

On-line Educational Meeting Options for Walworth County Beef Project Members 2020-2021 Project Year

Beef Project members must attend at least one educational BEEF meeting annually to be eligible for the Junior Beef Show at the Walworth County Fair. Choose from the following virtual education options, or contact Junior Beef Superintendent Doc Sterken (262-949-5890) to discuss other options you may have learned about on your own. Participation in shows such as the *Badger Kick-off Classic* can count, but you must notify Doc about your participation in such experiences in order to get approval/credit, and those shows must be ones you have participated in during this project year.

Once you have completed at least ONE of the options below (or another approved in advance by Doc), complete the [Beef Project Verification Form](#). Save it to your hard drive. Then, email the saved version to Doc Sterken at docandmarysterken@gmail.com. **Do this no later than June 1.**

Virtual Educational Meeting Options:

Roaming the Rumen

Description: This program was organized and moderated by Bernie O'Rourke, Extension Youth Livestock Specialist, UW Madison Animal & Dairy Sciences, and offered by the Wisconsin Youth Livestock Program (WYLP). WYLP is connected with the Department of Animal & Dairy Sciences, College of Agricultural and Life Sciences, and the Division of Extension. Speakers were: Dr. Luiz Ferraretto and Eric Ronk. All staff are affiliated with the UW Madison Animal & Dairy Sciences Department. 2021.

Run Time: 58:39

Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wjxNG86yWY8&feature=youtu.be>

Beef Livestock Learning Webinar

Description: This is a general workshop for all ages and experience levels created as part of the Wisconsin Youth Livestock Program. Speakers include: Jarred Searls (Zoetis), Ron Russell (Retired UW Madison Senior Lecturer - Judging Coach), Casey Jentz (American Angus Association), Bernie O'Rourke (Extension Youth Livestock Specialist) and Pam Hobson (retired). Information from 2014 webinars, refurbished for 2020. Please disregard references to weather, etc.

Run Time: 1 hour 34 minutes

Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NjQNiXud76A>.

Show Stock U

Description: This series focuses on fitting and grooming of show stock. If you are new to the *Beef Project* (1st, 2nd, or 3rd year), you can view **Season 1 of the Stock-Show U (all episodes)**. If you are a more experienced member (4th year and more), you can view **Season 2 of the Stock-Show U (all episodes)**. Click on the season at the top center once you get to the home page. Be aware that you are watching for technique only. We are not intending to endorse particular products.

Estimated Time to Complete: 15 minutes per season

Link: <https://www.sullivansupply.com/stock-show-u/online/>.