The two types of dairy show classes are **fitting & show** and **conformation**. Fitting & show classes are the age of the youth as of January 1st of the current 4-H year. In conformation the classes are broken down by the age and breed of the animal.

Classifications for conformation:

- **SPRING CALF**: Born on or after March 1, 2020
- **WINTER CALF**: December 1, 2018 - February 29, 2019
- **FALL CALF**: September 1, 2018 - November 30, 2018
- **SUMMER YEARLING HEIFER**: June 1, 2018 to August 31, 2018
- **SPRING YEARLING HEIFER**: March 1, 2018 to May 31, 2018
- **WINTER YEARLING HEIFER**: December 1, 2017 - February 29, 2018
- **FALL YEARLING HEIFER**: September 1, 2017 - November 30, 2017
- **TWO YEAR OLD COW**: September 1, 2016 - August 31, 2017
- **THREE YEAR OLD COW**: September 1, 2015 to August 31, 2016
- **FOUR YEARS OLD and OLDER**: Born before September 1, 2015