

UPCOMING EVENTS:

State Events:

- June 9-10, 2023 SDJHA Field Day – Tripp County Fairgrounds, Winner, SD
- July 26-30, 2023 South Dakota Summer Spotlight -SD State Fair Grounds - Huron, SD
- July 30, 2023 -SDHA Special, Futurity and Carcass Contest - SD State Fair Grounds - Huron, SD

Other Events:

- June 17 - 18, 2023 Midwest Classic - Pipestone, MN
- July 8-14, 2023 - JNHE – Madison, Wisconsin
- August 30, 2023 - South Dakota State Fair Hereford Show

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South Dakota Junior Hereford Association (SDJHA) Newsletter



April 2023

SDJHA Field Day - 9-10, 2023 Tripp County Fairgrounds, 899 West 12th St., Winner, SD

ALL entries will be done using Fair Entry again this year. [FairEntry.com](https://www.fairentry.com) look for South Dakota Hereford Association Shows

- **Registration— OPEN NOW**
- **\$25.00 for entries received by Wednesday, June 7, 2023 @ 11:59 PM CST**
- **Late Entry Fee: \$50.00 (any entries received after 11:59 PM on Wednesday, June 7, 2023 CST).**
- Entries will be accepted at check in on June 9, 2023, however, Fair Entry must be used, and entry fees will \$50.00 each.
- 6:00 p.m. Thursday, June 8, 2023 - early stalling will be available
- **Check in will run from 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. on Friday, June 9, 2023.** Exhibitors must have health and registration papers.
- Dress: **Showmanship** - appropriate attire including collared shirt (long or short sleeved, polos are fine) and hard soled shoes.
- **Show on Saturday** - Required to wear SDJHA T-Shirt
- Room Block— Holiday Inn Express, Winner, SD under the SDJHA. \$120-130/night plus tax. Block expires on 5/23, 2023. Call (605)842-2255 for reservations and/or information.
- Contests to be held:
 - * Extemporaneous Speaking
 - * Future Professionals Contest
 - * Illustrated Speech Contest
 - * Individual and Team Sales Contest (teams must be 2 members including 1 Senior or Intermediate and 1 Junior or Pewee
 - * Photo Contest –
1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in each age division will receive awards. Entries are not separated by photo category. Photos can be from these 2 categories – Hereford Cattle & Hereford People, Entries must be submitted digitally by check-in time on June 9, 2023. Submit photos here: <https://forms.gle/oZXn3SoVW9doiAv37>
 - * Poster Contest
 - * Fitting
 - ⇒ PeeWee & Juniors will be run together - each contestant will do 1 back leg. **NO CLIPPERS ALLOWED**
 - ⇒ Intermediates & Seniors will be run together - each contestant will do 1 back leg. Minimal use of clippers will be allowed.
 - ⇒ Contestants must indicate if they are competing for the State Fair Fitting Team of the NJHE Fitting Team
 - * Obstacle Course
 - * Queen Contest—
 - ⇒ Candidates must be 16 by January 1st of the current year
 - ⇒ Candidates running for the 2023 Hereford Queen must select this on Fair Entry AND complete an application. The application can be found at SouthDakotaHerefords.org/juniors/ Entry is due by June 7, 2023 @ 11:59 PM CST. **Application must be submitted at check-in time.**
 - ⇒ **Princess & Sweetheart Contest**
Princes (ages 10-15) and Sweetheart (ages 7-9) contest this year. All ages are as of January 1, 2023. **Must sign up on [FairEntry.com](https://www.fairentry.com)** (See page 4 for more information.)

2023 FIELD DAY SCHEDULE



* = **NEW TIME**

Thursday, June 8, 2023

6:00 p.m. Barn will be open for early stalling.
(Stalling overnight is at the owners' risk)

Friday, June 9, 2023

6:00 a.m. – Barn will be open for stalling.

***9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. – Check – In** (Health papers, Registration papers/certificates needed)

*Applications for Queen, Board of Directors Candidates, and JNHE Delegates must be submitted.

*Contest Entries – final entry deadline for all contests

***11:00 a.m.** All Cattle in Place

***11:30 a.m.** Contests - all contests start at the same time.

A list of contestants will be made for each contest. Contestants will go in order as listed unless they are competing in multiple contests. If someone is currently competing in one contest and is up for competition in another contest, they will move to the next contestant. The skipped contestant will compete later.

***2:00 p.m.** Fitting Contest

(Members must select which fitting contest they are competing for – NJHE or State Fair (age will limit some to only being able to compete for NJHE fitting team – those younger than 8 as of January 1 and those over 19 or over as of January 1, please refer to contest rules.)

4:30 p.m. SDJHA Membership Meeting

Election of Board of Directors and NJHE Delegates will take place.

Discuss NJHE

Any other items

5:30 p.m. Supper

6:30 p.m. Showmanship Contest - NO FIT

Pre-PeeWee (with Int. or Sr. helper)

Senior

Intermediate

Selection for U-Fit It representative
(overall top 5 of Int. and Sr. Showmen)

Junior

PeeWee

(Stalling overnight is at the owners' risk)

Saturday, June 10, 2023

8:30 a.m. Opening Ceremonies –

(National Anthem, Group Photo & Presentation of Awards)

Show Begins 15 minutes following Opening Ceremonies - NO FIT with the exception of Market Animals

Show Order:

1. Cow//Calf Pairs
2. Bulls
3. Bred & Owned Heifers
4. Owned Heifers
5. Market Animals

OTHER INFORMATION:

- ◆ Only woodchips may be used for bedding in the barn. Exhibitors are responsible to supply their own woodchips.
- ◆ No alcohol is allowed on the grounds.
- ◆ Exhibitors are responsible for keeping their area in the barn free of debris during the event.
- ◆ Exhibitors are responsible for disposing all trash and debris before leaving on Saturday.
- ◆ All bedding must be pushed to the center isle (beyond the beams) before leaving.
- ◆ Exhibitors must clean up and bedding, hay etc. in the tie out area and take with them when they leave. **See pg. 6 for more parking and tie out information.**
- ◆ **All members are expected to be present by 9:00 a.m. for the Awards Ceremony and for the group picture.**
- ◆ If you have any questions, feel free to contact one of the SDJHA Board of Directors or Advisors. We are all here to help!

Available Accommodations for SDJHA Field Day Winner, SD



- Room Block - Holliday Inn Express under the SDJHA. The rate is \$120-\$130/night plus tax. The block expires on 5/5/2023. Please call (605) 842-2255 for reservations and/or information.
- Camping - Tripp County Fairgrounds \$25/night per night, Electricity – NO water hookups. Bathroom/shower facilities in the 4-H building. Call Dawn Covey (605)840-1334 for reservation by 6/5/2023 .

Interested in being a Candidate for SDJHA Board of Directors and NJHE SD Delegate? See below:



Candidates for the SDJHA Board of Directors must:

- Be 14 as of the date of SDJHA membership meeting held at Field Day (June 9, 2023).
- Be a member of the SDJHA
- Select this on Fair Entry. [Fair Entry](#) Entries are due by **June 7, 2023 @ 11:59 PM CST.**
- Submit an application at check in. Application can be found at [Juniors – South Dakota Hereford Association \(southdakotaherefords.org\)](https://southdakotaherefords.org)
- Election will be by ballot at the membership meeting on 6/9/2023. **YOU MUST MEET THE DEADLINE TO BE PUT ON THE BALLOT.**

Each Director positions will be a one-year terms with the exception of the President Elect who will serve as President the following year.

Candidates to serve as a SD Delegate at the NJHE candidates must:

- Be 16 by July 1st of the current year.
- Be a member of the SDJHA
- Select this on Fair Entry. [Fair Entry](#) Entries are due by **June 7, 2023 @ 11:59 PM CST.**

Are you interested in serving as the SD Hereford Queen, Princess or Sweetheart?



2022-2023

Queen - JaCee Dvorak

Princess - Kyla Peskey

Sweetheart - Brooklyn Marshall



Interviews will be held for at the 2023 SDJHA Field Day. The candidates must select to compete on Fair Entry. There will be an application for each and an interview at Field Day. New Queen, Princess, and Sweetheart will be announced during the opening ceremonies on Saturday of Field Day. A few of the activities that you will get to participate in are Field Day, Spotlight, Hereford Special, and Excellence Sale.

Information:

- Queen - Candidates must be 16 –21 by January 1st of the current year
- Princess - age 10-15 as of January 1 of the current year
- Sweetheart - age 7-9 as of January 1 of the current year
- Be willing to participate in a mini-interview.
- Be a member of the SDJHA

Select this on Fair Entry [Fair Entry](#) Entries are due by June 7, 2023 11:59 PM CST.



2022-2023

Queen - JaCee Dvorak

Junior National Hereford Event July 8, 2023 - July 14, 2023, Madison, Wisconsin



- ◇ Check out [American Hereford | JNHE - American Hereford Association](#) for information.
- ◇ The South Dakota Junior Hereford Association has set up a block of rooms at the Clarion Suites at Alliant Energy Center, 2110 Rimrock Road, Madison, WI 53713 . Here is the link for making reservations: <https://www.choicehotels.com/reservations/groups/NA87L4> or you can contact the hotel by dialing 608-284-1234
- ◇ Don't miss entry deadlines. Keep checking the websites for updates.
- ◇ We will also post updates to the SDJHA Facebook page and the [Juniors – South Dakota Hereford Association \(southdakotaherefords.org\)](#) website.

NJHA - Upcoming Deadlines

- MAY 15, 2023 ~ Junior National Hereford Expo (JNHE) early bird online entry deadline
 - JUNE 1, 2023 ~
 - ◇ Advisor of the Year Nominations Due
 - ◇ Contests Deadline - includes CHB Hybrid Cooking Challenge, Future Professionals Contest, Hybrid Illustrated Speech, Hybrid Individual Sales, Sales Academy, Judging Contest, Photo Contest, Advanced Speech, and Showmanship Contest
 - ◇ NJHA Board Candidate Online Application Deadline
 - ◇ JNHE Final Online Entry, Ownership Deadline (Online Only. No late entries accepted.)
 - JULY 1, 2023 ~
 - ◇ Hereford Bowl Contest Entries due
 - ◇ Faces of Leadership Early bird Registration Deadline
 - JULY 8-14, 2023 ~ Mad Dash Hereford Bash— Junior National Hereford Expo, Madison, WI
 - JULY 15, 2023 ~ Final Faces of Leadership Registration Deadline
 - JULY 23-26, 2023 ~ Faces of Leadership, Columbus, Ohio
- Check out [American Hereford | NJHA - American Hereford Association](#)

South Dakota Summer Spotlight July 26-30, 2023 State Fair Grounds—Huron, SD

- Entry fee— \$30.00 - Showmanship Entry fee - \$5.00
- **Registration - OPEN NOW**
- Entry deadline will be **Wednesday, July 26, 2023 @ 11:59PM CST**
- **Late Entry Fee: \$50.00** (if registered after entry deadline).
- Entries will be accepted at check in on July 28, 2023, however, Fair Entry must be used, and entry fees will \$50.00 each.
- **Awards will be given for the top 5 showman in each division. Beginner, Junior and Senior. Awards will also be given to Champion & Reserve Heifer & Steer**
- ALL entries will be done using Fair Entry again this year. [FairEntry.com](#) look for South Dakota Hereford Association Shows
- More information can be found on the South Dakota Summer Spotlight Facebook page.

South Dakota Hereford Association (SDHA) - Special, Futurity & Carcass Contest - July 30, 2023 State Fair Grounds-Huron, SD



- Sunday, July 30, 2023 at 9:00AM | 4-H Beef Complex, SD Fairgrounds
- Entry Deadline: Wednesday, July 26, 2023 at 11:59pm cst at www.FairEntry.com
- Entry Fee: Special \$40, Futurity \$0, Carcass Contest \$20
- Show info, registration, rules: www.SouthDakotaHerefords.org
- Special Show exhibits must be bred in SD, fed in SD, and shown by SD exhibitor
- Futurity Show exhibits must have been purchase at 2022 Excellence Sale or 2023 Watertown Winter Farm Show to be eligible.
- Show Order: Hfr Special, Hfr Futurity, Steer Special, Carcass Contest, Steer Futurity
- Awards: Special & Futurity Ch Heifer & Steer receive \$1,000, Reserve Ch. Heifer & Steer receive \$500. Each exhibit receives a class payout during the Special.
- Carcass Contest: ALL Special steers are required to participate in the Carcass Contest. Ultrasound is on Friday, July 28, 2023, from 7:00-9:00AM.
- Awards: Top 10 steers receive \$500, \$400, \$300, \$200, \$100, \$90, \$80, \$75, \$50, \$40.
- Dress: Required to wear SDJHA T-Shirt

A word from SDJHA President - Tyler Rasmussen



Over the years, I have seen many different faces come in and out of the SDJHA. This includes members, members family, officers and/or advisors. Some things have changed over time in our organization, however, the one thing that has not changed is the passion and fire that I see in all those associated with the SDJHA. That fire has been and will continue to be put to good use by those on the SDJHA Board of Directors as we plan this year's Field Days and other summer activities. It has been a long year, yet we have pushed through with the help of our excellent advisors and the hard work of our board members. It has been an honor to serve as the President of the SDJHA this past year.

Becoming a member of the South Dakota Junior Hereford Association:



To show in any SDJHA or SDHA shows, the junior exhibitor must become a SDJHA Member. When registering for your first show of the year on Fairentry.com, exhibitors will be required to pay \$20. You will not have to pay that membership again for this calendar year, even if you exhibit at more SDJHA shows.

Need more information on how you can become a member? Please reach out to one of our helpful SDJHA Board of Directors or an Advisor.

Follow the [South Dakota Jr. Hereford Association on Facebook](#) for frequent updates!



2022-2023SDJHA Board of Directors - (L to R) Devon Moore - President Elect, Riley Rasmussen - Secretary, Tanner Grupe - Director, Addison Haase - Treasurer, Ireland McAreavey - Reporter, Tyler Rasmussen - President, Blake Peskey - Director, Chance Blum - Director

Map of Tripp County Fairgrounds - Winner, SD



SDJHA will be utilizing the area outlined in yellow. All trailers and tie outs will be on the north lot of the fairgrounds. We plan to have some freestanding panels available, but you may want to throw in some panels of your own. We will be unable to use any of the rodeo grounds outlined in red due to there being a SD High School Rodeo going on the same weekend.

