

Calf Scramble Entry Form

(Please print, use a pen and complete both sides fully.)

Due at the FAIR OFFICE (not ISU Extension Office) by 8:00 PM on Sunday, July 26, 2026.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ Grade completed: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ 4-H Club: _____

Email Address: _____

I certify that the information above is true and wish to enter into the Calf Scramble Contest. I have read the Calf Scramble rules as printed with this application and I understand my obligations should I catch a calf:

Contestant's Signature Date

We hereby release the Bremer County Fair Association of any responsibility during our child's participation in the Calf Scramble Contest. I/we have read the Calf Scramble rules as printed and understand our child's obligations should they win a calf. (Contestants and parents must initial on page two.)

Parent's Signature Parent Name (printed) Date

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Eligibility

-The calf scramble contest will be held on Tuesday, July 28, 2026 at the Bremer County Fair Grounds in Waverly.

-Any member currently enrolled in a Bremer County 4-H club or FFA chapter who has completed 8, 9, 10, 11 grade is eligible with parent's permission to enter.

-Members who have won calves the previous year are not eligible to compete unless approved by the Bremer County Fair Association prior to the event.

(Turn over and complete)

Rules of Participation

- 1) An official entry form must be on file with the Fair office by 8PM on Sunday, July 26, 2026 with a minimum of one parent's signature.
- 2) At no time may the contestant restrain the calf by the tail only, nor choke the calf with the rope.
- 3) When a contestant has possession of a calf, the contestant will have five minutes to halter the calf and tie it to the south arena fence. If the calf is not haltered in five minutes, the contestant must let the calf go.
- 4) When a contestant has possession of the calf, other contestants may not interfere.
- 5) The fair will provide a rope halter.
- 6) If a calf is caught and the person's halter is not in reach, the person must let the calf go.
- 7) When the calf has had enough chasing, as determined by the veterinarian in charge, the calf will not be eligible to be caught.

Expectations of Winners

- 1) **Winner will be required to pay \$200 to the Bremer County Fair Association by noon Saturday, August 1, 2026.** The amount will **not** be deducted from the price of the animal when payment is due at the 2027 fair. This money will **not** be refunded.
- 2) Winner will be required to exhibit their calves in the scramble class at the 2027 Bremer County Fair.
- 3) Winners in the contest will be required to pay the Bremer County Fair Board 50% of the original cost at the time of fair weigh in/check in at the 2027 Bremer County Fair.
- 4) The winner must pay full purchase price in the event the calf is not exhibited in class at the 2027 fair, or if the calf does not meet a 2.3 ADG for steers. This payment must be received at the time of the fair weigh in/check in. The Bremer County Fair Association reserves the right to amend this rule with extenuating circumstances. The Bremer County Fair Association needs to be contacted prior to the fair if you believe such circumstances exist.
- 5) The Bremer County Fair Association is the owner of the calf until it is paid for at the 2027 Bremer County Fair. The calf is not to be sold under any conditions prior to the fair without the Bremer County Fair Associations approval.
- 6) In the event of death prior to fair, the purchase cost owed by the member will be forgiven.
- 7) Winners will sign a contract when the calf is picked up that will specify the amount owed to the Bremer County Fair Association. One parent is required to sign this contract.

_____(Parent initials) I understand the above rules and expectations.

_____(Contestant initials) I understand the above rules and expectations.