



# HOLSTEIN ASSOCIATION

February 5, 2026

Dear State Holstein Show friend,

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We are excited to share that the **2026 California State Holstein Show** will be held April 6-10 at the Stanislaus County Fairgrounds in Turlock. We look forward to hosting this event to support Holstein enthusiasts and showcase the dairy industry our members and breeders are so passionate about. This year's show will be 'back to normal', after avian influenza required a limited schedule in 2025. Our family-friendly event held annually will bring together exhibitors for a week of competition, camaraderie, and memories. All regions of the state are welcome to attend.

Youth participation is strong, with over 70 junior exhibitors. Returning is the Youth Challenge Contest- started in 2022, this program recognizes outstanding skills in multiple aspects of dairy cattle husbandry and knowledge. Additionally, the State Holstein Show will host a judging contest open to 4-H, FFA, and college students to further boost educational opportunities.

The California Holstein Association is a non-profit organization that strives to provide leadership, information, and services to foster success of members, dairy producers and industry professionals. The annual State Holstein Show includes a Black & White Holsteins, and Red & White Holsteins to help further promote the quality and variety of cattle genetics California has to offer. We also collaborate with the California Jersey Show Committee to bring in more exhibitors, animals and spectators. The event consistently features the highest quality and most competitive classes in the Western U.S. Joining us as official judge will be Chip Savage from Maryland.

### ***The tentative schedule is as follows:***

**Wednesday, April 8** Youth Judging Contest, Showmanship & Youth Challenge contests

**Thursday, April 9** All Heifer Classes, Exhibitors and Friends hosted dinner

**Friday, April 10** All Cow Classes, 51<sup>st</sup> Annual State Futurity

There are many sponsorship opportunities available; we would appreciate your contribution at any level to help offset overhead costs of putting on the show. This is a great chance to promote your brand to current and prospective clients, while appreciating the progressive genetics displayed. Please see the reverse for a list of sponsorship opportunities and benefits, don't hesitate to inquire about unique ways in which to be involved.

We thank you in advance and look forward to partnering with you to make the 2026 California State Holstein Show a success! Contact me or any board member with questions.

Warmest Regards,

*Kate Teixeira*, Office Manager- CA Holstein Association

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*For your records, the California Holstein Association's 501c (5) non-profit tax id # is 94-1141428.*

# 2026 CA State Holstein Show Sponsorship Confirmation

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ donation amount

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

## Sponsorship Opportunities

### Premier Level - \$1,000

Booth space available ringside. Premier Sponsor's website will be linked to the online coverage at [www.cowsmopolitan.com](http://www.cowsmopolitan.com)- industry leader in dairy genetics promotion. In addition to publicity at below levels.

### Champion Level - \$500

Donors are offered space to hang their own company banner in or around the show ring, in addition to publicity at below levels.

### Ringside Level - \$250

Donor names will be listed on a banner that will hang in or around the ring, and representative may present award, in addition to publicity at below level.

### Class Sponsor - \$50

All class sponsors will be listed in the 2026 CA Holstein News Annual magazine. Company name listed on California Holstein Website and Facebook page, as well as announced throughout the CA State Holstein Show

### Other Sponsorship Opportunities available

Contact Kate Teixeira with any specific requests of how you or your company wish to be a part of this event!

Indicate which section you would like donation to go towards:

Juniors \_\_\_\_\_ Youth Showmanship \_\_\_\_\_ Red & White \_\_\_\_\_ Open Holstein \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to:  
**California Holstein Association**  
P.O. Box 507 Keyes, CA 95328

Or pay by credit card using QR code:



Kindly return this form by March 21 to guarantee inclusion on signage!

thank you for your support!