

Cumberland County Junior Beef Show 2026

Competition Details

All competitions will be completed from Thursday to Sunday.

Cow Costume Parade

Join us for our first cow parade. Saturday, September 5th 2026 at 11:30am.

This is open to all ages.

Photography

Entries due no later than noon on Thursday, September 3rd 2026.

One photo per member can be submitted

Photo must be taken by the junior member

Photo must represent the farming and show industry in the Maritimes

Judging will be determined by People's Choice

Farm Advertisement

Entries due no later than noon on Thursday, September 3rd 2026

One entry per junior member

Advertisement must be on a 8 ½ by 11 piece of paper

Juniors design an advertisement for their farm (real or imaginary)

Advertisement must include the following: farm name, owner, address, phone number and email address. Can be hand drawn or computer generated

Composition 30%

Originality 30%

Creativity 20%

Professional Appearance 20%

Conformation

Sunday, September 6th 2026 following showmanship classes.

Juniors can only exhibit one animal in the show

Classes will be in the following order: bull calves, prospect steers, heifer calves, yearlings

Fitting

Members will be judged on presentation of animal during showmanship classes

Juniors must prepare their own animal for the show ring

Showmanship

Sunday, September 6th starting at 8 AM

Classes will be in the following order: senior, intermediate, junior, pee wee

Must wear t-shirt supplied

Junior Auction

Friday, September 4th 2026 before Horse Pulls

All members participating in the Junior show are required to bring an item each to auction off to help raise money for next year's event.

Members must be present to auction their own item to qualify for Aggregate.

Sales Talk

Thursday Evening in the Barn.

The judge will be announced day of. It will be up to the member to find the judge to complete the sales talk.

The purpose of this event is to evaluate the effectiveness of the junior member's ability to market their animal

Member may use pictures, registration paper, EPDs etc. to support their sales talk

There is no time limit to this event

Dress in Western attire

Knowledge of the animal they are selling 50%

Ability to relay important information about the animal 25%

Poise and delivery 25%

Conformation Classes (Junior may show one animal only)

Class 1- Bull calf born in the current year. Minimum of three months of age on judging day.

Class 2- Heifer calf born in the current year. Minimum of three months of age on judging day.

Class 3- Yearling heifer, born in the previous year.

Class 4 - Inclusion Class – individuals of all abilities that need as much or as little support in the show ring.

Name: _____ Age (as of January 1st 2026): _____

Please put a check mark underneath the categories that you would like to participate in.
Members must take part in all competitions in order to be eligible for the Champion and Reserve
Champion Aggregate awards.

Cow Costume Class (optional)	Photography	Farm Advertisement	Judging	Sales Talk	Individual Fitting	Showmanship	Conformation

Breed	Class #	Name of Animal	
			Registration #
			Sire:
			Birth Date
			Dam:

T-shirt size – Please circle ONE

Youth – XS SM MD LG XLG

Adult – XS SM MD LG XLG

Entries due on August 10th 2026 - NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED

Mail Entries and Registration Fee to:

P.O. Box 516
Oxford, NS
B0M-1P0

cumberlandexhibition@gmail.com

**Forms and Registration Fee: Due NO LATER THAN August 10th, 2026, to ensure t-shirts
arrive before the show**

**Registration fee of \$25 can be paid by cash, cheques or e-transfer made payable to
Cumberland Junior Beef Show**