



## Section B – STUD CATTLE

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**PRIZE MONEY:** 1<sup>st</sup> - \$6, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$4, unless otherwise stated  
**NOMINATIONS CLOSE:** **Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2026**  
**TO NOMINATE:** Email entry form (see attached) to [lesleysorley@bigpond.com](mailto:lesleysorley@bigpond.com)  
**NOMINATION FEES:** \$6 per head. Online payment preferred.  
Account Name: Bell Show Society  
Bank: Warwick Credit Union  
BSB: 817 001  
Account No: 100 008 355  
Reference: Your surname + Stud Cattle

**REGULATIONS: (in addition to the Bell Show Society's General Rules and Regulations)**

1. All cattle must be on the grounds by 9.00am for judging on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2026.
2. Open to all Stud Cattle (Beef) of all breeds.
3. All cattle entered, and on the grounds, must be presented for judging.
4. All cattle will be housed in open stalls. Exhibitors are to bring their own bedding and collect all their baling twine.
5. All cattle must be registered in the Herd Book of their Breed. Any not registered by reason of age must have calf certificates. Age at 28<sup>th</sup> March 2026.
6. It will be imperative that all cattle be tied up in Stud Beef Section and **all bulls over 12 months of age must have a nose ring**. This rule will be strictly enforced.

### LED STEER or HEIFER COMPETITION

Weighing at 7am. Judging beginning at approximately 8am.

Depending on numbers on the day, classes may be altered.

#### Open to Schools and Colleges Only

- B1 Led Steer or Heifer Milk Tooth, under 450kg – 1<sup>st</sup> - \$50, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$30, 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$20.  
B2 Led Steer or Heifer Milk Tooth over 450kg, - 1<sup>st</sup> - \$50, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$30, 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$20

#### Open to everyone

- B3 Led Steer or Heifer, Milk Tooth, under 350kg. 1<sup>st</sup> - \$50, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$30, 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$20  
B4 Led Steer or Heifer, Milk Tooth, 350kg – 450kg, 1<sup>st</sup> - \$50, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$30, 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$20  
B5 Led Steer or Heifer, Milk Tooth, over 450kg, 1<sup>st</sup> - \$50, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$30, 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$20

*Champion Led Steer or Heifer (B1-B5) – Prize money \$40*

### STUD CATTLE

- B6 Bull under 12 months.  
B7 Bull 12 months and under 16 months.  
B8 Bull 16 months and under 20 months.

*Junior Champion and Reserve Champion Bull (B6-B8).*

B9 Bull 20 months and under 2 years.  
B10 Bull 2 years and over.  
*Senior Champion and Reserve Champion Bull (B9-B10).*  
*Grand Champion Bull (B6-B10).*

B11 Heifer under 12 months.  
B12 Heifer 12 months and under 16 months.  
B13 Heifer 16 months and under 20 months.  
*Junior Champion and Reserve Champion Female (B11-B13).*

B14 Cow over 20 months and under 2 years.  
B15 Cow 2 years and over.  
*Senior Champion and Reserve Champion Female (B14-B15).*  
*Grand Champion Female (B11-B15).*

B16 Breeders Group. (Three animals of both sexes represented and bred by the exhibitor.)

*Trophy and Society Ribbon for Grand Champion Bull in each Breed.*  
*Trophies for Tropical Breeders Group, British Breeders Group and European Breeders Group.*  
*Trophies for Tropical Supreme Champion Bull and Cow donated by **S & L Sorley**.*  
*Trophies for British Supreme Champion Bull and Cow.*  
*Trophies for European Supreme Champion Bull and Cow.*  
**Neil McNamara Memorial Trophy** for Most Successful Exhibitor in any one breed in the competition, donated by the **McNamara family**.  
**Roly and Betty Robertson Memorial Trophy**, donated by **Lisa Caldwell and Colleen Patch**.

**Prize Money for Stud Cattle donated by:**

<i>Ausure Insurance</i>	<i>Carvosso &amp; Winship Solicitors</i>
<i>Ken Mills Machinery</i>	<i>Riverina Stockfeed</i>
<i>Butters Warehouse</i>	<i>Kewpie Stockfeeds</i>
<i>Wilson HTM</i>	<i>G &amp; C Patch, Bell</i>
<i>Nutrien Ag Solutions</i>	<i>Dalby Rural Supplies</i>
<i>Kewpie Stockfeeds</i>	<i>J &amp; K McUtchen</i>
<i>Jimbour Beef &amp; Bacon</i>	<i>Gaffney Family</i>
<i>Dalby &amp; District F S D</i>	<i>Virbac</i>
<i>Grant, Daniel &amp; Long, Dalby</i>	<i>Western Downs Regional Council</i>
<i>Mike Manley – MAIPBAS CPA’s</i>	<i>David &amp; Lisa Caldwell</i>

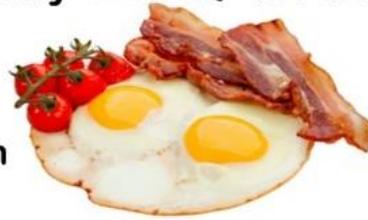
**Trophies for Stud Cattle Section donated by:**

<i>Camping World &amp; Compleat Angler Dalby</i>	<i>David &amp; Lisa Caldwell and Colleen Patch</i>
<i>Val McNamara &amp; Family</i>	<i>S &amp; L Sorley</i>
<i>J Koehler</i>	<i>McNamara Family, Bell</i>
<i>Dalby Dealers - Heather Newton</i>	<i>Hartmann Farming</i>
<i>Elite Motorcycles Dalby</i>	



## EXHIBITOR'S BREAKFAST Complimentary BBQ breakfast

provided by  
**NAB**  
Dalby Branch



Saturday  
morning

for STUD CATTLE EXHIBITORS and WORKERS

### DARLING DOWNS SUB CHAMBER OF AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES

#### BEEF YOUNG JUDGES' (Led Cattle) & PARADERS' COMPETITIONS

##### YOUNG JUDGES' & PARADERS' RULES

The **Hormel slide** must be used at all levels in the Young Judging Competitions.

To be eligible for the State Finals, competitors must comply with all of these rules.

##### Local Show Rules

1. Competitors must be over 15 and under 25 years on 1 May in the year of the State Final.
2. Competitors under 18 years must have the approval of a parent or guardian to compete.
3. Competitors are to be a resident in Queensland for at least three months prior to competing or attending an educational institution in Queensland unless they qualify under Rule (4).
4. Competitors residing over the border who can prove an affinity with a Queensland Show are allowed entry provided they satisfy one of the following criteria:
  - (a) Their address has a Queensland postcode;
  - (b) They have a Queensland phone number;
  - (c) The competitor or their parents are active working members of that Show.
5. National winners or National Judging Panel for that event are ineligible to compete.

##### Sub-Chambers Rules

**Rules (1 – 5)** in the Local Show Rules apply to all Sub-Chamber Finals.

6. Sub-Chambers will decide the number of competitors from each Show who will compete at the Final.
7. Competitors can represent only one Show in the Sub-Chamber Final.
8. A State Final Entry Form must be completed by the winner of each Competition immediately after judging and forwarded to the QCAS State Office by the Sub-Chamber Secretary / Coordinator.
9. The contestants placed first or second in this Regional contest will be eligible to compete in the Darling Downs Final at the **Bell Showgrounds on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2026**. The winner will go to Brisbane Royal Show to participate in the Beef Young Judges' Competition in Brisbane. First \$160. Second \$80. Any young person who enters an Agricultural Show on the Darling Downs and receives a form from that Show Society may then enter the Darling Downs Young Judges' and Paraders' Competition. Competitors must be 25 years and under on 1 May in the year of the State Final.

# BEEF YOUNG JUDGES' COMPETITION

STEWARD: Winston McNamara

**Competitors will judge a selection of exhibited cattle with points awarded for judging exhibits in line with the official judging. The Judge's decision is final.**

No Entry Fee.

Classes: Under 15 years      15 Years to 25 years

Winners in 15 to 25 Years class will qualify for Sub Chamber finals for Young Judges.

Prize money: 1<sup>st</sup> - \$10, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$5 donated by Robyn Sorley, Alma Park Brahman Stud, Bell.

3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> places - Ribbons

# YOUNG PARADERS' COMPETITION



STEWARD: Winston McNamara

**Competitors will be judged on their ability to handle their animal.**

**The competition will be held on completion of the Stud Cattle judging.**

**The Judge's decision is final.**

No Entry Fee.

Classes: Under 12 years      12 Years to 14 years      15 to 25 years

Prize money for each class: 1<sup>st</sup> - \$6, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$4, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> places - Ribbons

**Joseph Hawton Memorial Trophy donated by Wayne, Michelle and Sam Hawton for Young Handlers under 12 years of age.**

Winners in 15 to 25 Years class will qualify for Sub Chamber finals for Young Paraders.

## JENSEN / DAY SHIELD – ANNUAL SCHOOLS COMPETITION

1. Points will be awarded to competitors under 15 from Schools in the Led Steer / Heifer Competition, Stud Cattle Classes (animal must be owned by the young exhibitor), Young Judges' Competition and Paraders' Competition.
2. Points are awarded on a 3, 2, 1 basis for first, second and third respectively. No points will be awarded for Champions, Reserve Champions, Pairs or Group Classes.

