

Dairy Heifer Show Team



Goals of Dairy Heifer Team

- Learn more about the Dairy Industry
- Gain an appreciation for the Dairy Industry
- Teach others about the Dairy Industry
- Make friends
- Learn the value of hard work and perseverance and have fun while doing it!

Timeline

Show Season Part 1

- October/ November:
 - 2024-2025 New Team Orientation
- 1st week of November:
 - Tag/Enter heifers for State Livestock Show
- November, TBA:
 - Record Book Workshop
- November 15th:
 - State Livestock Show entries due
- December:
 - Athens Dairy Show entries due
- December 28:
 - Burke County Dairy Show
- **February 7 & 8:
 - Athens Dairy Show (REQUIRED)
- **February 20-22:
 - State Livestock Show (REQUIRED)

Show Season Part 2

- Break until August
- Mid-Late August:
 - Begin work with heifers
- August
 - Last Sunday in August (Chattooga)
- September
 - 2nd Friday/Saturday (White Co.)
 - 3rd Friday/Saturday (Coweta Co.)
- October
 - 1st Friday/Saturday (Georgia Nat'l Fair)

***Showmanship Clinics**
are scheduled throughout
the season and held at the
Coweta County Fairgrounds

Supplies & Cost

- **Dairy Heifer:** \$1,500 (max.)
- **Feed & Hay:** \$250 (feed) & \$300 (hay) (Nov-Feb)
- **Rope Halter:** \$10
- **Show Halter:** Leather \$60
- **Show number harness:** \$20
- **Water bucket/Feed pan:** \$30
- **Grooming bucket:** (approx. \$25)
 - Shampoo – Dish washing liquid is fine
 - Brush
 - Scrubber for washing
 - Rags
 - Alcohol
 - Paper Towels
- **Show “whites”** (white jeans and white button down, long sleeved shirt): \$60



Team Supplies:

1. Transportation to sponsored shows.
2. Set of clippers
3. 2 Blocking chutes and 2 blow dryers

Supplies & Cost Cont.



Provided by the Show Team:

1. Blocking chutes
2. Blow dryers
3. Set of clippers (Recommend purchasing for long term participation.)
4. Transportation to required shows.

Other Costs

1. Travel including hotel, gas, food, etc. Most shows only require one night at hotel.

Entry Fees: \$15 - \$30/show

Travel: hotel, gas and food for up to 3 days per show (typically 1 night)

Show halter and number harness: Check out Nasco pricing, that will give typical prices. \$30 - \$60.

<https://www.enasco.com/c/Farm-Ranch/Livestock-Grooming-Showing>

Filling Out Forms



1. 4-H Enrollment
2. Code of Conduct
3. MIRF

2025 Spring Shows

- **Burke County (not required)**
 - Saturday, December 28th
- **White County (not required)**
 - Saturday, January 18th
- **Athens Bulldawg Showdown (Required)**
 - Friday/Saturday, February 7 & 8
- **State Livestock Show (Required)**
 - Wednesday-Friday, February 20-22

2024 Fall Shows

- Chattooga County
 - Last Sunday in August
- White County (TBD)
 - Saturday, September 7
- Coweta County Fair (TBD)
 - Saturday, September 14
- Georgia National Fair (**Attendance required for all incoming 2025 show team members!**)
 - October 5 & 6 (you do not have to attend both days but must attend at least one day)

