

Cascade County 4-H Livestock Show and Sale

2025 Market Beef Carcass Contest and Montana Steer of Merit



Market Beef Carcass Monies Awarded to:					
Placing	4-H Member	Breeder	Monies Collected	Percentage	Payment
1	Reagan Jassen	Lisa Jassen	\$390.00	30%	\$117.00
2	Sydney Rearden	Terry Rearden	\$390.00	25%	\$97.50
3	Konnor Johnson	Four Mile Creek Angus	\$390.00	20%	\$78.00
4	Kally Konesky	Love Ranch	\$390.00	15%	\$58.50
5	Kylee Finn	Cole Nelson	\$390.00	10%	\$39.00

Carcass monies collected will be dispersed using the table below after the carcass contest has been conducted. Note that the top animals may not have qualified to be Steer of Merit, Goat Carcass Standards, Certified Lamb, or Symbol of Excellence, however, they will be ranked by the state standards.

Carcass money dispersal table					
Number of animals in contest	1 to 3	4 to 8	9 to 15	16 to 29	29 and more
Placed First	100%	60%	50%	40%	30%
Placed Second	-	40%	30%	30%	25%
Placed Third	-	-	20%	20%	20%
Placed Fourth	-	-	-	10%	15%
Placed Fifth	-	-	-	-	10%

Montana Steer of Merit (SOM) Criteria		
Measurement	Minimum	Maximum
Hot Carcass Weight (HCW)	700 lb	1000 lb
Backfat	0.2	0.80
Yield Grade	<1 - 3.99	
Dressing Percentage	55%	68%
Quality Grade	Choice minus (Ch-) or better	
Ribeye Area	11.5 to 17.5 square inches	
Cutability	≥51%	
No Dark Cutters		

SOM Carcass Pricing	
Base Price	\$376.19
YG 1	\$3.35
YG 2	\$1.58
YG 3	\$0.00
YG 4	-\$12.45
YG 5	-\$17.82
Prime	\$12.46
Ch+/Ch	\$4.50
Ch-	\$0.00
Select	-\$13.17
Standard	-\$34.50

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Live Placing	Carcass Placing	4-H Member	Breeder	Live Weight	Base Price	HCW	Dressing %	Back Fat	KPH%	Ribeye Area	REA/CWT	Yield Grade	YG Prem/Disc	%IMF	Marbling Score	Quality Grade	QG Prem/Disc	Percent Cutability	SOM	Price/CWT	Carcass Value
Purple	1	Reagan Jassen	Lisa Jassen	1291.5	\$376.19	775	60.0	0.47	2.5	16.2	2.09	1.94	\$3.35	6.66	500	Ch	4.50	52.25	Y	\$384.04	\$2,975.93
Red	2	Sydney Rearden	Terry Rearden	1370.0	\$376.19	822	60.0	0.50	2.5	14.1	1.72	2.86	\$1.58	9.01	700	Pr-	12.46	50.08	N	\$390.23	\$3,207.69
Blue	3	Konnor Johnson	Four Mile Creek	1327.5	\$376.19	797	60.0	0.70	2.5	15.3	1.92	2.88	\$1.58	8.59	700	Pr-	12.46	50.05	N	\$390.23	\$3,108.18
Blue	4	Kally Konesky	Love Ranch	1326.0	\$376.19	796	60.0	0.42	2.5	14.3	1.80	2.50	\$1.58	6.51	500	Ch	4.50	50.94	N	\$382.27	\$3,041.34
Blue	5	Kylee Finn	Cole Nelson	1256.5	\$376.19	754	60.0	0.43	2.5	13.8	1.83	2.52	\$1.58	7.35	600	Ch+	4.50	50.90	N	\$382.27	\$2,881.93
Red	6	Nayalie Schott	Valley View Ranch	1360.5	\$376.19	816	60.0	0.24	2.5	13.1	1.60	2.51	\$1.58	7.83	600	Ch+	4.50	50.90	N	\$382.27	\$3,120.47
Grand	7	Kinlee Loch	Hannah Miller	1231.0	\$376.19	739	60.0	0.42	2.5	13.1	1.77	2.66	\$1.58	6.16	500	Ch	4.50	50.58	N	\$382.27	\$2,823.45
Blue	8	Ian McKamey	McKamey West	1403.0	\$376.19	842	60.0	0.68	2.5	15.7	1.87	2.87	\$1.58	6.89	500	Ch	4.50	50.04	N	\$382.27	\$3,217.95
Blue	9	Bryce Sangster	Triangle Cattle	1352.0	\$376.19	811	60.0	0.74	2.5	15.5	1.91	2.97	\$1.58	7.17	600	Ch+	4.50	49.83	N	\$382.27	\$3,100.97
Purple	10	Rial McGregor	McGregor Ranch	1551.0	\$376.19	931	60.0	0.52	2.5	15.2	1.63	2.97	\$1.58	6.94	500	Ch	4.50	49.77	N	\$382.27	\$3,557.40
Purple	11	Sterling Byrnes	Lorang Land & Cattle	1352.0	\$376.19	811	60.0	0.59	2.5	14.2	1.75	3.01	\$0.00	7.57	600	Ch+	4.50	49.74	N	\$380.69	\$3,088.16
Purple	12	Rhett Hastings	Ed Hastings	1455.5	\$376.19	873	60.0	0.50	2.5	13.3	1.52	3.31	\$0.00	6.12	500	Ch	4.50	49.02	N	\$380.69	\$3,324.57
Purple	13	Hal McGregor	McGregor Ranch	1475.5	\$376.19	885	60.0	0.70	2.5	13.4	1.51	3.83	\$0.00	6.43	500	Ch	4.50	47.82	N	\$380.69	\$3,370.25
Blue	14	Shyanne Herman	Baylee Herman	1250.0	\$376.19	750	60.0	0.41	2.5	14.70	1.96	2.17	\$1.58	4.36	400	Ch-	0.00	51.72	N	\$377.77	\$2,833.28
Red	15	Grace O'Neil	Dick Eisenzimmer	1318.5	\$376.19	791	60.0	0.39	2.5	13.8	1.74	2.57	\$1.58	4.47	400	Ch-	0.00	50.79	N	\$377.77	\$2,988.54
Purple	16	Tristen Short	Ed Hastings	1342.5	\$376.19	806	60.0	0.52	2.5	14.8	1.84	2.62	\$1.58	5.32	400	Ch-	0.00	50.64	N	\$377.77	\$3,042.94
Blue	17	Maricela Wilson	Johnson's Corner Ranch	1536.5	\$376.19	922	60.0	0.45	2.5	14.3	1.55	3.05	\$0.00	5.53	400	Ch-	0.00	49.59	N	\$376.19	\$3,468.10
Blue	18	Claire McKamey	McKamey West	1357.5	\$376.19	815	60.0	0.75	2.5	14.5	1.78	3.33	\$0.00	5.11	400	Ch-	0.00	49.01	N	\$376.19	\$3,064.07
Blue	19	Lane McKamey	McKamey West	1382.0	\$376.19	829	60.0	0.50	2.5	12.7	1.53	3.34	\$0.00	4.69	400	Ch-	0.00	48.98	N	\$376.19	\$3,119.37
Purple	20	Leah Mackey	Leah Mackey	1386.5	\$376.19	832	60.0	0.62	2.5	13.5	1.62	3.39	\$0.00	3.99	400	Ch-	0.00	48.85	N	\$376.19	\$3,129.52
Red	21	Austin Johnson	Garn Johnson	1373.5	\$376.19	824	60.0	0.79	2.5	14.5	1.76	3.47	\$0.00	4.97	400	Ch-	0.00	48.68	N	\$376.19	\$3,100.18
Blue	22	Asher Nelson	Gary Deschenes	1531.5	\$376.19	919	60.0	0.64	2.5	14.5	1.58	3.45	\$0.00	4.99	400	Ch-	0.00	48.67	N	\$376.19	\$3,456.81
Blue	23	Cyler Yeager	Kyona Yeager	1421.0	\$376.19	853	60.0	0.41	2.5	9.6	1.13	4.19	-\$12.45	5.63	500	Ch	4.50	46.99	N	\$368.24	\$3,139.61
Red	24	Emily Sangster	Triangle Cattle	1416.0	\$376.19	850	60.0	1.13	2.5	13.2	1.55	4.83	-\$12.45	7.40	600	Ch+	4.50	45.52	N	\$368.24	\$3,128.57
Purple	25	Dakota Hystad	Four Mile Creek Angus	1246.0	\$376.19	748	60.0	0.27	2.5	16.80	2.25	1.14	\$3.35	3.38	350	Se+	-13.17	54.10	N	\$366.37	\$2,738.98
Red	26	Steven Yuhas	Tyler Yuhas	1150.0	\$376.19	690	60.0	0.30	2.5	15.7	2.28	1.35	\$3.35	2.54	300	Se-	-13.17	53.65	N	\$366.37	\$2,527.95
Blue	27	Bridger Lewis	Circle C Cattle Co	1176.0	\$376.19	706	60.0	0.26	2.5	13.5	1.91	2.01	\$1.58	3.90	350	Se+	-13.17	52.11	N	\$364.60	\$2,572.62

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Red	28	Kandie Chariter	Kory Chartier	1199.0	\$376.19	719	60.0	0.23	2.5	13.0	1.81	2.15	\$1.58	2.90	300	Se-	-13.17	51.79	N	\$364.60	\$2,622.93
Red	29	Savannah	Love Ranch	1451.5	\$376.19	871	60.0	0.30	2.5	15.0	1.72	2.26	\$1.58	3.27	350	Se+	-13.17	51.45	N	\$364.60	\$3,175.30
Reserve	30	Carmen Olson	Vanek Club Calves	1274.5	\$376.19	765	60.0	0.42	2.5	14.1	1.84	2.44	\$1.58	2.48	300	Se-	-13.17	51.08	N	\$364.60	\$2,788.10
Red	31	Reece Hastings	Ed Hastings	1404.0	\$376.19	842	60.0	0.29	2.5	13.4	1.59	2.64	\$1.58	2.34	300	Se-	-13.17	50.59	N	\$364.60	\$3,071.39
Blue	32	Luke Jassen	Asa Jassen	1460.5	\$376.19	876	60.0	0.44	2.5	14.70	1.68	2.73	\$1.58	2.50	300	Se-	-13.17	50.37	N	\$364.60	\$3,194.99
Blue	33	Trent Leardini	Four Mile Creek	1528.0	\$376.19	917	60.0	0.55	2.5	15.2	1.66	2.99	\$1.58	3.30	350	Se+	-13.17	49.73	N	\$364.60	\$3,342.65
Purple	34	Vivan Byrnes	Brenda & Martin	1476.0	\$376.19	886	60.0	1.00	2.5	12.7	1.43	4.80	-\$12.45	4.46	400	Ch-	0.00	45.57	N	\$363.74	\$3,221.28
Blue	35	Blake Sangster	Triangle Cattle Co	1360.5	\$376.19	816	60.0	0.98	2.5	16.3	2.00	3.34	\$0.00	3.18	350	Se+	-13.17	48.99	N	\$363.02	\$2,963.33
Blue	36	Lyrach Hruska	Gary Deschenes	1644.0	\$376.19	986	60.0	0.49	2.5	14.4	1.46	3.37	\$0.00	3.70	350	Se+	-13.17	48.84	N	\$363.02	\$3,580.83
Red	37	Riley McFarling	Mike McNamara	1387.0	\$376.19	832	60.0	0.42	2.5	11.6	1.39	3.50	\$0.00	3.71	350	Se+	-13.17	48.60	N	\$363.02	\$3,021.05
Red	38	Taylor Short	Ed Hastings	1415.5	\$376.19	849	60.0	0.47	2.5	12.2	1.44	3.50	\$0.00	3.21	350	Se+	-13.17	48.60	N	\$363.02	\$3,083.13
Purple	39	Peyton Hauk	John Lane	1396.0	\$376.19	838	60.0	0.74	2.5	13.8	1.65	3.62	\$0.00	2.11	300	Se-	-13.17	48.33	N	\$363.02	\$3,040.66

Market Beef are ranked first by if they are Steer of Merit (yes or no), price per hundred-weight (highest to lowest), and cutability (highest to lowest). Red texts marks where the steer did not qualify for Steer of Merit. Please refer to the Steer of Merit criteria on page 1.