World Wide Sires Jersey Photo Competition Rules



World Wide Sires is proud to be associated with Jersey NZ by sponsoring this photographic competition.

The competition has been established for two main reasons:

1. Jersey NZ is establishing a library of good photographs of New Zealand Jerseys to be used nationally but more importantly as a resource for showcasing New Zealand Jerseys to the many enquiries it receives from throughout the world. Jersey NZ would especially like to encourage members to take good photographs of daughters of widely used AB bulls, as these are the photographs most sought by overseas interests. Photographs of other sires' progeny are also eligible.

2. To give members the opportunity to promote their own animals by taking part in the competition and to create a valuable resource to promote and advertise their studs.

The photo competition has five main categories as follows:

Class A: Haltered 2 & 3 year inmilk

Class B: Haltered 4 year and older inmilk

Class C1: 2 & 3 year unhaltered

Cow should be presented clean and groomed; photo should be taken while cow is stationary. Any cows entered in the haltered classes cannot be entered in the unhaltered class.

Class C2: 4 year & older inmilk unhaltered

Cow should be presented clean and groomed; photo should be taken while cow is stationary. Any cows entered in the haltered classes cannot be entered in the unhaltered class.

Class D: Jersey Scene

May be herd shots, stall or farm dairy shots, groups of daughters of one bull or any other photograph promoting Jerseys working in New Zealand's clean, green pastoral setting. Cows entered in the inmilk classes can be part of the Jersey Scene class.

Class E1: Junior member class

Informal photograph - photos should capture the appealing interaction between the junior member and the animal.

Class E2: Calf/yearling class

Formal photograph - calf/yearling should be well presented and taken while animal is stationary.

World Wide Sires has generously agreed to sponsor the following prizes:

- Classes A C2(Total prize pool of \$100 per class)1st prizeWorld Wide Sires semen to the value of \$100.00
- Class D (Total prize value of \$100.00)

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Jersey NZ has generously agreed to sponsor the following prizes:

Class E1	(Total prize pool of \$50.00)
1st prize	\$25.00 book voucher
2nd prize	\$15.00 book voucher
3rd prize	\$10.00 book voucher

Class E2(Total prize pool of \$50.00)1st prize\$25.00 book voucher2nd prize\$15.00 book voucher3rd prize\$10.00 book voucher

Judging classes A to D:

- **Preliminary judging:** Three judges will be selected. Two of the three judges will be judges for three consecutive years. The third judge to be a 'Guest Judge' who is from the region of the next Jersey NZ AGM & Conference. The guest judge will be asked to participate in the presentation of the Awards on the night of the Photo Competition Awards at the annual Jersey NZ Conference in May 2020.
- Judging will take place in April with judges provided with a printed A4 copy of each photograph, along with a code, to judge each photo in order of preference.
- **Member judging:** The photographs will be displayed on the Jersey NZ website with on line voting available and also a member voting brochure will be mailed out. Only members of Jersey NZ may vote. Winners will be announced and sponsors invited to make the presentations at the AGM in Dunedin, in May 2020. In the event of a draw the Jersey NZ President will decide.
- A profile of the guest judge will be included in the presentation at the AGM & Conference.
- It is recommended that club on-farm contests or at classification time are excellent times to take photographs when cows are clean and well uddered.

Rules for Classes A – D

- 1. Judging will be based on the best conformation animal from the photographs provided.
- 2. Photograph will be 7"x 5" or 6"x 4" (size) on quality photo grade paper and preferably in colour but black and white is still eligible.
- 3. Cows must be photographed inmilk in this current season.
- 4. No digital enhancement or alteration of animals is permitted. However, halters or handlers may be digitally removed. In the spirit of honesty and integrity, digital enhancement of photographs is not permitted. A written statement of confirmation that photos have not been enhanced may be required from both photographer and owner.
- 5. Photographs can be submitted as a print on quality photo grade paper or electronically stored as 300dpi minimum in a jpg file and forwarded to the office by email. If emailing, please ensure you attach or send in your application form and have animals easily identifiable as attachments.
- 6. One photograph per animal per class only.
- 7. Open to all animals registered with Jersey New Zealand of not less than Jersey 16 content and entered by the owner of the animal.
- 8. Animal Identity (e.g. lifetime ID) must be entered on the entry form.
- 9. Except for class D, photographs should not reveal the identity of the leader or include any background or other material that may lead to the animal's identity. However the animal's ID, the name of the animal, its sire and dam should be entered on the entry form for record at the Jersey New Zealand office.
- 10. Please do not write on back of photo with pen. Record details on the entry form and number the back of the corresponding photographs lightly in pencil.
- 11. Jersey NZ reserves the right to use any photographs entered in the competition as it sees fit for the promotion of New Zealand Jerseys at the completion of the competition and reserves the right to use the photographs for promotion via a third party at Jersey NZ's discretion.
- 12. An entry fee of \$5 *per* photo applies.
- 13. Maximum of five (5) photo's per membership across classes A to D. If six (6) or more photos are received, all photographs will be returned to owner.
- 14. Entries to be submitted using the entry form and received at the Jersey NZ office by no later than Tuesday 31 March 2020.

Rules for Class E1 - Junior Member class - Informal Photograph

- 1. Open to Jersey NZ or Jersey Club members under the age of 18 at close of entries on 31 March 2020. The Heifer calf must be under 12 months old at the time of the photograph.
- 2. All photographs must be amateur snaps i.e. no professional photography.
- 3. Photographs should be informal and capture the appealing interaction between the junior member and the animal. While the calf and junior member should be in the photo, either the member or animal may be partial.
- 4. Photographs will be 7"x 5" or 6"x 4" (size) on quality photo grade paper and preferably in colour but black & white is still eligible.
- 5. Photographs can be submitted as a print on quality photo grade paper or electronically stored as 300dpi minimum in a jpg file and forwarded to the office by e-mail. If emailing, please ensure you attach or send in your application form and have animals easily identifiable as attachments.
- 6. No digital enhancement or alteration of animals is permitted.
- 7. Please do not write on back of photo with pen.
- 8. Entries must be accompanied by the junior member's name, address, telephone number, date of birth and the calf's name, birth identity and date of birth.
- 9. Jersey NZ reserves the right to use any photographs entered in the competition as it sees fit for the promotion of New Zealand Jerseys at the completion of the competition and reserves the right to use the photographs for promotion via a third party at Jersey NZ's discretion.
- 10. One photograph per junior member.
- 11. There is no entry fee for class E1 entrants.
- Entries must be received at the Jersey NZ office by Tuesday 31 March 2020.
 Class E1 will be judged following the close of entries and winners announced shortly afterwards.
- 13. There will be no membership vote for class E1.

Rules for Class E2 - Junior Member class - Formal Photograph

- 1. Open to Jersey NZ or Jersey Club members under the age of 18 at close of entries 31 March 2020. The Heifer calf must be under 24 months old and not in-milk at the time of the photograph.
- 2. All photographs must be amateur snaps i.e. no professional photography.
- 3. Photographs should be formal and show a good type calf. Photos from A&P Shows or calf club day are ideal. All of the calf and handler should be visible in the photo.
- 4. Photographs will be 7"x 5" or 6"x 4" (size) on quality photo grade paper and preferably in colour but black & white is still eligible.
- 5. Photographs can be submitted as a print on quality photo grade paper or electronically stored as 300dpi minimum in a jpg file and forwarded to the office email. If emailing, please ensure you attach or send in your application form and have animals easily identifiable as attachments.
- 6. No digital enhancement or alteration of animals is permitted.
- 7. Please do not write on back of photo with pen.
- 8. Entries must be accompanied by the junior member's name, address, telephone number, date of birth and the calf's name, birth identity and date of birth.
- 9. Jersey NZ reserves the right to use any photographs entered in the competition as it sees fit for the promotion of New Zealand Jerseys at the completion of the competition and reserves the right to use the photographs for promotion via a third party at Jersey NZ's discretion.
- 10. One photograph per junior member.
- 11. There is no entry fee for class E2 entrants.
- 12. Entries must be received at the Jersey NZ office by Tuesday 31 March 2020. Class E2 will be judged following the close of entries and winners announced shortly afterwards.
- 13. There will be no membership vote for class E2.