

## **OCA BEST Skill-a-thon**

Held in conjunction with the Scarlet and Gray Midwest Showdown Ohio Expo Center | 717 East 17th Avenue Columbus, OH 43211

Open to OCA BEST participants competing in the Stockmanship division.

Tentative Schedule

Scarlet and Gray Midwest Showdown
Saturday, January 4, 2025 | 9:00 am

OCA BEST Skill-a-thon Registration Deadline: Monday, December 30, 2024 | NO LATE ENTERIES ACCEPTED

## **OCA BEST Skill-a-thon Rules**

The main objective of the OCA BEST Skill-a-thon is to give juniors an opportunity to showcase their knowledge on topics associated with the Beef Industry including: reproduction, nutrition, health, and meats.

- 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/best/stockmanship
- Individuals will go through the 4 stations similar to a skill-a-thon. Each station will be scored per age division score sheets.
- **5.** Points will be awarded in the following categories:
  - Reproduction
  - Nutrition
  - Animal Wellness
  - Meats
- 6. Each station will be facilitated by individuals determined by OCA Staff.
- 7. Parents are not permitted in the judging area.
- **8.** Participants must bring official documentation if they need assistance with reading, timing, etc. For these circumstances, assistance will be given by facilitators.
- **9.** Once an answer is submitted there will NOT be a second chance to change the answer.
- 10. Participants may come and complete the skill-a-thon during the contest hours starting at 9:00 am and ending at 12:00pm.
- 11. Participants should register online at www.ohiocattle.org by December 30, 2024. NO LATE ENTERIES ACCEPTED

## For More Information







