

# National Belted Galloway Show

Breed Representative:

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<b>Begin Arrival:</b>	Wednesday, September 20 - 10:00 a.m.
<b>In Place:</b>	Thursday, September 21 – 10:00 a.m.
<b>Show:</b>	See Show Schedule

*Schedule is subject to change.*

## ENTRY FEES AND DEADLINES

Early Entry Deadline	August 15, 2017	\$60 per head
Entry Deadline	September 1, 2017	\$80 per head
Late Entry	After September 1, 2017	\$100 per head

Entry fees include bedding and tie-out space. Bedding will be available upon arrival at World Beef Expo. Exhibitors are responsible for their own bedding for tie-outs.

*All exhibitors are expected to familiarize themselves with the General Rules & Regulations. Rules have been revised for the 2017 World Beef Expo.*

## Rules Specific to the Belted Galloway Show

Sanctioned by the U.S. Belted Galloway Society, Inc.

1. **Registration.** Animals must be registered in the U.S. Belted Galloway Society, Inc. Herd Book or recorded in the Appendix or Canadian Belted Galloway Association Herd Book. Animals must be properly marked, in good physical condition, and typical of the breed in conformation. Good physical condition shall include, but not be limited to, the absence of any infectious condition such as ringworm or warts.
2. **Papers and Tattoos.** Original registration papers will be required to check in at World Beef Expo. A superintendent or breed representative must be able to identify a match between the animal's tattoo(s) and the registration papers. Animals without a visible tattoo or with a tattoo that does not match the corresponding registration paper, will not be allowed to show.
3. **Showmanship.** There will be two classes of showmanship: one for exhibitors age 8-14 and another for exhibitors age 15-21. To compete in showmanship with an animal, the exhibitor must be a junior member of the Society and be 8 years of age or older (as of January 1, 2017). Proof of age may be required. No bulls over seven (7) months of age may be used in showmanship. Animals deemed unruly or dangerous while in the ring may be dismissed at the judge's discretion. Only one handler per animal will be allowed in the ring during showmanship.  
**Pee Wee Showmanship.** This class is open to junior members *under 8 years of age* (as of January 1, 2017). Pee Wee showmen register at World Beef Expo with the breed representative.
4. **Nose Rings.** All bulls twelve (12) months of age or older are required to have a nose ring and must have a lead attached to the ring whenever being led.
5. **Animal Security.** Unattended animals must be double-tied with halters, neck ropes, or two halters/two neck ropes.
6. **Class Size.** The Show Committee reserves the right to split or combine classes as they find appropriate.
7. **Staging Area.** Exhibitors are expected to have entries in the show staging area before their class is called. Animals who do not enter the show ring within three minutes of the announcer's final call forfeit the right to compete in that class.
8. **Unethical Fitting.** The Show Committee reserves the right to disqualify any animal that has been fitted in an unethical manner. Unethical fitting shall include, but not be limited to: Any injections of gas, solid, or liquid under the skin to alter conformation; any additions of artificial tail heads or polls; surgical alteration of the animal's shape; dyeing or coloring which alters the animal's natural color pattern. Artificially filling animals internally (pumping) is strictly prohibited.

9. **Protests.** Decisions of the judge(s) are final, except where mistake, fraud, or misrepresentation is proven. Protests must be submitted in writing following World Beef Expo protest guidelines as identified in the General Rules & Regulations.
10. **Interference with Judge.** Interference with or disrespect to the judge(s) by any exhibitor during the performance of his/her duties shall be deemed grounds for immediate disqualification and subject to further sanctions, as detailed in the World Beef Expo General Rules & Regulations.
11. **Qualification of Bulls.** In order to compete in bull classes, each bull must have two visible and descended testicles. No cryptorchids will be allowed to compete.
12. **Exhibitor Compliance.** Exhibitors are expected to comply with all rules and regulations of the U.S. Belted Galloway Society, Inc. and of World Beef Expo, or be subject to the consequences as identified in those rules and regulations.

**\$\_\_in premiums will be awarded.**  
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**REGISTERED PUREBRED COW/CALF PAIRS**

**Class**

- 1 Cow/Calf Pair – Cow two (2) years of age  
 Calf must be cow’s most recent natural calf and may not exceed 270 days of age on day of show.
- 2 Cow/Calf Pair – Cow three (3) years or age or older  
 Calf must be cow’s most recent natural calf and may not exceed 270 days of age on day of show.

**GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR**  
**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR**

**REGISTERED PUREBRED HEIFERS**

**Class**

- 5 Spring Heifer Calf – calved March or later of current year
- 6 Junior Heifer Calf – calved January - February of current year
- 7 Late Senior Heifer Calf – calved November - December of previous year
- 8 Early Senior Heifer Calf – calved September - October of previous year  
*CHAMPION HEIFER CALF*  
*RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER CALF*
- 11 Late Summer Yearling Heifer – calved July - August of previous year
- 12 Early Summer Yearling Heifer – calved May - June of previous year
- 13 Spring Yearling Heifer – calved March - April of previous year
- 14 Junior Yearling Heifer – calved January - February of previous year  
*CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER*  
*RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER*
- 17 Late Senior Yearling Heifer – calved November - December 2015
- 18 Early Senior Yearling Heifer – calved September - October 2015
- 19 Late Two-Year-Old Heifer – calved April - August 2015
- 20 Early Two-Year-Old Heifer – calved October 2014 - March 2015  
*CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER*  
*RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER*  
**GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER** (Note: To be eligible for Supreme Drive, Grand Champion Heifer must not have calved.)  
**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER**

## REGISTERED PUREBRED BULLS

### Class

- 25 Spring Bull Calf – calved March or later of current year
- 26 Junior Bull Calf – calved January - February of current year
- 27 Late Senior Bull Calf – calved November - December of previous year
- 28 Early Senior Bull Calf – calved September - October of previous year  
*CHAMPION BULL CALF*  
*RESERVE CHAMPION BULL CALF*
- 31 Late Summer Yearling Bull – calved July - August of previous year
- 32 Early Summer Yearling Bull – calved May - June of previous year
- 33 Spring Yearling Bull – calved March – April of previous year
- 34 Junior Yearling Bull – calved January - February of previous year  
*CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL*  
*RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL*
- 37 Late Senior Yearling Bull – calved November - December 2015
- 38 Early Senior Yearling Bull – calved September - October 2015
- 39 Late Two-Year-Old Bull – calved April - August 2015
- 40 Early Two-Year-Old Bull – calved October 2014 - March 2015
- 41 Three-year-Old Bull – calved October 2013 - September 2014  
*CHAMPION SENIOR BULL*  
*RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL*  
**GRAND CHAMPION BULL**  
**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL**

## GROUP CLASSES

*Group classes will be entered at the show.  
All group class animals must be exhibited in an individual class.*

**Get-of-Sire:** Three animals, both sexes represented, sired by one bull

**Produce of Dam:** Two animals, one or both sexes, with the same dam

**Best Pair of Weanlings:** Both sexes represented, must be weaned and under 1 year of age

**Best Pair of Yearlings:** Both sexes represented, over 1 year and under 2 years of age

**Breeder's Herd:** Five head, both sexes represented, bred and owned by exhibitor or family member

**Best Six Head:** Both sexes represented, owned or co-owned by the exhibitor

## RECORDED APPENDIX COW/CALF PAIRS

### Class

- 52 Cow/Calf Pair  
Calf must be cow's most recent natural calf and may not exceed 270 days of age on day of show.  
**GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR**  
**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR**

## RECORDED APPENDIX HEIFERS

### Class

- 55 Junior Heifer Calf – calved January or later of current year
- 56 Intermediate Heifer – calved June - December of previous year
- 57 Junior Yearling Heifer – calved January - May of previous year
- 58 Senior Yearling Heifer – calved September - December 2015  
**GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER**  
**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER**

## STEERS

*If necessary, classes will be split by weight. Mismarked steers will be accepted. All steers must have certificate of registration.*

*Division Purebred Steers must be sired by a Purebred Belted Galloway bull and the Dam Purebred or Purebred mismarked female.*

### Class

- 61 Club Calf Steer – calved January of current year or later
- 62 Feeder Steer – calved January - December of previous year, 850 lbs. or under
- 63 Finished Steer – calved October - December 2015, over 850 lbs.

**GRAND CHAMPION PUREBRED STEER**

**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION PUREBRED STEER**

*Division Percentage Steers sire must be a Purebred Belted Galloway bull.*

### Class

- 66 Club Calf Steer – calved January of current year or later
- 67 Steer – calved January – December of previous year
- 68 Steer – calved October – December 2015

**GRAND CHAMPION PERCENTAGE STEER**

**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION PERCENTAGE STEER**