



JUNIOR ALL-AMERICAN CONTEST HOLSTEIN & JERSEY OFFICIAL RULES

ELIGIBILITY

1. All animals that have been shown in the U.S. during the 2025 show season are eligible.
2. **Exhibitor must be in good standing with Cowsmopolitan.**

If the junior exhibitor meets the criterion, they are eligible to enter the contest.

ENTRY FORM & REGISTRY CERTIFICATE

It is the responsibility of the owner/exhibitor to submit a signed, completed entry form for each animal in order for it to be considered for Junior All-American Nomination. Entry forms are available online at Cowsmo.com and are available on request from the Cowsmopolitan/Holstein World office and staff. Please list **junior placings** from all shows. This contest is strictly for the **junior show/placings** at which that animal showed at under a junior's ownership. **A photocopy of the Registration Certificate for the animal being entered must accompany the entry form.**

PHOTOGRAPHS

Together with a completed entry form, it is the responsibility of the exhibitor to secure and supply a full-color professional backdrop photo of each animal entered in the contest. Pictures must be taken during the current year and show the animal in the same stage of growth and/or lactation as when making the qualifying show ring appearance.

It is encouraged that all photos be submitted electronically either from the livestock photographer or the exhibitor to **allamericancontest@gmail.com**.

CONTEST PROCEDURE

All entries will be given consideration by the Junior All-American Holstein Nominating Committee or the Junior All-American Jersey Nominating Committee. Each committee will select the top six animals in each class for nomination.

There is no Nomination or Entry Fee for the Junior Contests

Color photographs of all animals nominated in each class will be presented in the issue of Spring 2026 issue of Cowsmopolitan.

CLASSES IN COMPETITION (18)

- Spring Heifer Calf born March – May 2025
- Winter Heifer Calf born December 2024 – February 2025
- Fall Heifer Calf born September – November 2024
- Summer Yearling Heifer born June – August 2024
- Spring Yearling Heifer born March – May 2024
- Winter Yearling Heifer born December 2023 – February 2024
- Fall Yearling Heifer born September – November 2023
- Milking Yearling born after August 2023
- *Summer Junior 2-Year-Old Cow born June – August 2023
- *Spring Junior 2-Year-Old Cow old born March – May 2023
- *Winter Senior 2-Year-Old Cow born December 2022 – February 2023
- *Fall Senior 2-Year-Old Cow born September – November 2022
- Junior 3-Year-Old Cow born March – August 2022
- Senior 3-Year-Old Cow born September 2021 – February 2022
- 4-Year-Old Cow born September 2020 – August 2021
- 5-Year-Old Cow born September 2019 – August 2020
- 6-Year-Old and Older Cow Prior to September 2019
- **Lifetime Production Cow

*List only placings from the class entered in the contest. In no case will the same animal be eligible for different classes in the same year.

**To be eligible for this class, the cow must qualify in a Lifetime Production class. List only placings from the class entered in the contest. In no case will the same animal be eligible for the Lifetime Production class and the Aged Cow class in the same year.

***Cowsmopolitan reserves the right to combine classes to ensure a contest with full, competitive classes.

If an entry also qualifies for competition in the OPEN All-American Contest, a separate entry should be submitted.

ENTRY DEADLINE

**All-American Junior Holstein Contest Entry Deadline:
November 14, 2025**

**All-American Junior Jersey Contest Entry Deadline:
November 14, 2025**

For animals exhibiting at later shows, please submit their additional placings to Cowsmo staff after the show.

Please submit all entries and pictures Cowsmopolitan/HolsteinWorld

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Online entry forms available at www.cowsmo.com