

Big Four Fair
June 17, 18, 19, 2011

Fair Schedule June 17, 18, 19, 2011

FAIR ENTRIES DUE- FRIDAY JUNE 17, 2011

9:00 AM – 11:30 AM Junior Division and Open class Projects

The Best of Show will be chosen after all judging is done.

8:30 PM – All Livestock must be on the grounds, livestock will be unloaded / loaded from the North side (Co-op drive) Signs will be posted

JUDGING SCHEDULE

FRIDAY - JUNE 17, 2011 - 12:00 NOON

8:30 AM -- Entry Check in begins

9:00 AM – Conference Judging on Jr. Division.

12:00 Noon – Open Class Projects (If article is soiled - judge may refuse ribbon placing)

12:00 Noon – Culinary and Fancy work judging

12:00 Noon – Farm and Garden Judging

1:00 PM – Dress Review/Clothing Selection at Dreamland Pavilion

(Style show and presentations immediately following the judging)

3:00 PM – Dog Show

SATURDAY - JUNE 18, 2011

8:00 – 9:00 AM -- Hog Show entries (MUST BE IN BY THIS TIME)

10:00 AM – Baking Contest

10:00 AM – Dairy Show -- The show will take a break after the Jr Champion is chosen for the Kiddy Calf show. The Dairy show will then resume.

Kiddy Calf Show

Kiddy Tractor Pull - Will begin shortly after the Kiddy Calf Show is over

3:00 PM – Rabbits & Poultry

5:00 PM – Meat Goat Show

7:30 PM – Hog Show

SUNDAY - JUNE 19, 2011

9:00 AM – Sheep Show

11:30 PM – Beef Show

3:00 PM – Release

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING THE BIG FOUR FAIR

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OFFICERS OF THE SOCIETY

President.....Mike Kruckenberg
Vice President..... Dennis Turner
Secretary/Treasurer..... Judy & John Hyman

DIRECTORS

Vivian Benjegerdes	Kenneth & Becky Meyer	JoAnne Bodley
Bill & Judy Egeland	Kenneth & Nancy Everman	Don Kuhse
Mike & Jeanne Kruckenberg	Tim & Tammy Knutson	Dale & Karen Green
Scott Eberling	Pete & Carol Keune	Dennis & Nancy Turner
Jake & Jody Meyer	John & Judy Hyman	Harlan White
John Dean	Glen Ohloff	Greg Lage
Jo Suckow	Drew & Annette Deering	Blair Everman
Nick Zuercher	Koal & Ann Deering	Craig Mostaert
Duane & Becky Estebo		

DIVISION COMMITTEES

Dairy	Glen Ohloff, Scott Eberling, Nick Zuercher & Volunteer
Beef	Drew & Annette Deering, Koal & Ann Deering & Tim Knutson
Sheep/Goat	Dale & Karen Green & Jody Meyer
Farm & Garden	Bill & Judy Egeland
Culinary and Fancy Work	JoAnne Bodley
Jr. Division	Vivian Benjegerdes, Nancy Turner & Annette Deering
Style Show and Presentations	Jeanne Kruckenberg
Flowers	Janet & Carol Benjegerdes
Rabbits & Poultry	Mike Kruckenberg & Becky Estebo
Food Stand	Kenneth Everman, Kenneth Meyer & John Hyman
Grounds	Mike Kruckenberg, Harlan White
Dreamland Committee	Ken Meyer, Dennis Turner
Kiddie Tractor Pull	Nick Zuercher & Mike Kruckenberg
Ring Announcers	Nancy Everman, Nancy Turner
Dog Show	Beth Einck
Photography	Kathy Ohloff, Sara Turner White & Nancy Everman
Hog/Swine	Tim & Tami Knutson, Drew Deering & Craig Mostaert
Special Contests	Darlynn Mostaert, Annette Deering

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THE FAIR MANAGEMENT WELCOMES YOU TO THE BIG FOUR FAIR

The Big Four Fair will hold the 91th annual Fair June 17 - 19, 2011 at Postville, Iowa. The Big Four Fair dates back to the organization of the Big Four Farmers Institute and has grown to the four county fair that it is today. This gives every exhibitor the privilege of competing with entries from our four county area.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Examine this premium list carefully and send the livestock entries such as sheep, rabbits, and cattle to the Secretary – Judy Hyman, 423 Cherry Valley Dr, Postville, Iowa 52162. This should be done at least **ONE WEEK** in advance of the fair. If you need any more copies of this book they may be picked up at the banks in Postville or write or call the secretary.

A PORTION OF THE LAWS RELATING TO COUNTY AND DISTRICT FAIRS
(REPRINTED FROM THE CODE OF IOWA)

2894 Terms defined: For the Purpose of this Chapter

1. “Fair” shall mean a bona fide exhibition of agricultural and kindred products.
2. “Society” shall mean a county or district for or agricultural society incorporated under the laws of this state for the purpose of holding such fair and which owns or leases ten acres of ground.
3. “Management” shall mean President, Vice President, Secretary/Treasurer and Directors of the society.

2895 Power of Society: Each society may hold annually a fair to further interest in agriculture and encourage the improvement of agricultural products. It may offer and award premiums that will induce general competition.

2896 Control of the Grounds: During the time a fair is being held, no ordinance or resolution of any city or town shall in any way impair the authority of the society, but it shall have solo and exclusive control over the management of such fair.

2897 Permits to Sell Articles: The management of any society may grant a written permit to such person as he thinks proper, to sell fruit, provisions, and other articles not prohibited by law under such regulations as the board of directors may prescribe.

The Management of the Big four Fair will do all in its power to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur. The Fair Association will take every precaution for safe keeping of articles and livestock after their arrival on the grounds, but the association will not in any case be liable for any loss or damage, for any accident or injuries that may happen to this or other property while attending the fair grounds.

The Big Four Fair will pay all premiums and purses in full, in event that the receipts should prove insufficient, in that case it reserves the right to pay all premiums on a prorated bases.

CONCESSIONS

No Persons, firms, or corporation will be permitted to sell, have for sale, or canvas for the sale of anything upon said grounds with out securing permission for such rights from the secretary. Any person who shall canvas, sell, or have for sale any article, shall pay the usual concession fee for the line in which he is in, and shall be subject to the action of the executive committee.

The purpose of the foregoing rule is to protect the public from people who are operating fraudulent games, devises or business of any kind. We will license only concessions that are decent and lawful. Any persons operating illegally will be expelled and subject to prosecution.

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RULES AND GENERAL INFORMATION

1. All articles must be in place by the date and hour specified.
2. No articles may be removed until date and hour specified.
3. All articles must be entered in the name of the maker or grower.
4. Vehicles carrying advertising or sound equipment must obtain grounds rights at the secretary's office.
5. Handbills & advertising materials can't be distributed on the grounds without permission from the secretary's office.
6. Only one entry in a single class should be offered in a collection or visa versa.
7. No article entered in a single class should be offered in a collection or visa versa. This does not include animals.
8. The judge will not open canned vegetables meats and fruits.
9. In all departments where no competitions exist, prize money will be paid at the judges' discretion.
10. A curfew will apply from 1:30 AM to 5:00AM.
11. No high-pressure washers are used on the grounds for washing livestock.
12. The Fair Board reserves the right to make final decision on any questions.
13. Exhibitors must be reasonably attired when exhibiting.
14. **No alcohol or Beer in the Barns**
15. All stalls must be cleaned to receive premiums.

LIST OF PREMIUM AWARDS BY DEPARTMENT

1. All entries are to be done by people between the grades 3-12. They need not be in 4-H or FFA. All other livestock exhibits and exhibitors must follow regular 4-H and FFA County rules and be a project and have completed the 3rd grade –12th Grade.
2. Entry blanks must be sent to the Secretary **ONE WEEK** in advance of the fair.
3. All Livestock entries are to be in place by the time stated in the schedule for the fair.
4. Livestock may be removed as stated in the schedule for the fair. No premium will be paid on livestock removed before the stated times.
5. **All Premium checks need to be cashed within 30 days after receiving the check.**

JUNIOR DIVISION DEPARTMENTS

All junior division entries must be done by the person exhibiting. All entries need not be done by a 4-H or FFA member. We are open to all young people in the four county area from grades K to 12. This includes the junior division, rabbits; and poultry. The age for dairy, beef, sheep and goat exhibiting has not changed. FFA members beyond the age of nineteen need FFA membership proof.

EXHIBITS

1. NO LIMILT FROM EACH COUNTY PARTICIPATING.
2. The projects must be started but need not be finished. All other rules apply.
3. Exhibits are to be in place by **FRIDAY NOON.** Conference judging will be done on all junior division exhibits.
4. Each entry will receive a first, second or third place ribbon.
5. The junior division is for everyone from grades 3rd-12th. They need not be in 4-H or FFA.

POSTERS

1. All posters presented will be judged the same as the projects in the Junior Division.
2. They need to be started but not finished.
3. Posters are to be not more than 22" by 28".

CLOTHING SELECTION AND DRESS REVUE

1. Participants are to be from each of the four counties to take part in the fashion revue.
2. Participants are to be from the clothing selection for each county.
3. Participants must be junior or intermediate or seniors in 4-H. Judging will be based on posture, choice of design, fabric color, harmony, grooming, poise and construction.
4. All girls and boys will receive participation ribbons.
5. Grand Champion or Superior award not necessary if there is no competition in any category.
6. The judging for the dress revue and clothing selection will be at 1:00 PM on Friday, June 17, 2011. The style show will follow the judging in Dreamland.
7. \$15.00 Challenge

4-H PRESENTATION

(Open to 4-H members of the participating counties in all divisions (Junior, Intermediate, and Senior)

1. County entries are unlimited.
2. Demonstrations will begin Friday, June 17, 2011 at approximately 2:00 PM in Dreamland Pavilion.
3. Premiums for the style show and Presentation: Purple ribbons may be given to outstanding entries. All will receive participation ribbons.
 - a. Blue Ribbon \$5.00
 - b. Red Ribbon \$4.00
 - c. White Ribbon \$3.00

WORKING EXHIBITS

The working Exhibit provides an opportunity for members to communicate and interact with an audience in an informal way. Many stages of the product should be ready so that any step can be discussed. **This is not a presentation.** The best topic involves the audience in some doing, tasting, making or judging. This may be an individual or a team.

Judging is done in the Dreamland Pavilion along with the 4-H Presentations.

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR LIVESTOCK EXHIBITS

No individual Certificate of Veterinary Inspection will be required on animals or poultry exhibited but the exhibits will be inspected when unloaded or shortly thereafter by the official show veterinarian. Quarantined animals or animals from quarantined herds cannot be exhibited. Any evidence of warts, ringworm, foot rot, and pink eye, draining abscesses or any other contagious or infectious conditions will eliminate the animal from the show.

NO HEALTH PAPERS REQUIRED.

**THE VETERINARIAN AND THE FAIR BOARD
HAVE THE RIGHT TO REFUSE ANY LIVESTOCK!**

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RABBITS & POULTRY WILL BE JUDGED SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 2011 AT 3:00 P.M.

POULTRY

1. Entries are limited to one entry per class.
2. All entries are to be exhibited as pens of two birds.
3. All entries in the chick raising, duck, geese and turkey classes are limited to spring hatched 2008 birds.
4. Judging will be based on fleshing, eating quality, shape and condition.

Class 18 – Chick Raising (heavy)
Class 19 – Chick Raising (light)
Class 20 – Pair of Ducks
Class 21 – Pair of Geese

Class 22 – Pair of Turkeys
Class 22 – Laying flock (2 birds)
Class 24 – Other poultry (fancy birds)

Blue Ribbon \$5.00 - Red Ribbon \$4.00

RABBITS

1. An exhibitor may show a maximum of 5 rabbits. Only one entry per class will be allowed in the Meat rabbit class. More than one entry per class will be allowed in the Breeding Rabbit classes.
2. Display pens will be furnished by the exhibitor.
3. Meat rabbits must be weighed in between 3:00 - 9:00 P.M. on Friday June 17th.
4. No animal showing symptoms of disease or illness of any kind will be admitted to the show.
5. Rabbits can only be shown in meat or breeding (not both).

Show Order

Showmanship – Sr & Jr.
Meat Rabbits

Champion Meat Rabbit \$10

Large Breeding Rabbits
Small Breeding Rabbits

Champion Breeding Rabbit \$10

Meat Rabbits

Class 1 – Individual Fryer
Class 2 – Fryer Meat Pen

Class 3 – Individual Roaster
Class 4 – Roaster Meat

1. Fryers should be rabbits under 69 days of age and under 5 pounds. The fryer meat pen should consist of 3 rabbits. The individual fryer may or may not be one of the rabbits from the exhibitor's fryer meat pen.
2. Roasters should be rabbits over 69 days of age and over 5 pounds. The roaster meat pen should consist of 3 rabbits. The individual roaster may or may not be one of the rabbits from the exhibitor's roaster meat pen.
3. Crossbred rabbits are allowed in the meat rabbit division class and breeding rabbit classes only (not Fancy).

Breeding Rabbits

1. Exhibitors cannot show breeding rabbits in market classes or market rabbits in the breeding classes
2. Entries in the division are limited to breeding rabbits of recognized breeds and judged per each breed's standards.
3. Rabbits will be shown in the classes listed below. Exhibitors must give specific breed information on their entry form.
4. The following classes are offered for rabbits larger breeds: American, Blue and White, Beveren, Blue Vienna, Californian, Champagne D'Argent, checkered Giant, American chinchilla, cinnamon, Crème D'Argent, Hotot, English Lop, Flemish Giant, French Lop, New Zealand, Palomino and Satin.
5. The following classes are offered for rabbits smaller breeds: English Angora, French Angora, Belgian Hare, Britannia Petite, Standard Chinchilla, Dutch, English Spot, Florida White, Harlequin, Havana, Lilac, Himalayan, Holland Lop, Mini Lop, Nether land Dwarf, Polish, Silver Martins, Tans and Mini Rex.

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Large Breeding Rabbits

Class 5 Senior Doe -- over 8 months old
Class 6 Senior Buck -- over 8 months olds

Class 7 Intermediate Doe -- 6 - 8 months old
Class 8 Intermediate Buck -- 6 - 8 months old
Class 9 Junior Doe -- 3 - 6 months

Small Breeding Rabbits

Class 11 Senior Doe -- over 8 months old
Class 12 Senior Buck -- over 8 months olds

Large Breeding Rabbits

Class 10 Junior Buck -- 3 - 6 months
Class 13 Junior Doe -- under 6 months
Class 14 Junior Buck -- under 6 months

Fancy Rabbits

THE CLASS FOR Fancy Rabbits are animals intended for showing. Crossbred rabbits are not allowed in this class. They should be true to type of a fancy breed. Examples: Dutch, Polish, Netherland Dwarf, Havana and Mini Rex.

Class 15 – Senior Doe (over 6 months of age) Class 17 – Junior Doe (under 6 months of age)
Class 16 – Senior Buck (over 6 months of age) Class 18 – Junior Buck (under 6 months of age)

Rabbit Showmanship

Class 19 – Junior Showmanship for Exhibitors ages 9-11. (Trophy)
Class 20 – Senior Showmanship for Exhibitors ages –12-19 (Trophy).

Champion Fancy Rabbit \$10.00

SHEEP DEPARTMENT

1. Market entries are open to ewes or wethers dropped after January 1, 2011, for market and not entered in commercial ewe lamb class.
2. All lambs must be pre-registered individually. Pens of three may be determined at weigh-in at the fair. Please state on entry if you will have a pen of three.
3. All lambs must be docked and castrated. Lambs should be sheared over entire body. Minimum weight of sheep is to be eighty pounds by fair time. No limit to number shown.
4. Grand Champion and Reserve Champion must place in the Blue group and have competition other than their own.
 - Class 26 – Individual Market Lamb (Limit 2 entries)
 - Class 27 – Market pen of three (Limit 2 entries)
 - Class 28 – Commercial Ewe Lamb (Limit 2 entries)
 - Class 29 – Purebred Ewe Lamb (Limit 2 entries)
 - Class 30 – Purebred Ram Lamb (Limit 2 entries)

Blue Ribbon \$5.00

Red Ribbon \$4.00

White Ribbon \$3.00

Grand Champion \$25.00

Reserve Champion \$15.00

A trophy will be given for the best

Class 31 - Senior Showmanship (grades 9 - 12),

Class 32 - Intermediate Showmanship (grades 7 - 8)

Class 33 - Junior Showmanship (grades 4 - 6).

Previous winners are not eligible for re-entry in this contest.

Winners advance to the next class the following year.

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MEAT GOAT

1. Entries are open to any breed or crossbred wether (castrated male) and/or doe kid born after January 1.
2. The meat goat weigh-in will be held the same day as the market lamb weigh-in May. Meat Goats will be weighted and given tags. Each exhibitor may weigh-in six animals. If going to State Fair, all goats will also be nose printed and a DNA sample will be taken.
3. Market goats will be weighed at the fair on Friday, June 17th beginning around 8:30 p.m. Entries are limited to 4-H/FFA goats which have been listed on the 4-H Animal ID form which must be on file at the County Extension Office on or before May 15th. Each entry must weigh a minimum of 50 pounds and have all milk teeth in normal position at the time of fair weigh-in. Pygmy goats may not be entered. A maximum of 3 entries per exhibitor will be allowed.
4. Grooming: Meat Goats must be uniformly clipped with 3/8 inch length of hair or less above knee and hock to include the head, excluding the tail, recommended before arrival on the grounds. No painting, powdering and/or artificial coloring is allowed. Clipping of the tail is optional.
5. Horns: Must have horns disbudded/dehorned or tipped blunt on all goats before arrival on grounds. Horns must be less than 2 inches.
6. Goats must be free of any sign of disease and external parasites or they will be disqualified.
7. Goats must be broke to lead. Exhibitors will be allowed to use halters, collars or collar with short lead in the show ring.
8. There will only be a meat goat show – no dairy goat show.
9. If there are less than 3 entries in a class, the superintendent may combine classes that are similar.

Blue Ribbon	\$5.00
Red Ribbon	\$4.00
White Ribbon	\$3.00
Grand Champion	\$25.00
Reserve Champion	\$15.00

BEEF DIVISION

Show order: Breeding Beef classes followed by Market Beef classes.

Breeding Beef Class Show Order

- Class 1 – Heifer calf born between Sept. 1, 2010 and March 31, 2011.
- Class 2 – Junior Yearling Heifer born between March 1, 2010 and August 31, 2010.
- Class 3 – Senior Yearling Heifer born between September 1, 2009 and February 28, 2010.
- Class 4 – Cow/Calf.
- Supreme Champion Breeding Animal

Rules regarding exhibition of Breeding beef at the Big Four Fair

1. An exhibitor may enter up to three head of beef heifers. Heifers may be purebred, grade or crossbred.
2. Heifers entered for this project are not eligible to compete in market beef classes.
3. Fair superintendents will decide upon final classes after checking in breeding beef on livestock entry night.

Market Beef

Market Beef Classes Show Order

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| Class 6 Light Weight steers | Class 10 Dairy Beef |
| Class 7 Middle Weight steers | Grand Champion selection |
| Class 8 Heavy Weight Steers | Class 11 Rate of Gain |
| Class 9 Beef Heifers | Showmanship – Sr., Int., Jr. |

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Rules regarding exhibition of Market beef at the Big Four Fair

1. Members may enter a total of three market beef calves that have been weighed and identified by January 15. Calves to be weighed in at county weigh-in must be born between January 1 and June 30 of calendar year weigh-in.
2. Beef are judged by weight classes.
3. Beef calves are to judged as market beefs. Minimum weight 850#
4. Any calves, which have been through a sale barn ring 60 days prior to this show, are not eligible for competition.
5. Weight class will be established so that approximately an equal number of calves will be in each weight class.
6. The weight classes will be established after arrival at the grounds.
7. For safety reasons we suggest you use hard toe shoes!

Premiums for Market Beef

First	\$25.00	All other Blues	\$5.00
Second	\$20.00	Red	\$4.00
		White	\$3.00
Grand Champion	\$25.00	Reserve Champion	\$15.00

WEIGH IN WILL BE DONE AT THE TIME OF UNLOADING FRIDAY. JUNE 17, 2011

The first and second of each class will be paid a premium. In order for an animal to receive one of the above placings; it must place in the blue group. Trophies will be given for Showmanship.

BREED CHAMPION

PREMIUM FOR EACH BREED CHAMPION IS \$5.00

First	\$15.00	All other Blues	\$5.00
Second	\$12.00	Red	\$4.00
Third	\$10.00	White	\$3.00
Fourth	\$ 8.00		

RATE OF GAIN

To enter you must bring your beginning weight slip on each animal.

First Place	\$25.00	Third Place	\$12.00
Second Place	\$15.00	Fourth Place	\$10.00

KIDDY CALF SHOW RULES

The reason for having this show is to get our young people interested in showing cattle. It also is to help them gain experience and love of animals. The Postville FFA will be working with this class.

1. The participant must be under nine years of age as of September 15, 2010.
2. The class is open to calves born after March, 2011.
3. The calf can be a heifer of any breed.
4. There will be no clipping – just washed and clean.
5. There will be three areas of judging.
 - a. The best pair (person and calf)
 - b. The best-groomed calf.
 - c. The best-groomed person.

The show will start after the Junior Champion has been chosen for the Dairy show on Saturday, June 18, 2011.

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DAIRY DIVISION

All calves will place on their individuality and ribbons awarded to all exhibitors. First, second, and third placing will only be awarded to the blue group. In order for an animal to win any of the top three places, it must have placed in the blue group.

Dress code: We ask that you dress in reasonable attire while showing you livestock, no shorts and halter-tops.

A trophy will be given for the best showmanship.

Senior Showmanship (9 – 12 grades)

Intermediate Showmanship (7 – 8 grades)

Junior Showmanship (4 – 6 grades)

Previous winners are not eligible for re-entry in this contest. Winners advance to the next class the following year.

GRADE AND PUREBRED DAIRY CLASSES

(CLASSES MAY BE DIVIDED ACCORDING TO SIZE)

Each class will consist of each breed. Ayrshire, Brown Swiss, Guernsey, Holstein, Jersey, and Milking Shorthorn.

All red and White Holsteins will show and compete in the Black and White Holstein class.

Class 10 – Junior heifer calf born between March 1, 2011 and March 30, 2011.

Class 11 – Intermediate heifer calf born between December 1, 2010 and February 28, 2011.

Class 12 – Senior heifer calf born between September 1, 2010 and including November 30, 2010.

Class 13 – Summer yearling heifer born between June 1, 2010 and August 31, 2010.

Class 14 – Junior yearling heifer born between March 1, 2010 and May 31, 2010.

Class 15 – Winter yearling heifer born between December 1, 2009 and February 28, 2010.

Class 16 – Senior yearling heifer born between September 1, 2009 and November 30, 2009.

Class 17 – Two year old cows born between September 1, 2008 and August 31, 2009.

Class 18 – Three year old & older cows born before September 1, 2006 and August 31, 2008.

Class 19 – Aged cows born before September 1, 2005.

Class 20 – Dry cows all ages must have calved during the last 16 months.

Premiums will be:

First Blue	\$15.00	All other Blues	\$5.00
Second Blue	\$12.00	Red Ribbon	\$4.00
Third Blue	\$ 8.00	White Ribbon	\$3.00
Breed champion	\$5.00 (Must have competition other than their own.)		
Best Udder	\$5.00 & trophy	Supreme Overall Champion	\$25.00 & Trophy

OPEN CLASS CULINARY -- FANCY WORK -- GARDEN

BAKED GOODS DEPARTMENT

It is impossible to list every baked, canned, needlework, craft, flower, garden, hobby and craft or photo item. If you do not see it listed please bring it anyway. We are always interested in new things.
Recipes must be included with entry.

Premiums: First \$1.00 Second \$.75 Third \$.50

Best display of baking consists of 5 articles.

Small loaf bread class

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| 1. White | 7. Banana Bread | 12. Parker House Rolls (3 or more) |
| 2. Rye | 7a. Carrot Bread | 13. Clover Leaf Rolls (3 or more) |
| 3. Whole Wheat | 8. Date Bread | 14. Frosted Sweet Rolls (3 or more) |
| 4. Cinnamon | 9. Coffee Cake (Raised) | 15. Biscuits, Baking Powder (3 or more) |
| 5. Raisin | 10. Buns (3 or more) | 16. Muffins (3 or more) |
| 6. Nut Bread | 11. Cinnamon Rolls (3 or more) | |

Doughnuts

Baking Powder or soda raised with yeast.

Small cakes – Not made with commercial mixes

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| 17. Angel food – unfrosted | 23. Yellow Cake (any filling or frosting) | 29. Jellyroll |
| 18. Sponge - unfrosted | 24. Best Decorated Cake | 30. Chocolate Cup Cakes - 3 |
| 19. Devils Food Cake - chocolate frosting | 25. Burnt sugar – burnt frosting | 31. White Cup Cakes – 3 |
| 20. White Layer Cake - white frosting | 26. Spice Cake – brown sugar frosting | 32. Sweepstakes on Cakes (\$1.50) |
| 21. Brownies | 27. White or Sugar | 33. Ginger |
| 22. Butterscotch | 28. Chocolate | |

Cookies, pies and miscellaneous

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| 34. Chocolate Chip | 37. Date Bars | 40. Decorated |
| 35. Filled cookies | 38. Icebox | |
| 36. Oatmeal | 39. Fancy Tea Cookies | |

Small Pies

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| 41. Apple – two crust | 46. Chocolate Crème – no meringue | 51. Mince |
| 42. Cherry – two crust | 47. Lemon – no meringue | 52. Gooseberry |
| 43. Raisin – two crust | 48. Pecan | 53. Strawberry |
| 44. Red Raspberry – two crust | 49. Blueberry | 54. Other than mentioned |
| 45. Pumpkin | 50. Peach | |

Candy

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| 55. Mints | 56. Rosettes |
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CANNED GOODS DEPARTMENT

PREMIUMS: FIRST \$ 1.00 SECOND \$.75 THIRD \$.50

All entries in this department must have been canned or preserved within the past year. All entries must be in standard, white glass jars, either quarts or pints with the exception of jellies, which may be in glasses. Lids should not be rusty and jars clean.

Vegetables

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| 1. Beets | 7. Carrots | 12. Spaghetti Sauce |
| 2. Corn | 8. Tomatoes | 13. Pizza Sauce |
| 3. Lima Beans | 9. Tomato Sauce | 14. Salsa |
| 4. Snap Green Beans | 10. Stewed Tomatoes | 15. Five Jars Canned Food to make a balanced meal. |
| 5. Snap Yellow Beans | 11. Tomato Juice | 16. Sauerkraut |
| 6. Snap Yellow Peas | | |

Miscellaneous

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| 13. Catsup | 14. Chili Sauce | 15. Relish |
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Pickles

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| 16. Beet Pickles | 19. Ripe Cucumber Pickles | 22. Green Tomato Pickles |
| 17. Dill Pickles, Cucumbers | 20. Apple Pickles | 23. Pickled Vegetables |
| 18. Sweet, Cucumber Pickles | 21. Peach Pickles | 24. Bread & Butter Pickles |

Canned Fruit

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| 25. Blue Plumb | 31. Black Cherries | 37. Peaches |
| 26. Apples for Pie | 32. Pie Cherries | 38. Apricots |
| 27. Apple Sauce | 33. White Cherries | 39. Plums for Preserves |
| 28. Pears | 34. Rhubarb | 40. Rhubarb Juice |
| 29. Blackberries | 35. Black Raspberries | 41. Maple Syrup |
| 30. Red Raspberries | 36. Ground Cherries | 42. Dried Fruit |

Preserves

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| 41. Strawberry | 46. Grape | 52. Cherry |
| 42. Red Raspberry | 47. Blackberry | 53. Apple Butter |
| 43. Black Raspberry | 48. Tomato (Red) | 54. Peach |
| 44. Ground Cherry | 49. Tomato (Yellow) | 55. Gooseberry |
| 45. Plum | 50. Apricot | 56. Mixed Variety |
| | 51. Pineapple | 57. Pepper jam |

Jellies

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| 56. Apple | 59. Gooseberry | 62. Raspberry |
| 57. Blackberry | 60. Grape | 63. Elderberry |
| 58. Cherry | 61. Plum | |

Canned Meats

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|-------------|----------|---------------|-------------|
| 64. Chicken | 65. Pork | 66. Mincemeat | 67. Venison |
| 65. Beef | | | |

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NEEDLEWORK DEPARTMENT

No article may be exhibited in the needlework department that has been previously exhibited at the Big Four Fair. If article is soiled, judge may refuse ribbon placing.

Premiums: First \$ 1.00 Second \$.75 Third \$.50

Unless otherwise specified, all entries must be in place by **12:00 Noon on Friday** and stay in place until **Sunday afternoon at 3:00 P.M.**

White or Ecru Embroidery

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|----------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1. Pillow Case | 3. Doily | 5. Luncheon Set – Cloth and Napkins |
| 2. Scarf | 4. Buffet or Dresser Set | 6. Other than Mentioned |

Colored Embroidery

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|----------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 7. Pillow Case | 9. Doily | 11. Luncheon Set – Cloth and Napkins |
| 8. Scarf | 10. Buffet or Dresser Set | 12. Dish Towels – 3 of set |
| | | 13. Other than Mentioned 3 |

Cross Stitch Embroidery

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| 14. Pillow Case | 17. Doily | 20. Dish Towels – 3 of set |
| 15. Scarf | 18. Buffet or Dresser Set | 21. Other than Mentioned 3 |
| 16. Apron | 19. Luncheon Set – Cloth and Napkins | |

Cutwork

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| 22. Pillow Case | 24. Doily | 26. Other than Mentioned 3 |
| 23. Scarf | 25. Buffet or Dresser Set | |

Crocheting

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|------------------------------------|---|--------------------------|
| 27. Bedspread | 32. Afghan | 36. Hat or Bag |
| 28. Table cloth (over 54 inches) | 33. Sweater or Cape of
Broomstick Lace | 37. Household Accessory |
| 29. Centerpiece (over 54 inches) | | 38. Potholders |
| 30. Doily (under 15 inches) | 34. Scarf or Vest | 39. Other than mentioned |
| 31. Edging on pillow case or scarf | 35. Infant set | |

Knitting

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|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| 40. Afghan | 43. Infant set | 46. Doily |
| 41. Sweater or Coat | 44. Slippers | 47. Other than mentioned |
| 42. Scarf or Vest | 45. Gloves or Mittens | |

Pillows

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|------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| 48. Smocked | 50. Other Embroidery | 52. Other than mentioned |
| 49. Swedish Embroidery | 51. Decorative | |

Quilts

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|----------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 53. Embroidered Quilt | 55. Fancy Pieced Quilt | 58. Other than mentioned quilt |
| 53a. Embroidered Comforter | 56. Patchwork Quilt | 58a. Other than mentioned comforter |
| 54. Appliquéd Quilt | 56a. Patchwork Comforter | |
| 54a. Appliquéd Comforter | 57. Crib Sheet | |

Rugs

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|-------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| 59. Braided | 61. Crocheted | 63. Mat |
| 60. Hooked | 62. Woven | 64. Other than mentioned |

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Sewing (Bring Garments on Hangers)

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|---------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 65. Potholders or Mitt | 72. Made-Over Garment | 79. Skirt |
| 66. Wall decoration | 73. Tailored Coat or Suit | 80. Sleeping Garment |
| 67. Runner or centerpiece | 74. Pant set | 81. Robe or Housecoat |
| 68. Stuffed item | 75. Simple Dress or jumper | 82. Purse or Bag |
| 69. Child's Dress | 76. Better Dress | 83. Shirt |
| 70. Child's Party Garment | 77. Sport Garment | 84. Household Item |
| 71. Child's Play Garment | 78. Blouse | 84a. Doll or Animal |

Miscellaneous Needlecraft

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|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 85. Hot Pad | 92. Swedish weaving | 100. Infant Items |
| 86. Placemats – set of two | 93. Needlepoint | 101. Holiday decoration |
| 87. Monogram Article | 94. Crewel embroidery | 102. Wall Hanging |
| 88. Appliqué | 95. Textile Painting | 103. Embroidery Picture |
| 89. Machine embroidered or Appliquéd | 96. Macramé | 104. Fabric Picture |
| 90. Hairpin crochet | 97. Item of felt or foam | 105. Candle Wicking |
| 91. Tatting | 98. Display of doll Clothes | 106. Other than mentioned |
| | 99. Toy – Fabric or Yarn | |

HOBBIES AND CRAFTS

No article may be exhibited in the Hobbies and Handicrafts department that has been previously exhibited at the Big Four Fair. Entries are to be in by **12:00 Noon on Friday** and stay in place until **Sunday afternoon at 3:00 P.M.**

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Miscellaneous-Handmade

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|--------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Homemade Bead Items | 3. Handmade Lamp/shades | 5. Other than mentioned |
| 2. Handmade Plastic Item | 4. Handmade Article with Shells | |

Using Waste Products

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| 6. Artistic or useful article made from tin cans | 8. Artistic or useful article made from glass container |
| 7. Artistic or useful article made from plastic container | 9. Other than mentioned |

Wooden Articles

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|---------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 10. Painted Tray or Plate | 12. Wood Burning | 14. Carved Figure |
| 11. Painted Box | 13. Article made of weathered wood | 15. Other than mentioned |

Reed Weaving

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| 16. Tray | 18. Casserole Holder |
| 17. Basket | 19. Other than mentioned |

Creative Arts

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| 20. Figurine Painting | 24. Artificial flower Decorations | 28. Counted Cross Stitch |
| 21. Soap carving | 25. Ceramics | 29. Scherenschnitte (Paper cutting) |
| 22. Artificial flowers (Handmade) | 26. Clay or Pottery | 30. Other than mentioned |
| 23. Hand-Decorated Stationary or cards | 27. Stencil work | |

Plastic Crafts

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| 31. Wall Hanging | 33. Something with Beads | 35. Magnet Decoration |
| 32. Decoration | 34. Household Accessory | 36. Other than mentioned |

Wreaths

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|-----------|---------------------|--------------------------|
| 37. Fiber | 38. Fabrics or Yarn | 39. Other than mentioned |
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VISUAL ARTS

Painting

1. Oil
2. Acrylic
3. Charcoal or Pencil
4. Watercolors

Santa's

1. Wood
2. Ceramic
3. Fiber

Snowman

1. Wood
2. Ceramic
3. Fiber
4. Crocheted

Angels

1. Crochet
2. Ceramic
3. Wood

Sweatshirts

1. Painted
2. Appliquéd
3. Cross Stitch
4. Embroidery
 - a. Hand
 - b. Machine

Birdhouses

1. Painted
2. Rustic
3. Decorated

HEIRLOOMS

Bring to the fair for judging, we will then take a picture of the item for display and you may immediately take the item back home with you. **Provide a brief history of the article on a 3x5 card.**

Premiums: First \$1.00 Second \$.75 Third \$.50

Heirlooms

1. Pictures
2. Vase
3. Household Linen
4. Dish or Plate
5. Jewelry
6. Other than mentioned

ADULT AMATEUR PHOTO CONTEST

Limit of 14 pictures per exhibitor.

ALL PHOTOS MUST BE TAKEN WITHIN THE LAST YEAR AND DATED ON THE BACK OF PHOTOS.

Premiums: First \$ 1.00 Second \$.75 Third \$.50

1. People
2. Animal
3. Animal and People
4. Still Life
5. Nature Still Life
6. Series
7. Experimental

SCRAPBOOKING – OPEN CLASS

Limit of 1 page display per category per exhibitor.

Premiums: First \$ 1.00 Second \$.75 Third \$.50

1. Family
2. Pets/Animals
3. Party/Celebration
4. Sports
5. Nature
6. Vacation

BEST OF SHOW

There will be one Best of the Show selected from these 4 categories for open class:

PREMIUMS: FIRST \$ 15.00 SECOND \$ 10.00 THIRD \$ 5.00

ADULT AMATEUR PHOTO CONTEST (ALL 5 x 7 OR LARGER NEEDS TO BE MATTED)
VISUAL ARTS
HOBBIES AND HANDICRAFTS
NEEDLEWORK DEPARTMENT

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VEGETABLES

Vegetables must be in place **FRIDAY NOON**, judging will be Friday afternoon. All exhibits must be entered in the name of the grower. All exhibitors shall furnish their own containers.

Premiums: First Place \$1.00 Second Place \$.75 Third Place \$.50

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| 1. Beans –green – snap, 6 | 11v. Winter Savory |
| 2. Beans – yellow – wax, 6 | 11w. Lovage |
| 3. Beans – any other type, 6 | 11x. Cilantro |
| 4. Beets, 6 | 12. Kohlrabi, 1 |
| 5. Broccoli – 1 head or 3 side roots | 13. Onion – Yellow, 3 |
| 6. Carrots, 3 | 14. Onion – white, 3 |
| 7. Cauliflower, 1 | 15. Onion – red, 3 |
| 8. Dill – stems | 16. Onion – green, 3 |
| 9. Garlic | 17. Parsley – 3 stems |
| 10. Gourds – 2 Dried Birdhouse type | 18. Potato – white, 5 |
| 11. Herbs – other than listed | 19. Potato – red, 5 |
| 11a. Oregano | 20. Radish – red, 3 |
| 11b. Clary Sage | 21. Radish – white, 3 |
| 11c. Catnip | 22. Sage – 1 stem |
| 11d. Vicks Plant | 23. Spinach |
| 11e. Pineapple Sage | 24. Sunflower, 1 |
| 11f. Chives | 25. Tomatoes – red, 3 |
| 11g. Garlic Chives | 26. Tomatoes – pink, 3 |
| 11h. Marjoram | 27. Tomatoes – yellow or golden, 3 |
| 11i. Thyme | 28. Tomatoes – processing type (Heinz/roma), 5 |
| 11j. Variegated Lemon Thyme | 29. Tomatoes – cherry, 5 |
| 11k. Chocolate Mint | 30. Tomatoes – other than listed |
| 11l. Variegated Mint | 31. Turnips |
| 11m. Costmary | 32. Lettuce |
| 11n. Tansy | 33. Most unusual appearing vegetable, 1 |
| 11o. Tarragon | 34. Peas - regular |
| 11p. Lavender | 35. Peas – Sugar Snap |
| 11q. Green Ruffle Basil | 36. Peas - Pod |
| 11r. Purple Ruffle Basil | 37. Leek- |
| 11s. Basil | 38. Pak Choy |
| 11t. Lemon Basil | |
| 11u. Rosemary | |

JUMBO SPECIMENS

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|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 74. Home grown special | 77. Crab apple -- 6 |
| 75. Strawberries | 78. Strawberries -- 3 |
| 76. Gooseberries | 78a. Day Neutral Strawberries |
| | 79. Raspberries |

FRUITS

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| 80. Rhubarb |
| 81. Maple Syrup |
| 82. Gooseberries |

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FLOWER EXHIBITS

Flowers must be in place **FRIDAY NOON**, judging will be Friday afternoon. All exhibits must be entered in the name of the grower. All Exhibitors shall furnish their own containers, putting small rocks in them for heavy flowers.

CUT FLOWERS

PREMIUMS: FIRST \$ 1.00 SECOND \$.75 THIRD \$.50

PERENNIALS

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| 1. Achemilla | 31. Knautia |
| 2. Achilles/yarrow – 3 stems other color | 32. Lamium |
| 3. Achilles/yarrow – 3 stems – yellow | 33. Lila, Asiatic – 1 stem |
| 4. Allium | 34. Lily – Day – 1 stem |
| 5. Astibe | 35. Lily Climbing |
| 6. Baby’s Breath – 3 stems | 36. Linum/Flax |
| 7. Balloon Flower – 5 stems | 37. Lonicera |
| 8. Bleeding Heart | 38. Lupine |
| 9. Calla Lily | 39. Lychnis |
| 10. Campanula | 40. Nepeta |
| 11. Centaurea | 41. Oenothera |
| 12. Centranthus | 42. Penstemon |
| 13. Chrysanthemum – 3 stems | 43. Peony |
| 14. Clematis – 3 blooms | 44. Phlox – 1 stem |
| 15. Columbine | 45. Potentilla |
| 16. Coneflower – 3 stems | 46. Ranuchulus |
| 17. Coral Bells | 47. Rose - Tea – 3 blooms |
| 18. Coreopsis – 3 stems | 48. Rose – Tea – 1 bloom |
| 19. Daisy – Shasta – 3 stems | 49. Rose – floribunda – 1 stem |
| 20. Delphinium – 1 spike | 50. Rose – mini |
| 21. Feverfew – 3 stems | 51. Rose – David Austin |
| 22. Flowered or berried branch | 52. Rose – other |
| 23. Fox glove – 1 stem | 53. Sedum – 3 stems |
| 24. Gaillardia – 3 stems | 54. Spider Wort |
| 25. Geranium Per | 55. Stachys |
| 26. Globe Thistle – 3 stems | 56. Statice – 3 stems |
| 27. Hosta | 57. Sweet peas – 3 stems |
| 28. Hydrangea | 58. Veronica |
| 29. Iris | 59. Any other not listed – 3 stems |
| 30. Jacob’s Ladder | |

ANNUALS

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| 1. Ageratum – 3 stems | 29. Marigold – French – 1 bloom |
| 2. Alyssum – 3 stems | 30. Marigold – Triploid – 3 stems |
| 3. Begonia – tuberous – 1 bloom | 31. Marigold – Tripitid – 3 stems |
| 4. Buplurum | 32. Mimulus |
| 5. Calendulas – 3 stems | 33. Nasturtium – 3 blooms |
| 6. Cana – 1 stem | 34. Pansies – 3 stems |
| 7. Celosia – crested – 1 stem | 35. Petunias – single – 3 stems |
| 8. Celosia - plumbed – 3 stems | 36. Petunias – singles – 1 bloom |
| 9. Cleome – 1 stem | 37. Petunias – double – 3 stems |
| 10. Coleus – 3 stems | 38. Petunias – double – 1 bloom |

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| 11. Cosmos – 3 stems | 39. Pinks/dianths – 3 stems |
| 12. Dahlia – giant – 1 bloom | 40. Phlox – 3 stems |
| 13. Dahlia – Cactus – 1 bloom | 41. Salpiglossis – 3 blooms |
| 14. Dahlia – ball of pompon – 3 blooms | 42. Salvia – red – 3 stems |
| 15. Dahlia – miniatures – 3 blooms | 43. Salvia – blue – 3 stems |
| 16. Everlasting/strawflower – 3 stems | 44. Salvia – any other color – 3 stems |
| 17. Geranium – red – 3 stems | 45. Scabiosis – 3 blooms |
| 18. Geranium – other colors – 3 stems | 46. Statice – 3 stems |
| 19. Gladiolus – miniature – 1 spike | 47. Snapdragon – spikes |
| 20. Impatiens – singles – 3 stems | 48. Sweet peas – 3 stems |
| 21. Impatiens – double – 3 stems | 49. Sweet William |
| 22. Impatiens – New Guinea – 3 stems | 50. Torenia |
| 23. Larkspur | 51. Verbena – 3 stems |
| 24. Lobelia | 52. Vinca – 3 stems |
| 25. Malva | 53. Viola – 3 stems |
| 26. Marigold – American – Large – 3 stems | 54. Zinnias – large – 1 bloom |
| 27. Marigold – American – 1 bloom | 55. Zinnias – small – 3 blooms |
| 28. Marigold – French – small – 3 stems | 56. Any other not listed – 3 stems |

BOUQUETS

Premiums: First \$ 1.00 Second \$.75 Third \$.50

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| 1. Bouquet of yellow flowers | 7. Patriotic Bouquet | 13. Miniature Bouquet, not over 6" high |
| 2. Bouquet of white flowers | 8. Christmas Bouquet | 14. Dried Flower Bouquet |
| 3. Bouquet of red flowers | 9. Thanksgiving Bouquet | 15. Arrangement of flowers & vegetable |
| 4. Bouquet of pink flowers | 10. Easter Bouquet | 16. Wild Flower Bouquet |
| 5. Bouquet of orange flowers | 11. Winter Bouquet | |
| 6. Bouquet of blue flowers | 12. Novelty Bouquet | |

POTTED PLANTS

Premiums: First \$ 1.00 Second \$.75 Third \$.50

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Foliage houseplants | 3. Flowering Houseplants | 5. Patio Planters |
| 2. Succulents or Cactus | 4. Hanging Baskets | |

Flowers change with the seasons. If you do not see your flower listed here please bring it to be entered. We always welcome new varieties.

GARDEN JUNK ART CONTEST

Garden art items made from recycled/reclaimed materials.

Open Class Divisions:

Glass

Metal

Wood

Mixed Media

Best of Division
2nd in Division

BEST OF SHOW

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JUNIOR DIVISION

This division is set up for students in the four county area. The Junior division has age groups as follows:

Clover Kids	Grade K - 3
Junior	Grades 4 - 6
Intermediate	Grades 7 - 8
Senior	Grades 9 - 12

All entries in the Junior Division receive a ribbon placing

Premiums: Blue \$1.00 Red \$.75 White \$.50

Please follow the guidelines in your fair book that you receive from the county

EDUCATIONAL PRESENTATION

Class 811 – Educational Presentation (Junior)

Class 882 – Educational Presentation (Intermediate/Senior)

WORKING EXHIBIT

Class 883 – Working Exhibit (Junior)

Class 884 – Working Exhibit (Intermediate/Senior)

EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING

Class 886 – Extemporaneous Speaking

4-H POSTER COMMUNICATION

Class 821 – 4-H Poster Communication

ANIMALS

Class 520 – Veterinary Science

Class 231P – Pets

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AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Class 530 – Crop Production
Class 540 – Environment and Sustainability
Class 550 -- Horticulture
Class 560 – Outdoor Adventures
Class 570 – Safety and Education in Shooting Sports
Class 590 -- Other Agriculture and Natural Resources

County Classes: Class 711C – Garden Vegetables
Class 711D -- Herbs
Class 711E -- Ornamentals
Class 711F – Vegetable Combinations
Class 711G – Small Fruits and Tree Fruits
Class 711H – Flowers and Houseplants
Class 711I – Jumbo or Most Unusual Vegetables
Class 711J – Item constructed from garden produce
Class 711K – Bucket of Flowers
Class 711L – Horticulture – Home Judged Garden

CREATIVE ARTS

Class 610 – Music
Class 620 – Photography

Class 630 – Visual Arts
Class 821Z – County Class

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

Class 710 – Child Development
Class 720 – Clothing and Fashion
Class 730 – Consumer Management
Class 740 – Food and Nutrition

Class 750 -- Health
Class 760 – Home Improvement
Class 770 – Sewing and Needle Arts
Class 790 – Other Family and Consumer Science

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

Class 810 – Citizenship
Class 820 – Communication

Class 830 – Leadership
Class 890 – Self-Determined

SCIENCE, ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

Class 910 – Digital Storytelling
Class 930 – Woodworking

Class 920 – Mechanics
Class 940 – Science, Engineering & Technology

BEST OF SHOW

There will be one Best of the Show overall ---
one Champion ---
one Reserve Champion in Jr., Intermediate and Sr. divisions.

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SWINE DEPARTMENT

HOG SHOW

OWNERS MUST BE PQA11 OR FSAQA CERTIFIED

Entries must be turned in by Thursday, June 16, 2011

Weigh in & entry will be from 8:00 AM-9:00AM SATURDAY, June 18, 2011.

\$10.00 Entry Fee per head is due when checking in at the Fair Office.

Each exhibitor is limited to 2 hogs of any breed.

Barrow or Gilts

The market classes will be limited to Hogs weighing between 235-295 lbs.

Clipping of the market hogs will be allowed with no Less than ½ inch hair.

Hogs will be property of the Exhibitor until Slaughter.

Exhibitor will be paid market price at the time of show.

THIS IS A TERMINAL SHOW – ALL HOGS WILL GO TO SLAUGHTER

Any questions call 563-380-0656 (Tim Knutson).

Big 4 Fair Dog Show

All dogs must be signed up for their particular classes by **Thursday, June 9th.**

1. Entries are open to purebred or mixed breed dogs, and will be shown by 4-H members.
2. HEALTH REGULATIONS -- All exhibitors must provide a copy of current Rabies and DHLPP vaccination records from licensed veterinarian at check-in for the show..
NO EXCEPTIONS. A dog cannot show without health papers.
3. All entries must be enrolled and actively participating in dog classes at the county level. .
4-H member and/or dogs must have completed a minimum of six classes to exhibit in that class. _
4. Housing will not be provided: All dogs must remain on a leash or in a crate and under control while waiting for their class to be called.
5. Exhibitor conduct. Exhibitors will not use any unnecessarily harsh physical or verbal means of disciplining dogs. All exhibitors will act in a sportsmanlike manner at all times. Exhibitors will be ready when their class is called.
6. Exhibitors will be at the show at least 30 minutes early for Check-in. Check-in will begin 45 minutes before the show and end 5 minutes before the show.
7. Exhibitors will dress appropriately. No hats, caps, sandals, open toed or slip on shoes.
8. No sick dogs, or females in season will be allowed on the grounds. All dogs may be subject to veterinary inspection.
9. The judge or show superintendent may dismiss a dog for aggressive behavior or if there is any question of safety of other dogs, handlers or spectators. A dismissed dog will be required to leave the show site immediately.
10. The class level will be determined by exhibitor and dog team experience. Exceptions to this rule must be discussed with the Big Four Dog Show Superintendent prior to the Dog Show. The final decision will be determined by the Dog Show Superintendent. Any questions, call 563 382-3989.
11. Exhibitors can pre-register by filling out forms and mailing to Beth Einck, 2830 Bluffton Rd, Decorah, Iowa 52101.

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CLASSES:

OBEDIENCE

Beginners Novice Class (AKC class)
Pre Novice A - 1st and 2nd year in training
Pre Novice B - 3rd year and beyond in training
Novice Grad Novice Pre Open Open

RALLY

Rally A - 1st and 2nd year in training
Rally B - 3rd year and beyond in training

AGILITY

Agility A - 1st and 2nd year in training, on lead
Agility B - 3rd year and beyond in training, on lead
Agility C - Off leash on Agility B course

SHOWMANSHIP

Showmanship A - Beginner
Showmanship B - Junior
Showmanship C - Intermediate
Showmanship D - Senior

Blue ribbon - \$5.00

Red ribbon - \$4.00

Division Champion - \$5.00

Big Four 4-H Dog Show Entry

Name of Exhibitor _____

Address _____

Email _____ Phone Number _____

Dog _____ Breed _____

When you get to the Dog Show, check in at ringside.
Have health papers at show when checking in.

CLASSES I WANT TO ENTER:

Obedience Class _____

Rally Class _____

Agility Class _____

Showmanship Class _____

* Showmanship classes may be combined for low entries.

Send form to: **Beth Einck**
2830 Bluffton Rd
Decorah, Iowa 52110

Email einbet9@gmail.com for questions

Big Four Fair Pre-Show Animal Registration Form

Please complete the following form **for each animal** that you show at the fair. Turn this form into the Fair Board Secretary in the Office.

All animal entries should be turned into the Fair Secretary by Thursday, June 9, 2011.

Your Name _____ Your assigned fair show ID # _____

Address _____ Phone # _____

_____ Cell Phone # _____

County of Residence _____ Your Age _____ by September 15, 2009

Divisions are as follows:

Division #1 -- Dairy

Division #2 -- Beef

Division #3 -- Sheep

Division #5 -- Rabbit

Division #6 -- Poultry

Division #7 -- Other

How many different animals are you showing this Year? _____

Animal #1

Division _____ Breed _____ Sex _____

Class# _____ Class Description _____

Individual Identification or ear tag# _____

Animal's Date of Birth _____

Animal #2

Division _____ Breed _____ Sex _____

Class# _____ Class Description _____

Individual Identification or ear tag# _____

Animal's Date of Birth _____

Animal #3

Division _____ Breed _____ Sex _____

Class# _____ Class Description _____

Individual Identification or ear tag# _____

Animal's Date of Birth _____

Animal #4

Division _____ Breed _____ Sex _____

Class# _____ Class Description _____

Individual Identification or ear tag# _____

Animal's Date of Birth _____

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4-H Projects Registration Form

Name _____ Age _____ by September 15, 2010

Address _____

Please enter the following articles

Division	Class	Article (use book description)
1.	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____
6.	_____	_____
7.	_____	_____
8.	_____	_____
9.	_____	_____
10.	_____	_____

11. Please check if you will be participating in any of the following:

- _____ Clothing Selection
- _____ Fashion Review
- _____ Presentation or Working Exhibit

All exhibits for the Jr. Division and Open Class are due at the exhibit building by Friday June 18th 2011 before noon. There will be no stall rent for the 2011 fair.

Livestock entry forms are due Thursday, June 9, 2011.
Please use the forms on the previous page for all animals.

All Livestock entries need to be on the Fair grounds by Friday evening June 17th, 2011, 8:30 P.M.

Animal Registration Form and/or Dog Show Entry Form and/or 4-H Registration Form must be submitted to the Fair Board Secretary before Thursday, June 9, 2011. Your signed copy of the Code of Ethics must also be included. They can be mailed, faxed or e-mailed to the following :

Judy Hyman
423 Cherry Valley Dr
Postville, Ia 52162

Phone: 563 864-3517
Fax: 563 864-7444
Email: bigfour@centurytel.net

Iowa Youth Exhibitors Code of Ethics

Youth are expected to be sincere, honest and act in sportsmanlike ways at all exhibitions. Youth represent the entire program and their behavior reflects on their parents, leaders, club and the entire youth program. All adults involved with the youth program, leaders as well as parents, are expected to set positive examples and serve as positive role models by what they say and do. Any youth who breaks the code of ethics or who allows another person (adult or peer) to talk them into violating the code of ethics agrees to forfeit all prizes, awards and premiums. The youth may also be prohibited from exhibiting at this and future exhibitions including the Iowa State Fair and other county, state or regional exhibitions.

Youth agree to follow these guidelines:

1. I will do my own work, appropriate for my age and physical and mental development. This includes research and writing of exhibit explanations, preparing exhibits (such as sewing, cooking, refinishing, etc.), care and grooming of animals, etc. Adult assistance should help guide and support me, not do it for me.
2. All exhibits will be a true representation of my work. Any attempt to take credit for another's work, alter the conformation of animals, or alter their performance is prohibited. Copyright violation or allowing others to complete your exhibit are considered misrepresentation and are prohibited.
3. I will treat all people and animals with respect. **NO** physical violence to humans or animals of any kind will be tolerated.
4. I will present exhibits that are safe for consumption. All food exhibits should be safe to exhibit and for judges to evaluate. Other exhibits should be safe for judges to evaluate and for exhibition. All food animals that may be harvested immediately following the show should be safe for consumers, and should have met all withdrawal times for all medications. All other animals must have followed label instruction for all medications. Fairs and exhibitions have the right to test any animals for drug violations. If any animal requires medical treatment while at a fair or exhibition, the treatment must be administered only by a licensed veterinarian.
5. I will follow all ownership and possession rules and, if requested, will provide the necessary documentation.
6. I will follow all livestock health requirements for this exhibition, according to the state of Iowa Veterinary requirements in the fair premium book.
7. I am responsible for my exhibit and I will not allow others to violate this code on my behalf. I will accept the consequence if others violate this code with my exhibits.
8. I want my exhibit to be an example of how to accept what life has to offer -- both good and not-so-good -- and how to live with and learn from the outcome.

I agree to conduct myself in an honest, ethical, and upstanding manner, and I understand that disciplinary action will result if these rules are violated. I understand that I am expected to represent the program in a positive manner. I have read, understand, and agree to follow this Code of Ethics.

Member's Signature _____ Date _____
Parent/Guardian's Signature _____

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