

# SALESMANSHIP

Held in conjunction with the Clark County Cattle Battle. Clark County Fairgrounds | 4122 Laybourne Rd. Springfield, OH 45505

Contest open to all OCA BEST participants competing in the Stockmanship division.

#### **Tentative Schedule**

### **Clark County Cattle Battle**

Presentation order will be posted and contestants will check in at the show office. Saturday, January 27, 2024 | 9:00 a.m.

## Salesmanship Registration Deadline: Monday, January 22, 2024 | www.ohiocattle.org

### **Salesmanship Rules**

The main objective of Individual Sales is to give juniors a glimpse at a real-life situation of selling while promoting the importance of communication skills, marketing technique and an understanding of performance, pedigree and market information.

- 1. Contestants must be BEST participants competing in the Stockmanship Division
- 2. Individuals will compete in their corresponding age divisions (same as showmanship): Beginner, Junior, Novice, Intermediate, Senior
- 3. Individuals must register for the contest online at www.ohiocattle.org
- 4. Presentations will be from 3-6 minutes long. The objective of each individual will be to convince the judges that they should purchase their entry.
- 5. Individuals may present any item that is related to cattle, i.e.: an animal, semen, embryo packages, etc.
- 6. The order of presentations will be determined by OCA staff and will be posted prior to contest.
- 7. Visual aids may be used during the presentation. No live animals will be allowed to be used in the contest.
- 8. Points will be awarded as follows:
  - Contents of Sales Pitch 10 points
  - Ability to Communicate 10 points
  - Speaker Organization 10 points
  - Total Effectiveness 10 points
  - Knowledge and Response to Questions 10 points
- 9. Two points will be subtracted for each minute a presentation goes less than three minutes or more than six minutes.
- 10. Judging will be by a panel of judges based on 100 points maximum from each judge. (Section x2 = 100 points)
- 11. Participants should register online at www.ohiocattle.org by January 22, 2024

#### For More Information











