117M Market Steer and Dairy Market Steer
Intermediate Level

1. Complete five activities in each interest area and two Learning Experiences and two Leadership/Citizenship Activities. Follow and complete all sections of the Member Project Guide. Have a working knowledge of the resource handbook.

2. Complete record book and bring to Interview Judging and to slaughter.

3. Complete Treatment Record.

4. Weigh steer quarterly and keep records.

5. Have a basic understanding of the marketing aspects of a market steer.

6. Understand the Show Ring Ethics and the Pillars of Character.

7. Know the general requirements for the steer project and to show at the fair.

8. Be able to identify 15 parts of the animal.

9. Be able to identify 7 breeds of cattle and the breed characteristics

10. Be able to identify 4 wholesale cuts of beef and 4 retail sections.

11. Be able to identify 3 correct structural differences and 3 incorrect structural differences in beef cattle.

12. Be able to identify the parts of the drug label and the parts of the drug insert.

13. Be able to identify 7 grains and the 5 main nutrients.

14. Be able to identify the pillars of character and other quality assurance issues.

15. Be able to identify the four traits when selecting and evaluating market cattle.

16. Be able to identify two methods of identifying beef cattle.

17. Be able to identify 3 methods of treating beef cattle for parasites.

18. Be able to discuss proper steps in setting up your calf for the show.

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