 5<sup>th</sup> Place - \$10.00  
 6<sup>th</sup> Place - \$8.00

### SECTIONS:

1. Pair Oxen, 6 years and over
2. Pair Oxen, 5 years
3. Pair Oxen, 4 years
4. Pair Oxen, 3 years
5. Pair Oxen, 2 years
6. Pair Steers, 1 year
7. Pair Calves, under 1 year

### SPECIALS DONATED BY:

- Section 1 - Calanda Farm, E & E Stamm  
 Section 2 - ShurGain Feeds N Needs  
 Section 3 - Calanda Farm, E & E Stamm  
 Section 4 - Neil & Karen Woodworth  
 Section 5 - Calenda Farm, E & E Stamm  
 Section 6 - Max Holdright  
 Section 7 - St Claire Tufts, Jr.

## BEST SHOW TEAM

1<sup>ST</sup> Place Team from each of Sections 4 to 7 to be judged for Best Pair of Oxen  
 Section 1 - Teams 3 years and under

\$20.00 Best Pair of Oxen - Donated by Carolyn Tufts in memory of StClair Tufts

1<sup>st</sup> Place Team from each of Sections 1 – 3 to be judged for Best Pair of Oxen  
 Section 2 - Teams 4 years and over

\$20.00 Best Pair of Oxen - Donated by Brooklyn & Layne Tufts in memory of Grampie, St Clair Tufts

### GRAND CHAMPION (Ribbon Class)

**1<sup>st</sup> Place winners from section 1 and section 2 Best Show Team**

**CLASS 121**  
**OX RELAY RACE**

- PRIZE MONEY:                    1<sup>st</sup> - \$120.00                    2<sup>nd</sup> - \$75.00                    3<sup>rd</sup> - \$45.00
1. Teams to consist of three (3) individual pairs of oxen.
  2. Rules and Regulations to be posted prior to class.

Sponsored by: Green Diamond Equipment, Middleton  
1<sup>st</sup> Place Trophies donated by: Harriet Hirtle  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place Trophies donated by: Julie & Stephen Whynot

**CLASS 122**  
**OX LOG YARDING**

- PRIZE MONEY:
- 1<sup>st</sup> - \$65.00  
2<sup>nd</sup> - \$55.00  
3<sup>rd</sup> - \$45.00  
4<sup>th</sup> - \$35.00  
5<sup>th</sup> - \$25.00

Sponsored by: Queens County Fair  
\$10.00 Best Sportsmanship                    donated by: Green Diamond Equipment, Middleton  
\$10.00 Best Performance -                    donated by: Green Diamond Equipment, Middleton

**OX LOG YARDING RULES**

**Each Exhibitor will enter only one team of Oxen due to time limitations.**

This will be a timed event only to break a tie. All entrants will be required to use the equipment provided. If the entrant requires assistance during the event - 20 demerit points will accrue each time he uses an assistant. If an obstacle is knocked over or moved out of place 10 demerit points will accrue, if it is jarred 5 points will accrue. Where a measurement of length is required 10 demerit points will be awarded for going over the set line and 5 demerit points for being short of the set line. All decisions will be at the Judge's discretion and will be final. Course diagram will be posted in advance.

**CLASS 123**  
**KIDS OX LOG YARDING**

**This Class open to Kids 14 years of age and under with Proof of Insurance.**

**PRIZE MONEY: \$50.00 Divided according to number of entries.**

Sponsored by: Chris & Shirley Whynot, Kevin & Rene Sutherland

## **CLASS 124**

### **BEST BROKE PAIR OF STEERS**

Steers to be 24 months and under and shown by a Boy or Girl 15 years of age and under. Steers to be owned by someone in the same family.

1<sup>ST</sup> Place - Trophy & \$10.00                      2<sup>nd</sup> Place - \$15.00                      3<sup>rd</sup> Place - \$10.00

Sponsored by: Maritime Ox Pulling Association

## **CLASS 125**

### **BEST DRESSED PAIR OF STEERS OR OXEN**

To be dressed in bells, pads, knobs and yoke (no extra trimmings)

PRIZE MONEY:                      1<sup>st</sup> - \$20.00                      2<sup>nd</sup> - \$15.00                      3<sup>rd</sup> - \$10.00

Section 1 - Steers 2 years and under

Sponsored by: George Mitchell Insurance

Trophy donated by: Queens County Fair

Section 2 - Oxen 3 and 4 years old

Sponsored by: Mary Lake Home Hardware

Trophy donated by: George Mitchell Insurance

Section 3 - Oxen 5 years and over

Sponsored by: Green Diamond Equipment

Trophy donated by: Green Diamond Equipment

### **EXHIBITOR & FREE FOR ALL OX PULLING RULES**

1. This will be a Hook-on and Stay-on Pull and Classes will be split as evenly as possible.
2. All Teamsters will draw for placings.
3. The rails will be nine (9) feet apart and made out of 2x4 or fire hoses.
4. First start will be a free start.
5. Once a team is hooked to the drag, after the free start, it must stay inside the rails, one full front foot outside the rail will constitute elimination
6. Load must be moved three (3) feet in any one of three starts.
7. Teams must remain hooked to the drag between starts.
8. Team has three (3) attempts to hook drag. Failure to do so will result in elimination.
9. Team has fifteen minutes to complete pull from the time the drag is set and announcer has notified the teamster. Ample warning will be given.
10. No cruelty of any kind will be tolerated. Light use of a whip is permitted, one warning, if second warning is necessary it will result in elimination.
11. Maximun weight added per start is 1200 lbs.
12. Winning placings will be decided on percentage basis.
13. Any Ties for Heaviest Load will be decided by measurement in inches successfully pulled on last load.

**PLEASE NOTE: 200 LB. BLOCK WILL BE USED FOR KIDS PULL, STEER PULL AND LIGHT CLASS PULLS ONLY**

**CLASS 126**  
**HAZEN & TRACY PRIME- IN MEMORY OF ST. CLAIR TUFTS**  
**EXHIBITOR OX PULL**

Classes to be divided as evenly as possible into Light, Medium and Heavy Classes.

**PRIZE MONEY:**      1<sup>st</sup> - \$110.00  
                             2<sup>nd</sup> - \$100.00  
                             3<sup>rd</sup> - \$ 90.00  
                             4<sup>th</sup> - \$ 80.00  
                             5<sup>th</sup> - \$ 60.00  
                             6<sup>th</sup> - \$ 40.00

\$30.00 Highest Percentage in Exhibitor Pull  
\$30.00 Heaviest Load successfully pulled

**TROPHY –Heaviest Load successfully hauled in Heavy Class -**

Donated by: PSAC Local 820 Kejimkujik National Park  
In Memory of St Clair Tufts

**CLASS 127**  
**STEER CLASS PULL**

This class is limited to Steers 2 years and under in their first pulling season. The teams are required to wear a head yoke. The rules for the pull will be the standard three foot pull rules. Any team entering in this pull will not qualify for the Championship Pull.

**PRIZE MONEY:**      1<sup>st</sup> - \$20.00                      2<sup>nd</sup> - \$15.00                      3<sup>rd</sup> - \$10.00

Sponsored by: Tom’s Pizza & Helen’s Cabins  
Trophy donated by: Queens County Fair

**CLASS 128**  
**KIDS STEER PULL**

**PROOF OF INSURANCE IS REQUIRED AT TIME OF REGISTERING FOR THIS CLASS. INSURANCE MAY BE PURCHASED FROM LARRY FORREST FOR \$10.00 IN ADVANCE OF REGISTERING FOR THE CLASS.**

1. Teamsters must be 15 years of age and under.
2. Steers must be 24 months and under.
3. Only one entry per teamster.
4. Hook-on and Stay-on pull.
5. Must move the distance of three (3) feet in one start. Maximum of three (3) starts.
6. Any team stepping over the rail on a start will lose that start.
7. Team must be entered in the fair in the teamster’s name.
8. Animals pulling in Kids Steer Pull cannot enter any other Exhibition Pull.
9. In all cases, the Judge’s decision is final.

**PRIZE MONEY:**      1<sup>st</sup> - \$20.00                      2<sup>nd</sup> - \$15.00                      3<sup>rd</sup> - \$10.00

Sponsored by: Cloverfarm, Caledonia, N. S.  
Trophies 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> donated by: Queens County Fair





## CHAMPIONSHIP MEMORIAL PULL

Qualifiers are the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Winners from the Light, Medium and Heavy Exhibitor Ox Pulls.

PRIZE MONEY:	1 <sup>st</sup> - \$100.00
	2 <sup>nd</sup> - \$90.00
	3 <sup>rd</sup> - \$80.00
	4 <sup>th</sup> - \$70.00
	5 <sup>th</sup> - \$60.00
	6 <sup>th</sup> to 9 <sup>th</sup> - \$50.00

Sponsored by: Frank Gavel Minkery Ltd.

Trophies for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Placings donated by: The Tufts Family

**IN FOND MEMORY OF ALL THE OX TEAMSTERS WHO HAVE PASSED**

## CONSOLATION OX PULL

**This pull is open to Exhibitors who did not qualify for the Championship Memorial Pull. It is a percentage pull. For this pull only, teams will be divided as evenly as possible into two classes, Light and Heavy.**

PRIZE MONEY:	1 <sup>st</sup> - \$60.00
	2 <sup>nd</sup> - \$50.00
	3 <sup>rd</sup> - \$40.00
	4 <sup>th</sup> - \$30.00
	5 <sup>th</sup> - \$20.00

Sponsored by: Ward Weare Trucking, RBA Fisheries Ltd., Green Diamond Equipment

## FREE FOR ALL OX PULL

**NOTE: All Teams weighing 2499 lbs and under will be divided into two (2) groups and will be the EXTRA LIGHT and LIGHT Classes - ALL TEAMS WEIGHING 2500-3000 LBS WILL BE IN THE BLUEWAVE ENERGY PULL - All Teams 3001 lbs and up will be in the Heavy Class.**

PRIZE MONEY:	1 <sup>st</sup> - \$60.00
	2 <sup>nd</sup> - \$50.00
	3 <sup>rd</sup> - \$40.00
	4 <sup>th</sup> - \$30.00
	5 <sup>th</sup> - \$20.00

Sponsored by: Silvers Garage, Chandlers Funeral Service, Arnold Hatt's Service  
\$10.00 - Heaviest load hauled in Free For All Pull donated by: Silvers Garage

## BLUEWAVE ENERGY OX PULL

HEAVY LOAD PULL- ROUND ROBIN PULL

All Teams weighing 2500 to 3000 Lbs on FREE FOR ALL DAY will be entered in the Bluewave Energy Pull.

### RULES:

1. The Drag must be pulled a distance of three (3) feet to complete a Start
2. Each Team will be allowed three (3) attempts to pull the required three (3) feet
3. Winner will be determined by the Heaviest Load hauled
4. The most inches hauled on the final load hauled will break any ties
5. Pulling order will be lightest to heaviest teams.
6. The starting load will be 2600 lbs and will be increased by 400 lbs each round
7. Each Team will hook the Drag where the last Team leaves it until the load reaches 5400 lbs.  
Then the Drag will be set.
8. Each Team will have three (3) attempts to hook the Drag.
9. Rails will be nine (9) feet apart.

### PRIZE MONEY -

1 <sup>ST</sup> Place	\$200.00 + Plaque
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	\$175.00 + Plaque
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	\$150.00 + Plaque
4 <sup>th</sup> Place	\$125.00 + Plaque
5 <sup>th</sup> Place	\$100.00 + Plaque

Balance of prize money to be divided  
According to number of teams entered

**SPONSORED BY: BLUEWAVE ENERGY**

## **SPECIAL PRIZE LIST**

\$10.00 Best Conformation of a Horned Beef or Ox at the Fair	Donated by: Jonathan Roach
Gift- Cleanest Ox Stall in the Ox Barn	Donated by: Valerie & Larry Merry
\$20.00 Best Sportsmanship by an Ox Teamster	Donated by: ShurGain Feeds N Needs
\$20.00 Oldest active Ox Teamster either pull or show at the Fair	Donated by: Queens County Fair
\$20.00 Youngest Ox Teamster entered in the Fair and showing In at least 2 classes	Donated by: Queens County Fair
Gift – Best Performance in all Exhibition Pulls	Donated by: Pineapple Creek

## **BEEF HERD DISPLAY**

**All beef exhibited at the Exhibition must have the required ear tags.**

A herd will be either purebred or commercial and will consist of 5 animals, bull optional.  
It is a requirement that all Beef Display stalls be decorated.

PRIZE MONEY:	To be divided equally among herds
SPONSORS:	New Grafton Cattle Company Clarence Farm Services (Purina Feeds) Atlantic Stockyards Ltd.

## **CLASS 1 KIDS CALF CLASS**

Kids to be 16 yrs. And under. Calf to be born in the current year. To be judged 60% calf and 40% showmanship of animal. Can be accompanied by an adult.

PRIZE MONEY:	\$100.00 to be divided among participants entered in Class
SPONSORED BY:	Arthur Conrad - Broken Bow Farm ShurGain Feeds N' Needs

