

Braunvieh Fullblood Breeder's Cup

The Braunvieh Fullblood Breeder's Cup (BFBC) was designed to promote and preserve Braunvieh fullblood genetics. The BFBC's ultimate goal is to get 15-20 fullblood heifer entries at any given show, which would allow for a separate fullblood champion drive. We aim for a \$5,000 pot each year from nominations, memberships, and donations. Breeders must pay a \$125 membership or sponsor an animal annually by May 31 to stay active. If a breeder fails to pay a membership fee in a year(s) it must be caught back up before a breeder is allowed to participate again.

Rules and Regulations

Anyone showing in the open shows is allowed to participate, as long as all other conditions are met.

*Participants and breeders must be in good standing with BAA. This includes payment of the annual membership fees – \$25 for Juniors and \$75 for adults.

*Heifers must be a fullblood and purchased or owned by a participating, current BFBC member.

*Breeder nomination fees must be paid prior to the beginning of show season or the first show the heifer is shown in; to be eligible to receive points. If a breeder has more than one heifer in the BFBC, the nomination fees will be \$500 for the first heifer, \$250 for the second heifer and \$125 for each additional heifer.

*Nominations should be sent to the BAA office, 7607 NW Prairie View Road, Kansas City, MO 64151. Checks should be made payable to BAA Fullblood Breeder's Cup.

*Participants will follow the show rules and guidelines for the fall 2023 and spring 2024 shows, located on the BAA website.

*The BFBC will use the Ring of Excellence Program Shows, consisting of the following seven open shows:

Ozark Empire Days – Springfield, Mo.

Tulsa State Fair – Tulsa, Okla.

American Royal – Kansas City, Mo.

North American International Livestock Exposition- Louisville, KY

Cattleman's Congress -Oklahoma City, OK

Fort Worth Stock Show – Ft. Worth, Texas

Houston Livestock Show – Houston, Texas

Participants may exhibit at all six shows, points will be allowed from each animal's top five shows, and points will be awarded at each show based on placement. BAA will keep track of standings and post them on the BAA website under Show Heifer Standings.

Total points for the show season will determine the BFBC fund winner. Nomination fees and added donations accumulated for the year will be distributed 40, 30, 20, and 10 percent, respectively, to the top four breeders/heifers. Points will be tabulated after the Houston Livestock Show and awards presented during the Braunvieh Junior National Banquet.

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