

# Youth Fitting Contest

Jason Danhof - Judge

Katie Coyne - Superintendent

Sunday, September 26, 2021

Beginning at 10 a.m.

Sale Pavilion, East end of Cattle Tent

**Pre-Registration Entry Required and Due: Saturday, September 25, 4:00 p.m.**

## General Contest Rules

1. Open to youth ages 13 - 21 as of day of Contest. Youth whom are 21 on January 1, 2021 are ineligible to compete. See divisions below.
2. Youth who have previously won the World Dairy Expo Fitting Contest, Senior Division, are ineligible to compete in future Contests.
3. Contestants must provide an animal to fit. Contestants need not own the animal they fit. Contestants are responsible for obtaining permission from the owner, if the animal is not his/her own. The animal must be entered in a World Dairy Expo show or sale.
4. Only the head and legs of the heifer may be clipped before the contest.
5. Contestant set-up begins at 8:30 a.m. Sunday in the Sale Pavilion.
6. Contestants must provide their own fitting equipment. Fitting chutes and personal assistants are not permitted for the Contest.
7. Contestants will have 60 minutes to fit their animal to show ready.
8. After the completion of fitting, each division will lead out for final fitting inspection, placings and reasons.
9. Awards will be presented at the conclusion of the Contest. The First Place Award winners of each Division in both Contests will be presented their award during the breed show calf class most closely associated with the winning fitters.

## **The following scorecard will be used:**

Ease of handling equipment	20 points
Proper clipping technique on body	20 points
Proper topline hair grooming, (Including blowing and clipping)	30 points
Hair is blended properly	10 points
Proper use of sprays and adhesives	10 points
Preparation completely finished	10 points

## **Pre-registration, Online, Required (no entry fee)**

**Entry deadline:** 4 p.m., Saturday, September 25, 2021

**Online entries:** [worlddairyexpo.com](http://worlddairyexpo.com)

**On grounds registration:** World Dairy Expo Administration Office, top floor of the Coliseum, using online entry.

## Youth Fitting Contest Divisions

Male and Female divisions are offered for each contest:

**Intermediate Contest:** Open to youth whom have reached their 13th birthday and not yet reached their 17th birthday as of September 26, 2021.

**Senior Contest:** Open to youth whom have reached their 17th birthday and not yet reached their 21st birthday as of September 26, 2021. Youth who were 21 on January 1, 2021 are ineligible to compete.

# Youth Fitting Contest Awards

## **Award Presentations**

Awards are presented after the finals of each division. Top 5 participants are asked to remain in the contest area for official photographs.

## **Intermediate Fitting Contest:**

### **Male Division**

**1st - 5th Place:** Neck ribbons and medallions presented in memory of John Klossner, by the Klossner Family, Mt. Horeb, WI

**1st - 5th Place:** Winners receive a \$25 cash award presented by FarmFirst Dairy Cooperative, Madison, WI

### **Female Division**

**1st - 5th Place:** Winners receive a \$25 cash award presented by FarmFirst Dairy Cooperative, Madison, WI

## **Senior Fitting Contest:**

### **Male Division**

**1st Place:** Clippers courtesy of Clipper Parts & Repair, Clayton, WI

**1st - 5th Place:** Neck ribbons and medallions presented by FarmFirst Dairy Cooperative, Madison, WI

**1st - 5th Place:** Winners will receive a \$50 cash award presented in memory of John Klossner, by the Klossner Family, Mt. Horeb, WI

### **Female Division**

**1st Place:** Clippers courtesy of Clipper Parts & Repair, Clayton, WI

**1st - 5th Place:** Neck ribbons and medallions presented by FarmFirst Dairy Cooperative, Madison, WI

## **Overall Fitter Award**

The 1st Place winner in each Division will be in consideration for the Overall Fitter Award.

**Overall Fitter:** Custom embroidered jacket courtesy of Images Custom Embroidery, Rudolph, WI