

COWSMOPOLITAN'S 2018 ALL-WESTERN COMPETITION

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Guidelines 2018

To qualify animals:

- Must be purebred of 75% or higher in purity registered Holstein
- Have placed in the top three at Western Canada designated shows
- All 2018 show placings must be listed

Entries

- Must be completed in full. If information is missing or incorrect (eg. sire name, wrong class, age etc) the entry may not be accepted
- Completed entry form must be submitted for each animal or Breeders Herd
- Photos must be taken during the 2018 show season
- Either a hard copy or photo number **MUST** be supplied
- In the event Cowsmopolitan does not have a current photo on file a reprint will be ordered at the owners' expense

4-H Entries:

- To be completed on the same form
- Must be shown by the member in the eligible shows
- All first, second or third placing at a 4-H or Junior shows on the below list qualify
- All Provincial 4-H shows, WCC and Canadian Classic

2018 All-Western Designated Shows

British Columbia

- North Okanagan (Armstrong) Spring Show - HO
- BC Holstein Spring Show (Abbotsford) - HO
- Vancouver Island Show (Duncan) - HO
- Interior Provincial Exhibition (Armstrong) - JE & HO

Alberta

- Calgary Dairy Classic - HO & JE
- Alberta Dairy Congress - HO
- Red Deer Westerner Championship Showcase - JE & HO

Additional 4-H Shows Only

- Western Canadian Classic
- Canadian Classic
- Provincial 4-H Shows
- Club Achievement Day

***Cowsmopolitan reserves the right to drop any Holstein show that does not have more than 75 entries as well as any Jersey show that does not have more than 25 head and consideration will be given for shows over 75 head.

*** National Show results will be published but not considered in placings.

DON'T FORGET TO GET YOUR COWS PHOTOGRAPHED

Entry forms available on line at
www.cowsmo.com

Call and we will mail, fax or email forms.

Fax form to 403-335-9230

Carol - 403-335-3780 or Lexi - 403-862-5600

Classes

1. **Junior Calf** Born March 1, 2018 to May 31, 2018
2. **Intermediate Calf** Born Dec. 1, 2017 to Feb 28, 2018
3. **Senior Calf** Born Sept 1, 2017 to Nov 30, 2017
4. **Summer Yearling** Born June 1, 2017 to August 31, 2017
5. **Junior Yearling** Born March 1, 2017 to May 31, 2017
6. **Intermediate Yearling** Born Dec 1, 2016 to Feb 28, 2017
7. **Milking Senior Yearling** Born Sept 1, 2016 to Nov 30, 2018
8. **Junior 2-Year-Old** Born Mar 1, 2016 to Aug 31, 2016
9. **Senior 2-Year-Old** Born Sept 1, 2015 to Feb 28, 2016
10. **Junior 3-Year-Old** Born Mar 1, 2015 to Aug 31, 2015
11. **Senior 3-Year-Old** Born Sept. 1, 2014 to Feb 28, 2015
12. **4-Year-Old** Born Sept. 1, 2013 to Aug. 31, 2014
13. **5-Year-Old** Born Sept. 1, 2012 to Aug. 31, 2013
14. **Mature Cow** Born prior to Sept. 1, 2012
15. **Breeder's Herd** group of 3 animals from the same breeding unit. The exhibitor must solely or jointly own at least one animal in the group; the other two animals may be owned by other exhibitors.

Jersey Classes

(If there are more than 3 entries per class, classes will be split into the appropriate class)

1. **Calf Class (Intermediate & Senior Calf)** born Sept. 1, 2017 to Feb 28, 2018
2. **Yearling Class (Summer, Jr & Int Yearlings)** born Dec 1, 2016 to Aug 31, 2017
3. **Intermediate Cows (2yr & 3yr Olds)** born Sept 1, 2014 to Nov 30, 2016
4. **Senior cows (4yrs & Older)** Born prior to Aug 31, 2014

Super Cow Class

Class will be based on 70% production, 10% classification and 15% on the photograph. Show results will not contribute to the nomination. The requirements to submit a nomination will be that the cow must be scored VG or better and production must be submitted along with a photo that **has been taken in the last 2 years**.

4-H Classes- All Breeds

1. **Intermediate Calf** born Dec. 1, 2017 to Feb 28, 2018
2. **Senior Calf** born Sept. 1, 2017 to Nov 30, 2017
3. **Summer Yearling** born Jun. 1, 2017 to Aug 31, 2017
4. **Junior Yearling** born Mar 1, 2017 to May 31, 2017
5. **Intermediate Yearling** born Sept 1, 2016 to Feb 28, 2017

(The 4-H name is used with the permission of the Canadian 4-H Council)

Selection Process

- Panel of judges will determine the top six nominations to be featured in the All Western Nomination section on line December 15, 2018 (Cowsmopolitan has discretion to use all animals in nomination process)
- A full panel of judges will then vote on the top six nominations and the winning entries will be published in the Spring 2019 issue of Cowsmopolitan
- Winners will be notified by phone by Jan 20, 2019

Entry Deadline

All entries must be received by November 15, 2018

Entry Forms will be available at fall shows or

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