

Ag & Natural Resources – Division T

101A – Animal Science: Any exhibit (excluding an animal itself) which is an outgrowth of a small or large animal project or program including beef, dairy cattle, dairy goat, meat goat, dog, cat, horse, pets, poultry, rabbit, sheep and swine. Ownership of an animal is not required for entry in this class. Exhibit topics might include, but are not limited to, selection, feeding, financial management, waste management, use of records, health care, housing, or career opportunities.

211A – Conservation: Any exhibit that is an outgrowth of a conservation project or program such as soil conservation, creating habitats, wetland restoration, energy conservation, planting windbreaks, etc.

221A – Entomology: A general or special collection from an entomology or bee project (excluding live specimens) or any exhibit which is an outgrowth of an entomology or bee project or program such as life cycle, habits of insects, insect genetics, IPM scouting, bee management, products (honey, wax), equipment, diseases, pests, etc.

231A – Veterinary Science: Any exhibit which is an outgrowth of a veterinary science project or program such as maintaining health, cause and prevention of disease, internal parasites, public health, careers, etc.

301A – Other Agriculture & Natural Resources Ideas: Any other exhibit which is an outgrowth of a 4-H agriculture and natural resources project or educational experience that does not fit any previous class listed.

701A – Crop Production: Any exhibit which is an outgrowth of participation in a corn, soybean, small grain or forage project or program. If the exhibit involves a crop specimen, include the variety and planting date. Exhibit topics might include, but are not limited to, variety selection, plant growth, planting, plant nutrition, weed, insect or disease control, environmental protection, harvesting, storage, marketing, or career opportunities.

706A – Forestry: General collection, (leaves, seeds, etc.)

706B – Forestry: Any exhibit which is an outgrowth of participation in a forestry project or program such as insect or disease control, growth stages, type of tree for intended use, etc.

711A – Horticulture: An exhibit which is an outgrowth of participation in flower gardening and ornamentals home garden, small fruit crop or vegetable crop project or program. Exhibits might include cultivar selection, plant nutrition, insect, weed or disease control, harvesting, preservation, marketing, careers, etc.

To exhibit vegetables or flowers, refer to the Garden section.

711B – Home Grounds Improvement: An exhibit which is an outgrowth or participation in a home grounds improvement project or program. Exhibits might include ideas or concepts such as landscape plans, techniques, selection of landscape plants, garden design, garden features, careers, etc.

741A – Plant Science: Any exhibit which is an outgrowth of a plant science project or program such as collections plant growth, plant parts, soil structure, soil maps, germination, cross breeding, root systems, etc.

865A - Outdoor Adventures and Camping: Any exhibit which is an outgrowth of participation in an outdoor adventure or camping project or program such as camper safety, fire building, rainy day activities, outdoor cooking, day camp plan, selecting camping equipment, equipping a back pack, resource file of camping activities, orienteering, outdoor ethics, hiking, etc.

880A – Safety & Education Shooting Sports: Any exhibit which is an outgrowth of participation in a SESS project or program such as archery, rifle, shotgun, muzzle loader, etc. Topics may include selection of equipment, record keeping in scoring, safety practices, care and storage of equipment, ethics, etc. Firearms, ammunition, and knives, (including models and replicas designed to closely resemble these items) are not allowed in 4-H exhibits or communication events at the Boone County Fair or Iowa State Fair. Archery arrows without tips (blunt ends) and archery bows may be allowed. 4-H members should consider personal and public safety, as well as the safety of exhibit items, when preparing 4-H exhibits for county and state fairs.

911A – Wildlife & Fishing: Any exhibit which is an outgrowth of participation in the wildlife or sport fishing project or program such as fish and wildlife identification, observation, habitats, fish and wildlife harvest, other activities, etc.

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