



# Fremont County

**August 2010**

Greetings Fremont County!

## August 2010 Newsletter

### Congratulations on a great 2010 fair!

The 2010 Fremont County Fair is over and what a success it was! We had a great turnout of guests and we can't wait to see what next year's fair will hold for us. I hope you all had a great time and enjoyed the summer weather. Thank you to all of the volunteers, staff, and 4-H families who helped make this possible. Good luck next year and keep the great work up in this upcoming year.

Sincerely,

Andrea Rexroth, Anne Chambers,  
Heidi Lowthorp and Emily Aistrophe

### Record Book Deadline

Don't forget to complete those record books. The deadline to turn in your records books to the extension office will be Sept. 15 at 5 p.m. Those who complete and turn theirs in on time will be eligible for a record book t-shirt and record book awards. Remember that part of being able to go on the CWF trip to Washington D.C. involves complete and on-time record books for three years prior to the trip in 2012.

### A few record book tips....

Remember to be **NEAT** and **ORGANIZED** as much as possible when completing your record book. Use a computer or typewriter if one is available; it is so much easier for us to read. If you are handwriting your record book, do your best not to scribble or cross out words. Instead use white out or start over. Also make sure to watch punctuation, spelling, etc. A great way to be organized is to use tab dividers, this will really help in the judging process.

## Mark Your Calendars!

### *August*

3-7: Sidney Iowa Rodeo

12-22: Iowa State Fair

17: 4-H Cook This! At State Fair

28-29—Shooting Sports Leader Training, Red Oak

### *September*

15: Record Books are DUE!

24-27: Ak-Sar-Ben Livestock Exposition, Omaha

### *October*

4-10: National 4-H Week

## Don't forget to say THANK YOU!

Don't forget to write those thank you notes. I know it's not the most fun thing, but when someone gets a thank you card it is really uplifting. A lot of people around southwest Iowa put a lot of hard work, dedication, and support into your 4-H program and now it's your turn to thank them for all they have done. Even if you can't send a thank you card, make sure to call them up or when you see them on the street let them know how much their hard work, dedication, and support really means to you.



### Things to write thank you cards for....

- Pies
  - Premium Sale
  - \$4 Food Coupon
  - Plaques/Trophies
- Remember these are just a few ideas to help you get started.

### **FOR SALE:**

**California breed show-quality rabbits** for sale. \$5 each.

- Contact Lori or Kaley Severn at 712-308-2489.
- Owners have many award-winning rabbits.
- Great project for a 4-H youth.

### **4-H Volunteers Needed!**

When: August 21st

Where: Randolph

What for: Randolph Days

- Volunteers are asked to help with a health and wellness tent which will include activities, snacks, and more.

Contact Jessica (712)-625-3179 or the Extension Office for more info!

## **FAIRBOARD AWARDS!!!**

Congratulations to William Green (Washington P.E.P.) and Jordan Laughlin (W.M.P.)! Each were awarded \$50 by the Fair Board in the 4-H exhibitor drawing.

### **What should a record book consist of?**

Don't fret if you don't know, I have helped you out....just look down below.

Record Book Covers- Some clubs provide these, others do not. If your club doesn't come on down to the Extension Office and we will hook you up with one for \$2.75. Remember! You must have a cover!

Cover Sheet- This sheet will include a picture of you, your name, club, age, and grade level

Table of Contents- Once again with this table of contents it is so much easier to judge, and it helps with future reference for yourself and 4-H'ers you might mentor in the future. Personalize it, make it fun. Don't worry with page numbers, we don't need them. Just list things in order in the way they will be found. Remember to list projects out by what they are and how many years you have participated in that project area.

Yearly 4-H Summary- This should consist of your activities in 4-H this past year. Also make sure to include other things such as; home, school, and community activities. These are available on the Web or at the Extension Office.

Personal Goal Record- With this, you should list your overall goals for the 4-H year. Goals for individual projects should be listed in your 4-H Project Records.

4-H Project Records- You will need to complete one project record for each project you are enrolled in-regardless of whether or not you took an entry to fair. There are 3 levels; Basic (junior members), Experienced (intermediate members), and Advanced (senior members). Once again, these are available on the web or at the Extension Office. You may include a fair write-up behind the project record form.

Project Worksheets- Many projects have a worksheet that you will complete and in-



clude in the above forms. These need to go behind the project record forms. Once again, these are available on the web or at the Extension Office.

Project Related Pictures- Get creative with this! Show your personality! The best thing about judging record books is seeing pictures of you working on/with your projects.

4-H Story- This is a requirement and it should not be a repeat of your 4-H yearly summary. Your story should sum up your year's accomplishments, new things you tried in 4-H, clubs, activities, community service, future plans, what 4-H has taught you. Anything that you feel should be in your story you should put in. Once again get creative.

Supporting Materials- This item includes club minutes, newspaper articles, etc. We ask that you do not put ribbons, receipts, or letters in your supporting materials.

Record Keeping Self Evaluation- Remember to be honest with yourself as you complete this!

Previous Year's Records- Make sure to have your current year on top! Also, make sure to turn in all materials, especially if you have more than one book.

### **National 4-H Week**

This is our time to shine! Try and recruit as many new members as possible, even if they can't join your club. Give presentations at school to 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> grade kids. Tell them all of the things you get out of 4-H, all of the different activities you can participate in, the EXTREMELY AWESOME camps you are able to attend. Do an activity with them that they could do for a project in 4-H (they always love activities). Tell them all about our amazing, fun, cool, exciting, enjoyable county and county fair. This year's National 4-H Week falls on October 4<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>, so let's get

out in our community and show them what 4-H in Fremont County is all about.

### **It's time to "Set the Stage" at the Iowa State Fair**

Do you and your family need just a quick vacation or a fun outing? Well why not head to Des Moines to experience the 2010 Iowa State Fair. The Iowa State Fair starts up on August 12<sup>th</sup> and goes till the 22<sup>nd</sup>. They offer many free entertainments and a lot of fun activities for every age. I encourage you all to try and make it up there. You can experience a huge carnival, sit in on the Bill Riley Talent Show, try basically any food on a stick, meet new friends, or even support our 2010 Fremont County Fair Queen as she competes in the Iowa State Fair Queen Competition. Whatever floats your boat, go out and set the stage at the Iowa State Fair.

### **Pictures from the fair...**

If you are interested, we have pictures from the fair available for your viewing. If you would like to see them just click on the link below (if you received this by email) or type it in to your search box (if you received this by mail).

Here is the link:

<http://picasaweb.google.com/114883928168081619188>



## Horse

Grand Champion Mare	Jennifer MacDonald (Baily)/WMP	Nishna Valley Saddle Club
Reserve Champion Mare	Kaley Severn (Milly)/Riverside Rockets	Waubonsie Saddle Club
Grand Champion Gelding	Jennifer MacDonald (Tigger)/WMP	Waubonsie Saddle Club
Reserve Champion Gelding	Shelbie Driever (Duke)/Silver Skylarks	Nishna Valley Saddle Club
High Point Exhibitor -JR. tative"	Christine Rost/WMP	"Robert & Kathy Lightfoot, Joe's Autom-
High Point Exhibitor-INT.	Jennifer MacDonald/FFA Joe's Automotive	Whitehill Quarterhorses
High Point Exhibitor-SR.	Shelbie Driever /Silver Skylarks	Dave Nelson Horse Shoeing

## Sheep

Grand Champion Market Lamb	Dominic Aistrope/Riverside Rockets	Sunshine S Trailers/Jon Stripe
Reserve Champion Market Lamb gut	Dominic Aistrope/Riverside Rockets	Stoney Point FFA Chapter/ Farra-
Grand Champion Pen of 3	Dominic Aistrope/Riverside Rockets	Stenzel Farms
Reserve Champion Pen of 3	Chelsey Anderson /Riverside Rockets	Lee Trophies/Shenandoah
Grand Champion Carcass	Ramon Gonzalez Waubonsie Trail Blazers	Curtis and Leslie Brooks
Reserve Champion Carcass	Chelsey Anderson /Riverside Rockets	Glenwood State Bank
Grand Champion Comm. Ewe	Daniel Whitehead/Silver Skylarks	Pioneer Hi-Bred/ Mack Teachout
Reserve Champion Comm. Ewe	Chelsey Anderson /Riverside Rockets	Brooks Ag Service
Grand Champion Jr. Sheep Showman	Ramon Gonzalez/Waubonsie Trail Blazers	Johnson Law Office
Reserve Champion Jr. Sheep Showman	0	Nahkunst Farms / Jim
Grand Champion Sr. Sheep Showman	Dominic Aistrope/Riverside Rockets	First Community Bank
Reserve Champion Sr. Sheep Showman	Chelsey Anderson /Riverside Rockets	Aistrope Farms
Sheep Top Rate Of Gain	Ramon Gonzalez /Waubonsie Trail Blazers	Admiral Inn/ Janet Burkhiser

## Cat

Grand Champion Cat Showmanship	Leanne Achenbach	FFA
Reserve Champion Cat Showmanship	Mallory Beard	Silver Skylarks



## Swine

Grand Champion Market Hog	Alex Laughlin/WMP	Spiegel Farms
Reserve Champion Market Hog	Megan Lightfoot /WMP	McIntyre Real Estate
Grand Champion Pen of 3	Austin Thompson/Washington PEP	Tri-Valley Bank
Reserve Champion Pen of 3	Jeremy Walter/Riverside Rockets	Henneman Auto
Grand Champion Commercial Gilt	Megan Lightfoot/WMP	Farm Service Co/Randolph
Reserve Champion Commercial Gilt	Jeremy Walter/Riverside Rockets	Fremont Mills FFA/ Doug Jamison
Grand Champion Carcass	Elayna Mincer/Washington PEP	Jim Nahkunst
Reserve Champion Carcass	Jeremy Walter/Riverside Rockets	First Express Insurance
Grand Champion Jr. Swine Showman	Elayna Mincer/Washington PEP	Neil Bouray
Reserve Champion Jr. Swine Showman	Bryce Moran/Washington PEP	Neil Bouray
Grand Champion Int. Swine Showman	Caleb Mincer/Washington PEP	Robert and Kathy Lightfoot
Reserve Champion Int. Swine Showman	Austin Thompson/Washington PEP	David and Kristy York
Grand Champion Sr. Swine Showman	Aaron Mincer/Washington PEP	Gubser Generation Farm Inc.
Reserve Champion Sr. Swine Showman	Andrew Thompson/Washington PEP	Gary & Mary Kay Walter
Swine Top Rate of Gain	Jeremy Walter and Austin Thompson	First Express Insurance
Grand Champion Dairy Goat	Kaley Severn/Riverside Rockets	Henneman Lawn Service
Reserve Champion Dairy Goat	Kaley Severn/Riverside Rockets	Pioneer Brand Products & Johnson Family Seed/Greg
Grand Champion Meat Goat	Jenna Nelson/Riverside Rockets	"Iowa Meat Goat Assoc/Erich Finch, President"
Reserve Champion Meat Goat	Ethan Burge/Washington PEP	Great Western Bank/Hamburg
Grand Champion Doe Meat Goat	Jenna Nelson/Riverside Rockets	Pioneer Brand Products & Johnson Family Seed/Greg
Reserve Champion Doe Meat Goat	Kaley Severn/Riverside Rockets	Midwest Seeds-Birkby Century Farm Inc/ Mark Birkby
Grand Champion Wether Goat	Ethan Burge/Washington PEP	Red Line Oil & Automotive/ Todd Chapman
Reserve Champion Wether Goat	Ethan Burge/Washington PEP	Pioneer Brand Products & Johnson Family Seed/Greg
Grand Champion Pygmy Goat	Amber Tomford/FFA	
Reserve Champion Pygmy Goat	Amber Tomford/FFA	B&B Enterprises & Kevin & Lori Burge
Grand Champion Jr. Goat Showman	Kaley Severn/Riverside Rockets	"Miller, Shearer, Lashier & Co."
Reserve Champion Jr. Goat Showman	Jake Jamison/Riverside Rockets	Farm Service Company/Randolph
Grand Champion Sr. Goat Showman	Jenna Nelson/Riverside Rockets	Burge Livestock/Rod & Stacy
Reserve Champion Sr. Goat Showman	Amber Tomford/FFA	Farm Service Company - Randolph



### Dog

Grand Champion Dog Showman	Aspen Ross/Silver Skylarks	Lloyd Inc
Reserve Champion Dog Showman	Emma Champman/Silver Skylarks	Lloyd Inc
Clothing Outstanding Fashion Revue Jr/Int	Mckenzie Ross/Silver Skylarks	Lois Aistrope
Outstanding Fashion Revue Sr	0	Lois Aistrope
Outstanding Clothing Selection Jr/Int	Nickole Schwartz/Washington PEP	Lois Aistrope
Outstanding Clothing Selection Sr	Bailey Shirley/Silver Skylarks	Lois Aistrope
Outstanding \$15 Challenge Jr	Katy Hackworth/ Silver Skylarks	Lois Aistrope
Outstanding \$15 Challenge Sr/Int	Emily Whitehead/Silver Skylarks	Lois Aistrope

### Dairy

Grand Champion Dairy	Tiffany Pease/Washington PEP	First Community Bank
Reserve Champion Dairy	Tiffany Pease/Washington PEP	Nishna View Dairy/Kenneth Luddington
Grand Champion Sr. Dairy Showman	Tiffany Pease/Washington PEP	James & Melonie Doyle
Reserve Champion Sr. Dairy Showman	Amanda Griffith FFA	Fremont County Fair Board
Grand Champion Jr./Int. Dairy Showman	0	
Reserve Champion Jr./Int. Dairy Showman	0	

### Mkt. Beef

Grand Champion Market Heifer	Trevor Schaaf/Riverside Rockets	Mr. & Mrs. Chris Teachout
Reserve Champion Market Heifer	Logan Doty/Silver Skylarks	Mr. & Mrs. Dave Hankins
Grand Champion Market Steer	Dominic Aistrope/Riverside Rockets	Holt Gas
Reserve Champion Market Steer	Nick Laughlin/WMP	Grudle Farms/Randy Grudle
Grand Champion Home-Raised	Dominic Aistrope/Riverside Rockets	Mrs. Mildred Doyle
Reserve Champion Home-Raised	Nick Laughlin/WMP	Schaaf Brothers
Grand Champion Carcass	TBA	James Country Grocery
Reserve Champion Carcass	TBA	Phillips Farms/Greg
Grand Champion Jr. Cattle Feeders	Jeremy Walter/Riverside Rockets	Lorimor Farms/Steve
Reserve Champion Jr. Cattle Feeders	Will Damme Longinaker/Riverside Rockets	Mr. & Mrs. Jim Head
Grand Champion Jr. Beef Showman	Olivia Schaaf/Riverside Rockets	Bert Lorimor Family/Steve



Reserve Champion Jr. Beef Showman	Daniel Whitehead/Silver Skylarks	Nenneman Farm & Cattle/Mike
Grand Champion Sr. Beef Showman	Jeremy Walter/Riverside Rockets	David Nelson Shoeing McGargill Stock Farm
Reserve Champion Sr. Beef Showman	Preston Schaaf/Riverside Rockets	McGargill Stock Farm Mr. & Mrs. Randy Grudle
Beef Top Rate of Gain	Olivia Schaaf/3.44/Riverside Rockets	McGargill Stock Farm/George

### Br Beef

Grand Champion Overall Supreme Heifer	Jeremy Walter/Riverside Rockets	Melonie & James Doyle
Reserve Champion Overall Sumpreme Heifer	Ryan Laughlin/WMP	Hughes Livestock
Grand Champion Cow-Calf Pair	Bailey Shirley/Silver Skylarks	Farm Service Company - Randolph
Reserve Champion Cow-Calf Pair	Jennifer MacDonald/WMP	First National Bank - Farragut & Shenandoah
Poultry Grand Champion Overall Poultry	Tiffany Pease/Washington PEP	Fremont County Title Co.
Reserve Champion Overall Poultry	Keegan Bintz/Waubonsie Trail Blazers	Orscheln Farm & Home
Grand Champion Commercial Egg Production	Tiffany Pease/Washington PEP	F-M Booster/Randy Wirth
Reserve Champion Commercial Egg Production	Keegan Bintz/Waubonsie Trail Blazers	Wirth Construction & Roofing LLC
Grand Champion Meat Production	Dakotah/ JamisonRiverside Rockets	Doug Jamison/Randolph
Reserve Champion Meat Production	Jessica Jamison/Riverside Rockets	LaVern & Beverly Hardy
Grand Champion Non-Commercial	Keegan Bintz/Waubonsie Trail Blazers	Smitty?s Lounge/Tabor
Reserve Champion Non-Commercial	Logan Doty/Silver Skylarks	First National Bank
Grand Champion Jr. Poultry Showman	Jake Smith/Silver Skylarks	Farragut Oil Inc./Gery Sickman
Reserve Champion Jr. Poultry Showman	Jolean McClane/Silver Skylarks	Waubonsie Log Homes
Grand Champion Sr. Poultry Showman	Logan Doty/Silver Skylarks	Fremont County Fair Board
Reserve Champion Sr. Poultry Showman	Jake JamisonRiverside Rockets	Gary & Mary Walter

### Rabbit

Best of Show	Mckenzie Ross/Silver Skylarks	Johnson Law Office
Reserve Best of Show	Christine Rost/WMP	First Community Bank
Best of Breed Californian	Christine Rost - Bugzy/WMP	Pierson Hauling
Best Opposite Californian	Kaley Severn - Fuzzbutt/Riverside Rockets	Pierson Hauling
Best of Breed Flemish	Christine Rost /WMP	Pierson Hauling



Best of Breed Satin	Kaley Severn /Riverside Rockets	KS Kritters
Best Opposite Satin	Kaley Severn/Riverside Rockets	Pierson Hauling
Best of Breed Other	Keegan Bintz/Waubonsie Trail Blazers	James Grocery
Best Opposite Other	Keegan Bintz/Waubonsie Trail Blazers	Pierson Hauling
Best of Breed Dutch	Kaley Severn/Riverside Rockets	Dutch Hollow Kennel
Best Opposite Dutch	Logan MacDonald/WMP J	im Hughes Real Estate
Best of Breed Harlequin	Kaley Severn/Riverside Rockets	Jim Hughes Real Estate
Best Opposite Harlequin	Kaley Severn/Riverside Rockets	Duch Hollow Kennel
Best of Breed Netherland	Mckenzie Ross/Silver Skylarks	Pierson Hauling
Best Opposite Netherland	Mckenzie Ross/Silver Skylarks	Pierson Hauling
Best of Breed Mini Rex	Meaghan Madison/Riverside Rockets	Duch Hollow Kennel
Best Opposite Mini Rex	Paige Arent/Waubonsie Trail Blazers	Pierson Hauling
Best of Breed Standard Rex	Tiffany Meyer/Riverside Rockets	Pierson Hauling
Best Opposite Standard Rex	0	Jim Hughes Real Estate
Best of Breed Holland	Jenna Nelson/Riverside Rockets	Pierson Hauling
Best of Breed Rex	0	KS Kritters
Grand Champion Jr. Rabbit Showman	Jenna Nelson/Riverside Rockets	Supernaw Farms Inc/ Larry
Reserve Champion Jr. Rabbit Showman	Aspen Ross/Silver Skylarks	Get Framed
Grand Champion Sr. Rabbit Showman	Mckinzie Ross/Silver Skylarks	Gene Eaton Law Office
Reserve Champion Sr. Rabbit Showman	Christine Rost/WMP	Shull Hardware

### Table Setting

Grand Champion Jr	Maryn Phillips/Washington PEP	Sidney Floral
Reserve Champion Jr	Emily Welch/Washington PEP	Penn Drug/ Sidney
Grand Champion Int.	Samantha Moran/Washington PEP	Corner Cottage, Hamburg
Reserve Champion Int	Jessica Lowthorp /Silver Skylarks	Corner Cottage, Hamburg
Grand Champion Sr.	Ashley Gilbert/Washington PEP	Tabor Floral/ Stoner Drug, Hamburg



## State Fair Static

Ag and Natural Resources	Jeannie Schleip	Silver Skylarks
Science Mechanics and Engineering	Preston Schaaf	Riverside Rockets
Science Mechanics and Engineering	Luke Nenneman	Waubonsie Trail Blazers
Photography	Logan Wood	Riverside Rockets
Photography	Shelbie Driever	Silver Skylarks
Photography	Jessica Lowthorp	Silver Skylarks
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Photography	Olivia Schaaf	Riverside Rockets
Photography	Janae Shough	WMP
Photography	Lindsey Holt	Silver Skylarks
Photography	Bailey Wilson	Silver Skylarks
Photography	Mckenzie Ross	Silver Skylarks
Visual Arts	Chelsea Nebel	WMP
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Visual Arts	Jessica Jamison	Riverside Rockets
Clothing and Textiles	Jessica Jamison	Riverside Rockets
Clothing and Textiles	Mckenzie Ross	Silver Skylarks
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Clothing and Textiles	Jordan Laughlin	WMP
Food and Nutrition	Jordan Laughlin	WMP
Food and Nutrition	Mallory Beard	Silver Skylarks
Food and Nutrition	Elayna Mincer	Washington PEP
Food and Nutrition	William Green	Washington PEP
Home Improvement	Logan Doty	Silver Skylarks
Personal Development	Megan Lightfoot	WMP
Personal Development	Jody Shough	WMP
Personal Development	Janae Shough	WMP



4-H Poster	Mckenzie Ross	Silver Skylarks
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Issues	Mallory Beard	Silver Skylarks

### Communication

State Fair Working Exhibit	Mallory and Mathew Beard/Silver Skylarks	
State Fair Educational Presentation	Billy Dyke	Silver Skylarks
State Fair Educational Presentation	Christine Rost	Silver Skylarks
State Fair Educational Presentation	Jeannie Schleip	Silver Skylarks
State Fair Clothing	Bailey Shirley	Silver Skylarks
State Fair Share the Fun	Silver Skylarks Club/Silver Skylarks	
State Fair Share the Fun	Washington PEP Club	Washington PEP
State Fair Share the Fun alternate	"Mallory, Morgan, and Mathew Beard"	Silver Skylarks