2020 Spook-Tacular Open Miniature Zebu Cattle Show Rules and Information

Saturday, November 7th, 12:00pm

Judge: TBD

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Show Rules

1. ALL REGISTERED MINIATURE ZEBUS are welcome at the 2020 Spook-Tacular Miniature Zebu Show. (Registry must be recognized by the AMZA. Please contact the AMZA with any questions in regards to this). All exhibitors must be a member in good standing with their respectable registry. Make sure your membership dues are current.

- 2. We will **NOT** be requiring an Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI). If you do travel through an Agricultural Inspection Station and you tell them you are transporting your animal(s) to a show you would be required to present your health papers. Out of state exhibitors will still need to follow protocol for bringing animals into the state of Florida. For the AMZA show November 7th, it will be the exhibitor's decision whether or not you obtain the OCVI. We trust that you being a responsible exhibitor would not bring a sick animal to the show. The Show Superintendents will have the final decision to disqualify a sick animal that in their opinion could put risk to others. If this were to happen the animal would need to be removed from the facility immediately and no refund would be awarded.
- 3. All cattle entering the show ring must be 42" or under measured at the hip.
- 4. All Miniature Zebus must be shown in their natural state. Clipping is allowed at inner ear, genitalia, & whiskers. No body clipping, paint, dye, chalk or glitter may be used to modify appearance. Only clear polish may be used on hooves & horns. No additions or embellishments to tail switch. The alteration of physical features & appearance of any animal by cosmetic and/or surgical means are deemed unethical practices and will be grounds for disqualification.
- 5. Horned or de-horned animals are acceptable.
- 6. All animals must show with a halter and lead strap attached to the halter. It shall be at the exhibitor's discretion whether or not to use a nose ring. Any animal that becomes unruly or dangerous may be disqualified by the judge.
- 7. Animals will enter show ring in ascending order according to age, youngest to oldest.
- 8. Exhibitors will be required to maintain their exhibits in a clean and attractive manner.
- 9. All Miniature Zebus shown must be tagged with a USDA tag according to USDA Regulations. The animals tags must match their Respectable Registry Registration Certificates.

Entry Information

- 1. Date for determining age for the show is November 7th, 2020.
- 2. Exhibitor is responsible for entering their animals in the correct class.
- 3. Entry fees are \$15 per animal per show. See Entry form.
- 4. Entries should be received to show superintendents no later than October 25th, 2020. For late entries, substitutions, or cancellations, please contact the show superintendents. No refunds or substitutions after October 25th, 2020.
- 5. Champion Challenge Classes (9, 22, & 39) The grand champions of the day will compete against any permanent grand champions entered in these classes. Permanent grand champions can be entered in their respective age class OR the Champion Challenge, but not both. If they are entered in the Champion Challenge, ENTRY FEES DO APPLY.

Check-In and Release Information

- 1. Move-in time: Saturday, November 7th at 11:00 AM.
- 2. Release time: Cattle may leave immediately after Saturday's show.
- 3. Cattle will need to be tied to your trailer as there are no stalls provided.
- 4. Water will be made available for exhibitors to fill their water buckets.
- 5. Please clean your tie out areas of manure, hay, and garbage prior to leaving.
- 6. The Respectable Registry Registration Certificate or a copy must be presented at check-in if you have not sent a copy with your entry form. Mailing your copies with your entry form will expedite check-in.

During the COVID-19 Pandemic

We ask that you limit interactions and maintain a distance of at least 6 feet between animals and people and between people, including staff, judges, and the public who are not from the same farm or household as the animal or its caretaker.

Do not put masks on animals.