GUTHRIE COUNTY FAIR
Guthrie Center, Iowa
September 1-5, 2016
4-H & FFA Fairbook

Website: http://www.extension.iastate.edu/guthrie/
Fair Website: guthriecountyfair.com
Enrollment & Animal Identification: iowa.4honline.com
4-H Fair Entry: guthrie.fairentry.com
4-H & FFA Fair Objectives

- To be consistent with the overall purposes and work of the 4-H and FFA programs
- To acquaint the public with 4-H and FFA
- To provide group experiences that will help participants develop appropriate attitudes, understandings, and abilities in working with others
- To help young people develop an appreciation for the dignity of work and the satisfaction from a job well done
- To develop the ability to recognize and appreciate desirable projects
- To help young people develop an appreciation for proper preparation and presentation in selling an article or service and to provide an opportunity to apply skills related thereto
- To provide an opportunity for 4-H and FFA members to learn and understand marketing principles and procedures

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Jim Calvert, Sheep
Randy Carney, Swine
## 4-H/FFA Schedule of Events

### Wednesday, August 31

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<td>Junior Cattle Feeders Weigh-in</td>
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<td>Ultrasound swine with beef to follow</td>
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<td>J.R. Hodges Award Announced</td>
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Guthrie County 4-H/FFA Youth Development
Code of Conduct

It is expected that all persons taking part in 4-H/FFA activities/events will conduct themselves in a civil, law-abiding, and courteous manner throughout the entire activity. Participation in activities is a privilege extended to 4-H/FFA members by the local clubs and community. **Illegal activity and/or harassment will not be tolerated.**

**Illegal activity** is defined as drugs, alcohol, theft, vandalism, harassment, bullying, sexual harassment, and potential to cause harm to self or to others.

**Harassment and bullying** towards another may include, but are not limited to the following behaviors and circumstances:

- Verbal, nonverbal, physical or written harassment (including electronic), bullying, hazing, or other victimization that may have the purpose or effect of causing injury, discomfort, fear or suffering to the victim.
- Repeated remarks of a demeaning nature that have the purpose or effect of causing injury, discomfort, fear, or suffering to the victim.

The official reporters of possible violations may include: personnel acting on behalf of 4-H/FFA (4-H Staff, FFA instructors, 4-H Youth Committee Members, 4-H Club Leaders, Superintendents, & 4-H/FFA Event Chaperones), law enforcement, parents of those involved, and those youth directly involved.

**Action:** The Extension Council Chair (or designee), with the assistance of the Youth Committee Chair (or designee) and Extension Personnel (County or District) will organize a problem solving discussion to be held within two business days of the offense. The purpose of the discussion is to ascertain facts related to the offense, parties involved, and circumstances under which it occurred so appropriate consequences can be determined and rendered to the offender(s).

The following individuals will participate in the discussion:

- 4-H/FFA member(s) involved
- One or more representatives of the following as deemed appropriate based on the offense: event sponsors, FFA instructors, 4-H leaders, chaperones, 4-H Youth Committee, Extension Council, parents/legal guardians, and staff.

Note: Should the offense be criminal in nature, or result in personal injury, law enforcement will be contacted immediately. Any legal consequences will be separate from those outlined herein.

**Consequences** will be determined after investigating the matter and having the problem solving discussion. The Extension Council Chair, Youth Committee Chair, and Extension Personnel will make the final determination of consequences, based on information presented and input from participants in the discussion. Consequences may include one or more of the following:

- A verbal or written apology to appropriate parties
- Restitution to appropriate parties
- Community service
- Being sent home or restricted participation for the remainder of the activity
- Restriction on future participation in designated 4-H/FFA activity(s)
- Limitation of 4-H/FFA award eligibility

Based on the offense and circumstances, appropriate consequences and timeline for restitution will be assigned. Failure to comply with assigned disciplinary actions will result in ineligibility in any 4-H/FFA activity will not be allowed until restitution is complete.

Retaliation against any person, because the person has filed a bullying/harassment complaint or assisted/participated in a harassment investigation/proceeding, is also prohibited. Individual(s) who knowingly file false complaints and any person who gives false statements in an investigation shall be subject to discipline by appropriate measures, as shall any person who is found to have retaliated against another in violation of this policy.

**Appeal Process:** If a youth or parent/legal guardian(s) feel that due process has not been provided or administrative judgment is in error, they may request an appeal. The appeal must outline the concern, in writing, and be delivered to the Guthrie County Extension Office within seven calendar days of receiving notification (either verbally, or in writing) of the consequences for the offense. If an appeal is not received within seven calendar days, the consequence(s) assigned to the offender(s) will stand.

If an appeal is delivered to the Extension Office in writing within seven calendar days, the Extension Council Chair shall appoint an "Appeal Committee" consisting of:

- Extension Council Chair or designee
- Youth Committee Chair or designee
- Five (5) disinterested persons selected from: Extension Council members, Youth Committee members, and/or Extension Staff.

(Two of these five may be chosen by the 4-H/FFA member if he/she desires.)

The appeal shall be heard by the stated Appeal Committee at the earliest feasible opportunity, but no later than thirty (30) calendar days following the filing of the appeal. The Appeal Committee’s decision in the matter will be final.
Youth are expected to be sincere, honest and act in sportsmanlike ways at all times. 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 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 other’s work, alter the conformation of animals, or alter their performance is prohibited. Copyright violation or allowing others to complete your exhibit is considered misrepresentation and is prohibited.
3. I will **treat all people and animals with respect**. I will provide appropriate care for animals.
4. I will present exhibits that are **safe for consumption**. All food exhibits will be safe to exhibit and for judges to evaluate. Other exhibits will be safe for judges to evaluate and for exhibition.
5. All food animals that may be harvested immediately following the show shall be safe for consumers, and shall have **met all withdrawal times for all medications**, and be free of volatile drug residue.
6. If any animal requires medical treatment while at the fair or exhibition, **only a licensed veterinarian may administer the treatment**. All medications that are administered shall be done according to the label instructions of the medication used.
7. **My animal’s appearance or performance shall not be altered by any means**, including medications, external applications and surgical procedures. Any animal that is found to have changed its appearance or its performance shall be disqualified from the show, and have penalties assessed against the exhibitor, parent and/or guardian by the management of the fair or exhibition.
8. I will **follow all ownership and possession rules** and, if requested, will provide the necessary documentation.
9. I will follow all **livestock health requirements** for this fair or exhibition, according to the state health requirements as printed in the premium book of the fair or exhibition. I will provide animal health certificates from a licensed veterinarian upon request from the management of the fair or exhibition.
10. By my entering an animal in this fair or exhibition, I am giving **consent to the management of the fair or exhibition to obtain any specimens** of urine, saliva, blood, or other substances from the animal to be used in testing. If the laboratory report on the analysis of any sample indicates a presence of forbidden drugs, this shall be evidence such substance has been administered to the animal either internally or externally. It is presumed that the sample tested by the laboratory to which it is sent is the one taken from the animal in question, its integrity is preserved and all procedures of said collection and preservation, transfer to the laboratory and analysis of the sample are correct and accurate and the report received from the laboratory pertains to the sample taken from the animal in question and correctly reflects the condition of the animal at the time the sample was taken, with **burden on the exhibitor, parent and/or guardian to prove otherwise**.
11. **I am responsible for my exhibit and I will not allow others to violate this code on my behalf.** By my entering an exhibit in this fair or exhibition I will accept any disciplinary action taken by the management of this fair or exhibition for any violation of this code of ethics and any other rules of competition of the fair or exhibition without recourse against the fair or exhibition.
12. 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**.
13. I will **not be involved in any illegal activities** while participating in 4-H and FFA events, including but not limited to alcohol, tobacco or drug use on Fairgrounds and Campgrounds.

**My signature and my parent’s signature on any entry form for the Guthrie County Fair verifies that I (we) agree to the following statement:**

I agree to conduct myself in an honest, ethical, and upstanding manner and I understand that disciplinary actions 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, and any other rules of competition of the Guthrie County Fair as printed in this premium book/and other exhibitor material.
2016 HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR EXHIBITION OF LIVESTOCK, POULTRY AND BIRDS
AT A COUNTY 4H/FFA FAIR EXHIBITION

ANY EVIDENCE OF WARTS, RINGWORM, FOOT ROT, PINK EYE, DRAINING ABSCESSES OR ANY OTHER CONTAGIOUS OR INFECTIOUS CONDITION WILL ELIMINATE THE ANIMAL FROM THE SHOW.

No individual Certificate of Veterinary Inspection will be required on Iowa origin animals or poultry exhibited at County 4-H/FFA FAIR, but the animals must be inspected when unloaded or shortly thereafter by an accredited veterinarian. All animals moving from out of state into an Iowa county 4-H/FFA fair must meet Iowa Animal and Livestock Importation requirements. Each show must have an official veterinarian.

Quarantined animals or animals from quarantined herds cannot be exhibited.

Official identification listed on a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection required for all cattle and bison of any age coming in from out of state used for rodeos, recreational events, shows and exhibitions.

SWINE
All swine must originate from a herd or area not under quarantine and must be individually identified. Plastic tags issued by 4-H officials may be substituted for an official metal test tag, when there is an additional identification (ear notch).

Swine originating outside of Iowa. All exhibitors must present a test record and Certificate of Veterinary Inspection that indicate that each swine has had a negative test for pseudorabies within 30 days prior to the show (individual show regulations may have more restrictive time restrictions), regardless of the status of the herd, and that show individual official identification. Electronic identification will not be considered official identification for exhibition purposes.

SHEEP AND GOATS
All sexually intact sheep must have an individual Scrapie Flock of Origin identification tag (Ex. IA1234-5678). All sexually intact goats must be identified with an individual Scrapie Flock of Origin identification tag or by an official tattoo registered with USDA (to register, call 1-866-USDA-TAG). Wethers less than 18 months of age are required to have an individual identification and a scrapie tag may be used, but a scrapie tag is not required.

POULTRY AND BIRDS
All poultry exhibited must come from U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid clean or equivalent flocks, or have had a negative Pullorum-Typhoid test within 90 days of public exhibition and the test must have been performed by an authorized tester. (SEE GENERAL SECTION 1.B) Please note: Poultry purchased from a hatchery and raised for exhibition are not exempt from Pullorum-Typhoid testing requirements.

However, "Market Classes" of poultry consigned to a slaughter establishment are exempt from the Salmonella testing requirements. "Market Classes" of poultry must be separated from all other poultry by a distance of ten or more feet and/or an eight-foot high solid partition.

DOGS AND CATS
All dogs and cats exhibited must have a current rabies vaccination certificate.

THE DECISION OF THE OFFICIAL SHOW VETERINARIAN WILL BE FINAL.

David D. Schmitt, D.V.M., State Veterinarian
Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship
2016 Guthrie County Fair Pre Fair Cleanup
Sunday, August 28th from 1-3 p.m.

Northbranch Beavers—Horse Barn, Horse Arena, Poultry/Rabbit Barn: Pull weeds, set up pens, check light bulbs, put in light bulbs, sweep and scrub bleachers, clean announcer’s stand, bring picnic table for check-in, sweep concrete walk ways, clean livestock office—sweep floor and empty and clean shelves, set out trash cans

Dodge Dodgers—Cattle, Pen and Hog Barns and Large Arena: Put in light bulbs, pull weeds, spread bedding, hang gates, Put in nipples/change out plugged ones

Penn Power Cats—Small Show Ring, Sheep and Goat Barns: Put in light bulbs, pull weeds, sweep alleys, check mangers, sweep and scrub bleachers, sweep and wipe off announcer’s stand

Highland Hustlers—Foodstand: See Ann McAlister

U.S. Sunbeams—Exhibit Building & Teen Town: Sweep floors, clean toilet and sinks and all flat surfaces, sweep down walls if needed, set up display sets Tri-fold + 3 boxes on each side, set up tables in NW corner for Clover Kids, set up tables along North wall for extra exhibits, set up tables along the south side for Silent Auction, put one table in front area for building hosts, put east screens in

2016 Guthrie County Fair Post Fair Cleanup
Monday, September 5th from 4-6 p.m.

SESS Rangefinders—Horse Barn and Outdoor Arena: Clean bleachers, tear down pens, pull all remaining stall cards and/or club signs, take out light bulbs, pick up trash

Wichita Wildcats—Small Show Ring, Sheep and Goat Barn: sweep and wipe down bleachers, sweep and wipe off announcer’s stand, check mangers, pull all remaining stall cards and/or club signs, take out light bulbs, pick up trash

Panorama FFA/Guthrie Center FFA—Cattle, Pen and Swine Barns and Large Showring: sweep alleys, pull all remaining stall cards and/or club signs, take out light bulbs, pick up trash, sweep and wipe down bleachers, pull nipples off

Cass Pioneers—Foodstand: See Ann McAlister

Grant Sky Eagles—Exhibits Building & Teen Town: Tear down tables and display sets and stack in SW corner, sweep floor, clean bathrooms, take out screen; Teen Town: tear down white paper on walls, sweep, pick up any trash

**Extension Office will bring hoses but members will need to bring weedeaters, brooms, shovels, towels and buckets and general cleaning supplies.**
LIVESTOCK GENERAL RULES

1. All exhibitors must be 4-H club or FFA members in good standing in Guthrie County clubs or chapters and graduated no earlier than Spring 2016. All livestock exhibitors must have identified their livestock at market weigh-in, online or on an identification form by 4:30 p.m. May 15 at the Extension Office. 4hOnline will lock down at midnight on May 15.

2. All 4-H and FFA livestock exhibits must be clearly identified and shown at ONE county fair only.

3. Animals identified as part of a 4-H project cannot also be identified or exhibited as an FFA project.

4. Exhibitors are to perform their own fitting and grooming of all livestock. Only immediate family members or other Guthrie County 4-H/FFA members or leaders may give assistance. Family members are defined as: mom, dad, step-parent or legal guardian, grandparent, brother, sister or step-sibling. No artificial coloring will be accepted.

5. The 4-H and Youth Committee reserves the right to rule in special cases, and their decision will be final.

6. No 4-H or FFA exhibitor will be allowed to stay overnight in the barns.

7. Any exhibitor feeding or having fed anything not considered regular feed to his projects to improve the appearance will be barred from showing and collecting premium money, with the final decision left up to the 4-H and Youth Committee.

8. No animal will be eligible for a champion award unless it is of blue ribbon quality.

9. Exhibitors must own their projects individually or be in partnership with their parent or guardian. Purebred animals must be registered with exhibitor’s or family name appearing on the registration papers. *If an animal is registered jointly by several family members, only one 4-H/FFA member may identify it on the identification forms.

10. All discrepancies and changes with the show bills need to be reported before the livestock office closes on the day before the show. Changes cannot be made the day of the show.

11. In case of sickness or show schedule conflict, any Guthrie County 4-H’er or FFA member of the same age division or younger may substitute. The superintendent of that division must approve the substitute.

12. CLOTHING: All exhibitors when exhibiting shall wear a 4-H or FFA T-shirt or white shirt with 4-H/FFA emblem, NO State Fair T-shirts during livestock shows AND on sale day. All livestock exhibitors are required to wear jeans (NO shorts) during livestock shows AND on sale day. NO hats allowed during livestock shows AND on sale day. Boots or leather shoes (NO tennis shoes) are recommended for large animal shows (beef, dairy, goat, horse, sheep, and swine). Check showmanship guidelines and individual division rules for exceptions. Premium money may be withheld if clothing rules are not followed.

13. All livestock exhibitors must wear the furnished exhibitor's number cards while exhibiting and during the sale. Only one card will be issued per member.

14. Only persons authorized by superintendents will be allowed to assist in the show ring.

15. Official weight and sale number will be recorded on entry day.

16. Grooming chutes will not be allowed in any livestock barn.

17. SALE SCRATCHES SHOULD BE MADE ON THURSDAY. Livestock exhibitors are responsible for letting superintendents know which animals are to be sold to the packer during check-in on Thursday.

18. Bedding: Beef -The cost of this will be collected by club. Horses – Check with the superintendent for your bedding instructions. All other livestock can purchase bedding at the fairgrounds. Removal instructions that all clubs will follow will be posted in the barns during fair.

19. Fair entry in ALL areas must be made by August 1. No one may pay for extra tack stalls as the barn space may be needed for livestock.

20. All 4-H and FFA animals being exhibited at the fair must be housed in barns on the fairgrounds. NO overnight tie outs will be allowed. If emergency situations arise, a reverse decision will be made by the Superintendent or Youth Committee.

21. The management will use diligence to ensure the safety of animals or articles entered for exhibition after their arrival and placement, but will not be responsible for damage or loss by theft, fire, etc. All 4-Hers and FFA exhibitors are to respect the rights of animals at all times.

22. NO PEN CLEANING ON MONDAY DURING PREMIUM AUCTION. Members must clean their pens or their premium will be forfeited. This rule will be strictly enforced. Any pen cleaned before 2 p.m. will forfeit all of their premium money.

23. All beef, sheep, swine, goat, dairy, poultry and rabbit exhibitors must be FSQA certified by July 1.

24. All exhibitors must have signed the Iowa Code of Ethics by December 1st and be responsible for their own animals. You will not be able to show until its signed.
A premium auction is a showcase of all of the talents of the youth. If the 4-H or FFA member participated in STATIC, livestock at the fair, Fashion Day, Communications Day, or Share-The-Fun they are eligible to go through the auction and receive a premium. The member will sell with their club or chapter and if any members are not present at the auction they forfeit any premium money. If a member is in both 4-H and FFA, they will go through with their 4-H club. Each member will go through the auction once. **Auction order is as follows**—Cass Pioneers, U.S. Sunbeams, Highland Hustlers, Northbranch Beavers, Guthrie County S.E.S.S., Wichita Wildcats, Penn Power Cats, FFA, Dodge Dodgers, Grant Sky Eagles. All other possible additions to the Premium Auction need to be brought to the Livestock Committee a week prior to county fair.

Members have the option to keep their animals, sell their animals privately, or sell their animals to the packer. The members have to state whether they will be selling their animal to the packer at the time of check-in. Any animals not going to the packer will stay until 2 p.m. on Monday. Superintendents are expected to stay with the livestock until they are loaded after the sale.

All animals offered for sale are considered to have changed ownership, even if bought back by the original owner. These animals may not return to the Guthrie County Fair or any other 4-H expo in current or future years by the original owner.

**SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES**

1. Any livestock exhibitor is entitled to compete in the showmanship class provided that he/she shows their own project in that class.
2. Any exhibitor winning first in a showmanship division is not eligible to receive the same recognition in that class a second time. He/she may have the option to move up to the next division the following year. (Example: A junior that has won junior showmanship in beef in 2015 may have the option to move up to the intermediate level in 2016.)
3. Anyone who has won senior showmanship at any time in the past or current year is eligible to compete for Master Showmanship.
4. Junior division showman (4th - 6th graders of the previous year), Intermediate division showman (7th - 8th graders of the previous year). Senior division showman (9th - 12th graders of the previous year).
5. Appropriate clothing for this class includes a 4-H/FFA T-shirt (NO State Fair Shirts), jeans, and boots or leather shoes (NO tennis shoes) for large animal shows (beef, dairy, horse, sheep and swine). Exhibitor number cards should be worn at all times. Exceptions to this rule will be noted in individual divisions.

**MASTER SHOWMANSHIP**

A Master Showman will be selected as part of each species of livestock showmanship contest. The Master Showman will be selected during a showmanship class made up of previous Senior Showmanship winners & the first place exhibitors for the current year for the Junior, Intermediate, & Senior classes for the specific species. Winners will receive a plaque. Individuals who have won the Master Showmanship title in the past are still eligible to compete.

**HERDSMANSHP**

1. Exhibitors of livestock are expected to maintain their quarters as orderly as possible and must keep that part of the building occupied by them neat and attractive in appearance at all times. Each day herdsmanship scores will be posted.
2. All stalls must be cleaned by 4 p.m. Monday, September 5, to qualify for herdsmanship. All exhibitors must clean their stalls, remove stall cards and carry bedding and manure outside the barn.
3. Proper courtesy and conduct will be shown by exhibitors at all times and at all places. Points may be subtracted from herdsmanship scores if courtesy and conduct is not shown.
4. Club winners in beef, dairy, swine, horse, sheep, goat, rabbits and poultry herdsmanship will be announced at Awards Day. There will not be an overall winner.

**BASIS OF RATING**

1. Appearance of animals..........................25 points
   - Animals clean and brushed
   - Proper feeding and water apparent
2. Cleanliness of alley and stalls or pens...........50 points
   - Bedding adequate, bright, dry, clean and in its place
   - Animals securely tied or penned
   - Alleys swept clean, free of dust and straw
   - Loose dirt and dust kept under control by sprinkling
3. Arrangement of exhibit ..........................25 points
   - Feed and show boxes, blocking chutes and miscellaneous gear neat and orderly
   - Hay bales neat and orderly
   - Club signs. Rate of gain should be filled in on stall cards
   - TOTAL ..........................100 points
   - If improper conduct and courtesy is shown, subtract (up to 20 points)

**Final Total** ..............................................

**J.R. Hodges Livestock Exhibitor Award**

This award is given to a senior 4-H member who demonstrates leadership, citizenship and showmanship during the Guthrie County Fair. The recipient of this award is selected by all livestock head superintendents. The award is donated by the J.R. Hodges family and will be presented at the beef show on Sunday.
GUTHRIE COUNTY FAIR LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST
Livestock Committee: Jim Calvert, Evan Babcock, Molly Heintz, Steven Hameister, Jim Heithoff and Cindy Lundy
A county fair livestock judging contest will be provided for 4-H and FFA members. It will be held Thursday, September 1, at 6 p.m.

1. Any 4-H or FFA member not entered on a judging team shall register and pick up judging cards at 5:45 p.m. at the 4-H Foodstand on Thursday.
2. Classes will be arranged.
3. The official judges of the contest will give their placing and a short set of reasons after each class.
4. The top FFA team and individual will receive plaques. In addition, 10 ribbon placings will be given for individuals.
5. Teams will be composed of four members with the top three scores of each team comprising the team score.
6. The club leader or chapter advisor will register the team or other authorized personnel before the contest.
7. Individuals may enter the judging contest for the individual prizes.
8. Any FFA member participating must be in high school during the past year or will be in high school this coming year.
9. 4-H members participating must have a project enrolled. Also, any 4-H member who has had college training is not eligible to compete in this contest.
10. There shall be no talking among contestants during the contest. Anyone observed breaking this rule will be automatically disqualified and asked to leave the contest.
11. Teams will be divided into groups so that no contestants on the same team will be in the same group.
12. Oral reasons will not be required for any of the classes.
13. Announcement of the winners and presentation of awards will be done on Thursday night following the contest. All results will be posted on Friday.

BEEF—Division A
Superintendent: Troy Stanley
Assistant Superintendents: Tate Carey
Entry Deadline: August 1
Weigh-In Time: Lead cattle will be weighed at the fairgrounds between 12:00 noon and 5 p.m. on Thursday, September 3. Market pens will be weighed at Guthrie Livestock Auction from 3 – 5 p.m.
Judging Time: 10 a.m. Sunday, September 4, Junior Cattle Feeder Pens followed by Beef show and Open Beef show. The J.R Hodges Livestock Exhibitor Award recipient will be announced and the Foundation Board Pie Auction will be held during the noon break of the show.
Release Time: 2 p.m. Monday, September 5.

GENERAL RULES
1. All market beef will be weighed upon arrival at the show and will be divided by the superintendents into approximately equal weight classes.
2. Exhibitors will be limited to a maximum of 4 lead entries in the market beef class at fair time. Leads can include market beef heifers, home raised steers, and/or purchased steers.
3. Only 4-H and FFA market beef tagged before February 1 of the current year are eligible to show at county fair. Any beef without the proper identification at fair time will be ruled ineligible to show.
4. All exhibitors must agree to the Iowa Code of Ethics and be responsible for their own animals.
5. All classes must be registered on fair entry by August 1. Beef tag numbers must be identified for individual and pen classes on this date also.
6. All market beef animals will automatically be entered in the rate of gain contest. Starting weight of calves is the day they are weighed in. Final weight will be determined when calves are weighed in on entry day. A trophy will be awarded to top Rate of Gain and the top 10 will be recognized.
7. Market heifers must have a minimum average daily gain of 1.8 pounds per day to qualify for a blue ribbon. Market steers must have a minimum average daily gain of 2.0 pounds per day to qualify for a blue ribbon.
8. Home raised calves must be born and raised on the exhibitor's farm.
9. The champions of home raised, purchased, market heifer and returning bucket calf classes will be shown against each other for Grand Champion.
10. Calves entered in the bucket, spring heifer or bull class cannot be born before January 1, or after June 15, 2016. Intent to show these calves must be identified on the Livestock Identification form due on May 15. You may report to the office ID information no later than June 15, 2016.
11. Cow/calf pairs must be identified on the Livestock Identification Breeding Beef form or 4Honline. If the calf is not born by May 15, the tattoo number for the cow must be turned in on the form with the calf tag or tattoo listed as unborn. Information on unborn calves (birth date, sex and birth weight) must be submitted to the Extension Office within one week of birth. Cow/calf pairs with calves who are born after May 15 will NOT be allowed to enter the spring heifer or bull feeder class as listed in rule #9.
12. Bucket & spring calves will be housed at the fair. Feeder calves must be weaned unless the mother animal and calf are entered in the cow/calf class. Barn space is not available to animals not shown at the fair.
13. All market returning bucket calves must have been shown the year prior in the "bucket calf class." These calves could not have been sold at the sale and must be weighed in at beef weigh-in in January.
14. All fans must face in the same direction in the barns. Direction of the fans will be decided by the superintendents the day of check in.
15. Fans will be limited to one per 4 head or one per club.
16. No artificial tails allowed.
17. Neck ties are not required for lead cattle, but it is recommended and it will be a high point item on the herdsmanship judging.
19. All market beef must have a county tag in their ear. All breeding cattle including commercial heifers are to be identified with a tattoo. Calves will be identified with a farm tag. Tattoos are required for ALL purebred and commercial beef heifers. For purebred heifers the tattoo must match the tattoo on the registration papers. The calfhood vaccination tattoo is not acceptable identification.
20. To show, all tags and or tattoos must be legible. Tattoos must be on file by August 1st.

MARKET BEEF
Class Number ..................Class Name  Class Number .............Class Name
1. Contest is open to market steers, heifers and cattle feeder pens that have been weighed and identified before February 1st of the current year.
2. Each exhibitor must have three head, heifers or steers.
3. Animals must have been tagged and weighed before February 1 of the current year.
4. Accurate records of feed and other costs must be kept. Feed records are to begin on the day of weigh-in. The record sheet (available at the Extension Office and website) will be due at the fair weigh-in.
5. Judging will be based on visual appraisal, records as summarized on special cow-calf poster, and general knowledge of beef industry. This poster will include calf birth date and birth weight, sire information, cost to feed cow for year, labor cost, other expenses, management notes, estimated calf weight at weaning, estimated calf price per pound at weaning, calf value at weaning estimated variable costs and variable costs per pound of calf weaned.
6. Pens will receive blue, red or white ribbon placing, and champion and reserve champion ribbon placing.
7. Members will sell their animal(s) at the time of slaughter. Premiums will be paid on this class with other fair premiums.

BUCKET Calf

The calf must be fed from a bottle or bucket by the time it is one month old (must not be nursing a cow).

Results of the contest will be announced at the supper/meeting held following the fair on Tuesday, September 20th. Carcass checks and trophies will be distributed at that time.

BEEF LIVE PRODUCTION MARKET ANIMAL

The purpose of this contest is to provide youth exhibitors of market cattle an opportunity to participate in a live show and then in a carcass contest that objectively evaluates in a scientific way the economically important traits of beef.

1. Contest is open to market steers, heifers and cattle feeder pens that have been weighed and identified before February 1st of the current year. Youth with pen cattle can nominate one calf to participate in the contest. Additional calves may be sent and processed for data. The carcasses will be evaluated by a trained person, who will measure loineye, backfat, pelvic fat, and grade the carcass. This data along with carcass prices and daily gain will be used in a computer program to place the carcasses.
2. Calves entered into this class will be judged live with the average daily gain available to the judge. A Live Production winner will be announced.
3. Approximately $18 will be deducted from the exhibitor's payment check for each animal entered in the contest to help defray the cost of trucking, insurance, beef check-off and data collection. In addition, a dark cutter assessment of $.50/cwt will be charged.
4. All entries shown live, must be harvested and evaluated for carcass data. Calves should weigh between 1000 and 1600 lbs.
5. Results of the contest will be announced at the supper/meeting held following the fair on Tuesday, September 20th. Carcass checks and trophies will be distributed at that time.
**DAIRY CATTLE**

Superintendent: Jeff Derry  
Identification Form due: May 15  
Enter Deadline: August 1  
Arrival Time: Between 3 and 5 p.m. on Thursday, September 1  
Judging Time: 2 p.m. Saturday, September 3  
Release Time: 2 p.m. Monday, September 5  

**GENERAL RULES**

1. Any yearling heifer that has freshened prior to time of judging must be shown in the 2-year-old class.
2. Any animal that the vet deems to have open sores or cuts that are contagious will not be allowed to be exhibited. (More information listed under the "2016 Health Requirements for Exhibition of Livestock")

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**DOGS**

Superintendent: Pat Wyatt  
Identification Form due: May 15  
Enter Deadline: August 1  
Arrival Time: 5:30 p.m., Thursday, September 1  
Judging Time: 6 p.m., Thursday, September 1  
Release Time: After show  

**GENERAL RULES**

1. Entries are open to purebred or mixed breed dogs and must be owned by the exhibitor or in partnership with parent or guardian.  
2. Entries are open to dogs that have been identified by May 15 and have been through the dog obedience training with the superintendent. Refer to health requirements for 4-H and FFA division. Must have vaccinations including distemper and rabies papers. Dogs must have vaccination 2 weeks before dog obedience classes begin.  
3. All dogs must be on leash or in owner's kennel.  
4. Only choke chains may be used for the show.  
5. EXHIBITOR CONDUCT - Exhibitors shall not strike dogs nor use any other unnecessarily harsh physical means of disciplining dogs. The exhibitor must be ready when class is called.  
6. EXHIBITOR DRESS - 4-H T-shirt or white shirt with a 4-H arm band, dress shorts or jeans. No short shorts allowed. It is recommended exhibitors wear tie shoes, no sandals or slip-on shoes.  
7. Classes are listed in order of pre-novice to advanced. If a dog and handler achieve a purple or blue ribbon in enrolled class, they must advance to the next level with the exception of the Novice B, Graduate Novice and Open classes. Once a dog and handler have advanced in a class, they cannot enter a less advanced class.  
8. No food or bait allowed in obedience ring. They are acceptable in handling class.  
9. 4-H exhibitors may only have one entry in each obedience class.  
10. NO dog will be allowed to exhibit at the county fair if they are in heat.  
11. All 4-H and FFA exhibitors must have completed dog obedience class and the requirements set by the superintendent.  
12. All exhibitors must agree to the Iowa Code of Ethics and be responsible for their own animals.

**Obedience**

Ribbons will be awarded as follows:

- Pre-Novice A and Pre-Novice B
  - Purple 185-200
  - Blue 165-184.5 ½
  - Red 145-164.5 ½
  - White 144.5 or less

- Remaining classes
  - Purple 190-200
  - Blue 170-189.5
  - Red 150-169.5 ½
  - White 149.5 or lower

Top scoring dog and handler will receive a special award.

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This class is ONLY for dogs and exhibitors in their first year of 4-H dog obedience training. Dogs will heel, stand for examination and do the figure 8 all on a 6’ leash. They will recall on leash and do sits for one minute and downs for three minutes on leash.

For dogs in their first year of training and exhibitors who are in their second year or greater of dog obedience or for first year exhibitor who have a dog with obedience experience. Dog must be on 6’ leash during exercises and do same exercises as Pre-Novice A.

For dogs and handlers with two years or less of obedience training. Exercises: heel on leash, figure 8 on leash, stand for examination OFF leash, recall OFF leash, sit-stay (1 minute) and long down stay (3 minutes) OFF leash.

For project members who have completed two or more years of obedience training who have not previously won a purple or blue ribbon in Novice A. Dogs will heel and do figure 8 on leash. OFF leash exercises will be stand for examination, heeling, recall, and long sits for one minute and downs for three minutes.

For project member who has won a purple or blue ribbon in Novice A any previous year. Dogs will do same exercises as in Novice A.

For project member with three or more years obedience. Dog will be off leash for all exercises which include heeling, figure 8, drop on recall, dumbbell recall, recall over broad and high jumps, long down three minutes with handler out of sight. May not be shown 0300, 0301, 0302, 0303.
For project member with three or more years obedience. Dog will be off leash for all exercises which include heeling, figure 8, drop on recall, retrieve on flat, retrieve over high jump, broad jump, three minute sit and five minute down with handler out of sight.

For project member with three or more years obedience. Dogs will do scent discrimination using 2 leather and 2 metal articles (selection of articles by owner), signal exercises (hand signals), directed retrieve, moving stand for examination, go out and directed jumping-one jump only. Dogs may enter class 0306 as only other obedience class.

This class is open to project exhibitors of three or more years experience. Dogs will do heel, free and signal exercise, scent discrimination, directed retrieve, moving stand for exam, directed jumping. Dogs entered in this class may enter class 0306 as the only other obedience class.

Handling (Showmanship)
1. All exhibitors entering the handling division MUST ALSO enter and exhibit in at least one obedience class.
2. Class determination is based on the age of the handler.
3. Handling classes will be judged using the following Showmanship Score Card:

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4. Ribbons will be awarded as follows: Purple – 90-100 points, Blue 80-89 points, Red 70 – 79 points, White – 69 points or less
5. First place winners in the junior, intermediate, senior division will receive a Top Handler Award.

## GOAT

**Superintendent:** Jeff Derry  
**Identification Form Due:** May 15  
**Entry Deadline:** August 1  
**Arrival Time:** Between 4 and 5 p.m. on Thursday, September 1  
**Judging Time:** After Sheep Show Saturday, September 3  
**Release Time:** 2 p.m., Monday, September 5

### GENERAL RULES
1. Entries are open to dairy goats, pygmy, boer, and market goats and all other non production goats that have been identified by May 15.
2. All sexually intact goats will have scrapie tags or official registered readable tattoos.
3. Dairy goats and Boer goats 24 months of age and over which have never been freshened shall not be shown.
4. Dairy goats must be milked out between 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. the previous evening of the show. The Goat Superintendent will supervise the pre-show milk out. The exhibitor must present their goats to the superintendents at this time or be ineligible for the show.
5. No milk out day of the show.
6. HORNs: Dairy goats must be dehorned. Goats shown in the Non production class do not have to be dehorned and may be shown on a leash. Goats exhibited in this class may not be entered in the pet division. Exhibitors will be required to have horns disbudded, dehorned or tipped blunt on all market goats before arrival on the fairgrounds.
7. Junior classes are does under 24 months of age that are not in milk and have never freshened. Senior classes are does in milk or that have freshened.
8. Market goat class:
   a. Market goats born between January 1 and weigh-in date.
   b. Pygmy goats may not be entered in the meat goat department.
   c. No bucks are to be shown.
   d. Market goats will be weighed in at fair check-in and will be broken into classes based on check-in weights.
   e. Market goats must have all their milk teeth or will be disqualified.
9. Milking group classes:
   a. Mother-Daughter – Doe and her daughter may be a kid or a milker.
   b. Exhibitors Trio – 3 does owned by the exhibitor – at least one of the animals must have been bred by the exhibitor – goats may be any age.
10. All exhibitors must agree to the Iowa Code of Ethics and be responsible for their own animals.
11. **4-H and FFA exhibitors must be certified for FSQA in order to exhibit at the county fair.**

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Market goats can be any breed except non-production. Must be born after January 1 and weighed and tagged.
Non-production
(Includes pygmy, fainting, non-meat and other non-dairy goats)
Exhibitor may enter 2 head, which may be does or wethers. (No bucks.)
Goats in this division are not eligible to be sold to the packer.
This class will be judged based on:
1. Exhibitor's knowledge of the project
2. Appearance of animal (health, grooming, cleanliness, etc.)
3. Showmanship

HORSE
Superintendent: Anna Wilson
Assistant Superintendent: Lauren Gealow, Jordan Steen
Identification Form Due: May 15
Entry Deadline: August 1
Arrival Time: Between noon and 5 p.m. on Thursday, September 1
Judging Time: 7:30 a.m. Friday, September 2
Release Time: 2 p.m. Monday, September 5

GENERAL RULES
1. Horses must be stalled in assigned stalls through the duration of the fair. 4-H and FFA horses shall be stalled in the 4-H and FFA barn.
2. Horses out of stalls must be:
   i. Exercising in designated riding areas (i.e. arena)
   ii. Exhibiting
   iii. Granted permission by the superintendent
3. In entering and leaving horse barns, exhibitors are to lead their horse through the door nearest their stall. (i.e. west half of barn use west door and east half of barn use east door).
4. Entries open to horses and ponies properly enrolled as projects, and that meet the class qualifications.
5. No stallions over one year of age may be entered.
6. Ages of horses or ponies shall be based upon January 1.
7. No fake tails or manes may be used.
8. Any horse hit in front of the withers maliciously will be disqualified.
9. The reining patterns used will be taken from "Rules and Regulations for 4-H Equine Shows in Iowa", which is available at the Extension Office or online at www.extension.iastate.edu/store.
10. Health papers are required at check with your veterinarian. Inoculations should be given 4 or more weeks before a show to be effective.
11. Vaccinations are not required for showing, but are recommended for the safety of your horse. Recommended vaccinations include influenza, rabies, West Nile and encephalomyelitis (WEE, EEE). Vaccinations for strangles and rhinopneumonitis are also recommended. Please check with your veterinarian. Inoculations should be given 4 or more weeks before a show to be effective.
12. H exhibitors can warm up or ride 4-H horses during the county fair until after the show. Trainers, parents, and family members will not be allowed to warm up or ride the 4-H exhibitor's horse until after the 4-H horse show is complete.
13. Any horse that is shown in the 4-H and FFA barn will be allowed to lease a horse.
14. Clothing: Horse exhibitors must comply with the 4-H Rules and Regulations For Equine Shows in Iowa clothing requirements. Failure to wear proper attire will result in lower ribbon placing. SPECIAL NOTE: Hats/helmets may be worn during all halter classes. Helmets must be worn whenever the member is mounted on a horse. All helmets must be ASTM/SEI approved.
15. The lease form must be signed by the owner and the horse committee must grant substitute privileges if a horse has more than one exhibitor in a halter class. The horse committee may grant substitute halter horse handler privileges if an exhibitor has more than one horse in a halter class. 4-H and FFA exhibitors will be allowed to lease a horse.
16. No fake tails or manes may be used.
17. Any horse hit in front of the withers maliciously will be disqualified.
18. All participants must attend three workshops in county, one on safety and two to be determined on an annual basis. Any youth that has shown at the Guthrie County Fair or Iowa State Fair for three years is required to attend one workshop annually to be decided by the superintendent.
19. All exhibitors must agree to the Iowa Code of Ethics and be responsible for their own animals.
20. Vaccinations are not required for showing, but are recommended for the safety of your horse. Recommended vaccinations include influenza, rabies, West Nile and encephalomyelitis (WEE, EEE). Vaccinations for strangles and rhinopneumonitis are also recommended. Please check with your veterinarian. Inoculations should be given 4 or more weeks before a show to be effective.
21. Health papers are required at check-in with superintendent.

Class Number……………………………………………………………………..Class Name

HORSE, PONY and MULES

Halter

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- SPECIAL NOTE: Hats/helmets may be worn during all halter classes. Helmets must be worn whenever the member is mounted on a horse. All helmets must be ASTM/SEI approved.
SHOWMANSHIP will follow the Mule Halter Class. The order will follow Senior, Intermediate, Junior, then the Master Showmanship class.

### Performance Class

#### Walk Trot

- 31700: Novice Rider Walk Trot (rider has not competed for more than 2 years)
- 31701: 2–3 year old horse Walk Trot
- 31702: Open Walk Trot

#### Pony Pleasure – under 57"

- 31320: Pony Pleasure
- 31300: Western Pleasure – 57" and over
- 31310: Ranch Horse Pleasure
- 31350: Western Horsemanship

#### Reining

- 31550: Reining

#### Trail

- 31500: Trail

#### In Hand Trail—this class is available only to miniatures, yearlings and two-year-olds.

- 31501: In Hand Trail
- 31502: Miniature In Hand Trail

### Timed Events

- 31610: Barrels
- 31620: Flag Race
- 31630: Poles

### Costume Class

Use your imagination and have fun with this class! Horse and 4-H'er must both be wearing some aspect of the costume. If 4-H'er is mounted during class, he/she must wear a safety helmet. If 4-H'er leads the horse, a helmet is not necessary. The costumes will be judged on creativity, originality, difficulty of costume and showmanship of the 4-H'er. Costumes that win Grand or Reserve Grand will be "retired" and cannot return. Seniors, intermediates, and juniors will be judged as one class.

- 31660: Costume

### Horseless Horse

4-H/FFA members will be judged based upon goals submitted by May 15 and fair entry forms submitted by August 1. Examples of goals for this class might include: shoeing a horse, driving a horse, demonstrating a horse trick or learning to ride.

- 31703: Personal Project

### PETS

Superintendent: Carol Dorsey
Assistant Superintendent: Bev Lehman, Lynn Dorsey
Identification Form due: May 15
Entry Deadline: August 1
Arrival Time: 3:00 p.m. Friday, September 2, at the Small Showring
Judging Time: 4:00 p.m. Friday, September 2, followed by Open Class
Release Time: After show

**GENERAL RULES**

1. Entries are open to a 4-H'er/FFA member enrolled in the pet project area. Animals must be owned and in the members possession by May 15. Pet must be identified by May 15. Fair entry forms with pet listed are due August 1. A member may enter a maximum of one (1) pet only.
2. All animals must be healthy at time of show. Cats and dogs must have current rabies certificate.
3. Members must provide a one-page written report about the project for the judge. Exhibits will be evaluated on information and skills learned on care and management of the animal and the animal's health. This report will be limited to only one page and must be turned in at the show ring one hour before the show.
4. The 4-H'er/FFA member must be able to identify the parts of the body on their pet.
5. Pets are to be on the fairgrounds one hour before judging and check-in at the livestock office. Animals will be taken home immediately following the show.
6. Owners will supply their own cages and all animals are expected to be in a cage or on a leash at all times.
7. Pets are not to be taken into the livestock barns.
8. If an animal has entered any other 4-H class at the fair, it is not eligible to be shown in the pet show. Example: A rabbit cannot be shown in the rabbit show and the pet show, dog in the dog show and pet class, etc. for all species.
9. A grand champion pet cannot return in future years.
11. All exhibitors must agree to the Iowa Code of Ethics and be responsible for their own animals.
12. Clothing: Exception to “General Livestock Rule”—tennis shoes are acceptable.

Class Number…………………….………………………………………….…..Class Name

32000………………………………………………………………………..All Pets
POULTRY

Superintendent: Carol Dorsey
Assistant Superintendents: Allie Brooks, Lynn Dorsey, Lori Erickson, Jean Higgins
Identification Form Due: May 15* - Unless Broiler or Roaster Class which is due by August 1
Entry Deadline: August 1
Arrival Time: Between noon and 5 p.m., Thursday, September 1
Judging Time: 10 a.m., Friday, September 2
Release Time: 2 p.m., Monday, September 5

GENERAL RULES
1. Poultry entries should be less than one year old with the exception of large domestic fowl, and exotics. Large domestic fowl (turkeys and geese), small domestic fowl (guineas, ducks, etc.) and exotic chickens need not be under 1 year old.
2. Poultry breeds must be identified in 4-H Online or with form due to the Extension Office by May 15, with the exception of the broiler and roaster classes, which are due on August 1. Fair entry forms with classes listed are due August 1.
3. Exhibitors will provide their own padlock(s) for their cage(s).
4. All poultry exhibited must have had a negative Pullorum-Typhoid test within 90 days of public exhibition and the test must have been performed by an authorized tester.
5. All entries in this division must be made by August 1.
6. Clothing: Exception to “General Livestock Rule”—tennis shoes are acceptable.
7. 4-H and FFA exhibitors must be certified for FSQA in Guthrie County in order to exhibit poultry at the county fair.
8. All exhibitors must agree to the Iowa Code of Ethics and be responsible for their own animals.
9. Each exhibitor may enter a maximum of a total of 12 poultry classes.
10. All eggs must be removed as soon as possible. Eggs cannot be left in the barn or on top of cages.
11. Poultry Posters can be on any topic relating to poultry. Youth need to follow size requirements from STATIC rules for poster or presentation board.

Class Number..............................................Class Name

Production Class

Egg Production
(Pen of 3 Females)

Broiler Class

Broiler
(Pen of 3 - same sex, color, and size)

Roaster Class

Roaster
(Pen of 3) - same sex, color, & size. Weigh more than 4 pounds

Exotic Class

Exotic Chicken
(1 bird, male or female)

Exotic Chickens
(Will judge best as a pair one male and one female)

Small Domesticated Fowl
This area includes ducks, guineas, etc.

Small Domesticated Fowl
(1 bird, male or female)

Small Domesticated Fowl Pair
(Pair - may be one male and one female, or two birds the same sex)

Large Domesticated Fowl
This area includes geese, turkeys, etc.

Large Domesticated Fowl
(1 bird, male or female)

Large Domesticated Fowl Pair
(Pair - may be one male and one female, or two birds the same sex)

Other

Poultry Poster Class

RABBITS

Superintendent: Carol Dorsey
Assistant Superintendents: Allie Brooks, Lori Erickson, Bev Lehman, Brad Garside, Lynn Dorsey
Identification Form Due: May 15* - Unless Meat Pen which is due August 1
Entry Deadline: August 1
Arrival Time: Between noon and 5 p.m., Thursday, September 1
Judging Time: 7 a.m., Saturday, September 3
Release Time: 2 p.m., Monday, September 5

GENERAL RULES
1. Rabbits must be on identified in 4-H Online or by Identification forms due to the Extension Office by May 15, except for the meat pen rabbits, where the ID form is due by August 1. Breed names must be included. Fair entry forms with classes listed are due by August 1.
2. Exhibitors must carry their own stock to the judging table.
3. White shirt, blouse or 4-H or FFA T-shirt are required when showing stock.
4. Exhibitors must provide own padlock(s) for cage(s).
5. Clothing: Exception to “General Livestock Rule”—tennis shoes are acceptable.
6. 4-H and FFA exhibitors must be certified for FSQA in order to exhibit rabbits at the county fair.
7. All exhibitors must agree to the Iowa Code of Ethics and be responsible for their own animals.
8. Each exhibitor may enter a maximum of a total of 12 rabbit classes.
**SHEEP**

**SUPERINTENDENT:** Jim Calvert, Guthrie Center  
**Identification Form due:** May 15  
**Entry Deadline:** August 1  
**Arrival Time:** 4 p.m.-5 p.m. Thursday, September 1  
**Judging Time:** 12:30 a.m. Saturday, September 3  
**Release Time:** 2 p.m. Monday, September 5

**GENERAL RULES**

1. All sheep must be identified and marked as recorded in 4-H online or on a livestock identification report and must be on file in the Extension Office by May 15 of this year to be eligible for exhibition.  
2. Mandatory weigh-in is required on all market sheep before May 15 of the current year to be eligible to show at the county fair. Improperly tagged animals may be ruled ineligible to show at the discretion of the department superintendents.  
3. Market sheep must be tagged with a county tag. All commercial ewes will be required to have a 4-H tag. Other sheep will have a farm tag or a tattoo.  
4. All sheep must be dry at the time of weigh-in.  
5. All sexually intact sheep (male and female) must have a scrapies tag. Contact the Extension Office for a copy of the “What to know about the Scrapie Eradication Program”.  
6. A member may enter a maximum of 14 sheep. This includes five market lambs, two breeding sheep per ewe class or 8 total and 1 ram lamb.  
7. All market lambs will automatically be entered in a rate of gain contest. Starting weight is the day they are weighed in. Final weight will be determined when lambs are weighed in on entry day. A trophy will be awarded to the top Rate of Gain and the top 10 will be recognized.  
9. All entries are to be made by August 1.  
10. All sheep will be shown off the halter unless pre-approved by the superintendent before the fair.  
11. 4-H and FFA exhibitors must be certified for FSQA in Guthrie County in order to exhibit at the county fair.  
12. All exhibitors must agree to the Iowa Code of Ethics and be responsible for their own animals.  
13. All lambs must be 100 pounds minimum to sell to the packer.  

**MARKET LAMBS**

1. A member may enter up to five market lambs. These may be shown as four individuals or a pen of three (individuals may be shown in the pen of three).

   25100................................. Market Lamb  
   25190................................. Pen of Three Lambs

**RAM LAMBS**

1. Each exhibitor may exhibit one purebred ram lamb.  
2. Entries in the ram lamb class must be born after Jan. 1, 2016.  
3. Purebred sheep should be registered in exhibitor's name.  

   25000................................. Purebred Ram Lamb

**BREEDING SHEEP**

1. Each exhibitor may exhibit up to two breeding ewe sheep per ewe class, (maximum of 8 ewes).  
2. All breeding classes will be determined using the following dates. Classes will be broken down according to breed and ages. Indicate breed on entry form.  
   a) Entries in the ewe lamb classes must be born on or after Jan. 1, 2014.  
   b) Entries in the yearling ewe classes must be born between January 1 and December 31, 2013.  
3. For purebred/breeding animals, tags, tattoos and registration papers will be checked during weigh-ins.  
4. Exhibitors may enter one breeding ewe and a ram lamb and/or a pair of ewes in the pairs class.  

   25010................................. Purebred Ewe Lamb  
   25041................................. Crossbred Yearling Ewe  
   25011................................. Purebred Yearling Ewe  
   25070................................. Pairs Class - two ewes  
   25040................................. Crossbred Ewe Lamb  
   25071.Pairs Class-one ram and one ewe

**RABBITS - PUREBRED**

Rabbit breeds considered 6-Class Breeds by the American Rabbit Breeders Association  
(Breed examples: Californian, Checkered Giant, Flemish Giant, New Zealand, Satin)

27100............. Senior Buck, over 6 months  
27110............. Junior Buck, under 6 months  
27120............. Senior Doe, over 6 months  
27130............. Junior Doe, under 6 months

**RABBITS - MIXED BREED**

27000............. Senior Buck, over 6 months  
27002............. Senior Doe, over 6 months  
27003............. Junior Doe, under 6 months

**RABBITS - FANCY**

Rabbit breeds considered 4-Class Breeds by the American Rabbit Breeders Association  
(Breed examples: Dutch, Holland Lop, Jersey Wooly, Mini Lop, Mini Rex, Netherland Dwarf)

27200............. Senior Buck, over 6 months  
27202............. Senior Doe, over 6 months  
27203............. Junior Doe, under 6 months
SWINE
Superintendent: Randy Carney
Assistant Superintendents: Sam Carney, Bret Hodges, Jeff Meiners, Dave Messinger, Bill Messinger, Clay Stetzel, Keith Stetzel and Tate Stetzel.
Identification Form due: May 15
Entry Deadline: August 1
Arrival Time: Between 9 am and noon, Thursday, September 1
Judging Time: 4 p.m. Saturday, September 3
Release Time: 2 p.m. Monday, September 5

GENERAL RULES
1. All swine must have been ear tagged and recorded on the 4-H identification forms and fair entry forms. Each exhibitor can nominate up to 15 pigs on the ID form by May 15. Any pig at or under the weight limit (52 pounds) at the April weigh-in is eligible to be a derby pig at the county fair.
2. Ear tag numbers on the identification form will be verified at Swine Weigh-in before May 15 of the current year.
3. Ear tag numbers for individuals and pen will be designated at fair weigh-in. Hogs with tag numbers not on the identification form cannot be unloaded.
4. All hogs should strive to reach a weight between 220 and 300 pounds.
5. Each exhibitor may exhibit a maximum of 7 pigs at county fair that will be housed in 2 pens in the hog barn. If an exhibitor brings less than 7 pigs, the maximum number of hogs that will be allowed in the current pens is four.
6. Due to packer demands and concerns, it is strongly recommended that pigs are not clipped. Hair should not be shorter than ½ inch.
7. All swine exhibitors are required to have a Premise ID Number to meet packer requirements.
8. Each exhibitor can exhibit 2 commercial gilts, 2 market barrows, 2 market gilts, and 1 market pen of three. Members may enter one hog in the production class, but that pig must be shown in another market class, but not the commercial gilt class.
9. All hogs weighed in over 220 pounds must be shown by the exhibitor in one or more classes listed below. Hogs not shown may be sold at packer bid only with no support premium given.
10. All swine going home should be identified to the superintendents at the time of weigh-in.
11. The livestock subcommittee of the Youth Committee reserves the right to lower minimum fair weight depending on current year conditions.
12. All market swine will automatically be entered in a rate of gain contest. Starting weight is the day they are weighed in. Final weight will be determined when hogs are weighed in on entry day. A trophy will be awarded to the top Rate of Gain and the top 10 will be recognized.
13. All Swine must be ear notched and the ear notching listed on the Swine identification form at weigh-ins.
15. 4-H and FFA exhibitors must be certified for FSQA in order to exhibit and sell Market Swine at the county fair.
16. All exhibitors must agree to the Iowa Code of Ethics and be responsible for their own animals.

MARKET SWINE
1. Each exhibitor may enter up to two individual market barrows, two individual market gilts, and one market pen of three but not to exceed a total of five market pigs.
2. Any individual market barrows or gilts are eligible for the market pen of three and/or production class.
3. Individual commercial gilts cannot be shown as market gilts or in the pen of three.
4. All swine will be weighed upon arrival at the show and will be divided by the superintendents into equal weight classes.
5. Market pigs are to weigh a minimum of 220 lb. on entry day. No swine accepted under 220 lb. (*See General Rules #9)
6. The champions in the market barrow and the market gilt divisions will be shown against each other for the grand champion market hog.

COMMERCIAL GILTS
1. Each exhibitor may show TWO commercial gilts. These pigs cannot be exhibited in any other class.
2. Commercial gilts will be judged on the basis of their potential value as breeding stock in profitable commercial swine production.
3. Commercial gilts are to weigh a minimum of 220 lb. on entry day. No gilts accepted under 220 lbs. (*See General Rules #9)

SWINE PRODUCTION CONTEST
1. Swine entered must have been weighed and identified on a 4-H identification form at before May 15 of the current year.
2. Placings will be based on lean muscle produced per day on feed. Leanness to be determined by real time son-a-ray.
3. 4-H and FFA members must be available at son-a-ray time on Friday morning to identify their pig(s) that will be done. Ultrasound time will be announced.
4. Swine entered in the production contest must be entered in another market swine class at the fair.

Don’t forget to write Thank You notes to your trophy, award, and auction sponsors!
**COMMUNICATIONS**

All entries due on Fair Entry by 11:59 p.m., July 10th.

**COMMUNICATIONS RULES**

**Topic selection should be appropriate and should be an outgrowth of the presenter's 4-H experience.**

1. All general rules apply.
2. Participants in the 4-H communications programs are expected to wear appropriate clothing representative of the 4-H Youth Program and/or the topic of the presentation.
3. Educational Presentations and working exhibits may be given by one or more 4-H'ers. Team members may be from different clubs.
4. Teams consisting of youth in mixed grades must be entered in the class of the member in the highest grade level.
5. All methods used should be safe for involvement by audiences of all ages.
6. Use of sanitary and safe procedures and methods is always important, particularly if food samples are available to the audience.
7. Presenters are expected to comply with all copyright/trademark regulations. Copyrighted material may not be distributed without permission.
8. If, in the opinion of the judge, no entry is worthy of a blue ribbon, the judge may give the award or awards as he/she sees fit. Every effort should be made to place at least the top two in each class based on merit.
9. To be eligible for State Fair, 4-H'ers must have completed 5th grade. At the state fair, participants cannot be involved in another event such as clothing program, livestock show, or judging during the half-day they are scheduled to participate in 4-H Communications programs. If they have both a Share-the-Fun act and an Educational Presentation, to avoid potential conflict, they should plan on doing the Educational Presentation in the morning and the Share-the-Fun act during the 5:00 p.m. show.

**EDUCATIONAL PRESENTATIONS**—Wednesday, July 13, 1-3 pm

Purpose—to provide an opportunity for 4-H'ers to demonstrate communication skills by presenting knowledge, information, or a process to an audience in order to gain a desired response.

**RULES**

1. The article or product made in the presentation will be considered the finished article to give the judge. Articles or products may be taken from exhibit with permission of county committee in charge.
2. Participants must turn in a completed Educational Presentation Report Form during event check-in.

**Class 11101: Junior Presentations - grades 4-6.** Topic should determine its length but should not exceed 15 minutes.

**Class 11102: Senior/Intermediate Presentations - grades 7-12.** Topic of presentation shall determine its length but should not exceed 20 minutes.

**WORKING EXHIBITS**—Wednesday, July 13, 1-3 pm

Purpose—to provide an opportunity for 4-H'ers to communicate, interact with, and teach an audience in an informal and experiential way.

**RULES**

1. Working Exhibits will be scheduled for 30 minutes for all age groups.

**Class 11201: Junior Working Exhibits – grades 4-6**

**Class 11202: Senior/Intermediate Working Exhibits – grades 7-12**

**EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING**—Wednesday, July 13, 1-3 pm

Purpose—to encourage the development of the communication life-skill through enhancing the ability to think, to organize, to speak, and to answer questions readily by participating 4-H'ers before an audience.

1. Participants must be senior aged 4-H'ers.
2. Procedure:
   a. Each contestant will draw three of the available topics, selecting one to speak on, thirty minutes before the contest. The general nature of the topics will relate to 4-H. The selected topic will not be available to the other contestants. The other two topics will be returned to the available topics for other contestants.
   b. A preparation area with relevant reference materials pertaining to the history of the 4-H program will be provided. Each contestant may not leave the preparation area until it is time to speak, nor may the contestant receive help from a parent, leader, other adult or any other youth. Each contestant will have 30 minutes preparation time. A contest official will assist contestants with the time requirements.
   c. All reference material will be screened by a contest official on the following basis: Contestants may bring his/her own books, magazines, or newspaper clippings for reference during the thirty minutes of preparation.
   d. Each speech shall be the result of the 4-H'ers own efforts using approved reference material that a participant may bring to the preparation area. No other assistance may be provided. Plain 3”x5” note cards will be provided for each participant in the preparation area. If notes are used, the 3”x5” note cards provided must be used in delivering the speech.

3. Extemporaneous Speaking Contest at the State Fair is for senior age 4-H'ers only.

**Class: 11401: Extemporaneous Speaking**

**SHARE THE FUN**—Wednesday, July 13, 7 pm at the New Homestead, Guthrie Center

Purpose—Provide an opportunity for 4-H'ers to share their skills and talents before an audience purely for the sake of enjoyment.

1. Share the Fun includes skits, songs, short one-act plays, dances plus other entertainment will be acceptable. The maximum time limit for one act will be 8 minutes.
2. Criteria for Evaluation:
   A. Performance
   B. Content
   C. Quality
   D. Appearance

3. Skits/Acts must be in good taste, sensitive to diversity and culture/ethnic traditions of Iowans and/or U.S. citizens.
4. All members may participate at the county level. To be eligible for State Fair, 4-H members must have completed 5th through 12th grade. They must be an active member of an Extension sponsored youth group in the current year. All members of a group must meet the grade eligibility requirements. If a total club is selected to participate, at least 80% of the club members must meet the grade eligibility requirements.
5. Three entries may be selected to perform at the State Fair.

**Class: 11301: Junior**

**Class: 11302: Intermediate**

**Class: 11303: Senior**
CLOTHING EVENT
All entries due on Fair Entry by 11:59 p.m., July 10

CLOTHING EVENT RULES
Contest – Wednesday, July 13th from 1—4:30 pm at the New Homestead, Guthrie Center
Style Show for Fashion Revue, Clothing Selection and $15 Challenge – Wednesday, July 13th at 7 pm at the New Homestead with the Share-The-Fun Acts
1. All general rules still apply.
2. The county program will have three divisions: Fashion Revue, Clothing Selection, and $15 Challenge.
3. 4-H State Fair Awardrobe Clothing Event participants will be able to participate as many times as they are selected at the county level in Clothing Selection, Fashion Revue, and $15 Challenge categories. But all still participate in only one area each year at the state level.

FASHION REVUE
All participants (male or female) to qualify for participation in the state event should:
1. Have been enrolled in the 4-H Clothing project in the current year.
2. Model a garment or outfit the entrant has constructed, hand knitted, machine-knitted or crocheted during the current 4-H year.
3. A garment or outfit consisting of one to three pieces such as party clothes, tailored suits, vest, slacks, shirt, skirt, active sports-wear and/or coats are acceptable as Fashion Revue entries.
4. Blouses, shirts, and sweaters are usually considered as garments. If they are used to complete an outfit, they may be constructed or selected.
5. All other accessories and undergarments may be constructed or selected by the member.
Class: 12101 Junior Fashion Revue
Class: 12102 Intermediate Fashion Revue
Class: 12103 Senior Fashion Revue

THE $15 CHALLENGE
All participants (male or female) to qualify for participation in the state event should:
1. Purchase an outfit that represents the 4-H’ers intended use for the selected outfit.
2. Have had individual or county experience(s) in choosing shopping alternatives, evaluating fit, quality and construction features, price and cost comparison.
3. Outfits must be purchased at a garage sale, consignment store, or resale shop including Goodwill, Salvation Army or other stores of this type. Hand-me-downs or clothing as gifts that were selected by the 4-H’er belong in Clothing Selection.
4. Cost of outfit must be $15 or less, not including shoes, accessories or undergarments.
5. Receipt(s) MUST be included on the report form. Failure to provide receipts or sales slips will result in loss of points.
Class: 12301 Junior $15 Challenge
Class: 12302 Intermediate $15 Challenge
Class: 12303 Senior $15 Challenge

CLOTHING SELECTION
All participants (male or female) to qualify for participation in the state event should:
1. Select and/or purchase an outfit that represents the 4-H’ers goal or intended use for the selected outfit.
2. Have had individual planned or county experience(s) in choosing shopping alternatives, evaluating fit, quality and construction features, price and cost comparison.
3. Outfits may be selected and/or purchased from any source, including consignment shops, used clothing stores, etc. Clothing items which are home-sewn are not eligible unless the completed garment was purchased from a used clothing source. Clothing items which are custom sewn specifically for the participant are not eligible.
Class: 12201 Junior Clothing Selection
Class: 12202 Intermediate Clothing Selection
Class: 12203 Senior Clothing Selection

Come and join us for a fun night out!
Who: Come and cheer on your fellow 4-H’ers!
What: Watch the Style Show and Share-The-Fun Acts to see who will move onto the Iowa State Fair!
When: Wednesday, July 13th at 7 pm.
Where: The New Homestead, Guthrie Center
GENERAL RULES

1. 4-H'ers who have completed 5th grade through 12th grade (or that equivalent) in 2016 are eligible to exhibit at the Iowa State Fair. Exception: Group exhibits from an entire club may include 4th grade members.

2. Eligible exhibits are an outgrowth of work done as a planned part of the 4-H'ers participation in 4-H projects or programs during the current 4-H year. Exhibits can be done by an individual or group and may represent all or part of the learning in the project or program.

3. Exhibitors in 4-H classes are not eligible to exhibit in a similar department of the FFA divisions or vice-versa.

4. Exhibits previously entered in an FFA Ag Science Fair or any other FFA event or competition may not be entered in any 4-H exhibit class.

5. Exhibits that do not comply with the class description, size guidelines, copyright restrictions, safety and approved methods will be disqualified and not put on public display.

6. If the exhibitor chooses a display to illustrate what was learned:
   - Posters may not exceed 24” x 36” in size.
   - Chart boards, graph boards, project presentation boards, model displays, etc., may not exceed 48” x 48” in size. Maximum size is determined by measuring the flat (unfolded) dimensions.
   - Display boxes may not exceed 28” x 22” in height or width and 12” in depth.

7. Endangered and threatened plants and animals (includes insects), or songbird feathers and nests may NOT be used in any exhibit.

8. Copyrighted materials and designs may not be used in an exhibit that is presented as original work by the exhibitor. Exhibitors must include permission from the copyright holder/owner when using copyrighted materials. Exhibitors must give proper credit to the original source of all materials/designs used in exhibits. (See also special rules for Visual Arts and general copyright information for 4-H'ers.)

9. The 4-H'ers goal and applicable exhibit standards will form the basis of the evaluation process. Evaluation criteria will include demonstrated learning, workmanship and techniques, and general appearance and design. Exhibitors will receive written evaluation comments on the exhibits and a blue, red, or white Iowa State Fair exhibitor’s ribbon. Refer to exhibit class evaluation rubrics for detailed evaluation criteria in each class. Rubrics are located on each 4-H project page at [http://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/projects](http://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/projects).

10. A written explanation, audio recording, or video recording is to be included as part of each exhibit. The exhibitor should respond briefly to the following questions about the exhibit:
   - What did you plan to learn or do? (What was your exhibit goal(s)?)
   - What steps did you take to learn or do this?
   - What were the most important things you learned?

   ***Check for additional requirements in exhibit classes for food and nutrition, photography, and visual art classes.

11. All judges’ decisions are final.

12. Each item in an exhibit must be securely labeled, including the name of the county, class number, and exhibitor’s name.

13. Due to security, 4-H'ers are discouraged from sending items that have special meaning and historical value as the exhibit or part of an exhibit. The Guthrie County Fair and Iowa State University Extension will use diligence to insure the safety of articles entered for exhibition after their arrival and placement. However, they will not be responsible for damage or loss by accident, fire, theft, etc.

14. Those exhibits selected at the Guthrie County Fair to go to the Iowa State Fair may be chosen on the condition that the exhibitor agrees to do additional work as suggested by the judge before it goes onto the Iowa State Fair.

15. All exhibits are to be the member’s work as part of the current year’s project. Kits will be accepted, but must be designated as such and are not eligible for the Iowa State Fair.

16. Ribbons, premium money and fair passes will be withheld from exhibitors who do not return their projects for display at the county fair.

17. All exhibits are to remain on display until release time. Release time will be 3 p.m. on Monday. Check out all exhibits through state exhibits superintendents. Static Building Clean-up will start at 4 p.m.

18. Any exhibit considered for the Iowa State Fair will receive a lavender ribbon placing. Fourth graders are not eligible for Iowa State Fair.

19. All exhibits are responsible to read and comply with the Iowa State Fair General Exhibits Rules for the exhibit to be eligible for Iowa State Fair participation.

20. Entries can be any exhibit by an individual or group that is an outgrowth from an Extension education program related to the (specific) class. 4-H participants in 4-H special interest and school enrichment programs and/or 4-H clubs in grades 4-12, or equivalent, are eligible to exhibit.

21. If a 4-H'er has set a goal(s) that can be accomplished by both a classroom assignment and an outgrowth of a 4-H project goal, that is okay. The intent is that a predetermined goal has been set. Example: Class assignment was to design a banner. 4-H Goal: to make a banner for use in exhibitor’s room. The 4-H'er must realize that the evaluation criteria and exhibit guidelines for each opportunity will be different and should be prepared accordingly.

Class Descriptions

Most exhibit classes have specific guidelines and requirements that will be included in the judging process. Members are highly encouraged go to [http://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/projects](http://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/projects) to find information about judging criteria for exhibits that they create from their 4-H project learning.

**ANIMALS**

10101 Animal Science - An exhibit (other than the animal itself) that shows the learning about a large or small animal including beef, dairy cattle, dairy goats, dogs, horse & pony, meat goats, pets, poultry, rabbits, sheep and swine. Ownership of any animal is not required.

10102 Veterinary Science - An exhibit that shows learning about keeping animals healthy.

**AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES**

10201 Crop Production - An exhibit that shows learning about the growth, use, and value of field crops.

10202 Environment and Sustainability - An exhibit that shows the connections between humans and their environment including energy, stewardship, conservation, entomology, fish and wildlife, or forestry. Includes collections.

10203 Horticulture (includes Home Grounds Improvement) - An exhibit that shows learning about the growth, use, and value of plants, small fruits, vegetable and flower gardens, and landscape design. (Garden crops and herbs are exhibited in classes in the 4-H Horticulture Department under 4-H Livestock.)

10204 Outdoor Adventures - An exhibit that shows learning about backpacking, biking, camping, canoeing, fishing, hiking or other outdoor activities.
10205 Safety and Education in Shooting Sports - An exhibit that shows learning about safe and responsible use of firearms and archery equipment or wildlife management. (The exhibit may not include actual firearms; archery equipment allowed if tips are removed from arrows).

10206 Other Agriculture and Natural Resources - An exhibit that shows learning about agriculture or natural resources and does not fit in any of the classes listed above.

CREATIVE ARTS

10301 Music - An exhibit that shows learning about musical performance, composition and arrangements, instruments, musical styles or history.

10302 Photography - An exhibit, either photo(s) or an educational display, that shows learning about photography from choosing a camera to modifying your photo. Still photos only, not video.

Photography Special Rules:
1. Photographs may be either black and white or color. They may be processed from negatives, slides, or digital cameras and computer manipulation programs. Photographs must have been taken since your county fair of the previous year.
2. Photographs should be a minimum of 4" x 6". Finished size (including mounting/matting) of single photographs should not exceed 16" in height or width. Exception: Panoramic photos must not exceed 24" in length.
3. All photographs must be printed on photographic paper. Photos printed on canvas, fabric, ceramic, etc. will only be accepted as part of an educational display that shows learning about photography printing techniques, display, merchandising, etc.
4. Mounted photos can be (a) flush-mounted [no board showing] on mounting board, or (b) with mount borders [window mat or flat mount directly on board]. Exhibitors may cut their own mounting boards, use ready-cut window mats or have matting done professionally.
5. 4-Hers are responsible for design decisions such as border, color and size. Framed photographs (including floating frames) will not be judged.
6. Non-mounted photos may be exhibited in a clear plastic covering.
7. A series is a group of photographs or slides [3 to 5] that are related or tell a step-by-step story. Photographs must be mounted together in story order or sequence. Slides should be numbered. Finished size on individual photographs in a series should not exceed 6"x8".
8. Digitally altered photos should include a copy of the photo before changes.
9. Subject matter of photographs must be in good taste and be appropriate for public display in a 4-H setting.
10. Photographs depicting unsafe practices or illegal activities will not be displayed.
11. Photography exhibitors must use the Photo Exhibit Label to provide required information for photo exhibits.
12. Exhibitors entered in 4-H Photography are not eligible to exhibit in the FFA Photography show and vice-versa.

10303 Digital Photography Exhibit – A photo or series of photos submitted electronically, not printed. Photos in this class will be submitted, viewed, evaluated, and displayed electronically.

Digital Photography Exhibit Special Rules:
1. Photographs may be either black and white or color.
2. Photographs will not be printed.
3. Entries may be a single photo or a series of photos. A series is a group of photographs (3 to 5) that are related or tell a step-by-step story. Series photo entries must have all photos in the series viewable at the same time.
4. Photos entered should be submitted in the highest resolution possible. A finished file size of 1 MB – 3 MB is recommended.
5. Photos should be submitted in an acceptable and commonly used format for ease of viewing.
6. Subject matter of photographs must be in good taste and be appropriate for public display in a 4-H setting.
7. Photographs depicting unsafe practices or illegal activities will not be displayed.
8. Photography exhibitors must use the Photo Exhibit Label to provide required information for photo exhibits. The Photo Exhibit Label may be submitted electronically with the photo entry.
9. Photos entered in this class will be evaluated on the same evaluation criteria used for printed photographs.
10. Exhibitors entered in 4-H Photography are not eligible to exhibit in the FFA Photography show and vice-versa.

10305 Visual Arts - An exhibit that shows learning through original art, exploration of an art technique, or study of any other visual arts topic.

Visual Arts Special Rules:
1. Exhibits made from kits or preformed molds will not be accepted. Exception: Preformed molds (greenware, whiteware) may be used to provide the appropriate surface for a process technique or application of original design.
2. If the exhibit is a finished art object, the source or inspiration of the design, design sketches, or other process for creating the object and design must be included.
3. Original works of art must be a creative expression of a design unique to the artist, or represent a significant modification to an existing design to make a new and original statement by the artist.
4. Exhibition of derivative works created by a 4-H’er is prohibited without the written permission of the original copyright holder/owner. Use of copyrighted or trademarked designs, images, logos, or materials in 4-H visual arts exhibits is prohibited unless written permission has been obtained from the copyright or trademark holder/owner. For additional information, see 4-H Exhibit Copyright Information at http://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/projects/visualart.htm.

FAMILY & CONSUMER SCIENCES


10402 Clothing and Fashion - An exhibit that shows learning about style, fashion, design, thrifty spending, wardrobe planning, types of fabrics, and clothing care. Exhibits may include constructed or purchased clothing and accessories.

Clothing and Fashion Special Rule: Outfits or accessories which will be worn during the Awardrobe Clothing Event may not be entered as a 4-H Iowa State Fair exhibit.

10403 Consumer Management - An exhibit that shows learning through savvy budgeting, comparison shopping, money management, and consumer rights and responsibilities.

10404 Food & Nutrition - An exhibit that shows learning through cooking, baking, eating and choosing healthy foods, including safety practices. Exhibits may include prepared products or educational displays. See also 4-H 3023 “Inappropriate Food Exhibits for Iowa 4-H Fairs” for additional information regarding prepared and preserved food products.

Food & Nutrition Special Rules:
1. Any exhibit considered to be a food safety risk or portray a food safety risk will not be accepted, judged or displayed.
2. All food products/exhibits should be appropriate for human consumption.
3. Food product exhibits must be prepared, baked or cooked using only food grade utensils and containers.
4. Products that require refrigeration will not be accepted, judged or displayed.
5. Meat jerky products are prohibited.
6. The recipe must be included for any prepared food exhibit; credit the source of the recipe.
7. Preserved foods must include the Food Preservation Exhibit Label. Only food processed after August 1, 2015 is acceptable. Current USDA and/or Iowa State University guidelines for home food preservation must be used.
8. Preserved food exhibits must include two product samples. One will be opened for evaluation and discarded; the second will be placed on display and returned to the exhibitor. All perishable food products will be discarded when removed from display. Preserved food exhibits must be returned to the county fair. Perishable food products do not need to be returned; however club must exhibit ribbons and goal sheets from these exhibits.
9. Prepared foods should be placed on a firm disposable plate or flat cardboard. Place food product exhibit in a reclosable plastic bag with entry tag fastened outside the bag. The number of food items (cookies, muffins, bars, etc.) to be judged should be 4-6. For items such as pies, breads, cakes—exhibit the whole pie, loaf, cake, etc.
10. The use of alcoholic beverages in the preparation or production of 4-H food exhibits is NOT permitted.

10405 Health - An exhibit that shows learning through food choices, safe activities and skills such as first aid and CPR, careers, and healthy lifestyle choices.

10406 Home Improvement - An exhibit that shows learning in planning, improving and caring for your home living space. Exhibits may include new or refinished/reclaimed/restored items.

10407 Sewing and Needle Arts - An exhibit that shows learning in sewing, knitting, crocheting, or other needle arts, the use and care of fabrics and fibers, or the construction of clothing and other items.

Sewing and Needle Arts Special Rule:
Outfits or accessories which will be worn during the Awardrobe Clothing Event may not be entered as a 4-H Iowa State Fair exhibit.

10408 Other Family and Consumer Science - An exhibit that demonstrates learning about a family and consumer science topic that does not fit any previous Family & Consumer Science class listed.

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

10501 Citizenship - An exhibit that shows learning about or contributing to your community, your country or your world.

10502 Communication - An exhibit that shows learning about written, oral, and visual communication skills in their many forms.

10503 4-H Poster Communication Exhibit – Special poster exhibit to visually tell a story or idea about 4-H to the general public. Exhibitors must use one of the following themes:

- 4-H is... (open to 4-H'er’s interpretation)
- Join 4-H
- 4-H Grows... (4-H.org national marketing theme)
- Dive to New Depths (2016 Iowa 4-H Youth Conference theme)
- Nothing Compares (Iowa State Fair theme)

Poster Communication Special Rules:
1. Only one poster per 4-H'er may be entered.
2. All posters must be designed on, or affixed to, standard poster board or foam core board—size minimum of 14” x 20” or maximum of 15” x 22”.
3. Posters may be vertical or horizontal. Posters may be any medium: watercolor, ink, crayon, acrylic, charcoal, oils, collage.
4. Posters cannot be 3-dimensional. Materials used to make the poster may not extend more than 1/8 inch above the poster or foam core board.
5. Each poster must have the completed Poster Exhibit Entry Form attached to the back.
6. Posters cannot use copyrighted material or exact copies of other promotional designs, such as the Iowa 4-H theme.
7. 4-H’ers may include the 4-H clover in the poster.

10504 Digital Storytelling - Any exhibit that demonstrates the application of technology to produce a creative movie/film/video. Exhibits may include a finished movie or video, creation of a detailed storyboard, editing techniques using digital video software, production techniques, or other display to share what was learned. Copyright permission must be obtained for any non-original material included as part of a film/movie/video.

10505 Leadership - An exhibit that shows learning about leadership skills and influencing others in a positive way.

10506 Self-Determined - An exhibit that shows learning as part of your 4-H adventure and does not fit any other class.

SCIENCE, ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

10601 Mechanics - Any exhibit that shows skills or learning in automotive, electrical, small and large engines, tractors, welding, and restoration.

10602 Woodworking - Any exhibit that shows learning about wood, woodworking techniques, and safe uses of woodworking tools and machines. Exhibits may include newly constructed or refinished/reclaimed/restored wood items.

10603 Science, Engineering & Technology - Any exhibit that shows learning about or helps explain how science and technology help us interact with the world. Topics include aerospace, biological and chemical sciences, computers & networking, earth & climate, geospatial mapping (GPS/GIS), robotics, or any other application of Science, Engineering, or Technology.

Science, Engineering & Technology Special Rule:
Exhibitors entered in the 4-H Science, Engineering & Technology classes may not enter in similar FFA Ag Mechanics classes and vice-versa.

Club Books - County only
Clubs may enter books for the previous and/or current 4-H year. Premiums for this class will be paid to the club.

11001 Secretary club book
11002 Treasurer club book
11003 Historian club book
How to Enter Exhibits in Fair Entry for the Guthrie County Fair

Registration Opens: Monday, May 10, 2016 for STATIC, Communications and Clothing Event exhibits

Wednesday, July 1, 2016 for livestock and animal exhibits

Registration Closes: Friday, July 10, 2016 (at 11:59 p.m.) for STATIC, Communications and Clothing Event exhibits

Saturday, August 1, 2016 (at 11:59 p.m.) for livestock and animal exhibits

2. Click ‘Sign in with 4HOnline’.
3. A separate box will pop up. Enter your 4HOnline family e-mail address and password. The role is ‘Family’. Click ‘Login’.
4. This will take you to the welcome screen. Click ‘Begin Registration’.
5. Click ‘Individual’.
6. Choose the 4-H’er you are entering an exhibit for. Click ‘Continue’.
7. The 4-H’er’s profile will appear. The Personal Details and Contact Info is exported from 4HOnline. If you’d like to make changes, please log into your 4HOnline account at https://iowa.4honline.com
8. Click ‘Continue to Entries’.
9. Click ‘Add an Entry’ to the right of the exhibitor's name.
10. Click ‘Select’ next to the Department you would like to enter. To enter a Static Exhibit (exhibits that are judged and displayed in the 4-H Building), you must click ‘Static’ to view all of the Departments.
11. Click ‘Select’ next to the Division you would like to enter.
12. Click ‘Select’ next to the Class you would like to enter.
13. Review the entry and then click ‘Continue’.
14. Select the 4-H Club that you belong to. Click ‘Continue’.
15. If this is a livestock exhibit, please select the animal that is to be shown. Click ‘Add an Animal’. Select the animal. Click ‘Select Animal’. Click ‘Continue’.
   If this is a static exhibit, include a detailed description of your exhibit (example: black and white photo of butterfly with red mat). Click ‘Continue’.
16. Review the information. Click ‘Continue’.
17. You will now have three options:
   - “Register another Exhibitor”
   - “Add another Entry for this Exhibitor”
   - “Continue to Payment”. This function will prompt you to complete the entry process.

   If questions appear - please give complete answers as this will help us prepare for judging.

If you are not completed entering exhibits proceed with one of the first two options.
18. When finished entering exhibits for all the 4-H’ers in your family. Click ‘Continue to Payment’. Review the entries submitted. Click ‘Detail’ for more information. Click ‘Continue’ when ready.

19. If you have an entry fee, please send that to the office as soon as possible. Click ‘Continue’.

20. Click ‘Submit’. The staff at the Guthrie County Extension Office will review the entries and either approve the entries or send them back to the families with necessary revisions. Once you click ‘Submit’ you are unable to make any changes!

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Helpful Tips
You will need to sign up for Showmanship when you register online.

Static Exhibits are the exhibits you have worked on to bring to the County Fair and are judged and displayed in the 4-H Building.
Map of Guthrie County Fairgrounds