



# 1<sup>st</sup> Year Bucket Calf Project Record



Instructions: Save to your computer and fill in as going. Then print and send into Extension Office by pre-entry date.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Years in 4-H \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Breed of Calf \_\_\_\_\_ Sex of Calf: Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

What type of breed is your calf? \_\_\_\_\_ DAIRY or \_\_\_\_\_ BEEF What is your calf's eartag number? \_\_\_\_\_

Name of calf \_\_\_\_\_ What color is your calf? \_\_\_\_\_

Did you purchase your calf? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, what was the cost? \_\_\_\_\_

Did you borrow your calf? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, what was the value? \_\_\_\_\_

When did you get your calf (date)? \_\_\_\_\_

What are your plans for your animal after fair?

What did you feed your calf each day for the first 90 days?

What did you feed your calf each day from 90 to 180 days?

What equipment did you need to care for your calf?

# Records

This sheet is designed for you to make comments concerning your calf. Suggestions: Was your calf a “good” calf? Easy to train? Any feeding problems? Anything else that is important to you (start your record on the week you received your calf). Comments are encouraged until record books are turned into the Extension Office.

Date

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## Expenses

Expenses are difficult, but essential to good management. If you need help, please ask your parents.

1. What was the value of your animal at the end of the project? \$ \_\_\_\_\_
2. What was the value at the beginning? \$ \_\_\_\_\_
3. Total income (subtract line 2 from line 1) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
4. Total feed costs \$ \_\_\_\_\_
5. Other expenses (vet, rent, equipment, etc) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
6. Total (add lines 4 and 5) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
7. Profit or loss on project (subtract line 6 from line 3) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## 4-H Story

Write a short story telling about your bucket calf. What shots or medicine were given to your calf? What did you enjoy the most? What did you learn? Did you feel good about your calf?

Member Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Calf Pictures** - (4 pictures required)

Please include pictures showing how your calf has progressed through the year, and finished project pictures if possible.

Date taken \_\_\_\_\_

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Date taken \_\_\_\_\_

Date taken \_\_\_\_\_