

Chianina field day at York on Aug. 13

YORK — The Northeast Region of the American Chianina Association announces its Eighth Annual Field Day, Steer Show, and Northeast Region Chianina Junior Heifer Show on Saturday, August 13, at York County Fair Grounds.

Registration will start at 8 a.m., with the Field Day Events beginning promptly at 9 a.m.

All 4-H, FFA, junior Chianina members, their families and friends are invited to attend the Field Day. There will be plenty of activities for all, including a judging contest, (individual and county group competition), weight guessing contest, delicious Chianina roast beef lunch, showmanship, and Fun Auction.

FFA, 4-H, and Junior ACA members owning Chianina heifers and steers are urged to bring them to this show. Chianina heifers must be accompanied by an ACA registration certificate, must be registered in the name of the junior ACA member-exhibitor, and must

have been calved between September 1, 1981 and December 31, 1982. Chianina steers must have been calved during 1982. The steers and heifers shown can be any percentage Chianina, from quarter blood to full blood.

There is no entry fee, but heifer exhibitors must be junior members of the American Chianina Association. Membership may be obtained by contacting the American Chianina Association, P.O. Box 890, Platte City, Missouri, 64079. Phone: (816) 229-1944. Limit two steers per exhibitor; no limit on heifers.

All Chianina steers and heifers may arrive at the fair grounds after 6 p.m. on Friday, August 12, but MUST BE on the grounds by 8:30 a.m. Saturday, August 13.

Steers will be weighed Saturday between 7:30 and 8:30 a.m. for class purposes. Heifers will be classified by percentage, color, and age (see entry form).

You may be asked to submit

animals for Judging Contests.

Bring your own feed, hay, and bedding. Due to Fair Regulations, each exhibitor will be responsible for clean-up of stall area. Spreader units will be provided. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture of prize money.

Abide by Pennsylvania state health regulations.

PRIZES: HEIFERS: Division Champion - \$250 each; Division Reserve Champions-\$100 each; Class Prizes - 1st - \$50; 2nd - \$40; 3rd - \$30; 4th - \$20; all others - \$10.

STEERS: Grand Champion - \$300; Reserve Champion - \$150; Class prizes - 1st - \$30; 2nd - \$24; 3rd - \$20; 4th - \$16; 5th - \$12; all others - \$10. Ribbons for all. Plus trophy and class winners.

Group Judging Contest - 1st - \$35; 2nd - \$30; 3rd - \$25; 4th - \$20; 5th - \$15. We encourage all 4-H and FFA members to come and participate in the other activities even if a steer or heifer has not been entered.

1. Judging contest by individuals and by county teams of 4 juniors, 19 and under.

2. Weight guessing contest.

3. Showmanship - open to any youth. If you are not showing a steer or heifer, secure one of the animals in the show. Give your age when you register and indicate that you are entering the showmanship. There will be three or more classes.

4. Bring your mother and father. We will have a separate judging contest division for them.

5. People wishing to bring animals for display purposes only are responsible for providing their own display pens.

6. A FREE Chianina roast beef lunch will be served at noon for exhibitors - a fee of \$2.00 for all others. Tickets to be issued and/or purchased at registration table.

7. A "Fun Auction" of donated items will be held right after lunch to help raise additional funds for trophies, ribbons, and prize

money. Donations of merchandise and money will be greatly appreciated. If you or your family wish to donate the money for a champion (\$500, \$300, \$250, \$150, or \$100), your name will be engraved on the trophy; if you wish to sponsor an entire class (\$150-heifer class; \$132-steer class) you will receive recognition in the program. Donors of auction items and cash (any amount) will be listed in the program if the enclosed blank is returned by August 3, 1983. Items may be brought with you the day of the activities, checks made out to "N.E.R.A.C.A." should be sent to:

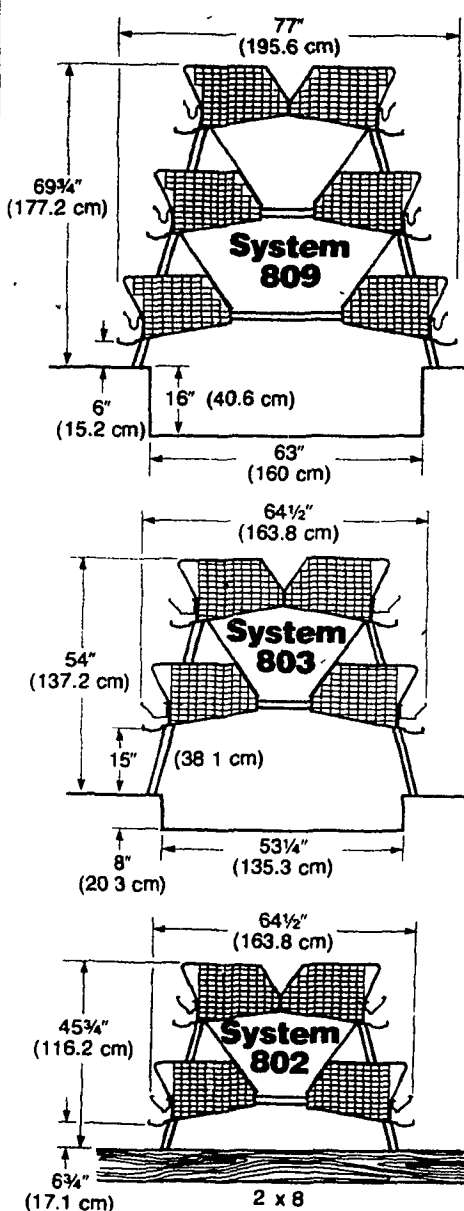
Mr. James E. Glass
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8. Entry blanks can be duplicated. Be sure to indicate proper division and age for heifer entries. **ENTRIES CLOSE AUGUST 1, 1983.** Send entries to Mr. James Glass at above address.

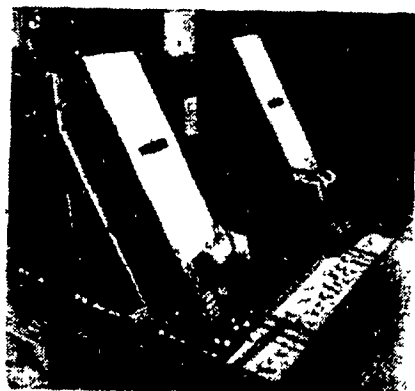
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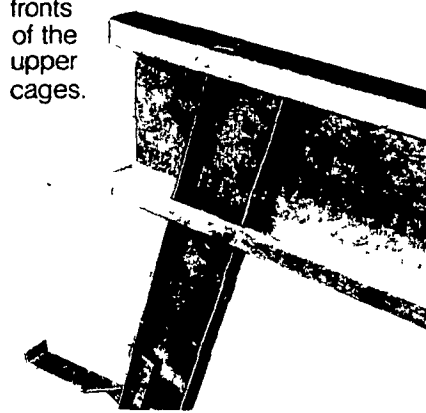


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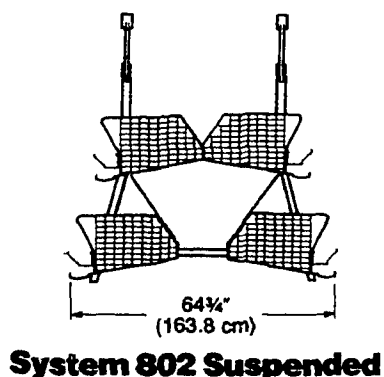


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Committee okays co-op bill

HARRISBURG — The Senate Committee on Agriculture and Rural Affairs has given its endorsement to legislation that removes the current eight percent ceiling on cooperative stock dividends.

The bill, sponsored by Sen. Noah W. Wenger, R-36, was approved unanimously by the panel and then sent to the floor for a vote by the entire Senate.

Wenger said the eight percent restriction — which is contained in the Agricultural Association Act of 1968 — hampers cooperatives in obtaining the money they need to finance their operations.

"Most cooperatives depend on their members for financial support," Wenger said. "But the current limitation on cooperative stock dividends gives the competitive edge to money market funds or other investments."

Wenger said his bill would permit farm cooperatives to compete more effectively for financial support from their members instead of having to borrow at high commercial rates.

Wenger serves as vice chairman of the Senate Agriculture and rural Affairs Committee.

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