Cattle Project

- Purchase steers in March or April
- Order validation tags in April
- Validate steers in June
- Trim hooves during feeding period
- Treat for external parasites
- Steer must be dehorned

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- Stock Show entries and fees (due in mid-November)
- Shear steers to no more than ¼"
 (all locations of the body except tail)
 (exc. County, District, & Fort Worth)
- County Show Age: Kinder 18 years old
- Major Show Age: 9 18 years old (or 8 & in the 3rd grade)