

## **2023 Wisconsin State Fair Dairy Products Contest**

The top entries in each class include:

### **Mild Cheddar**

Team Sartori, Sartori Company, Plymouth, Old World Cheddar, 99.825

Henning's Cheese for The Artisan Cheese Exchange, The Artisan Cheese Exchange, Sheboygan, Deer Creek The Fawn, 99.450

Shawn Sadler, Associated Milk Producers, Inc., Jim Falls, Mild Cheddar, 99.275

### **Aged Cheddar**

Henning's Cheese for The Artisan Cheese Exchange, The Artisan Cheese Exchange, Sheboygan, Deer Creek The Imperial Buck 98.750

Charles Henn, Agropur, Weyauwega, Cheddar Cheese, 98.650

Lancaster Team, Foremost Farms, Lancaster, Aged Cheddar, 98.400

### **Colby, Monterey Jack**

Shawn Sadler, Associated Milk Producers Inc., Jim Falls, Monterey Jack, 99.500

Team Arena, Arena Cheese, Arena, Traditional Colby Jack Deli, 99.125

Team Arena, Arena Cheese, Arena, Traditional Colby Deli, 98.900

### **Swiss Styles**

Mark Grossen, Prairie Farms, Shullsburg, Prairie Farms Baby Swiss Wheel, 99.250

Team Chalet, Chalet Cheese Cooperative, Monroe, 22# Swiss Wheel, 97.900

Team White Hill Cheese, Cropp Cooperative/Organic Valley, LaFarge, Organic Baby Swiss Cheese, 97.250

### **Brick, Muenster**

Ty Saglam, Klondike Cheese Co., Monroe, Buholzer Brothers Brick, 99.675

Decatur Dairy, Brodhead, 99.650

Team Chalet, Chalet Cheese Cooperative, Monroe, Muenster, 99.500

### **Mozzarella**

Jeremy Robinson, Agropur, Weyauwega, low moisture whole milk mozzarella cheese, 99.550

George Crave, Crave Brothers Farmstead Cheese, Waterloo, Fresh Mozzarella Hearts, 99.500

George Crave, Crave Brothers Farmstead Cheese, Waterloo, Fresh Mozzarella Medallions, 98.950

### **String Cheese**

Ben Shibler, Ron's Wisconsin Cheese, Luxemburg, Mozzarella Cheese Whips, 99.575

Brian Entringer, Sargento Foods, Plymouth, Mozzarella String Cheese, 99.475

Shawn Brown, Sargento Foods, Plymouth, Mozzarella String Cheese, 99.450

### **Blue Veined Cheese**

Team Roelli Cheese, Roelli Cheese Co, Shullsburg, Annatto-colored cheddar with sporadic blue veins, 98.550

Emmi Roth, Emmi Roth, Fitchburg, Roth Gorgonzola Cheese Wheel, 98.425

Carr Valley Cheese for The Artisan Cheese Exchange, The Artisan Cheese Exchange, Sheboygan, Deer Creek The Indigo Bunting, 97.700

### **Feta**

Nathan Forseth, Agropur, Weyauwega, Feta Cheese, 99.675

Mike DeMuth, Agropur, Weyauwega, Feta Cheese, 99.650  
Drew Simonson, Agropur, Weyauwega, Feta Cheese, 99.625

### **Flavored Pepper Cheese**

Matt Erdley, Klondike Cheese Co., Monroe, Odyssey Sweet Heat Feta, 99.875  
Team Arena, Arena Cheese, Arena, Fuego Jack, 99.675  
Henning's Cheese for The Artisan Cheese Exchange, The Artisan Cheese Exchange,  
Sheboygan, Deer Creek The Rattlesnake, 99.375

### **Flavored Soft Cheese**

Brian Crave, Crave Brothers Farmstead Cheese, Waterloo, Chocolate Mascarpone, 99.375  
Luke Buholzer, Klondike Cheese Co, Monroe, Odyssey Peppercorn Feta, 98.975  
Amanda Gutzmer, Klondike Cheese Co., Monroe, Odyssey Mediterranean Feta, 98.950

### **Flavored Semi-Soft Cheese**

Lake Country Dairy, Lake Country Dairy Schuman Cheese, Turtle Lake, Artisan Smoky Pepper  
Hand Rubbed Fontal, 99.750  
Widmer's Cheese Cellars Team, Widmer's Cheese Cellars, Theresa, Butterkase w/ Chives,  
99.050  
Lake Country Dairy, Lake Country Dairy Schuman Cheese, Turtle Lake, Artisan Hand Rubbed  
Dijon Fontal, 98.800

### **Smoked Cheese**

Marieke Gouda Team, Holland's Family Cheese, Thorp, Smoked Gouda, 99.500  
Micah Klug, Foremost Farms, Middleton, Smoked Provolone, 98.775  
Foremost Farms Clayton Team, Foremost Farms, Clayton, Smoked Provolone, 98.500

### **Flavored Hard Cheese**

Team Sartori, Sartori Company, Plymouth, Garlic and Herb BellaVitano, 99.525  
Team Sartori, Sartori Company, Plymouth, Merlot BellaVitano, 99.475  
Team Sartori, Sartori Company, Plymouth, Espresso BellaVitano, 99.000

### **Smear Ripened Cheese**

Uplands Cheese, Uplands Cheese, Dodgeville, Pleasant Ridge Reserve, 99.650  
Orphee Paillotin, Paula Heimerl, Alpinage Cheese, Oak Creek, Mount Raclette, 99.325  
Team Roelli Cheese, Roelli Cheese Co, Shullsburg, Raw Milk Washed Rind Alpine Cheese  
made in the tradition of Appenzeller, 99.200

### **Cold Pack Cheese, Cheese Food**

Team Pine River, Pine River Prepack, Newton, Spicy Beer Cold Pack Cheese Spread, 99.300  
Widmer's Cheese Cellars Team & Pine River Prepack, Widmer's Cheese Cellars, Theresa,  
Green Olive Brick Spread, 99.200  
Widmer's Cheese Cellars Team & Pine River Prepack, Widmer's Cheese Cellars, Theresa,  
Aged Brick Spread, 99.000

### **Pasteurized Process Cheese, Cheese Food, Cheese Spread**

Team Revela Foods, Cropp Cooperative/Organic Valley, LaFarge, Organic White American  
Cheese, 99.150  
AMPI's Dinner Bell Creamery, Associated Milk Producers Inc., Portage, Pasteurized Processed  
Cheese, 99.025

AMPI's Dinner Bell Creamery, Associated Milk Producers Inc., Portage, Pasteurized Processed Cheese Slices, 99.000

### **Reduced Fat or Lite Cheese**

Steve Webster, Klondike Cheese Co., Monroe, Odyssey Reduced Fat Feta, 99.800

Charles Henn, Agropur, Weyauwega, Reduced Fat Feta Cheese, 99.225

Ron Buholzer, Klondike Cheese Co., Monroe, Odyssey Reduced Fat Mediterranean Flavored Feta, 98.525

### **Open Class – Soft and Spreadable Cheese**

Lake Country Dairy, Lake Country Dairy Schuman Cheese, Turtle Lake, Traditional Cello Mascarpone, 99.150

George Crave, Crave Brothers Farmstead Cheese, Waterloo, Mascarpone, 98.900

Lake Country Dairy, Lake Country Dairy Schuman Cheese, Turtle Lake, Cello Mascarpone, 98.850

### **Havarti**

Matt Henze, Decatur Dairy Inc., Brodhead, Havarti, 99.725

Emmi Roth, Emmi Roth, Fitchburg, Roth Creamy Havarti, 99.625

Steve Stettler, Decatur Dairy Inc., Brodhead, Havarti, 99.425

### **Flavored Havarti**

Steve Stettler, Decatur Dairy Inc., Brodhead, Havarti, 100.000

Tom Schultz, Klondike Cheese Co., Monroe, Buholzer Brothers Dill Havarti, 99.950

Luke Buholzer, Klondike Cheese Co., Monroe, Buholzer Brothers Dill Havarti, 99.850

### **Open Class – Semi-Soft Cheese**

Marieke Gouda Team, Holland's Family Cheese, Thorp, Golden 2-4 months - American Original, 99.225

Lake Country Dairy, Lake Country Dairy Schuman Cheese, Turtle Lake, Cello Fontal, 99.200

Jeremy Robinson, Agropur, Weyauwega, Salami style Provolone, 99.150

### **Open Class – Hard Cheese**

Lake Country Dairy, Lake Country Dairy Schuman Cheese, Turtle Lake, Cello Organic Copper Kettle Parmesan, 99.325

Lake Country Dairy, Lake Country Dairy Schuman Cheese, Turtle Lake, Cello Asiago, 99.125

Robert Garves, Mosaic Meadows, Kaukauna, Saxon Creamery Saxony, 99.050

### **Flavored Goat Milk Cheese**

Robert Garves, Mosaic Meadows, Kaukauna, Pumpkin Goat Cheese, 98.375

Robert Garves, Mosaic Meadows, Kaukauna, Mediterranean Goat Cheese, 98.100

Montchevre Team, Saputo Cheese, Wauwatosa, Montchevre Jalapeno Honey, 97.900

### **Natural Goat Milk Cheese**

Robert Garves, Mosaic Meadows, Kaukauna, LaClare Creamery Original Goat Cheese, 98.300

Robert Garves, Mosaic Meadows, Kaukauna, LaClare Creamery Evalon, 98.150

Team Kingston Cheese, Kingston Cheese Cooperative, Cambria, Goat Blue Targeted, 98.075

### **Latin American Cheese**

George Crave, Crave Brothers Farmstead Cheese, Waterloo, Oaxaca, 99.750

Justin Blazeski, V&V Supremo Foods, Browntown, Oaxaca Cheese Ball, 99.475

Mark Boelk, V&V Supremo Foods, Browntown, Oaxaca Cheese, 99.300

### **Sheep & Mixed Milk Cheese**

Team Kingston Cheese, Kingston Cheese Cooperative, Cambria, Breezy Blue Targeted, 99.675  
Robert Garves, Mosaic Meadows, Kaukauna, La Clare Creamery Chandoka, 98.650

### **Gouda & Edam**

Emmi Roth, Emmi Roth, Fitchburg, Roth Aged Gouda, 99.700  
Marieke Gouda Team, Holland's Family Cheese, Thorp, Reserve Gouda 3+ years, 99.650  
Marieke Gouda Team, Holland's Family Cheese, Thorp, Premium Gouda 12-18 months, 99.575

### **Unflavored Cheese Curds**

Steve Stettler, Decatur Dairy Inc., Brodhead, White Curd, 99.500  
Matt Henze, Decatur Dairy Inc., Brodhead, White Curd, 99.300  
Decatur Cheesemakers, Decatur Dairy Inc., Brodhead, Cheddar Cheese Curd, 99.050

### **Flavored Cheese Curds**

Steve Stettler, Decatur Dairy Inc., Brodhead, Tomato Bacon Ranch Curd, 98.850  
Decatur Cheesemakers, Decatur Dairy Inc, Brodhead, Ranch Style Cheese Curd, 98.700  
Team Nasonville Dairy, Nasonville Dairy, Inc., Marshfield, Everything Bagel Cheese Curds, 98.500

### **Shredded Cheese**

Great Lakes Cheese - Plymouth, Plymouth, Shredded Parm, 99.850  
Master's Gallery Foods, Plymouth, Shredded Gourmet Cheddar Cheese Blend, 99.700  
Gabrielle Anderson, Agropur, Weyauwega, Shredded Low Moisture Mozzarella, 99.600

### **Crumbled Cheese**

Rachel Pantzlauff, Agropur, Weyauwega, Crumbled/diced Feta, 99.900  
Robert Garves, Mosaic Meadows, Kaukauna, LaClare Creamery Original Crumbled Goat Cheese, 99.850  
Robert Garves, Mosaic Meadows, Kaukauna, LaClare Creamery Honey Crumbled Goat Cheese, 99.800

### **Salted Butter**

Royal Guernsey Creamery, Columbus, 99.750  
Cropp Cooperative/Organic Valley, LaFarge, 99.100

### **Unsalted Butter**

Cropp Cooperative/Organic Valley, LaFarge, 99.900

### **Flavored High Protein Yogurt**

Klondike Cheese Co., Monroe, Odyssey Peach Greek Yogurt, 99.550  
Klondike Cheese Co., Monroe, Odyssey Vanilla Greek Yogurt, 99.000

### **Unflavored High Protein Yogurt**

Klondike Cheese, Monroe, Odyssey Greek Yogurt, 99.750  
Klondike Cheese, Monroe, Odyssey Labne, 99.650

### **Open Class – Flavored Yogurt**

Yodelay Yogurt, Madison, Pineapple Swiss, 99.700

Yodelay Yogurt, Madison, Tart Cherry, 99.650  
Yodelay Yogurt, Madison, Rhubarb Swiss, 99.550

**Open Class – Unflavored Yogurt**

Klondike Cheese Co., Monroe, Odyssey Whole Fat Yogurt, 99.050

**Drinkable Cultured Products**

Weber's Farm Store, Marshfield, Low Fat Mango Kefir, 99.850  
Weber's Farm Store, Marshfield, Low Fat Plain Kefir, 99.750  
Weber's Farm Store, Marshfield, Low Fat Strawberry Kefir, 99.600

**Open Class – Flavored Sour Cream**

Westby Coop Creamery, Westby, French Onion Dip, 99.350  
Westby Coop Creamery, Westby, Organic French Onion Dip, 99.275  
Sigma Darlington, Darlington, Chipotle Flavored Acidified Sour Cream, 99.150

**Open Class – Unflavored Sour Cream**

Klondike Cheese, Monroe, Sour Cream, 99.850  
Sigma Darlington, Darlington, Fud Acidified Sour Cream, 99.350  
Sigma Darlington, Darlington, Fud Crema Salvadorena, 99.250

**Low Fat Sour Cream**

Klondike Cheese Co., Monroe, Odyssey Reduced Fat, Greek French Onion Dip, 99.900  
Klondike Cheese Co., Monroe, Odyssey Reduced Fat, Greek Tzatziki, 99.450  
Klondike Cheese Co., Monroe, Francisco De La Cruz, 99.100

**2% Fluid Milk – White**

Lamer's Dairy, Appleton, 2% Fluid White Milk, 99.900  
Two Guernsey Girls Creamery, Freedom, A2 Whole White Milk, 99.800  
Lamer's Dairy, Appleton, 2% Fluid White Milk, 99.750

**1% Fluid Milk - Chocolate**

Two Guernsey Girls Creamery, Freedom, A2 Whole Chocolate Milk, 99.800  
Weber's Farm Store, Marshfield, Low Fat Chocolate Milk, 99.650  
Lamer's Dairy, Inc., Appleton, 1% Lowfat Chocolate Milk, 99.500

**Flavored Custard**

Creamy Pig, Grafton, Banana Cream, 99.900  
Creamy Pig, Grafton, Rocky Road, 99.850  
Dairyland Old Fashioned Hamburgers, Milwaukee, Chocolate Frozen Custard, 99.800

**Unflavored Custard**

Dairyland Old Fashioned Hamburgers, Milwaukee, Sweet Cream Frozen Custard, 99.950