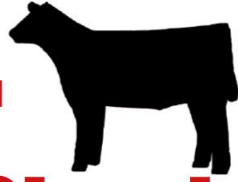


15th Annual  
**Badger**  
**Kick-Off Classic**  
Prospect Steer and Heifer Show



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## News Release

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### **BADGER KICK-OFF CLASSIC SCHEDULED FOR DECEMBER 4-6, 2009**

The 15<sup>th</sup> annual Badger Kick-Off Classic prospect steer & heifer show, presented by the UW-Madison Saddle & Sirloin Club, is scheduled to begin Friday, December 4 and continue through Sunday, December 6 at the Wisconsin State Fair Park in West Allis, Wis. Classes are available for steers, market heifers and breeding heifers.

New and experienced exhibitors are welcome to bring their project calves to this open show. Animals do not need to be registered in the exhibitor's name, however do need to be registered to exhibit in a breed class.

Cash prizes will be presented to the top five market animals and heifers as well as Andis clippers to breed champions and Andis clipper blades to reserve breed champions. At the 2008 show, over \$18,000 in prizes were awarded.

Check the show website at [www.badgerkickoffclassic.com](http://www.badgerkickoffclassic.com) for additional show details and registration information. For other questions, you can call the show chairmen, Courtney Jentz at (608) 732-1423 or Kelsi Retallick at (608) 778-7748, or e-mail at [badgerkickoffclassic@gmail.com](mailto:badgerkickoffclassic@gmail.com).

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