

April 2026

The first show of the season is nearly here. We have dodged the bad weather bullet & for our travelers, should be clear sailing & show day temps will be in the 70's. The feedlot is stocked with fresh cattle & we'll be adding more sand next week to refresh the ground in the cutting pen.

Things you need to know about show day:

- Entries are due on Wednesday, April 22.
- Please make stall reservations at the same time so we can assure that your stall is unlocked for your use. Stalls are bedded in sand & shavings are not permitted.
- If you plan to attend the Friday fresh cattle practice, call Jerry McGuire 509-952-2591 to let him know you're coming & to answer any questions.
- Please follow the signs to the parking area located behind the cutting pen & the indoor arena. Parking on the front side is for show management only.
- This is a working feedlot so take care not to block any roadways or equipment.
- Dogs are not permitted in the area of the arena's. If you travel with dogs please secure them at your rig.
- You can print the Membership form from the BMC website. Plan to visit the show office upon arrival to give the secretaries your completed membership form & pay fees.
- For your convenience, manure carts & forks are located near the indoor arena. Please clean up the area around your trailer before departing. Carts can be dumped in the cattle pen & must be returned to the indoor arena empty.
- As usual, there will not be any concessions.
- Please checkout the BMC website for schedule & class information & in particular the Show Rules which have been updated for 2026.
- When warming up in the indoor, please follow standard loping pen guidelines. Everyone travels in the same direction fast to the outside, slow to the inside. If you need to lounge a horse, do so at the far end & not in front of any access gates.
- You can tie horses inside of the indoor but not near gates nor in the walk areas. The owner has posted "Do Not Tie Here" signs in

the walk areas, so please respect them.

- The string cow will be available for all to use at no cost.
- If you have questions or an issue, talk to the show secretaries & they'll direct you to Greg Jones, Show Mgr.

The first show of the season can get a little chaotic especially for new members trying to navigate. Be helpful if you can, be friendly & be welcoming. We want all cutters to have a good experience and above all else, have fun.

See you all on the 25th.