



2026 Full Itinerary - Draft

Monday, October 26th

Steel arrival & set up/ Shavings & Straw delivery

Tuesday, October 27th

10:00 am Move In
2:00 pm Cattle to tie outs

Wednesday, October 28th

8:00 am Exhibitor Stall set up
Wash racks open
10:00 am Bull ultrasound/weigh in
10:00 am – 6:00 pm Show Office Open – Exhibitor Registration
1:00 pm Cattle must be in barn
6:00 pm Exhibitor Meeting

Thursday, October 29th

9:00 am Video – bulls/females
10:00 am Carcass panel set up in ring
Trade Show - Set up for booths – Agri-centre west
12:30 pm **Olds College** – registration/meeting
Introduction to Exhibitors/roll out of mentorship assignments
1:00 pm Mentorship Assignments (change 2pm, 3pm)
4:00 pm Olds College- Genes Competition bulls
Seminars – Kim Jim/Dave Denis
Judging Competition with Olds College and judging team
5:00 pm Olds College/Junior
Seminars: Neogen, Kevin Shultz
(Open to all College, Juniors, Next Gen)
6:30 pm Wrap up buffet & social

Friday, October 30th

10:00 am Choice Cut Competition – Carcass Showdown
Sponsored by Little Fort Herefords and Windy Ridge Ultrasound
Olds College participation
1:00 pm Hereford Genes Event
Detailed programming (TBC) Announcement of People's Choice
5:00 pm Best of the West Bull Sale
6:00 pm Social and **Live Music – Dustin Far**

Saturday October 31st

9:00 am	Opening Ceremonies – AJHA, Welcome Remarks
4:30 pm	Open Show: Horned and Polled Hereford Supreme Qualifier
6:00pm	Banquet Special Presenters: Neogen, Kevin Shultz

Sunday November 1st

8:30 am 9:30 am	Queen of Hearts: Youth Herd Builder Check-in Queen of Hearts: Youth Presentations Bidder Registration Opens – Female Sale Queen of Hearts Heifer Lottery Draw
12:00 pm	Genes of the Future Female Sale
12:30 pm	Queen of Hearts Youth Lunch – Sponsored By Lost River Ranches
1:00 pm	Open Junior Show Program –All Breeds Juniors – Seedstock Sellers Challenge Cattle will be released following the conclusion of the junior events Cattle must be out of the barn by 6:00 p.m.
6:00 pm	Teardown

Monday November 2nd

Hi-Hog steel pick up

