

2024 Appanoose County Fair

July 15th – July 20th



2024 Fair Theme:

“It’s a Small Town Showdown
at the Appanoose County Fair.”

701 West Franklin

Centerville, IA 52544

(641)856-2646



Admission

Season Tickets are valid Monday, July 15th – Saturday, July 20th

Advanced season tickets purchased before Noon on July 15th -
\$35.00 (Senior, over 65, Price - \$25.00)

Season tickets purchased after Noon on July 15th - \$45.00
(Senior, over 65, Price - \$35.00)

Daily Passes

Monday, July 15th – Free Day at the Fair

Tuesday, July 16th – Thursday, July 18th before Noon - \$7.00

Tuesday, July 16th – Wednesday, July 17th after Noon - \$10.00

Thursday, July 18th after Noon - \$20.00

Friday, July 19th – Saturday, July 20th - \$20.00 (All Day)

Children 10 years and Under – Free with paid adult all week.

Parking – No Fee

Building Hours

4-H Exhibit Building

9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Commercial Building

5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

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Fair Dedication

In appreciation for the many years of his commitment, the 2024 Appanoose County Fair is dedicated to **Orvil Hetzler**.



Appanoose County has always been his home and agriculture has consistently been at the forefront of Orvil's life. He attended Moulton-Udell Community Schools and during his high school career was involved in the local FFA chapter. After school, Orvil continued his love for agriculture through farming. He started out with a farrow-to-finish hog operation and has since transitioned to a cow-calf operation. For a brief time in his early career, he worked in construction. His most recent venture includes managing his very own trucking business. Orvil and his wife Liz started the trucking business in 1998 then later incorporated the business in 2002 as OC Trucking.

Aside from his busy life on the farm and operating his trucking business, Orvil still found time to give back to the community by volunteering as a fairboard member. Orvil has played a huge role on the Appanoose County Fairboard while serving for 22 years. He took great pride in his role as Arena Superintendent for many years. Year after year, he had a huge part in preparing the arena for the different events throughout the fair such as the rodeo, tractor pulls, and demo derby. When he wasn't busy getting the arena ready for the evening entertainment, Orvil could be found interacting with the youth at the fair and getting to know each of them. Looking back at his time as a fairboard member, meeting all of the kids at the fair was one of his favorite parts of serving on the board.

The Hetzler's reside on their family farm east of Moulton and are still active in cow-calf production and their trucking business, OC Trucking. Orvil and his wife Liz are parents of 3 children: Angela, Josh, and Joni. They have 7 grandchildren: Clay, Kiley, Colton, Spencer, Parker, Maxten and Henzlee.

2024 Entertainment Schedule

Sunday, July 14th (Free Admission)

7:00 p.m. Centerville Faith Church
featuring Abbey and Ryan McLouth

Monday, July 15th (Free Admission)

4:00-6:00 p.m. Cake Walk hosted by B.V. Sodbusters – Exhibit Building

5:00-8:00 p.m. Kids Face Painting sponsored by Appanoose County
Clover Buddies – Exhibit Building

7:00 p.m. **FAIR DEDICATION, FAIR MOM & DAD, QUEEN
CONTEST**

7:30 p.m. **BILL RILEY TALENT SHOW**

All Evening **FAMILY FUN NIGHT** – Horse & Carriage Rides,
Bouncy Houses, Bags Tournament, and many other
free activities for all ages

Tuesday, July 16th

5:00-8:00 p.m. Kids Face Painting sponsored by Appanoose County
Clover Buddies – Exhibit Building

5:00 p.m. **26th Annual Pie & Cake Baking Contest – Exhibit
Building**

7:00 p.m. **MUTTON BUSTING**

7:30 p.m. **DUCKWORTH RODEO WITH JASON DENT**

8:30-11:00 p.m. **LIVE MUSIC – BRAYTON HURLEY**

Wednesday, July 17th

4:00-6:00 p.m. Bingo and Tattoos hosted by B.V. Sodbusters in the
Shelter House

7:00 p.m. **MUTTON BUSTING**

7:30 p.m. **DUCKWORTH RODEO WITH JASON DENT**

8:30-11:00 p.m. **LIVE MUSIC – VILLISKA**

Thursday, July 18th

4:00-6:00 p.m. Bingo and Tattoos hosted by B.V. Sodbusters in the
Shelter House

6:00 p.m. Kids Pedal Pull (Pre-K – 4th) hosted by the Youth Council
– Registration begins at 5:30 p.m. – Show Arena

7:30 p.m. **PRO PULLING LEAGUE TRUCK & TRACTOR PULL**

8:30-11:00 p.m. **LIVE MUSIC – HOUSTON FRY**

Friday, July 19th

10:00-11:00 a.m. Lawn Activities hosted by B.V. Sodbusters in the lawn
west of the 4-H Food Stand

1:00-3:00 p.m. Kids Face Painting sponsored by Appanoose County
Clover Buddies – Exhibit Building

1:00-4:00 p.m. Livestock Judging Contest hosted by Youth Council

5:00-8:00 p.m. Balloon Art sponsored by Appanoose County Clover
Buddies and Franklin Farmhands – Exhibit Building

7:30 p.m. **DEMOLITION DERBY**

8:30-11:00 p.m. **LIVE MUSIC – HUNTER COWAN**

Saturday, July 20th

9:00 a.m. **4-H/FFA Livestock Auction**

5:00 p.m. **REDNECK RALLY**

2024 4-H & FFA Schedule

Sunday, July 7th

7:00 p.m. Beef Carcass Contest (Harvested) Weigh-In – Group 1
@ Appanoose County Sale Barn

Monday, July 8th

7:00 p.m. Beef Carcass Contest (Harvested) Weigh-In – Group 2
@ Appanoose County Sale Barn

Thursday, July 11th

10:00 a.m. Clothing Event @ Lakeview Elementary (Music Room)
Order of Event: Seniors (9th-12th grade), Intermediates
(7th-8th grade), and Juniors (4th-6th grade)

1:00 p.m. Communication Event @ Lakeview Elementary (Music Room)

Friday, July 12th

3:00 p.m. Carcass Results with Judge @ Country Roads Meat Market

Saturday, July 13th

8:30 a.m. 4-H Static Exhibit Judging @ Exhibit Building

8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Hippology Contest @ Horse Barn

Monday, July 15th

7:00 a.m. - Noon Livestock Weigh-Ins and Check-In

8:00 a.m. Live Carcass Ultra-Sounding (Swine, Sheep, Beef)

9:00 a.m. Jr. Cat Show

12:00 p.m. Clover Kids Pet Show

Jr. Pet Show

1:00 p.m. Clover Kids Exhibit Judging @ Exhibit Building

1:00 p.m. Bucket Bottle Interviews & Judging (Beef, Sheep, Goat)

2:00 p.m. Jr. Dog Show

Tuesday, July 16th

8:00 a.m. Jr. Sheep Show

Jr. Bucket/Bottle Lamb

Jr. Meat Goat Show

Jr. Bucket/Bottle Goat

1:00 p.m. Jr. Poultry Show

Wednesday, July 17th

8:00 a.m. Jr. Beef Show

Jr. Bucket/Bottle Plus 1

Jr. Bucket/Bottle Calf

Jr. Cow/Calf Show (Halter & Production)

1:30 p.m. Jr. Rabbit Show

6:00 p.m. Communications & Clothing Event Showcase @ Exhibit Building

Thursday, July 18th

8:00 a.m. Jr. Swine Show

11:00 a.m. Jr. Dairy Cattle Show

Jr. Dairy Goat Show

4:00 p.m. Jr. Horse Show (Timed Events)

Friday, July 19th

8:00 a.m. Jr. Horse Show (Showmanship, Halter & Performance)

5:00 p.m. Parade of Champions

Saturday, July 20th

9:00 a.m. 4-H/FFA Livestock Auction

Open Class Schedule

Entry Times

Monday, July 15th

Amateur and Professional Art	8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Fruits, Vegetables & Field Crops	8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Culinary Arts	8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Textiles, Hobbies & Crafts	8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Tuesday, July 16th

Plants and Flowers	8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.
Culinary Arts	8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Judging Times

Tuesday, July 16th

Open Class Crops, Fruits & Vegetables	10:00 a.m.
Open Class Photography	10:00 a.m.
Open Class Plants & Flowers	10:00 a.m.
Open Class Home Economics	10:00 a.m.
Open Class Art	10:00 a.m.

Appanoose County Fair Directors

Martha Furlin, President	Numa
James McGill, Vice President	Cincinnati
Julie Drew, Secretary	Mystic
Shelby Banks, Treasurer	Centerville

Mike Bauman – Exline	Jason Long – Centerville
Ron Eddy - Exline	Jeremy Long – Centerville
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Mike Hoffman – Centerville	Joey McDanolds – Centerville
Don Hysell - Centerville	Will McGill – Centerville
Zeb Joiner – Plano	Paul Swarts – Udell
Cody Korthaus – Moulton	Tanner Swarts – Moulton
Tracy Lawson – Centerville	Shawn Tait – Exline
	Aaron Thamke – Centerville

Office Directors

Courtney May, Regional Director	Region 25/Wayne
Lynn Firkins, Office Assistant	Centerville
Shayla Swarts, County Youth Coordinator	Centerville
Courtney Chapman, Youth Program Specialist	Region 25/Albia
Susan Cole, Exhibit Building Director	Exline
Sara Harlan, Exhibit Building Director	Exline
Arianna Weilbrenner, FFA	Centerville
Paige Adams, FFA	Moravia
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Appanoose County Extension Council

Teddy Walker, Chair	Pat Amsden
Craig Sebolt, Vice Chair	Tiffany Brown
Brent Martsching, Secretary	Andrew Felton
Melissa Neher, Treasurer	Lori McClintock
	Monte McCoy

4-H Adult Committee

Ben Ritter – President	
Elizabeth Logsdon – Vice President	
Casey Kool – Secretary	
Molly Felton	Andrea Heesch
Shane Frevert	Cody Korthaus
Mason Harlan	Joey McDanolds
Steve Hawkins	Brenda Royer

4-H Youth Council

Piper Stufflebeem – President	
Lane Kool – Vice President	
Hayden Brinegar – Secretary	
Denver DeVore	Kimmie Johnson
Kaydee Cossolotto	Layne Redinbaugh
Kylie Ewing	Sienna Risher
Olivia Hathcock	Gradey Stickler
	Brenna Whitney

Department Superintendents

Beef

Cody Korthaus, Kalen Martsching,
Tanner Swarts

Cow/Calf

David McGill, Cody Korthaus

Dairy

Jerilyn Inman, Jerald Lawson,
Sonja Hinners

Horse

Mike Hoffman, Mike Bauman

Sheep & Meat Goat

Will McGill, Paul Swarts

Small Animals

(Bucket Bottle, Poultry & Rabbits)

Jerilyn Inman, Jerald Lawson

Swine

Ron Eddy, Jeremy Long,
Joey McDanolds

Official Veterinarian

Dr. William McClintock

Fabrics, Threads & Hobbies

4-H Home Economics

Susan Cole & Sara Harlan

Open Class Canning & Baking

Debbie Sebolt & Darla Wells

Open Class Fruits, Vegetables & Field Crops

Mary Ann Bond & Mary Sue Zaputil

Open Class Hobbies, Crafts & School Entries

Sally Bauer, Sue Golic & Bonnie Kauzlarich

Open Class Photography & Art

Bette Howe & Suzanne Lary

Open Class Plants and Flowers

Centerville Garden Club

Open Class Quilts, Sewing, Textiles

Darla Wells, Janet Acheson & Carolyn Lowe

Appanoose County Fair General Superintendents

Superintendent of Building & Grounds

Don Hysell, Aaron Thamke

Superintendent of Commercial Exhibits

Penny Exline, Cody
Korthaus

Superintendent of Admission & Gates

Martha Furlin, Shelby Bank,
Julie Drew

Superintendent of Arena

Aaron Thamke, Jason Long,
Tracy Lawson, Zeb Joiner

Superintendent of Advertising

Martha Furlin, Shelby
Banks, Julie Drew

Superintendent of Electrical

James McGill

Superintendent of Camping

Shawn Tait

4-H Clubs and Leaders

Appanoose County Cooking Club

Blue Ribbon Bandits

B.V. Sodbusters

Exline Ramblers

Franklin Farmhands

M & M Pioneers

Moravia Farmhands

Rustic Roots

Stall Stompers

Wells Rustlers

Michele Burge

Laura Weber, Heaven Booy

Marcy Thamke, Jack McGrann

Shawn Tait, Kristi Ritter

Andrea Heesch, Craig Sebolt

Myra & Mark McGill

Patricia Babbitt, Casey Kool,
Denise Ewing

Monica Risher, Kim Hayes,
Paige Carroll

Susan Martsching, Amanda Evans

Jerilyn Inman, Jerald & Judi
Lawson, John Clausen

Clover Kid Clubs and Leaders

Blue Ribbon Buddies

Clover Buddies

Exline Little Ramblers

Lil' Sprouts

Mini M & M's

Moravia Barnyard Buddies

Stall Stompers Clover Kids

Wells Rustlers

Laura Weber, Heaven Booy

Tiffany Brown, Ashley Long

Madison DeVore

Monica Risher, Kim Hayes

Myra McGill

Tami Swaby, Emily Selix

Susan Martsching, Amanda Evans

Jerilyn Inman, Jerald & Judi
Lawson, Janelle & John Clausen

FFA Chapters and Advisors

Centerville FFA

Moravia FFA

Moulton-Udell FFA

Seymour FFA

Arianna Weilbrenner

Paige Adams

Alicin Hindman

Rachel Beary

2024 Appanoose County Fair Queen Contest

Rules & Regulations

Iowa State Fair Queen Pageant Rules and Regulations will be observed so the county Queen will be eligible to compete at the state level.

Following are some basic rules and regulation pertaining to the local contest.

Jara Cassady, Jerilyn Inman, and Judi Lawson of Moulton will be chairpersons of the event. Please contact any of the three for further details.

1. Each contestant must be at least 16 years of age and not more than 21 years of age on August 8th, the first day of the 2024 Iowa State Fair.
2. Contestants must never have been married, nor have children.
3. A county fair queen may reside in the county she represents or an adjoining county if the majority of her activities are in the county she represents.
4. Each contestant must be an active member of at least one worthwhile organization in her community such as a church group, Girl Scouts, 4-H, etc. Eligibility is not limited to 4-H membership.
5. Each contestant **must** be present for a group photograph to be eligible for the contest.
6. Each entrant in the State Fair Pageant must be selected from a competitive queen contest at her county fair. The winner of this is then eligible to compete at the Iowa State Fair.
7. Prize money in the amount of \$100 will be awarded to the queen; \$75 to the first runner up; and \$50 to the second runner up. Trophies will also be presented to the queen, first runner up, and second runner up.

Applications are due no later than 5:00 p.m. on June 1st, 2024.

Contestants will be interviewed, and the queen selection will be made prior to the county fair. All contestants will appear at the fair, and the results will be announced. For further details, contact Jara Cassady at (641)777-1932 or email bjcassady@netins.net, Jerilyn Inman (641)895-5600 or Judi Lawson (641)777-0213. Applications may be picked up at the Appanoose County Extension Office or Iowa Trust and Savings Bank in Centerville.

Please send completed applications to:

Jara Cassady, 31428 540th St., Moulton, IA 52572. Thanks!

Judi Lawson, Jara Cassady & Jerilyn Inman will present a trophy to the 2024 Appanoose County Fair Queen.

Farmers Bank of Northern Missouri will present the 1st Runner Up Trophy.

Courtney Chapman will present the 2nd Runner Up Trophy.

26th Annual Pie & Cake Baking Contest

Tuesday, July 16th, 2024

Class 1: Single Crust Pie

Class 2: Double Crust Pie

Class 3: Meringue/Cream Pie

Class 4: Cheesecake

Class 5: Cake

Class 6: Youth (15 & Under) Pie/Cheesecake/Cake

1. Contest is open to any age contestant.
2. Contestant is limited to 2 pies or cakes per class (you may bring extra to auction if you would like).
3. All pies & cakes must be delivered to the judging area (Exhibit Building) in a disposable, covered container.
Cream/Meringue/Cheesecake entries must be in a cooler with ice.
4. Pies & Cakes must be delivered to the judging area by 4:30pm on July 16th, 2024.
5. Judging will begin at 5:00 p.m.
6. The entries will be auctioned immediately following the judging.
7. Awards will be presented following the judging for 1st and 2nd place in each class, plus an award for the entry with "Most Eye Appeal". There will also be awards for highest bidders.
8. All proceeds from the auction will go to the Appanoose County Fair.

Contest Sponsored by North Side Insurance

109 W. Van Buren, Centerville, Iowa 641-856-3333

4-H & FFA Trophy Donors

Trophies will be present each day following judging

A & E KENNEL

Reserve JR Rally

ADVANCED ELECTRICAL—ANDY JOINER

Overall INT Horse/Rider Champion Belt Buckle

Overall JR Horse/Rider Champion Belt Buckle

Overall SR Horse/Rider Champion Belt Buckle

ANIMAL HEALTH CENTER OF CENTERVILLE

Champion Beginners Novice B

Champion Commercial Ewe 1 yr & Over

Champion JR Rally

Champion Produce of Dam Heifer

Res SR Western Horsemanship

APPANOOSE COUNTY LIVESTOCK, INC.

Reserve Grand Champion Appanoose County Fair Beef Carcass

B.V. SODBUSTERS 4-H CLUB

Champion Flemish Giant Rabbit

Champion JR Trail

Reserve Champion Bucket Bottle +1 Heifer

Reserve All Other Commercial Rabbit

BAR CROSS RANCH

IN MEMORY OF BARB KASTER

Champion Performance Market Lamb

Reserve Champion Performance Market Lamb

Reserve Champion Produce of Dam Market Lamb

BETH MORRIS

Reserve Champion Crossbred Steer

BILL MORRIS CATTLE

Supreme Heifer

BILL & TRACY MORRIS

Reserve Grand Champion Market Beef

BILL BROWN FAMILY

Champion Lamancha Goat

Champion Milking Herd

Champion Nigerian Dwarf Goat

Champion Oberhasli Goat

IN MEMORY OF BILL DEAHL

Best of Show Rabbit

BOB & JANIECE SELF

Champion Family Farm Born & Raised Market Lamb

BOB MORRIS

Reserve Grand Champion Production Cow/Calf

BRYDON KASTER FAMILY

Champion Gaited Horse

CENTERVILLE FFA

Champion Intro Dog Class

Champion Nubian

Champion SR Pole Bending

Reserve Best Fancy Rabbit

Reserve Californian Rabbit

Reserve Champion White Face Market Lamb

Reserve Commercial Ewe 1 yr & Over

Reserve Dutch Rabbit

Reserve Hotot Rabbit

Reserve Lamancha Goat

Reserve Lionhead Rabbit

Reserve Nigerian Dwarf

Reserve Nubian

CENTERVILLE PRODUCE

Reserve Best of Show Rabbit

Reserve Champion Family Farm Born & Raised Steer

Reserve Champion Intro Dog Class

Reserve Mother/Daughter Pair

CENTERVILLE RATHBUN AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

5th Overall Market Beef

CENTERVILLE WALMART

Champion All Other Commercial Rabbit

Champion Crossbred 280-299lbs Market Hog

Champion Family Farm Born & Raised Market Goat

Champion Production Poultry

Grand Champion Novelty Goat

Reserve Grand Champion Novelty Goat

Reserve INT Ranch Riding

Reserve JR Ranch Riding

Reserve JR Trail

Reserve JR Western Pleasure

Reserve Mule

CHARITON VALLEY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

Science, Engineering and Technology Award

CHARITON VALLEY MEDICAL CENTER

Champion Crossbred 220-239lbs Market Hog

CHRIS & KRIS SEBOLT

3rd Place Overall Heifer Award

IN MEMORY OF CURTIS & DONNA SEBOLT

5th Place Overall Heifer

CODI HEESCH

Champion INT Western Pleasure

Reserve Gelding 4 yrs. and Older

Reserve INT Western Pleasure

COUNTRY VILLAGE ANIMAL CLINIC

Recycled Exhibit Award

COUNTRY VILLAGE ANIMAL CLINIC—DR WM MCCLINTOCK

Champion Beginners Novice A

Champion JR Walk-Trot

Champion Pony 52" & Under

Reserve JR Walk-Trot

Reserve Pony 52" & Under

Reserve SR Rally

COURTNEY CHAPMAN

Historical Exhibit Award

IN MEMORY OF DAVID VINZANT

Outstanding Individual Belt Buckle

DEJONG AG SERVICES

Grand Champion Pen of 3 Market Lambs

DEMRY AUCTION LLC.

Champion Halter Cow/Calf

Champion Pen of 3 240-259lbs Market Hogs

IN MEMORY OF TOM DEMRY by DEMRY AUCTION LLC.

Grand Champion Market Beef

Grand Champion Market Lamb

DMC MUTUAL INSURANCE ASSOCIATION

Champion Crossbred 316 lbs & Over Market Hog

Champion Dwarf Rabbit

Champion High % Maine-Anjou Heifer

Champion Novelty Doe

Reserve Beginners Novice A

Reserve INT Western Horsemanship

Reserve JR Barrels

Reserve JR Western Horsemanship

IN MEMORY OF DORTHA MCGILL

Champion Shorthorn Plus Steer

DOUG AND LYNN FIRKINS

Leadership Exhibit Award

IN MEMORY OF DOYLE & DONNA TERRY

3rd Annual Clover Achiever Award

DUANE'S SUPPLY

Champion Pen of 3 280-299lbs Market Hogs

FARMERS BANK OF NORTHERN MISSOURI

Best Fancy Rabbit

Champion Bucket/Bottle + 1 Heifer

Champion Maintainer Heifer

Champion Mother/Daughter Pair

Champion Novelty Wether

Grand Champion Market Hog

Grand Champion Pen of 3 Market Hogs

Reserve Champion Class 2A Production Cow/Calf

Reserve Crossbred Goat

Reserve Grand Champion Market Goat

GARY MORRIS TAXIDERMY

Reserve Preferred Novice B

GARY STICKLER JR. FAMILY

Reserve Champion Top Rate of Gain Steer

HASTINGS MEAT PROCESSING

Champion Hereford Steer

Champion Crossbred 240-259lbs Market Hog

HAWK INSURANCE

Champion Pen of 3 220-239lbs Market Hogs

Champion Shorthair Cat

Reserve Beginners Novice B

Reserve Champion Maine-Anjou Steer

Reserve Mini Lop Rabbit

Reserve SR Pole Bending

HEESCH FARMS

Champion Beef Live Carcass

Champion Hog Live Carcass

Champion Lamb Live Carcass

Champion Maine-Angus Heifer

Reserve Beef Live Carcass

Reserve Crossbred 260-279lbs Market Hog

Reserve Hog Live Carcass

Reserve INT Bucket/Bottle Calf

Reserve INT Flags

Reserve JR Bucket/Bottle Calf

Reserve JR Flags

Reserve Lamb Live Carcass

Reserve SR Bucket/Bottle Calf

HELENA AGRI-ENTERPRISES, LLC

Champion Purebred Simmental Heifer Plaque

HENKLE FARMS—CINCINNATI, IA

Reserve Pen of 3 260-279lbs Market Hogs

Reserve SR Ranch Riding

HENRY & BRENDA ORTMAN @ The Annuity Shop

Champion Duck

Champion Pony Pleasure

Champion SR Western Pleasure

Reserve All Other Cat

Reserve Grand Champion Poultry

Reserve INT Barrels

Reserve Family Farm Born & Raised Market Goat

Reserve Oberhasli Goat

HIGH POINT DAIRY / JAY & LINDA PHILLIPS

HOMETOWN REALTY / HEARTLAND TROPHY PROPERTIES

Champion All Other Breeds Heifer

Champion Class 1A Production Cow/Calf

Champion JR Hippology

Champion All Others Cat

Reserve Grand Champion Market Lamb

Reserve Bantam Hen

Reserve Novelty Doe

Reserve Polish

IN MEMORY OF HOWARD & ELSIE PONTIOUS

Clothing Selection, Fashion Revue & Innovative Design Plaques

Champion Domestic Longhair Cat

Champion Hotot Rabbit

Champion Lionhead Rabbit

Reserve Best Commercial Rabbit

Reserve Champion Crossbred 220-239lbs Market Hog

Reserve Champion Crossbred 300-315lbs Market Hog

Reserve Champion Pen of 3 220-239lbs Market Hogs

Reserve Champion Pen of 3 240-259lbs Market Hogs

Reserve Champion Pen of 3 300-315lbs Market Hogs

Reserve Commercial Boer Doe
Reserve Commercial Ran Born Since January 1
Reserve Other Fancy Rabbit
Reserve Production Poultry

HY-VEE FOOD & PHARMACY

Reserve Crossbred 240-259lbs Market Hog
Reserve Pen of 3 316 & Over Market Hogs

IOWA TRUST & SAVINGS BANK

Champion SR Trail
Champion 3 Year & Younger Horse
Champion Purebred Market Hog
Reserve Angus Heifer
Reserve Grand Champion Pen of 3 Market Lambs
Reserve Shorthair Cat

JACK & SHELLY MCGRANN

Champion Bantam Hen
Champion Turkey
Grand Champion Poultry
Reserve Duck

JAY'S ANGUS FARM

Champion Angus Cow/Calf Award
Champion Angus Heifer

JERALD & JUDI LAWSON

Grand Champion Dairy Goat
Reserve Grand Champion Dairy Goat

IN MEMORY OF JIM ODEN

Champion Black Face Market Lamb
Champion Commercial Ewe Lamb
Champion Speckled Face Market Lamb

JODIE MCCOY—REAL MCCOY REALTY LLC

Champion SR Ranch Riding

JOHN & LINDA SULSER

Champion Breeding Gilt
Reserve Champion Breeding Gilt

JOHN & MARILYN MOORE

Champion SR Barrels

JOHNSON MOVING & STORAGE

Reserve Overall INT Horse/Rider Belt Buckle
Reserve Overall JR Horse/Rider Belt Buckle
Reserve Overall SR Horse/Rider Belt Buckle

JOINER CONSTRUCTION

Reserve Chianina Heifer

Reserve Market Heifer

JONES TRUCKING

Champion Commercial Heifer

JUSTIN & MEGAN JEDLICKA

Champion BB +1 Steer

Champion Produce of Dam Steer

JUSTIN & TIFFANY BROWN

KATIE MORRIS

Grand Champion Production Cow/Calf Award

IN MEMORY OF KATHRYN MARTIN

Grand Champion Horse

KAYDEE'S KANDEES

Champion Fuzzy Lop Rabbit

Champion Goose

Champion INT Trail

Champion JR Western Pleasure

KELLER ANGUS FARMS

Champion Performance Steer

Champion Angus Steer

LAIN FARMS—KEITH & LORENA LAIN

Champion Crossbred 300-315lbs Market Hog

Champion Pen of 3 260-279lbs Market Hogs

Champion Pen of 3 300-315lbs Market Hogs

LENIG CONSTRUCTION

Champion Family Farm Born and Raised Steer

Reserve Champion BB +1 Steer

Reserve Champion Performance Steer

LOGSDON FAMILY

Champion Commercial Boer Doe

Grand Champion Breeding Doe Award

LONG FAMILY FARMS

Champion Red Angus Steer

Reserve Champion Red Angus Steer

Reserve Grand Champion Crossbred Market Hog

IN MEMORY OF M.L. BAETHKE

Champion INT Bucket/Bottle Calf

Champion JR Bucket/Bottle Calf

Champion SR Bucket/Bottle Calf

M & W WELDING, INC

Champion INT Ranch Riding

Champion Simmental Steer

Reserve Grand Champion Horse

Reserve Champion 3 Year & Younger Horse

Reserve Pony Pleasure

IN MEMORY OF MARK GARRETSON

Champion Market Heifer

Reserve Champion Angus Steer

MADDISON WEBER

Champion JR Pole Bending

Reserve JR Pole Bending

MARGERY DAVISON & TONY SHRIVER

Reserve Grand Champion Cat

MARTSCHING SHOW CATTLE

4TH Place Overall Steer

IN MEMORY OF MATTHEW THOMAS EWING II & FAMILY

Champion Mini Lop Rabbit

MCCLINTOCK EQUINE STATION

Champion INT Pole Bending

Champion SR Walk Trot

Reserve SR Trail

Reserve SR Walk Trot

MCGILL FARMS—MICKAL & EDITH

Reserve Champion Shorthorn Plus Steer

MCGILL'S REPAIR

Champion INT Flags

Reserve Champion Crossbred 280-299lbs Market Hog

Reserve Champion Hereford Steer

Reserve Family Farm Born & Raised Crossbred Hog

Reserve Holland Lop Rabbit

Reserve SR Western Pleasure

MELANIE COWAN – REALTOR

Best Commercial Rabbit

Champion Full Blood Boer Doe

Reserve Purebred Market Hog

MIKE & JOYCE THOMAS / MIDWEST COVERS

Champion SR Flags
Grand Champion Cat
Reserve INT Pole Bending
Reserve INT Rally
Reserve JR Bucket/Bottle Goat

MOORE SERVICE

Champion INT Bucket/Bottle Goat
Champion JR Bucket/Bottle Goat
Champion SR Bucket/Bottle Goat

MORAVIA FARMHANDS 4-H CLUB

Champion Crossbred Goat
Champion Family Farm Born & Raised Crossbred Market Hog
Reserve Alpine Goat
Reserve Bantam Rooster

MORAVIA FFA

Champion SR Hippology
Reserve Champion Chianina Steer

MYRA'S STUDIO

Best of Show Photography Award
Champion Californian Rabbit
Champion JR Barrels
Champion SR Rally
Reserve Champion Crossbred 316lbs & Over Market Hog
Reserve Champion Simmental Steer
Reserve INT Bucket/Bottle Goat

NATALIE CLOSE-STATE FARM

Champion INT Walk Trot
Champion JR Flags
Champion JR Ranch Riding
Reserve Grand Champion Pony
Reserve INT Trail
Reserve INT Walk Trot
Reserve SR Flags

IN MEMORY OF NEIL MORRIS

3rd Place Overall Market Beef
Champion Class 2A Production Cow/Calf Award
Champion SR Western Horsemanship

ODEN FARMS CHAROLAIS

Grand Champion Appanoose County Fair Beef Carcass

PAT DOLE

Refinished Furniture Exhibit Award

PHIL & TAMMY PRATER

Champion Produce of Dam Market Lamb

Reserve Speckled Face Market Lamb

Reserve Supreme Breeding Sheep

R.H. JOHNSON FARMS

Champion White Face Market Lamb

Reserve Top Rate of Gain Market Lamb

Top Rate of Gain Market Lamb

IN MEMORY OF RONALD TURK

Appanoose County Fair Herdsman Award

SEYMOUR TIRE

Champion Commercial Ram Born Since January 1

Champion Crossbred 260-279lbs Market Hog

Champion Low % Simmental Heifer

Reserve Champion Family Farm Born and Raised Market Lamb

Reserve Maine-Anjou Heifer

Reserve Ponies 52" & Under 57"

STEVE & MELANIE HAWKINS & FAMILY

Reserve Supreme Heifer

SUNDOWN SHOW LAMBS

Supreme Breeding Sheep

SUSAN COLE

Constructed Sewing/Needle Work Award

THE ANDY MERRITT FAMILY

4th Place Overall Heifer

Champion Bantam Rooster

Champion Other Poultry

Reserve Goose

Reserve Other Poultry

Reserve Standard Hen

Reserve Standard Rooster

Reserve Turkey

**THE BROKEN C—COWBOY MINISTRY
LIGHTHOUSE CHURCH of the NAZARENE**

Champion INT Barrels

Grand Champion Pony

Reserve SR Barrels

THE GARY STICKLER, SR FAMILY

Champion Preferred Novice B

Reserve Champion Halter Cow/Calf

Top Rate of Gain Steer

THE HAIR BARN

Champion Mule

Reserve Champion Black Face Market Lamb

THE MARTIN FAMILY—Iowa Boer Goat.com

Grand Champion Market Goat Award

THE TOMMIE BRINEGAR FAMILY

Reserve Grand Champion Pen of 3 Market Hogs

THOMAS FUNERAL HOME

Champion Chianina Steer

Champion Dutch Rabbit

Champion Standard Hen

Champion Standard Rooster

Grand Champion Novelty Goat

Reserve Champion Pen of 3 280-299lbs Market Hogs

TOM & KATHY LANGE

Champion Geldings—4 Years and Older

Champion INT Western Horsemanship

Champion JR Western Horsemanship

Champion Mares—4 Years and Older

Champion Pony 52" and Under 57"

Reserve Mare—4 Years and Older

TRENT & JOAN MOBLEY

Champion Charolais Steer

Reserve Charolais Steer

U.S. BANK

Champion Holland Lop Rabbit

Champion INT Hippology

Reserve Champion Commercial Heifer

Reserve Commercial Ewe Lamb

Reserve Grand Champion Breeding Doe

VALLEY VIEW EVENT CENTER & THE GREG INMAN FAMILY

Champion Alpine Goat

Champion INT Rally

Champion New Zealand Rabbit

Champion Other Fancy Rabbit

Champion Percentage Boer Doe

Reserve Domestic Longhair Cat

Reserve Milking Herd

VERLE NORRIS LAW OFFICE

Champion Jersey Wooly Rabbit
Champion Mini Rex Rabbit
Champion Pen of 3 316 & Over Market Hogs

WHITE OAK GRILL

Champion Chianina Heifer

WHITE SPRINGS CATTLE CO.

Champion Crossbred Steer

Outstanding Barn Mentor Awards

BEEF	Joiner Construction
BUCKET BOTTLE	Advanced Electrical – Andy Joiner
COW/CALF	McGill Electric
DAIRY	2 Many Chiefs Concessions and Catering
HORSE	Andy & Sam Robinson Family
POULTRY	Tiffany Hawkins, Realtor – Bogle Realty, LLC
RABBIT	Tyler & Trista Hysell Family
SHEEP & MEAT GOAT	PJ & Misti Russell Family
SWINE	Joiner Ranch Feeds

Clover Kids, 4-H & FFA Cash Donors

APPANOOSE COUNTY CATTLEMEN
IN MEMORY OF DAVID VINZANT
IN MEMORY OF MAX & MAXINE EWING & FAMILY
SUSAN COLE

Master Showman Awards

BEEF	In Memory of Mark Garretson
CAT	In Memory of Bob Rosencrants
DAIRY GOAT	Jara & Bryan Cassady
DOG	In Memory of Bob Rosencrants
HOG	Moravia Farmhands 4-H Club
HORSE	Zeb & Danielle Joiner
MEAT GOAT	In Memory of Ted Dell
POULTRY	In Memory of Ted Dell
RABBIT	In Memory of Ted Dell
SHEEP	In Memory of Ted Dell

Showmanship Awards

Junior Beef Trophy	Gary Stickler, Jr. Family
Intermediate Beef Trophy	Demry Auction LLC.
Senior Beef Plaque	Helena Chemical Co.
Junior Cat Trophy	B.V. Sodbusters 4-H Club
Intermediate Cat Trophy	Margery Davison & Tony Shriver
Senior Cat Trophy	Thomas Funeral Home
Junior Dairy Goat Trophy	Jerald & Judi Lawson
Intermediate Dairy Goat Trophy	Jerald & Judi Lawson
Senior Dairy Goat Trophy	Jerald & Judi Lawson
Junior Handling	Thomas Funeral Home
Intermediate Handling	US Bank
Senior Handling	Melanie Cowan – Realtor
Junior Hog Trophy	Iowa Trust & Savings Bank
Intermediate Hog Trophy	B.V. Sodbusters 4-H Club
Senior Hog Trophy	Henkle Farms – Cincinnati, IA
Junior Horse Trophy	Codi Heesch
Intermediate Horse Trophy	Debbie Zaputil
Senior Horse Award	The Broken C / Cowboy Ministry
Junior Meat Goat Trophy	Melanie Cowan – Realtor
Intermediate Meat Goat Trophy	Centerville Walmart
Senior Meat Goat Trophy	The Andy Merritt Family
Junior Poultry Trophy	Farmers Bank of Northern Missouri
Intermediate Poultry Trophy	Thomas Funeral Home
Senior Poultry Trophy	Hometown Realty / Heartland Trophy Properties
Junior Rabbit Trophy	Matthew Thomas Ewing II & Family
Intermediate Rabbit Trophy	Matthew Thomas Ewing II & Family
Senior Rabbit Trophy	Farmers Bank of Northern Missouri
Junior Sheep Trophy	Centerville Walmart
Intermediate Sheep Trophy	Moravia FFA
Senior Sheep Trophy	DMC Mutual Insurance

4-H & FFA Agriculture Department



It is the intent that the 4-H'er take responsibility for caring for and grooming their own animals. If assistance is needed it should be aimed at helping the 4-H member learn new skills.

4-H & FFA

Agriculture Department General Rules

1. **COUNTIES EXHIBITED IN:** An exhibitor may show in the county in which they reside or in the county in which his/her club or chapter is located. They may show in one or the other, but not both.
2. **ENROLLMENT:** Exhibitors must be a 4-H or FFA member in Appanoose County and have completed the current year's enrollment process by February 1st, 2024. All 4-H members must be re-enrolled into 4-H Online and all FFA members must complete and turn in a paper FFA Enrollment Form to the Appanoose County Extension Office by February 1st, 2024.
3. **LIVESTOCK IDENTIFICATION:** All animals must be properly identified, and the exhibitor must have completed the livestock identification process for each animal by May 15th, 2024. All 4-H animals are to be identified in 4-H Online by the families and all FFA are to be identified in FairEntry by May 15th. The following projects must be identified in the following manner and the identification must listed in the 4-H Livestock Identification in 4-H Online or the FFA Livestock Identification in FairEntry.

Market Beef:

- Approved Iowa 4-H or FFA Tag or Official USDA 840 ear tag and weighed in at a county beef weigh-in. (*Must use county provided ear tags.*)
- Purebred animals must enter a breed in 4-H Online by February 1st. Registration numbers may be added by staff by May 15th.

Breeding Beef:

- All heifers MUST have birth date listed.
- All animals MUST have two forms of identification. *Tattoos are required as the primary form of identification.*
 - Tattoo (*Both Registered and Commercial*)
 - Calfhood Vaccination Number, Approved 4-H Ear Tag, or Registration Number

Cow/Calf:

- Ear tags, tattoo, or brand (both cow and calf)
- Birth weight, birth date, date certified.
- Calf must be weighed by an official Cow Calf weigher within 3 days of the calf's birth.

Bucket Bottle Calf:

- Approved 4-H or FFA Ear Tag
- Must be born between January 1st and May 15th of 2024.
- All males must be castrated by May 15th.

Bucket Bottle Plus 1:

- Approved 4-H or FFA Ear Tag
- Must be born between January 1st and May 15th of 2023.
- Must be weighed in and identified at a county beef weigh-in.

Cats:

- Animal name and description.
- Current Distemper and Rabies Vaccination on health certificate issued by a veterinarian uploaded by May 15th.

Dogs:

- Animal name and description.
- Current Distemper and Rabies Vaccination on health certificate issued by a veterinarian uploaded by May 15th.

Dairy Cattle:

- Two forms of identification are required to be entered in 4-H Online by May 15th.
 - Tag/Ear Tattoo
 - Registration Number
 - DHIA metal tag ID

Dairy Goats:

- Ear Tag (any kind) or Tattoo
- All dairy goats must be identified with an official scrapie ID tag or an official tattoo registered with the USDA.

Bucket Bottle Goats:

- Approved 4-H or FFA Ear Tag
- Must be born between January 1st and May 15th of 2024.
- Intact goats (does) must have a scrapie tag.
- All males must be castrated by May 15th.

Meat/Novelty Goats:

- Ear Tag or Tattoo
- Intact meat goats (does) must have a scrapie tag. All males must be castrated.
- Birth date required for breeding does in 4-H Online by May 15th.
- All State Fair meat goats (market animals and breeding does) must have an approved 4-H Tag (or official tattoo for does) and retinal images collected by May 15th.

Horses:

- All horses are required to have photos uploaded into 4-H Online by May 15th (both county and state fair). Pictures will need to include front view, left side view, right side view and rear view.

Pets:

- Animal name and description.

Poultry:

- Leg Band
- Pullorum-Typhoid (PT) tests are required for all birds (except pigeons) in order to exhibit. Testing will be available prior to county fair.

Rabbits:

- No ear tags, brands or tattoos necessary for County Only Animals. (If your rabbit is not tattooed, please list the animal's name under the required tattoo field.)

Bucket Bottle Lambs:

- Approved 4-H or FFA Ear Tag
- Must be born between January 1st and May 15th of 2024.
- Intact sheep (ewes) must have a scrapie tag.
- All males must be castrated by May 15th.

Sheep:

- Approved 4-H or FFA Ear Tag
- Intact sheep (ewes and rams) must have a scrapie tag.
- All sheep that may possibly be shown as a market lamb must be weighed in at a county weigh-in by May 15th.
- ALL State Fair sheep (market, commercial, and purebred ewe lambs) must have an approved 4-H tag or Official USDA tag, weighed and retinal images collected at a county weigh-in by May 15th.

Swine:

- Approved 4-H or FFA Ear Tag or Official USDA 840 tag.
- Swine must have ear notches indicated on 4-H Online by May 15th. (County and State)
- All State Fair swine (breeding and market) must have a DNA collection sample on file by May 15th.
- Breeding gilts must be farrowed on or after January 1st.

All Livestock Identification will be examined by Extension Staff, FFA Advisors and 4-H Committee on the first day of the fair. If identifications do not match, the animal will not be permitted to exhibit.

ALL LIVESTOCK MUST BE BORN BY THE MAY 15TH ID DEADLINE TO SHOW AT THE COUNTY FAIR FOR THE CURRENT YEAR. (EXCEPTION: COW/CALF CALVES MUST BE BORN BY MAY 1ST).

4. **LOST EAR TAGS:** If any ear tags are lost, the Extension Office should be notified and replacements made.
5. **CLUB ATTENDANCE RULE:** 4-H members must attend 50% of all club meetings from September 1st to July 1st. All new members must attend 50% of all club meetings from the time they enroll until July 1st. FFA members must attend 50% of all FFA meetings.
6. **REQUIREMENTS FOR THE EXHIBITION OF LIVESTOCK:** All 4-H and FFA exhibitors must conform to the requirements for the Exhibition of Livestock, Poultry and Birds as set forth in this book.
7. **RIBBON PLACINGS:** All entries will be placed on a merit basis into three classes, blue, red, and white ribbon groups. Each class may contain several blues, reds, and whites.
8. **WHEN THERE IS ONLY ONE ENTRY IN A CLASS:** When there is only one entry in a class, a blue, red, or white ribbon will be awarded, depending on the decision of the judge. All decisions of the judges are final.

9. **EXHIBITOR DRESS CODE:** Exhibitors must wear official 4-H or FFA shirts and emblems, (the official Appanoose County 4-H exhibitor shirt is the white t-shirt with 4-H emblem, which comes from the Extension Office), while in the show ring, long pants or skirts and closed-toe shoes or boots.
10. **PRE-ENTRY:** All Appanoose County Pre-Fair Entries must be made in FairEntry.com by July 1st, this includes 4-H and FFA entries. No entries will be accepted after July 1st. Pre-Entries will open on June 15th and can be done any time until July 1st. June 27th, 28th and July 1st will be designated as Pre-Entry/Stall Fee Days at the Extension Office, staff will be available to assist families during these days. Livestock registration papers must be presented to the Extension Office on the days of Pre-Entry for the County Fair (for goats, sheep and beef breeding stock).
11. **STALL FEES:** A \$5.00 per stall fee will be required to be paid at the time of Pre-Entry. Exhibitors of rabbits and poultry will pay a \$5.00 per species fee. Exhibitors of horses will pay a \$20.00 per stall fee. All stall fees must be collected by July 1st before 5:00 p.m. to the Extension Office and must be paid with cash or check. If the entry is not brought to the fair, the fee will be forfeited. No late refunds will be given.
12. **ELIGIBILITY TO EXHIBIT (AGE):** 4-H eligibility to exhibit at the county fair is determined by the grade the exhibitor was in for the 2023-2024 school year. Junior: 4th, 5th, 6th grades; Intermediate: 7th, 8th grades; Senior: 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th grades
Eligibility to Exhibit ends for a 4-H'er the year after they graduate. FFA Membership Eligibility ceases November 30th following the fourth National Convention after a student graduated from high school.
Each Species' Showmanship will be open to any exhibitor of that specie in 4th-12th grade except for Bucket Bottle animals and Production Cow/Calf projects.
All species' showmanship contest will take place at the conclusion of the specie's show, with the exception of horses (it will take place at the beginning of the Horse Show on Friday).
13. **ANIMALS CHANGING OWNERSHIP:** Animals changing ownership after being started in a project are ineligible to be exhibited as a 4-H or FFA project this year.
14. **BEDDING IN STALLS:** No bedding in stalls prior to Sunday, July 14th, 2024.
15. **LAMB/GOATS SLICK SHORN:** ALL MARKET LAMBS AND GOATS MUST BE SLICK SHORN AND SHOW READY UPON ARRIVAL AT THE FAIR.

16. **SHEEP/MEAT GOAT INSPECTIONS:** ALL SHEEP AND MEAT GOATS MUST BE INSPECTED BY THE OFFICIAL FAIR VETERINARIAN PRIOR TO UNLOADING AT THE FAIR. INSPECTION TIMES WILL BE FROM 6:00—8:00 PM ON SUNDAY, JULY 14TH AND FROM 7:00—9:00 AM ON MONDAY, JULY 15TH.
17. **LAMB FEED STORAGE:** All feed for lambs will be kept in closed containers on the fairgrounds.
18. **LIVESTOCK CHECK-IN TIMES:** All 4-H and FFA Livestock must be brought to the fair on Sunday, July 14th (if arriving on Sunday, must be in barns by 8:00 p.m.) or Monday, July 15th from 6:00 a.m.-Noon. All animals that are required to be weighed in must be weighed between 7:00 a.m.-Noon on Monday, July 15th. All sheep and meat goats will be required to be inspected by the fair vet upon arrival between 6:00—8:00 p.m. on Sunday or 7:00-9:00 a.m. on Monday. **All Livestock entries must be in place by NOON, Monday, July 15th.**
19. **STALL CARDS:** 4-H and FFA livestock exhibitors must have stall cards with their name and exhibit class affixed to their stall.
20. **LIVESTOCK FANS:** All livestock fans will be covered with mesh screen no larger than ¼”.
21. **GROOMING RULES:** No artificial hair may be used on an animal's legs. No “alterations” may be made to animals beyond clipping and general grooming. **No drugs**, artificial hair, pumping (no pumps on grounds or items used to perform such procedures), surgery, oil injections, etc. (Exceptions: surgical dehorning, implants such as Ralgro or Compudose, artificial tails) **Violators will be disqualified.**
22. **WASH RACK USAGE:** At county fair, all wash racks will be used only by those animals being shown and judged that day. After judging is finished and the racks are not in use, animals may use the racks on a first-come basis. **Use common sense.** Every courtesy should be exercised so there are no problems in this area. No feeding of livestock on wash rack.
23. **STALLING OF LIVESTOCK:** All livestock will be stalled in proper barns at all times except when showing. Exhibitors of livestock must keep their stalls and pens clean, and no manure is to be piled outside barns.
24. **EXHIBITOR NUMBERS:** Exhibitors must wear exhibitor number when showing.
25. **RELEASING OF LIVESTOCK:** Livestock must remain in place until Saturday, July 20th at 6:00 a.m. All livestock must be removed from the fairgrounds and stalls must be cleaned and approved by Superintendents by 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 20th. Each exhibitor is responsible for cleaning their livestock area before release. Stall fees will be refunded on that date, once stalls are approved clean by Superintendents. No late refunds will be given.

26. **ANIMALS BEING SOLD:** Animals to be sold must be registered with sale committee by 5:00 p.m., Thursday, July 18th, there will be NO EXCEPTIONS for late entries into the auction. Each 4-H and FFA member must be present and sell their own animal at the livestock sale.
27. **ANIMALS TAKEN HOME EARLY:** Animals cannot be taken home early from the Fair. They must remain in place until 6:00 a.m., Saturday, July 20th, unless released by a veterinarian. Animal Superintendents will keep a list of any animals that leave early. If an animal is removed from the premises without vet permission, the showman will a) return award; b) not be able to show the following year at the Appanoose County Fair; c) not be able to participate in the parade of champions; d) forfeit stall fees; e) not be able to sell any livestock at the auction.
28. **EXHIBITING YOUR OWN ANIMALS:** All 4-H and FFA members must personally exhibit their animals at the Fair. Exception will be granted if a member is injured or seriously ill at the time of the show or shall have been called to active duty in the armed forces. If more than one animal is entered in a class, another qualified person may help. Only Iowa 4-H or FFA members may assist with showing. *Clover Kids are not permitted to help a 4-H or FFA member show.*
29. **ANIMAL OWNERSHIP:** All projects must be owned by and identified to the individual 4-H or FFA member or show logical family relationship (parent, grandparent, legal guardian, or sibling). When registration papers are involved, the papers must be in the member's name or show a logical **family** relationship. Proof of ownership must be available upon request.
30. **MARKET BEEF DAILY RATE OF GAIN:** All market beef must have 2.2 lb. rate of gain and market heifers have a 2.0 lb. rate of gain to be Champion or Reserve Champion.
31. **MARKET LAMB DAILY RATE OF GAIN:** All lambs showing in the Performance class must have a .60 lb. rate of gain.
32. **MARKET ANIMALS WEIGH-IN RULES:** Market animals may only be weighed in once at the county fair, and they cannot be wet down or have any type of blanket or covering on them for weigh-in.
33. **BUCKET BOTTLE PLUS 1:** Last year's bottle calves exhibited at the county fair this year may be shown as Market Beef, Breeding Beef, Dairy or Bucket Bottle Plus 1, and must follow the rules pertinent to each class.
34. **FAMILY FARM BORN & RAISED CLASS RULE:** For Market Beef, Breeding Beef, Market Sheep, and Market Swine Family Farm Born & Raised classes, the animal must be born and raised on the family farm.
35. **VIOLATION OF ANY RULES:** Violation of any rule will result in the project becoming ineligible and sent home.

36. **EXHIBIT DAMAGE:** All entries shall be under the control of Board of Directors during the fair; however, the Fair Board is not responsible for any damage or harm or theft of any exhibit, exhibitor, or exhibitor's property.
37. **RULE FOR EXHIBITING BOTH FOR 4-H & FFA:** For those in enrolled in both 4-H and FFA, livestock projects may be shown as either 4-H or FFA, **BUT NOT BOTH**. Neither can any project be shown at more than one county fair.
38. **LIVESTOCK TRAILERS RULE:** ALL LIVESTOCK TRAILERS ON THE FAIRGROUNDS DURING THE DAY ARE TO BE PARKED IN A DESIGNATED PARKING AREA ONLY. NO LIVESTOCK TRAILERS ARE TO BE LEFT AT THE FAIRGROUNDS OVERNIGHT. VIOLATORS ARE SUBJECT TO BEING TOWED AT THE OWNER'S EXPENSE.
39. **POULTRY PULLORUM TESTING:** All poultry and fowl must be pullorum tested no earlier than 90 days of public exhibit and must be done by an authorized tester. Unless brought from a pullorum free flock. Must have proof of being tested or bill of sale from pullorum free flock. ***Notify the Extension Office by July 1st if your poultry has been purchased out state or is housed out state.***
40. **NEW CLASS ADDITION DEADLINE:** ALL NEW CLASS ADDITIONS FOR THE 2025 APPANOOSE COUNTY FAIR MUST HAVE BEEN BROUGHT TO THE 4-H ADULT COMMITTEE BY JANUARY 1ST, 2025.
41. **4-H PET SHOW RULES:** Exhibitors will show a pet project in the Exhibit Building under "Self-Determined" on Saturday, July 13th and then show the animals on Monday, July 15th at Noon immediately following the Clover Kids Pet Show.
42. **DISRUPTIVE CATTLE:** FOR SAFETY CONCERNS & LIABILITY REGULATIONS, DISRUPTIVE CATTLE WILL BE DISMISSED BY THE DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE MEMBERS. DISMISSED LIVESTOCK WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE TO SHOW, THEREFORE UNABLE TO BE SOLD AT THE FAIR'S LIVESTOCK AUCTION.
43. Cannot inset/drench or probe anything into the anus of any livestock.
44. All male animals that come to weigh-in must be castrated.
45. All bucket bottle animals (calf, goat, and sheep) must be castrated by May 15th. All bucket bottle animals may be subject to inspection upon arrival to county fair; any fresh evidence of castration may result in disqualification.
46. All live carcass exhibitors are required to be present with their animal during the ultrasound.
47. It is the Judge's Discretion if they would like to select a Top 5 in each species, however additional awards/trophies will not be guaranteed for that selection. Awards for Top 3 through Top 5 in each species will only be given if they have specifically been donated by a donor.

2024 Health Requirements for Exhibition of Livestock, Poultry & Birds at a County 4-H/FFA Fair Exhibition

**ANY EVIDENCE OF WARTS, RINGWORM, FOOT ROT, PINK EYE,
DRAINING ABSCESES OR ANY OTHER CONTAGIOUS OR INFECTION
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 a County 4-H/FFA Fair, but animals must be inspected when unloaded or shortly thereafter, by an accredited veterinarian. Swine are required to be inspected either before being unloaded or before leaving a designated isolation and inspection area (prior to mixing with any other pigs). 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. All swine are required to have individual official identification. All 4-H and FFA tags bearing the US shield are official identification tags.

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 show individual official identification on test report.

Electronic identification will not be considered official identification for exhibition purposes.

Swine exhibition requirements. "Swine exhibition" means an exhibit, demonstration, show, or competition involving an event of the state fairgrounds, a county fair, or other exhibition event. The sponsor of the exhibition must retain an Iowa licensed veterinarian to supervise the health of the swine at the exhibition location. The sponsor must electronically file the approved registration form and obtain approval from the state veterinarian at least 30 days before the event. The registration form includes the name of the exhibition and the address and telephone number of its location; the name, address and telephone number of the veterinarian; and the date of the planned exhibition. Sales of swine will not be allowed unless the event has been registered and received approval from the state veterinarian 30 days prior to the event.

Swine exhibition report required. The sponsor of the swine exhibition shall electronically submit to the department the approved report form within five business days after the conclusion of the exhibition. The form includes the name of the exhibition and the address and telephone number of its location; the name, address and telephone number of the veterinarian; the date that the exhibition occurred; the name, address and telephone number of the owner of the swine; and the address and telephone number of the premises from which the swine was moved after the exhibition if such premises is a different premises.

SHEEP AND GOATS

All sexually intact sheep must have an individual Scrapie Flock of Origin identification tag (EX. IA1234-5678) or another office Scrapie tag. All sexually intact goats must be identified with an individual Scrapie Flock of Origin identification tag (EX. IA1234-5678), another official Scrapie tag, or by an official tattoo registered with USDA (to register, call 1-866-USDA-Tag; 1-866-873-2824). 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 a 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 distance of ten or more feet and/or an eight-foot-high solid partition.

DOG AND CATS

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

THE DECISION OF THE OFFICIAL SHOW VETERINARIAN WILL BE FINAL.

Jeff Kaisand, D.V.M. State Veterinarian, Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship

Junior Livestock Auction

**Saturday, July 20th, 2024, at 9:00 a.m.
in the Ronald Turke Show Arena**

Services of the auctioneers, clerks, and the use of the sale barn are all donated. **All 4-H & FFA members should express their appreciation to these individuals.** The sole responsibility for disposition of animals following the sale rests with the buyer or owner. Sale checks will be made by the **Appanoose County Livestock Inc.** as soon as possible after the sale date. Publicity will be given when they are available.

Rules

1. All animals must have been shown at the current Appanoose County Fair to be eligible for the Junior Livestock Auction.
 - a. Only eligible livestock species will be allowed to be sold during the auction; no additional production and/or by-products, supplies, or equipment will be permitted to be sold during the Junior Livestock Auction.
2. Eligible species for the Junior Livestock Auction include Market Beef, Bucket Bottle Animals, Goats, Poultry, Rabbits, Sheep, and Market Swine.
3. 4-H and FFA members must be present and sell their own animals at the livestock auction.
4. Sale order will rotate each year. The 2024 Sale Order is:
 - a. Large Animals: Beef, Bucket Bottle Calf, Swine, Sheep, and Bucket Bottle Lamb
 - b. Small Animals: Goat, Bucket Bottle Goat, Rabbit, and Poultry
5. All 4-H and FFA members desiring to sell livestock through the Junior Livestock Auction must notify and draw for sale order by **5:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 18th, 2024**; there will be NO EXCEPTIONS for late entries into the auction.
 - a. Sale Draw will be open Tuesday, July 16th through Thursday, July 18th from 2:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. in the Fair Office following each specie's show. You will not be able to draw for the auction until after the completion of each show.
6. Sale order will be Grand Champion, Reserve Grand Champion, followed by Breed Champions & Reserve Champions, then Top Rate of Gain Winners. The rest of the animals will be sold in order of number drawn.
7. **Sale weigh-ins will take place on Friday, July 19th from 8:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.** All animals going through the auction will be required to be weighed during the sale weigh-ins except for bucket bottle calves, rabbits, and poultry.

8. The total number of animals allowed to be sold per exhibitor will be determined by the total number of eligible species that is exhibited. An exhibit is not allowed to sell more than 4 head per specie with the exception of only 2 beef exhibits.
 - a. An exhibitor that has exhibited **2 eligible species** is allowed to sell a total of **6 animals**, with no more than 4 individuals per specie.
 - b. An exhibitor that has exhibited **3 eligible species** is allowed to sell a total of **7 animals**, no more than 4 individuals per specie.
 - c. An exhibitor that has exhibited **4 or more eligible species** is allowed to sell a total of **8 animals**, with no more than 4 individuals per specie.
9. Each exhibitor may go through the auction ring two times in each species (not counting champions). Animals should be sold in lots of 2 or 3 if you are selling more than 2 animals in that given specie.
10. Animals invited to the South Central Iowa Showdown (Grand Champion or Reserve Grand Champion, if applicable) are not eligible to sell in the Junior Livestock Auction. However, those exhibits will be allowed to enter the auction for premium donation with no change of ownership of the animal. Additionally, if any animal that goes through the auction is given back to the exhibitor it will be considered sold for premium (as no change of ownership has taken place).
 - a. Exhibitors are not granted the choice of selling for premium only, unless they are invited as a Showdown participant.
 - i. The following exhibits that are eligible to sell as premium only, as a result of being invited to the South Central Iowa Showdown, are the Grand Champion (market and breeding) beef, goat, sheep, and swine. *Exception: Reserve Grand Champion can sell for premium only if the Grand Champion elects to not participate in the Showdown.*
 - b. **Each exhibitor may only sell 3 individual animals for premium.** If an animal is sold for premium, it will be counted towards the total number of animals sold per exhibitor. (NO EXCEPTIONS)
11. Buyer must determine the destination of the animals at the time of the sale. (Resale, Locker, Keep, For Premium Only (given back to the exhibitor), etc.)
12. The buyer has the option of separating a pen of animals and purchasing 1 or more of the animals being sold.

Livestock & Pet Judging

DEPT. 1 — BEEF

Division 1 — Breeding Beef

Age Classifications:

- Four months and under 1 year—dropped 7-15-23 to 3-15-24
 - One year and under 18 months—dropped 1-15-23 to 7-14-23
 - 18 months and under 2 years—dropped 7-15-22 to 1-14-23
 - 2 years and over—dropped before 7-14-22
- A. Exhibitors may only identify 6 head.
 - B. Exhibitors are limited to two entries per class.
 - C. Heifers intended for market purposes are banned from this division.
 - D. Animals must be registered. Registration papers must be presented at Pre-Fair Entry. Registrations papers must be in the member's name or show a logical family relationship.
 - E. For Family Farm Born & Raised Class, the animals must be born and raised on the Family Farm.

Class A. Angus

1. Heifer, 4 months and under 1 year
2. Heifer, 1 year and under 18 months
3. Heifer, 18 months and under 2 years
4. Cow, 2 years and over

Class B. Red Angus (87% and up)

(Same lots as Class A)

Class C. Red Angus Foundation (50%-86%)

(Same lots as Class A)

Class D. Charolais

(Same lots as Class A)

Class E. Charolais Composite

(Same lots as Class A)

Class F. Chianina

(Same lots as Class A)

Class G. Gelbvieh

(Same lots as Class A)

Class H. Hereford

(Same lots as Class A)

Class I. Limousin

(Same lots as Class A)

Class J. Maine-Angus

(Same lots as Class A)

Class K. Maintainer (3/8 to 5/8 Maine Anjou)

(Same lots as Class A)

Class L. High Percentage Maine Anjou (Must be at least 3/4 Maine Anjou) (Same lots as Class A)

Class M. Salers

(Same lots as Class A)

Class N. Shorthorn (Must be 15/16 Shorthorn and follow the traditional Shorthorn colors of Red, Red/White, Roan, or White)

(Same lots as Class A)

Class O. Shorthorn Plus (Less than 15/16 Shorthorn or does not follow traditional Shorthorn colors.)

(Same lots as Class A)

Class P. Low Percentage Simmental (50% to 86%)

(Same lots as Class A)

Class Q. Purebred Simmental (87% and above)

(Same lots as Class A)

Class R. All Other Breeds (Open only to heifers that are eligible to show in a breed class, but their respective breed is not listed above.)

(Same lots as Class A)

Class S. All Other Miniature Breeds

(Same lots as Class A)

Class T. Produce of Dam

(Same lots as Class A)

Class U. Family Farm Born & Raised (Grade, Crossbred, or Purebred)

(Same lots as Class A)

Class V. Commercial Beef Heifers (Grade, Crossbred, or Purebred)

(Same lots as Class A)

Division 2 — Market Beef

- A. Maximum of 3 market steers may be exhibited by a member. A total of 6 Market Beef animals may be carried as a project.
- B. Weight Classes will be determined after weigh-in by Superintendents. No more than 8 head will be shown in any one weight class.
- C. Average daily gains will be computed and displayed by the exhibitor during judging. Only market steers gaining 2.2 pounds and above, and market heifers gaining 2.0 pounds and above will be eligible:
 - 1. To compete for Champion or Reserve Champion
 - 2. To be eligible to be in the Champion sale order group
 - 3. To stand first or second in their class (unless only 2 in class). If only 2 animals in breed class and neither have a 2.2 rate of gain, trophies can still be given, but champion and reserve ribbons will not be given.
- D. All animals less than 850 pounds at weigh-in will automatically be entered into Class X. Feeder Calves and will receive no higher than a red ribbon and trophies will NOT be awarded in this class. Feeder calves will not be allowed to go through the Livestock Sale.

- E. All cattle shown in the market beef breed classes must entered as determined by the purebred beef associations.
- F. All breed steers will be show in their designated breed class even if there is only 1 entry for the class.
- G. Market Heifer **WILL** show for Grand or Reserve Grand Champion Market Beef.
- H. For Family Farm Born & Raised Class, the animal must be raised on the Family Farm.

Class A. Angus

Class B. Red Angus

Class C. Charolais

Class D. Chianina

Class E. Gelbvieh

Class F. Hereford

Class G. Limousin

Class H. Maine Anjou

Class I. Salers

Class J. Shorthorn (Must be 15/16 Shorthorn and follow the traditional Shorthorn colors of Red, Red/White, Roan, or White)

Class K. Shorthorn Plus (Less than 15/16 Shorthorn or does not follow traditional Shorthorn colors.)

Class L. Simmental

Class M. All Other Breeds (Open only to steers that are eligible to show in a breed class, but their respective breed is not listed above.)

Class N. All Other Miniature Breeds (Miniatures will not be brought back in for Overall and is exempt from the 850 pound requirement as well as rate of gain rules.)

Class O. Performance (must know date of birth)

Class P. Produce of Dam (must have been shown last year as a cow/calf project by the same exhibitor)

Class Q. Produce of Dam (Any offspring from a heifer previously shown at the Appanoose County Fair. The same exhibitor must have shown both the heifer and produce of dam.)

Class R. Family Farm Born & Raised

Class S. Crossbred

Class T. Market Heifer

Class U. Feeder Cattle

Class V. Beef Live Carcass

1. Open to any market beef exhibitors.
2. Each exhibitor is limited to one entry per species.
3. All entries must be shown in the species' respective live show.
4. Ultrasounds of the entries will be taken on Monday, July 15th from 8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. All Live Carcass exhibitors are required to be present with their animal during the ultrasound.
5. Results will be announced during the species' live show. The exhibitor must be in the ring as the results are announced.
6. Live carcass contest premiums will consist of donations from interested 4-H and FFA supporters.
7. All carcasses will be evaluated by real-time ultrasound
 - i. Entries will be ranked according to the formula created in conjunction with Iowa State University's, which is based on carcass value with a focus on carcass quality.
 - ii. Ties will be broken using the following criteria in this order:
 1. IMF (Intramuscular Fat)
 2. REA (Ribeye Area)
 3. ADG (Average Daily Gain)
 - iii. The Champion and Reserve Beef Live Carcass will receive a trophy.

Class W. Beef Carcass Contest (Harvested)

- A. Steers only; must have been weighed and identified at the market beef weigh-ins; maximum of 1 entry per person.
- B. Livestock in this class do not need to be broke to lead.
- C. Carcasses will be ranked on net premium per hundred weight of carcass as evaluated against and industry accepted grid-placing formula that rewards high lean, well-muscled cattle. Premiums and discounts will be placed on each carcass based on individual measurements and current market prices. Larger premiums will be placed on USDA Yield Grade 1 and 2 cattle.
- D. Carcass participants MUST sell their own carcass steer PRIOR to the final carcass weigh-ins in July.
- E. Contest will be held at Country Roads Produce in Centerville, IA.
- F. 12 head will be allowed in the contest and be harvested on consecutive days.
- G. Participants MUST BE present at the locker during the Carcass Contest Results with the judge. If participants are unable to make it for the official results, they must make arrangements with the locker to view the results and carcasses by the end of the day on Tuesday, July 16th. If participants do not meet this requirement their cash awards and trophies/ribbons will be forfeited.
- H. The Beef Carcass Contest sign up will be open October 1st—31st, during normal business hours, at the Appanoose County Extension Office. All participants will be entered into a lottery drawing for available locker spots at the November Extension Council Meeting.

Division 3 — Bucket Bottle +1

- A. A calf that was born between January 1st, 2023 and May 15th, 2023.
- B. Calves must be weighed in at the Market Beef Weigh-In. This will be one of the maximum of 6 per individual that may be weighed in.
- C. Calves must have been shown as a Bucket Bottle calf at the 2023 Appanoose County Fair.
- D. The calf may be shown in this class OR dairy, market beef, or breeding beef. Calf may show in only one of the above classes.
- E. If the calf is shown in the breeding beef, market beef, or dairy class, it must follow those rules.
- F. Classes may be further split depending on the number of entries.
- G. The calf will be shown at halter.
- H. An exhibitor may identify and show 1 animal.
- I. Exhibitor may sell up to two head of total beef through the livestock auction but will be considered one of the two calves that may sell through the auction.
- J. Champion and Reserve Champion ribbons will be given. No Overall Grand Champion will be selected.
- K. Bucket Bottle Plus 1 can be shown in Beef Showmanship.
- L. Bucket Bottle Plus is NOT eligible for Top Rate of Gain.

Class A. Bucket Bottle +1 Steer

Class B. Bucket Bottle +1 Heifer

Division 4 — Bucket Bottle Calf

- A. Any newborn or orphan calf, male or female, dairy or beef, crossbred calves born between January 1, 2024 and May 15, 2024. Must be purchased and in possession of member within 2 weeks of birth, identified with a 4-H tag and entered in 4-H Online by May 15th.
- B. Calf must be bucket or bottle fed. (No nursing permitted.)
- C. An exhibitor may identify and show 1 animal. These are eligible to shown only in the Bucket Bottle Calf class in 2024.
- D. All bucket bottle calves must be castrated by May 15th. All bucket bottle animals may be subject to inspection upon arrival to county fair; any fresh evidence of castration may result in disqualification.
- E. Calves will be shown at halter. The class will be divided into Junior, Intermediate and Senior age exhibitors.
- F. Champion and Reserve Champion ribbons will be given as appropriate by age of exhibitor. No Overall Grand Champion will be selected.
- G. Judging will be based on the following and points:
 - 1. What has the member learned about care and raising of the calf?
 - 2. The fitting and showing of the calf (according to beef or dairy guidelines) with emphasis on what the member has learned.
 - 3. General health, condition, and management of the calf and 4-H'ers knowledge of this area.
 - 4. Confirmation or quality of the calf will not be considered since purchase should not be on this basis.

5. A completed record sheet.
 - a. Essay = 20 Points
 - b. Interview = 50 Points
 - c. Appearance and Care of Calf = 30 Points
- H. Exhibitors will be interviewed on Monday afternoon, July 15th. The calves will be shown and awards presented on Wednesday, July 17th, immediately following the Beef Show. The ribbon selection will be based on the interview and the information on the Bucket Bottle Calf record sheet completed by each exhibitor.
- I. Members may keep animals for breeding heifer, dairy, market or bucket bottle +1 in the following year. Exhibitor may sell through the livestock auction but will be considered one of the two calves that sell.
- J. **Bucket Bottle essays are due at Pre-Entry.**

Class A. Bucket Bottle Calf—Juniors (4th-6th)

Class B. Bucket Bottle Calf—Intermediates (7th-8th)

Class C. Bucket Bottle Calf—Seniors (9th-12th)

Division 5 — Halter Cow/Calf

- A. Limit 1 cow/calf unit per exhibitor in the Halter Cow/Calf Division.
- B. Dam and Calf entered as a unit. Without regard to dam, age, or breed. Calf must have been born between January 1, 2024 and May 1, 2024. Any dam shown as a calf either at halter or as a calf in a cow/calf project at the Appanoose County Fair in previous years by the same exhibitor.
- C. Grade, crossbred, purebred, registered and non-registered eligible.
- D. Animals exhibited in this division are not eligible for exhibit in other junior livestock classes.
- E. Calf birth and weight must be certified by personnel appointed by the Extension Office within three days of birth of calf. Also, both cow and calf must be identified and recorded in 4-H Online.
- F. At time of fair registration, the following information will be needed: age of dam; calf birth date; birth weight.
- G. Cow and calf must be broke to lead.
- H. **Both Cow and Calf will be in the ring at the time of judging.**
- I. Calves only will be weighed at the fair.
- J. In the event of a twin birth, only one calf may be used for competition.

Class A. Halter Cow/Calf (2-3 Years Old)

Class B. Halter Cow/Calf (3-5 Years Old)

Class C. Halter Cow/Calf (5 Years and Older)

Division 6 — Production Cow/Calf

- A. Limit 1 cow/calf unit per exhibitor in the Production Cow/Calf Division.
- B. Dam and Calf entered as a unit.
- C. Grade, crossbred, purebred, registered and non-registered eligible.
- D. Animals exhibited in this division are not eligible for exhibit in other junior livestock classes.
- E. Calf birth and weight must be certified by personnel appointed by the Extension Office within three days of birth of calf. Also, both cow and calf must be identified and recorded in 4-H Online.
- F. A place card (provided by the Fair Board) displaying age and weight of dam; age of calf, calf 212 day adjusted weight; calf rate of gain; will be displayed at stall.
- G. At time of fair registration, the following information will be needed: age of dam; calf birth date; birth weight.
- H. A short quiz designed for each group will be given during cow/calf judging.
- I. Cow and calf don't need be broke to lead.—No bonus points given.
- J. **Both Cow and Calf will be in the ring at the time of judging.**
- K. Cows and Calves will be weighed at fair.
- L. In the event of a twin birth, only one calf may be used for competition.

Class A1. Production Cow/Calf

Without regard to dam, age, or breed. Calf must have been born between January 1, 2024 and May 1, 2024.

Class A2. Production Cow/Calf (dam previously shown)

Any dam shown as a calf either, at halter or as a calf in a cow/calf project at the Appanoose County Fair in previous years by the same exhibitor. Calf must have been born between January 1, 2024 and May 1, 2024.

DEPT. 2 — Dairy Cattle

Champion and Reserve Champion Female in each Division.

Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Female.

Exhibitors limited to two entries per class.

Registered/Grade—shown by breed characteristics.

There will be no penalties to exhibitors that do not follow the Dairy Association Standards of white pants.

Class A. Ayrshire

1. Heifer Calves—Born 9-1-23 or after and at least 4 months.
2. Yearling Heifers—Born between 9-1-22 and 8-31-23.
3. 2 Year-Old Cows—Born between 9-1-21 and 8-3-22.
4. Cows (3 Years and Over) - Born before 9-1-21.

Class B. Brown Swiss

(Same lots as Class A)

Class C. Guernsey

(Same lots as Class A)

Class D. Holstein

(Same lots as Class A)

Class E. Jersey

(Same lots as Class A)

Class F. Milking Shorthorn

(Same lots as Class A)

DEPT. 3 — Sheep

Division 1 — Purebred Sheep

- A. Exhibitor of purebred animals must show certificates of registration at Pre-Entry. Registration papers must be in the member's name or show a logical **family** relationship.
- B. The basis for computing age will be January 1, 2024 unless otherwise stated.
- C. **ALL LAMBS MUST BE SLICK SHORN AND SHOW READY UPON ARRIVAL ON THE FAIRGROUNDS.**
- D. **ALL BREEDING SHEEP MUST BE INSPECTED BY THE OFFICIAL FAIR VETERINARIAN PRIOR TO UNLOADING AT THE FAIRGROUNDS.** All sheep will be inspected between 6:00-8:00pm on Sunday, July 14th or 7:00-9:00am on Monday, July 15th.
- E. All breeding sheep must have the official USDA Scrapie Eradication tags.
- F. Clipping of sheep will be allowed on the fairgrounds.
- G. Exhibitor is limited to 6 head of breeding stock.
- H. Limit of 2 per class lot.
- I. Substitution of lambs (breeding and market) will be allowed at County Fair Check-In as long as the animals had been properly identified by the May 15th Deadline.

Class A. Columbia

1. Ram—2 Years and Older
2. Ram—1 Year and Under 2
3. Ram lamb born since January 1
4. Ewe—2 Years and Older
5. Ewe—1 Year and Under 2
6. Ewe lamb born since January 1

Class B. Corriedale

(Same lots as Class A)

Class C. Hampshire

(Same lots as Class A)

Class D. Suffolk

(Same lots as Class A)

Class E. Dorset

(Same lots as Class A)

Class F. Southdown

(Same lots as Class A)

Class G. Shown in Their Respective Breed

(Same lots as Class A)

Class H. Commercial Ewe

1. Ewe— 1 Year and Over
2. Ewe lamb born since January 1

Class I. Commercial Ram

- A. Ram— 1 Year and Over
- B. Ram lamb born since January 1

Division 2— Market Lambs

- A. Classes open to purebred, grade or crossbred ewe or wether lambs.
- B. Lambs shown in a market lamb class cannot be shown in breeding sheep class.
- C. Lambs shown in an individual class may be shown in Pen of 3.
- D. ALL MARKET LAMBS MUST BE SLICK SHORN AND SHOW READY UPON ARRIVAL ON THE FAIRGROUNDS.**
- E. ALL SHEEP MUST BE INSPECTED BY THE OFFICIAL FAIR VETERINARIAN PRIOR TO UNLOADING AT THE FAIR. INSPECTION TIMES WILL BE FROM 6:00-8:00PM ON SUNDAY, JULY 14TH AND FROM 7:00-9:00AM ON MONDAY, JULY 15TH.**
- F. Clipping of lambs will be allowed on the fairgrounds.
- G. Each exhibitor may show four lambs in individual classes and two pens of 3 for a total of no more than 6 lambs.
- H. Individual market lambs will be weighed prior to show and will be broken into even-numbered classes with no more than 10 pens in each weight class.

- I. All market lambs must have been weighed at the fairgrounds on May 4th, 2024. Exhibitors may weigh up to 8 lambs. All lambs weighed in must be wearing a rope halter during weigh-in, if you choose for your lambs to be haltered.
- J. Average daily gain will be computed and displayed by exhibitor during judging.
- K. All lambs to be exhibited in the performance class must have a .60 rate of gain to be eligible for this class.
- L. Market lambs may only be weighed in once at the county fair, and they cannot be wet down or have a blanket or any other type of covering on them for weigh-in.
- M. All lambs must have all four feet on the ground at all times. Lifting feet off the ground or placing on any support or altered ring surface is not acceptable.
- N. All ewe and ram lambs must have official USDA (Scrapie Eradication) tags. Wethers are not required to have USDA (Scrapie Eradication) tags.
- O. For Family Farm Born & Raised Class, the animal must be born and raised on the Family Farm.
- P. Substitution of lambs (breeding and market) will be allowed at County Fair Check-In as long as the animals had been properly identified and weighed in by the May 15th Deadline.

Class A. Black Face Individual Market Lamb

Class B. White Face Individual Market Lamb

Class C. Speckled Face Individual Market Lamb

Class D. Family Farm Born & Raised Individual Market Lamb

Class E. Produce of Dam Individual Market Lamb

Class F. Performance Individual Market Lamb

—Must have a .60 Daily Rate of Gain

Class G. Pen of 3 Market Lambs

Class H. Lamb Live Carcass

- 1. Open to any market lamb exhibitors.
- 2. Each exhibitor is limited to one entry per species.
- 3. All entries must be shown in the species' respective live show.
- 4. Ultrasounds of the entries will be taken on Monday, July 15th from 8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. All Live Carcass exhibitors are required to be present with their animal during the ultrasound.
- 5. Results will be announced during the species' live show. The exhibitor must be in the ring as the results are announced.
- 6. Live carcass contest premiums will consist of donations from interested 4-H and FFA supporters.

7. All carcasses will be evaluated by real-time ultrasound.
 - A. Entries will be ranked according to the formula created in conjunction with Iowa State University, which is based on Yield Grade and the ratio of muscle versus fat with focus on carcass quality.
 - B. All lambs entered in the carcass class must be slick shorn.
 - C. Ties will be broken using the following criteria in this order:
 - i. Loin Area
 - ii. ADG (Average Daily Gain)
 - D. The Champion and Reserve Lamb Live Carcass will receive a trophy.

Division 3 — Bucket Bottle Lamb

- A. Any newborn or orphan lamb, male or female, born between January 1, 2024 and May 15, 2024. Must be purchased and in possession of member within 2 weeks of birth, identified with a 4-H tag and entered in 4-H Online by May 15th.
- B. Lamb must be bucket or bottle fed. (No nursing permitted).
- C. An exhibitor may identify and show 1 animal. These are eligible to be shown only in the Bucket Bottle Lamb class for 2024.
- D. All bucket bottle lambs must be castrated by May 15th. All bucket bottle animals may be subject to inspection upon arrival to county fair; any fresh evidence of castration may result in disqualification.
- E. Lambs may or may not be shown at halter. The class will be divided into junior, intermediate, and senior age exhibitors.
- F. Champion and Reserve Champion ribbons will be given as appropriate by age of exhibitor. No overall grand champion will be selected.
- G. Judging will be based on the following and points:
 1. What has the member learned about care and raising of the lamb?
 2. The fitting and showing of the lamb (according to sheep guidelines) with emphasis on what the member has learned.
 3. General health, condition, and management of the lamb and 4-H'ers knowledge of this area.
 4. Confirmation or quality of the lamb will not be considered since purchase should not be on this basis.
 5. A completed record sheet:
 - a. Essay = 20 Points
 - b. Interview = 50 Points
 - c. Appearance and Care of Lamb = 30 Points
- H. Essays are due to the Appanoose County Extension Office by **Monday, July 1st, 2024**. Exhibitors will be interviewed in the barn on Monday, July 15th, 2024. The lambs will be shown in the show ring immediately following the sheep show. The ribbon selection will be based on the interview and the information on the bucket/bottle lamb record sheet completed by each exhibitor.

- I. Members may keep animals for breeding sheep or market sheep in the following year or sell at the Livestock Auction. Bucket Bottle Lambs sold will count towards the exhibitor's limit of 4 sheep sold at the Livestock Auction.
- J. **BUCKET BOTTLE LAMBS MUST BE SLICK SHORN AND SHOW READY UPON ARRIVAL ON THE FAIRGROUNDS.**
- K. **ALL BUCKET BOTTLE LAMBS MUST BE INSPECTED BY THE OFFICIAL FAIR VETERINARIAN PRIOR TO UNLOADING AT THE FAIR. INSPECTION TIMES WILL BE FROM 6:00-8:00PM ON SUNDAY, JULY 14TH AND FROM 7:00-9:00AM ON MONDAY, JULY 15TH.**

Class A. Bucket Bottle Lamb—Juniors (4th-6th)

Class B. Bucket Bottle Lamb—Intermediates (7th-8th)

Class C. Bucket Bottle Lamb—Seniors (9th-12th)

DEPT. 4 — Swine

- A. Entries open to purebred, crossbred, or grade pigs, either barrows or gilts.
- B. An exhibitor may show two pens of 3 and 4 individuals under Division 1 – Market Hogs, regardless of weight, for a total of 6 market hogs. In addition, an exhibitor may show 1 Breeding Gilt. No additional pigs may be brought to the fairgrounds.
- C. Pigs from pens may be exhibited in individual classes, but no pig may be exhibited in more than two classes.
- D. Exhibitor of purebred animals must show certificates of registration at Pre-Entry. Registration papers must be in the member's name or show a logical **family** relationship.
- E. For Family Farm Born & Raised Class, the animal must be born and raised on the Family Farm.
- F. There is a limit of 12 pigs to be shown in the ring at one time.
- G. Any pig weighing less than 220 lbs. will automatically be put into the Feeder Pig Division. Feeder pigs will receive no higher than a red ribbon and trophies will NOT be awarded in this class. Feeder pigs will not be allowed to go through the Livestock Auction.
- H. An exhibitor may show one breeding gilt at the Appanoose County Fair. Breeding Gilts will not be allowed to be sold at the Livestock Auction.

Division 1 — Market Hogs

Class A. Purebred Individual Market Hogs

(All Shown Together – unless there is a need to break the class due to number of head per class)

Class B. Crossbred Individual Market Hogs

1. Barrow or Gilt (220-239 pounds)
2. Barrow or Gilt (240-259 pounds)
3. Barrow or Gilt (260-279 pounds)
4. Barrow or Gilt (280-299 pounds)
5. Barrow or Gilt (300-215 pounds)
6. Barrow or Gilt (316 pounds & over)

Class C. Family Farm Born & Raised Individual Market Hogs

(All Shown Together – unless there is a need to break the class due to number of head per class)

Class D. Pen of 3 Market Hogs

(Same class lots as Class B)

Class E. Swine Live Carcass Contest

1. Open to any market swine exhibitors.
2. Each exhibitor is limited to one entry per species.
3. All entries must be shown in the species' respective live show.
4. Ultrasounds of the entries will be taken on Monday, July 15th from 8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. All Live Carcass exhibitors are required to be present with their animal during the ultrasound.
5. Results will be announced during the species' live show. The exhibitor must be in the ring as the results are announced.
6. Live carcass contest premiums will consist of donations from interested 4-H and FFA supporters.
7. All carcasses will be evaluated by real-time ultrasound.
 - a. Entries will be ranked according to the formula created in conjunction with Iowa State University, which use value per pound with focus on carcass quality.
 - b. Ties will be broken using the following criteria in this order.
 - i. Loin Area

Division 2 — Feeder Pigs

Class A. Individual Feeder Pig

- a. Barrow or Gilt (under 220 pounds)

Division 3 — Breeding Gilts

Class A. Individual Breeding Gilt

DEPT. 5 — Horse

- A. Exhibitors are allowed to exhibit more than one animal in a halter class. If an exhibitor has more than one entry in a halter class, the substitute exhibitor must be a current Appanoose County Fair horse exhibitor. Exhibitors are limited to not more than one entry per riding class in the horse department.
- B. Exhibitors are limited to 4 animals per member for exhibiting at the County Fair, one of which must be stalled at the fairgrounds. A foal and mare will be considered one animal. Exhibitors may exhibit 2 horses as space allows.
- C. No Stallions Allowed.
- D. Ponies are limited to less than 57 inches. Horses are 57 inches and over. Ponies that are shod shall have 1/2 inch deducted.
- E. Pleasure classes will be shown under saddle and judged on way of going and performance at walk, trot, and lope/center. Open to any age animals.
- F. Junior, Intermediate, and Senior Showmanship will be judged at halter.
- G. Appropriate 4-H and FFA exhibitor's clothing is mandatory to include long-sleeved white shirt or blouse with 4-H or FFA armband (not provided).
- H. All 4-Her's and FFA (no matter what age) are required to wear approved ASTM/SEI horse helmets at all times during all 4-H related events at the Appanoose County Fairgrounds. You will need to provide your own helmet. Helmets will not be provided.
HELMETS MUST BE WORN NOT ONLY WHILE RIDING, BUT EVEN WHEN JUST SITTING ON YOUR HORSE/MULE! NO EXCEPTIONS.
- I. Entries open to purebred or grade foals, mares, geldings and mules.
- J. All contestants must pre-enter classes in which they are competing and identify the horse/mule that will be used for each class. Show numbers will be assigned and worn during contest.
- K. The same animal cannot be exhibited in both Walk-Trot, Pleasure or Gaited.
- L. Ranch riding is judged on a pre-set pattern and is not judged on rail work. The horse/mule will be judged at the walk, trot, and lope.
- M. Ownership required. No leasing.
- N. No ponies allowed in horse halter classes.
- O. No horses/mules allowed South of the Horse Barn past the Fair Office/Exhibit Building and no horses/mules are allowed West of the Horse Arena past the Campgrounds.
- P. No riding of horse/mules inside the Horse Barn.
- Q. No horses/mules left unattended tied at the wash rack.
- R. Horse Showmanship Classes will be held at the beginning of the Jr. Horse Show held on Friday morning. This competition will begin with Seniors followed by intermediates, then Juniors.

S. STATE FAIR EQUINE SHOW BOOK RULES WILL BE USED FOR THE HORSE SHOW.

- a. All Appanoose County Equine Classes will follow the same rules and regulations as stated in the “[Rules and Regulations for 4-H Equine Shows in Iowa](#)”.
- T. The Jr. Horse Show will take over the duration of 2-days. Timed events such as barrels, flags, pole bending trail and hippology will take place on Thursday afternoon at 4:00 p.m. All horse showmanship, halter, and performance classes will take during the Friday portion of the Horse Show.
- U. The Hippology Class is open to all 4-H and FFA members not only horse exhibitors. Hippology will take place on Saturday, July 13th, 2024 from 8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. in the Horse Barn.

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Knowledge Class:

A. Hippology

1. Junior Exhibitors
2. Intermediate Exhibitors
3. Senior Exhibitors

Jr. Horse Show Day 1 — Timed Events (Thursday, July 18th at 4:00 p.m.)

Games:

B. Barrels

(Same lots as Class A)

C. Flags

(Same lots as Class A)

D. Pole Bending

(Same lots as Class A)

Performance Classes:

E. Open Trail

(Same lots as Class A)

Jr. Horse Show Day 2 (Friday, July 19th at 8:00 a.m.)

F. Showmanship

1. Junior Exhibitors
2. Intermediate Exhibitors
3. Senior Exhibitors

Halter Classes:

G. Ponies — 52” and Under

H. Ponies — 52” and Under 57”

(Class G & H Champions and Reserves will come back for Grand Champion Pony)

I. 3 Year and Under Horse

J. Mares — 4 Years and Over

K. Geldings — 4 Years and Over

(Class I, J & K Champions and Reserves will come back for Grand Champion Horse)

L. Mules

Performance Classes:

M. Walk-Trot

(Same lots as Class G)

N. Gaited Class — All Ages Together

O. Pony Pleasure (Ponies Only — All Ages Together)

P. Western Pleasure (Horse/Mules Only — No Ponies Allowed)

(Same lots as Class G)

Q. Western Horsemanship

(Same lots as Class G)

R. Ranch Riding

(Same lots as Class G)

S. Hunter Under Saddle — All Ages Together

DEPT. 6 — Dairy Goats

- A. Open to purebred, crossbred, and grade does.—All crossbred and grade must show in the crossbred class.
- B. Any doe showing over-distention of udder due to lack of milking is subject to disqualification.
- C. All goats must be collared or haltered.
- D. All dairy goats must have the official identified USDA scrapie tags except for goats which have purebred registered identifiable tattoos.
- E. Exhibitor may enter two animals per class.
- F. Exhibitor is limited to a total of 6 head of dairy goats.
- G. Goat may be shown as mother in class, daughter in a class, and in a mother/daughter class.
- H. Goats shown by breed must have registration papers on entry days.
- I. DAIRY GOATS SHALL NOT BE SHOWN WITH HORNS.**
- J. There will be no penalties to exhibitors that do not follow the Dairy Association Standards of white pants.

Class A. Nubian

1. Does at least 2 months and under 6 months
2. Does 6 months and over, but never milked
3. Does dry that have milked
4. Milking does
5. Milking herd (one animal from 3 of the above 4 classes)
Milking doe should include any freshened doe in milk regardless of milking versus nursing.
6. Mother and Daughter, any age

Class B. Toggenburg

(Same lots as Class A)

Class C. Alpine

(Same lots as Class A)

Class D. La Mancha

(Same lots as Class A)

Class E. Saanen

(Same lots as Class A)

Class F. Oberhasli

(Same lots as Class A)

Class G. Crossbred

(Same lots as Class A)

Class H. Nigerian Dwarf

(Same lots as Class A)

DEPT. 7 — Goats

- A. Breeding class Boer Does open to full blood, percentage, and commercial class.
- B. Boer Doe Goats shown by full blood or percentage must have registration or certification papers.
- C. All meat goats must have the official identifiable USDA scrapie tags except for goats which have purebred registered identifiable tattoos.
- D. All goats must be collared, chained, or haltered.
- E. Exhibitor may enter two animals per class.
- F. County Fair market wethers will be weighed on Monday, July 15th. State Fair Meat Goats will be required to be weighed on Saturday, May 4th. Each exhibitor is limited to a total of 6 head of meat goats.
- G. ALL MEAT GOATS MUST BE INSPECTED BY THE OFFICIAL FAIR VETERINARIAN/SUPERINTENDENT PRIOR TO UNLOADING AT THE FAIR. INSPECTION TIME WILL BE FROM 6:00-8:00PM ON SUNDAY, JULY 14TH AND FROM 7:00-9:00AM ON MONDAY, JULY 15TH. ALL INSPECTIONS WILL BE DONE NORTH OF THE EXHIBIT BUILDING.**
- H. May be sold at the Livestock Sale.
- I. For Family Farm Born & Raised Class, the animal must be born and raised on the Family Farm.

Division 1 — Breeding Meat Goats

Class A. Full Blood Boer Doe (88% to 100%)

1. 4—8 months
2. 8—12 months
3. 12—24 months
4. 24 months & over
5. Best Pair of Doe Kids
 - a. 4—8 months
 - b. 8—12 months
 - c. 12—24 months
 - d. 24 months & over

Class B. Percentage Boer Doe (50% to 88%)

(Same lots as Class A)

Class C. Commercial Boer Doe

(Same lots as Class A)

Class D. Other Meat Doe

Such as: Kiko, Savannah, Myotonic or a Dairy Crossbreed

(Same lots as Class A)

Division 2 — Market Meat Goats

Class A. Market Wether (castrated male) or Doe (Any Breed)

1. Light Weight
2. Middle Weight
3. Heavy Weight

Class B. Family Farm Born & Raised Market Wether or Doe

(All Shown Together – unless there is a need to break the class due to number of head per class)

Division 3 — Novelty Goats

Class A. Novelty Doe

Such as: Pigmy, Angora, or any miniature breed

1. 4—8 months
2. 8—12 months
3. 12—24 months
4. 24 months & over
5. Best Pair of Doe Kids
 - a. 4—8 months
 - b. 8—12 months
 - c. 12—24 months
 - d. 24 months & over

Class B. Novelty Wether

(Same lots as Class A)

Division 4 — Bucket Bottle Goat

- A. Any newborn or orphan goat, male or female, born between January 1, 2024 and May 15, 2024. Must be purchased and in possession of member within 2 weeks of birth, identified with a 4-H tag and entered in 4-H Online by May 15th.
- B. Goat must be bucket or bottle fed. (No nursing permitted).
- C. An exhibitor may identify and show 1 animal. These are eligible to be shown only in the Bucket Bottle Goat class in 2024.
- D. All bucket bottle goats must be castrated by May 15th. All bucket bottle animals may be subject to inspection upon arrival to county fair; any fresh evidence of castration may result in disqualification.
- E. Goats may or may not be shown at halter. The class will be divided into junior, intermediate, and senior age exhibitors.
- F. Champion and Reserve Champion ribbons will be given as appropriate by age of exhibitor. No overall grand champion will be selected.
- G. Judging will be based on the following and points:
 - 1. What has the member learned about care and raising of the goat?
 - 2. The fitting and showing of the goat (according to goat guidelines) with emphasis on what the member has learned.
 - 3. General health, condition and management of the goat and 4-H'ers knowledge of this area.
 - 4. Confirmation or quality of the goat will not be considered since purchase should not be on this basis.
 - 5. A completed record sheet:
 - a. Essay = 20 Points
 - b. Interview = 50 Points
 - c. Appearance and Care of Lamb = 30 Points
- H. Essays are due to the Appanoose County Extension Office by **Monday, July 1st, 2024**. Exhibitors will be interviewed in the barn on Monday, July 15th, 2024. The goats will be shown in the show ring immediately following the meat goat show. The ribbon selection will be based on the interview and the information on the bucket/bottle goat record sheet completed by each exhibitor.
- I. Members may keep animals for the following year or sell at the Livestock Auction. Bucket Bottle Goats sold will count towards the exhibitor's limit of 4 goats sold at the Livestock Auction.

Class A. Bucket Bottle Goat—Juniors (4th-6th)

Class B. Bucket Bottle Goat—Intermediates (7th-8th)

Class C. Bucket Bottle Goat—Seniors (9th-12th)

DEPT. 8 — Rabbits

- A. Exhibitors may have only one entry per breed age class.
- B. Exhibitors may exhibit a maximum of 12 rabbits.
- C. Best Fancy, Best Commercial and Best Rabbit in Show will be chosen at the end of judging.
- D. If only one entry in class, must show in class N.
- E. Neutered or Spayed rabbits may be exhibited in their breed & age class.

Division 1 — Meat Rabbits

Class A. Meat Pen of 3

- 1. Meat pen will consist of three rabbits of the same breed and variety.
- 2. Weight is 16 1/2 pounds per pen.
- 3. Age is 69 days or less.
- 4. Only one meat pen per exhibitor.

Class B. Single Fryer

- 1. Age is 69 days or less.
- 2. Only one entry per exhibitor.
- 3. Weight is 3 1/2—5 1/2 pounds.

Class C. Single Roaster

- 1. Age is less than 6 months.
- 2. Weight is 5—8 pounds.
- 3. One entry per exhibitor.

Division 2 — Fancy Rabbits

Age Classifications:

- 1. Senior Buck — 6 months & over
- 2. Senior Doe — 6 months & over
- 3. Junior Buck — Under 6 months
- 4. Junior Doe — Under 6 months

Class A. Mini Rex

Class B. Dutch

Class C. Silver Marten

Class D. Rex

Class E. Mini Lop

Class F. Angora

Class G. Holland Lop

Class H. Fuzzy Lop

Class I. Lionhead

Class J. Polish

Class K. Hotot

Class L. Jersey Wooly

Class M. Dwarf

Class N. Other Fancy

(Example: Himalayan, Harlequin, Polish, Silver, Rhinelander)

Class O. Crossbred

Division 3 — Commercial Rabbits

Age Classifications:

1. Senior Buck — 8 months & over
2. Senior Doe — 8 months & over
3. Intermediate Buck — 6-8 months
4. Intermediate Doe — 6-8 months
5. Junior Buck — Under 6 months
6. Junior Doe — Under 6 months

Class A. Californian

Class B. Satin

Class C. Flemish Giant

Class D. New Zealand

Class E. Checkered Giant

Class F. All Other Commercial (Ex: Palomino, Silver Fox, Cinnamon)

DEPT. 9 — Poultry & Fowl

All poultry must be pullorum tested no earlier than 90 days of public exhibit and must be done by an authorized tester, unless purchased at pullorum-free flock. Must have proof of being tested or bill of sale from pullorum-free flock. Appanoose County pullorum testing will take place @ 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, July 14th at the Appanoose County Fairgrounds, no poultry is to be placed in the barn until testing and check in has been completed.

A. Exhibitors may show a maximum of 8 head.

Class A. Standard

1. Cock — Over 1 Year
2. Cockerel — Under 1 Year
3. Hen — Over 1 Year
4. Pullet — Under 1 Year

Class B. Bantam

(Same lots as Class A)

Class C. Duck

1. Breeding Drake
2. Breeding Hen

Class D. Geese

1. Breeding Gander
2. Breeding Goose

Class E. Turkey

1. Breeding Tom
2. Breeding Hen

Class F. Other Poultry

1. Cock or Cockerel
2. Hen or Pullet

Class G. Production Poultry

- A. Laying Pen of 3
- B. Fryer Pen of 3 (3 — 5 Pounds)

DEPT. 10 — Dogs

- A. Classes will be judged on how dog is presented and groomed, and dog's training.
- B. Dog may not be shown by more than one member.
- C. If a dog/exhibitor achieves a qualifying score in a class at the previous year's fair, he/she must move up to the next class. Dogs/exhibitors may not move up a level class until a qualifying score is made (excluding intro). Classes are listed below in order of level.
- D. Qualifying score is 170 points or above.
- E. A complete list of activities in each class as well as how points are dispersed can be obtained at any time from the Appanoose County Extension Office.

Division 1 — Obedience Classes

Class A1. Intro Class

This class is for first year exhibitor with first year dog only.

Class B1. Beginners Novice A

Beginners Novice A class is only for dogs and handler teams in their 2nd year of training. Exhibitor/Dog Team may only enter this class 1 year.

Dogs must not have earned any obedience title through AKC, UKC, etc.

Class B2. Beginners Novice B

Beginners Novice B class is for dog/handler teams, where either the dog has had previous training, but this is the first year for the exhibitor, or for an exhibitor with experience, but this is the first year for the dog. This class is also open to exhibitor/dog teams in their 3rd year of training that did not receive a qualifying score in Beginners Novice A last year.

Class C1. Preferred Novice A

A handler/dog team may enter this class 1 year.

Class C2. Preferred Novice B

A handler/dog team may enter this class until they receive a qualifying score. *Any dog that has entered a "PCD" level title or higher, before January 1, of the current year, is not eligible to enter these classes.

Class D1. Novice A

A handler/dog team may enter this class 1 year.

Class D2. Novice B

A handler/dog team may enter this class until they receive a qualifying score. *Any dog that has earned any "CD" level title before January, of the current year, is not eligible to enter these classes.

Class E1. Graduate Novice A

A handler/dog team may enter this class 1 year.

Class E2. Graduate Novice B

A handler/dog team may enter this class until they receive a qualifying score. *Dogs must not have received any "CDX" level titles.

Division 2 — Rally Classes

Class F1. Junior Rally Class (4th-6th graders)

Class F2. Intermediate Rally Class (7th-8th graders)

Class F3. Senior Rally Class (9th-12th graders)

Rally classes are open to all exhibitors. Dog and handler navigate a times course of 10-12 signs. All exercised are performed on leash.

Division 3 — Handling Classes (Dog Showmanship)

Class G1. Junior Handling Class (4th-6th graders)

Class G2. Intermediate Handling Class (7th-8th graders)

Class G3. Senior Handling Class (9th-12th graders)

Handling classes are open to all exhibitors who participated in at least one Obedience Class (including Rally Classes). Handling classes will be judged on exhibitors' appearance and attitude, dog grooming and conditions, handling and questions.

DEPT. 11 — Cats

- A. One entry per member per class.
- B. Cat may be shown by no more than 1 member.
- C. Entries may be purebred or mixed breed.
- D. Exhibitors are responsible for bringing their entry in a cage or carrier and for providing necessary covering, liter, liter pan, and water container.
- E. Cats or kittens should have current distemper and rabies vaccination; other information from veterinarian should be placed on health certificate.
- F. There will be Cat Showmanship for all 3 age divisions (Junior, Intermediate, and Senior). The winner from each age division will come back and compete for the overall Master Cat Showman.

Class A. Domestic Longhair

- 1. Male Kitten — 4—8 months
- 2. Female Kitten — 4—8 months
- 3. Male Intermediate — 9—12 months
- 4. Female Intermediate — 9—12 months
- 5. Male Adult — 12 months and over
- 6. Female Adult — 12 months and over

Class B. Shorthair

(Same lots as Class A)

Class C. All Others

(Same lots as Class A)

DEPT. 12 — Pets

- A. Limit of 1 entry per exhibitor.
- B. Pet may be shown by no more than 1 member.
- C. Exhibitors are responsible for bringing their entry on a leash, in a box, cage, carrier or bowl & providing necessary coverings, water, food, etc.
- D. Champion and Reserve Champion Ribbons will be given in each class along with premium ribbons (Blue, Red, and White Ribbons)
- E. Members need to have animals in the show on the fairgrounds only for the time of the show. No pets are to be stalled or kept at the fairgrounds.
- F. Pet exhibits will be exhibited under the “Self-Determined” category in the Exhibit Building following that category’s guideline and judged on Saturday, July 13th. Pet will then be shown on Monday, July 15th immediately following the Clover Kids Pet Show at Noon in the show arena.
- G. Entries may be purebred or mixed breed.

Class A. Birds

Class B. Fish

Class C. Gerbils

Class D. Guinea Pigs

Class E. Hamsters

Class F. Other

(Ferret, Lizard, Turtle, Zebra, etc.)

Clover Kids Pet Show

3rd Graders Only (Limited to 2 animals per exhibitor.)

ISU Extension and Outreach and the Iowa 4-H Youth Development Program supports safe, educational, and developmentally-sound small animal activities for children in kindergarten through third grade. However, for safety and liability reasons, as well as developmental appropriateness, the restrictions outlined in this document are necessary. [Iowa 4-H Requirements Regarding Clover Kids \(K-3\) Members Working with Animals](#)

- A. Open to all Clover Kids in **third grade** in Appanoose.
- B. Members need to have animals in the show ring only for the time of the show. No animals are to be stalled or kept at the fairgrounds.
- C. All pets must come on a leash, in a box or cage, or a bowl.
- D. All exhibitors are responsible for their own pet.
- E. Cats and Dogs must have a current Rabies and Distemper Vaccination certificate. Dogs also need a parvovirus vaccination. (Vaccination Papers Required)
- F. Participants will be receiving Participation Ribbons only (No Trophies).
- G. Any female animal in season cannot be exhibited.
- H. Clover Kids will not be eligible to exhibit at the Iowa State Fair. A Clover Kid may enter in the following classes:

Class A. Cats

Class B. Dogs

Class C. Fish

Class D. Birds

Class E. Turtles

Class F. Hamsters

Class G. Guinea Pigs

Class H. Gerbils

Class I. Rabbit

Class J. Poultry

Class K. Bucket/Bottle Animal

(Calf, Lamb, Goat)

Class L. Miniature Hereford

Class M. Other (Ferret, Lizard, etc.)

4-H & FFA Exhibit Building



All adults, parents, leaders, and judges play important roles in ensuring that conference judging is a significant growth experience for youth. Parents and helpers will only be allowed in the conference judging area (judge's tables) to move exhibits.

4-H Exhibit Building General Rules

The following rules relate to all projects in the 4-H Exhibit Building.

Appanoose County Fair General Rules:

1. Entries will be made Saturday, July 13th on the entry forms provided to you. You will take your entry form to each judge who judges your projects. After your projects are judged, this form **must** be turned in at the Exhibit Building.
2. Judging of entries should follow the club schedule as closely as possible. All of the exhibits will be conference judged. **Exceptions:** Communications Event and Clothing Event will be judged on Thursday, July 11th.
3. **Exhibits will be released only from 9:00-10:00 P.M., Friday, July 19th and from 8:00-9:00 A.M., Saturday, July 20th. If these times will not work, exhibitor must make arrangements with their club leader to pick them up.**
4. **Grade Classifications**
 - **Junior: 4th, 5th, 6th Grades**
 - **Intermediate: 7th, 8th Grades**
 - **Senior: 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th Grades**

All grades are to be the grade you were in for the 2023-2024 school year.

5. A written explanation (goal sheet) must be completed by the exhibitor for each project. This must be enclosed in a plastic sleeve and attached to the exhibit. The exhibitor must respond to the following questions about the exhibit:
 - a. What did you plan to learn or do? (What was your exhibit goal(s)?)
 - b. What steps did you take to learn or do this? Explain what you did so it is easily understood. The judge wants to know and understand the steps you used to make your exhibit.
 - c. What were the most important things you learned?

***Check for additional requirements in exhibit classes for food and nutrition, photography, and visual art classes.
6. All exhibits must be a result of this year's work. Exhibits might be, but are not limited to, an actual product, poster, display box, report, notebook, model, video tape, audio cassette, etc.
7. **UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHALL A PROJECT PREVIOUSLY SHOWN UNDER FFA BE SHOWN AS A 4-H PROJECT, OR VICE VERSA.** Such projects will not be judged. This is pursuant to a state level agreement between FFA and 4-H.
8. Deserving exhibits will be rated as blue, red, or white; the decision of the judges is final.

9. Exhibits may be prepared by an individual 4-H'er or team of 4-H'ers.
10. 4-H'ers who have completed 4th through 12th grade (or that equivalent) of the completed school year (2024) and are in good standing at the county level.
11. The Fair Board will not be responsible for loss or damage of exhibits, but every care will be taken to assure their safety.

Special Appanoose County Awards for 2024

“The Clover Achiever” \$100 Cash Award — donated In Memory of Doyle & Donna Terry

- To be eligible for this award the exhibitor must enter 3 or more exhibits in at least 3 different classes into the Exhibit Building that have a placing of a blue ribbon or higher; this will earn you one entry into the drawing for this award. For every additional 3 exhibits, you will earn an extra entry.
- Communication Exhibits can be considered as one of the 3 or more exhibits if it is performed at the Appanoose County Fair during the Clothing & Communications Event Showcase.
- Clothing Event Projects must be exhibited during the fair to be considered as an exhibit to meet the entry requirements.
- All participants that earned an entry towards this award will be put into a drawing to select the winner. The Clover Achiever winner will be announced at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, July 19th at the beginning of the Parade of Champions. Award recipients must be present during the announcement on Friday to receive the award; recipients will be notified prior to the announcements to assure that they will be in attendance.
- All individuals eligible for this drawing will be mentioned in the local newspaper as “Clover Achievers” along with recognizing the award winner.

Specialty Exhibit Awards:

1. Specialty Exhibit Awards consist of a \$50 cash award and a plaque to be presented to an individual selected by the Static Judges that they feel excels in the award category. These awards have been established to encourage more participation in these categories (listed below).
2. The Exhibit Building Specialty Award winners will be announced at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, July 19th at the beginning of the Parade of Champions. Award recipients must be present during the announcement on Friday to receive the award; recipients will be notified prior to the announcements to assure that they will be in attendance.

Best of Show Photography Award

- **donated by Myra's Studio**

- All photographs that receive a Considered for State or Outstanding Jr. placing will be eligible for the selection of the Best of Show Photography Award. This will be selected by the judges at the conclusion of the Static Exhibit Judging.
- The recipient of this award will then have the opportunity to display their photography at the Appanoose County Extension Office for the following year, at their own discretion.

Constructed Sewing/Needle Work Award

- **donated by Susan Cole**

Historical Exhibit Award

- **donated by Courtney Chapman**

Leadership Exhibit Award

- **donated by Doug & Lynn Firkins**

Recycled Exhibit Award

- **donated by Country Village Animal Clinic**

Refinished Furniture Exhibit Award

- **donated by Pat Dole**

Science, Engineering & Technology Exhibit Award

- **donated by Chariton Valley Electric**

Iowa State Fair General Rules:

This department is open to youth who are participating in 4-H Youth Development Programs conducted by Iowa State University Extension and Outreach.

All exhibitors are responsible to read and comply with the Iowa State Fair 4-H General Exhibit Rules, 4-H General Rules and Regulations, and all 4-H department exhibit class rules and regulations.

General Exhibit Rules

1. 4-H members who have completed 5th grade through 12th grade (or that equivalent) in 2024 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 member's 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. See also "4-H Department General Rules & Regulations".
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 selected at the county level to advance to the Iowa State Fair should not be part of a local auction or sold to another individual before the Iowa State Fair.
6. 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.
7. If the exhibitor chooses a display to illustrate what was learned:
 - Posters may not exceed 24 inches x 36 inches in size. (See Classes 10490 and 10530 for smaller requirements.)
 - Chart boards, graph boards, project presentation boards, model displays, etc., may not exceed 48 inches x 48 inches in size. Maximum size is determined by measuring the flat (unfolded) dimensions.
 - Display boxes may not exceed 28 inches x 22 inches in height or width and 12 inches in depth.
8. Endangered, threatened, and “special concern” plants and animals (includes insects), or songbird feathers and nests may NOT be used in any exhibit. Game animals legally taken are acceptable, with the exception of any hogs (*Sus* species) – per State Law. Live specimens of noxious weeds or invasive species are NOT permitted in any exhibit. Dried specimens are acceptable to use in exhibits, however viable noxious/invasive plant seeds shall not be included. (Links to specific information below.)
 - State-listed animals:
<https://www.legis.iowa.gov/docs/ACO/rule/571.77.2.pdf>
 - State-listed plants:
<https://www.legis.iowa.gov/docs/ACO/rule/571.77.3.pdf>
 - Iowa Noxious weed list: [Iowa Code Section 317.1A \(2022\) - Noxious weeds. :: 2022 Iowa Code :: US Codes and Statutes :: US Law :: Justia](#)
9. 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.)
10. The 4-H member’s 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 at [State Fair Evaluations Forms Labels](#) (<https://iastate.app.box.com/folder/165781615545?s=fuo1u44a07g0psi8w7swcerz6dpzjqrn>).

11. A written explanation, audio recording, or video recording is to be included as part of each exhibit. Audio or video should not be longer than 10 minutes and must be uploaded to YouTube. 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?

NOTE: Check for additional requirements in exhibit classes for clothing and fashion, food and nutrition, home improvement, photography, visual art, and 4-H poster communication classes.
12. Exhibits with a goal that better fits a different department/class will be moved to that department/class, at the discretion of the superintendent of the department.
13. All judges' decisions are final.
14. Each item in an exhibit must be securely labeled, including the name of the county, class number, and exhibitor's name.
15. No entry fee is required. The exhibit should be selected at a county event. All entries must be made in the name of the county and certified by an Extension staff member.
16. All exhibits must reach the 4-H Exhibits Building by 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 6. Counties will be assigned specific dates and times for exhibit delivery. Exceptions: Exhibitors participating in alternative evaluation/educational learning experiences will enter exhibits as determined for program participation.
17. All exhibits must remain until Sunday, August 18, and must be checked out with the department superintendents before being removed from the 4-H Exhibits Building. RELEASE TIME: 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. on Sunday, August 18 or 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. on Monday, August 19. Times and dates are subject to change. All persons picking up (one or more) exhibits must adhere to this schedule and assigned county time.

Other Exhibit Information

1. 4-H members are discouraged from sending items that have special meaning and historical value as the exhibit or part of an exhibit.
2. The Iowa State Fair and Iowa State University Extension and Outreach will use diligence to ensure the safety of articles entered for exhibition after arrival and placement. However, they will not be responsible for damage or loss by accident, fire, theft, etc.
3. The Iowa State Fair Management will in no case assume or pay transportation or delivery charges on articles sent for exhibition.
4. Counties will be awarded a pro-rata amount of travel money based on participation and distance from Des Moines instead of exhibit premium money. Distance determination will be based on the established zones as determined by the Iowa State Fair.

4-H Exhibit Building Classes

Class Descriptions

Most exhibit classes have specific guidelines and requirements that will be included in the judging process. Members are strongly encouraged to go to www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/exhibit-tip-sheets for information on judging criteria for exhibits that they create from their 4-H project learning.

ANIMALS

County Fair Quota: 2 entries per class

Class 10110 Animal Science

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

Class 10120 Veterinary Science

An exhibit that shows learning about keeping animals healthy, animal diseases, animal/human interaction, or other learning related to Veterinary Science.

AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

County Fair Quota: 2 entries per class

Class 10210 Crop Production and Plant Science

An exhibit that shows learning about growth, use, and value of field crops; plant growth; soils and soil fertility; or any other learning related to crop production and plant science.

Class 10220 Conservation, Environment, and Sustainability

An exhibit that shows the connections between humans and their environment including energy, energy conservation, stewardship, conservation, creating habitat, etc.

Class 10222 Entomology

An exhibit (excluding live specimens) that shows learning or is an outgrowth of an entomology or bee project experience. Includes specimen collections and may include products (for example: honey) or equipment as part of the display.

Class 10224 Fish and Wildlife

An exhibit that shows learning about a fish and/or wildlife project or program such as identification, habitats, harvest, taxidermy, etc. Any specimens must have been legally taken and must include information about date and location of harvest, or who the specimen was acquired from if not self-harvested. Feral pigs (including Russian/European Boar) are NOT permitted in taxidermy exhibits.

Class 10226 Forestry

An exhibit, including collections, that show learning from participation in a forestry project or program.

Class 10230 Horticulture and Plant Science

An exhibit that shows learning about the growth, use, and value of plants, soils, small fruit production, vegetable and flower gardens, plant nutrition, careers, etc. (Garden crops and herbs are exhibited in classes in the 4-H Horticulture Department under 4-H Livestock and Horticulture.)

Class 10235 Home Grounds Improvement

An exhibit that shows learning about landscape plans, selection of landscape plants, ornamental garden features, home yard improvement, storage sheds, careers, etc.

Class 10240 Outdoor Adventures

An exhibit that shows learning about backpacking, biking, camping, canoeing, fishing, hiking, or other outdoor activities.

Class 10250 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.)

Class 10260 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***(Visual Arts & Photography)***

County Fair Quota: 5 entries per class

Class 10310 Music

An exhibit that shows learning about musical performance, composition, arrangements, instruments, musical styles, or history. If submitting a video or musical arrangement, it must be uploaded to YouTube.

Class 10320 Photography

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

Photography Special Rules:

1. Photographs may be either black and white or color. Photographs must have been taken since your county fair of the previous year.
2. Photographs must be a minimum of 5 inches by 7 inches. Finished size (including mounting/matting) of single photographs may not exceed 11 inches by 14 inches. Exception: Panoramic photos must not exceed 11 inches high by 24 inches in length.
3. All photographs must be printed on photographic paper and must be mounted and/or matted. Maximum thickness of finished project must not exceed ½ inch thick.

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.
 - **4-H members are responsible for design decisions such as mounting, matting, color, and size.**
 - **Framed photographs (including floating frames) will not be judged.**
5. A series is a group of photographs [3 to 5] that are related to or tell a step-by-step story. Photographs must be mounted together and numbered in story order or sequence. Finished size of individual photographs in a series must be a minimum of 5 inches by 7 inches and should not exceed 6 inches by 8 inches.
6. Edited photos should include a copy of the photo before edits.
7. Subject matter of photographs must be in good taste and be appropriate for public display in a 4-H setting.
8. Photographs depicting unsafe practices or illegal activities will **not** be displayed.
9. Iowa State Fair 4-H photography exhibitors must use the most current Photo Exhibit Label to provide required information for photo exhibits.
10. Exhibitors entered in 4-H Photography are not eligible to exhibit in the FFA Photography Show and vice versa.

Class 10340 Creative Photography

A photographic image that was creatively edited or modified beyond reality in a creative, imaginative, and experimental way to make it more interesting and visually engaging. Could be a composite of multiple photographs.

Creative Photography Special Rules:

1. Photograph/image may be mounted/matted.
2. If mounted, photograph/image must be mounted on foam core no smaller than 5 inches in length or larger than 14 inches in length.
3. Photograph/Image can be digitally created.
4. Exhibit must have the most current Photo Exhibit Label on back with required information for photo exhibits. Exhibit write-up should include additional information about the processes and decisions used to develop the exhibit.
5. Subject matter must be in good taste and be appropriate for public display in a 4-H setting.
6. Photographs depicting unsafe practices or illegal activities will not be displayed.

Class 10345 Photography Idea/Educational Display

An exhibit that demonstrates learning about photography that does not fit into any previous photography class. This class may include educational displays about printing, processing, editing, marketing, branding, merchandising, etc., as it relates to photography. Display board size may not exceed 48 inches by 48 inches.

Class 10540 Digital Storytelling

(Entries will be entered through Personal Development Class 10540)

An exhibit that demonstrates the application of technology to produce a creative film/movie/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. Finished film/movie/video must be uploaded to YouTube.

Class 10350 Visual Arts: Original Art

An exhibit that shows learning through creation of original art. Original art is a one-of-a-kind, non-replicable design of your creation. By using one medium or a combination, an individual creates an authentic work of art that is not recognizable as another's work. You must explain the application of the most relevant design elements(s) and art principle(s) featured in this exhibit. Describe your inspirations, reasons, feelings, and/or motives for creating this work of art.

Class 10355 Visuals Arts: Design, Process or Technique Exploration

This class emphasizes process and provides the opportunity to explore a medium, practice a skill, or study and apply elements and principles of art and design. An explanation of the application of design elements or art principles used when making the exhibit must be included. This exhibit may be an object, portfolio, display, poster, or organized sketchbook. If a non-original design source is used, its origin (where the idea was found, any pictures, sketches, etc.) must be credited, acknowledged, or have copyright permission obtained. See Visual Arts Special Rule #5 and #6.

Class 10360 Visual Arts: Other Visual Art Ideas/Topics

Exhibits might include the study and research about an individual artist, style, craft, business or marketing process, planning group tour, career options, etc.

Visual Arts Special Rules:

1. Items entered for exhibition at the Iowa State Fair must be ready for display in the home, gallery, or intended final display location: pictures framed, wall hangings and pictures ready to hang, etc. Make sure hangers are strong enough to support the item. Command Strips or other quick attach products are usually not adequate hangers. Items not ready for display will be dropped one ribbon placing.

2. 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.
3. If the exhibit is a finished art object, the source of inspiration of the design, design sketches, or other process for creating the object and design must be included. For additional information, see the Visual Arts and Design Elements & Art Principles Exhibit Tip Sheets at www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/exhibit-tip-sheets.
4. If the exhibit is a finished art object, information must be included explaining the application of design elements and art principles used in creation of the work.
5. 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.
6. Exhibition of derivative works created by a 4-H member 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 <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/visual-art>.

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

County Fair Quota: 5 entries per class

Class 10410 Child Development

An exhibit that shows learning about children. An exhibit could include careers in child development, caring for children with special needs, childcare, growth and development, or safety and health. An exhibit that includes items for use with children, such as babysitting kits, books, learning games, or toys, must include information about what you have learned about children while creating and using the exhibit OR what the child/children learned from their use of the item(s) in the exhibit.

Class 10420 Clothing and Fashion: Constructed/Sewn Garments and Accessories

A constructed garment or accessory (sewn, knitted, crocheted, or other process) that shows learning about style, fashion, design, thrifty spending, wardrobe planning, types of fabrics, and/or clothing care. Exhibits must be intended to be worn by humans.

Class 10422 Clothing and Fashion: Purchased Garments and Accessories

Purchased garments or accessories that show learning about style, fashion, design, thrifty spending, wardrobe planning, types of fabrics, and/or clothing care. Exhibits must be intended to be worn by humans.

Class 10424 Clothing and Fashion: Other Ideas/Educational Exhibits

Any other educational exhibit that shows learning about clothing and fashion including design illustrations, exploration of clothing styles, careers, clothing care, etc.

Clothing and Fashion Special Rules:

1. Outfits or accessories which will be worn during the Awardrobe Clothing Event may not be entered as a 4-H Iowa State Fair exhibit.
2. Exhibits in classes 10420 and 10422 must include information about application of design elements and art principles. Exhibits in class 10424 should include information about application of design elements and art principles if appropriate for the exhibit.

Class 10430 Consumer Management

An exhibit that shows learning through savvy budgeting, comparison shopping, money management, or consumer rights and responsibilities.

Class 10440 Food and Nutrition: Prepared Product

An exhibit of a prepared food product that shows skills or learning about cooking, baking, eating and choosing healthy foods, or safety practices through the making of a prepared food product. See *Food and Nutrition Special Rules below and HS 76 “Foods for Iowa 4-H Fairs – Quick Reference Guide”* at

<https://store.extension.iastate.edu/product/6434> for additional information regarding prepared food products.

Display boxes are not allowed for prepared products at the Iowa State Fair.

Class 10442 Food and Nutrition: Preserved Product

An exhibit of a preserved food product that shows skills or learning about food preservation through the making of a prepared or preserved food product. Processed honey may be exhibited in this class. See *Food and Nutrition Special Rules below and HS 76 “Foods for Iowa 4-H Fairs – Quick Reference Guide”* at

<https://store.extension.iastate.edu/product/6434> for additional information regarding preserved food products.

Class 10445 Food and Nutrition: Educational Display

An educational exhibit (poster, report, display) that shows skills or learning about cooking, baking, eating, and choosing healthy foods, meal planning/preparation and service, safety practices, or food preservation. See *Food and Nutrition Special Rules below and HS 76 “Foods for Iowa 4-H Fairs – Quick Reference Guide”* at

<https://store.extension.iastate.edu/product/6434> for additional information regarding prepared and preserved food products.

Exhibits showing learning about meal planning and service must include a menu.

Food and 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 or preserved food exhibit, including the source of the recipe.
7. Preserved foods must include the Preserved Food 4-H Exhibit Label. Only food processed after August 1, 2023, is acceptable. Current USDA and/or Iowa State University guidelines for home food preservation must be used. Processed honey must include the Honey Label for 4-H Exhibits.
8. Preserved foods 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.
9. Prepared foods should be placed on a firm disposable plate or flat cardboard. Place food product exhibit in a re-closable plastic bag with entry tag fastened outside the bag. Recommended number of items to include with the exhibit:
 - Cookies, cupcakes, bars, muffins, rolls, etc. – four (4) to six (6) items
 - Cakes, loafs, pies, etc. – one (1) whole product
10. The use of alcoholic beverages in the preparation or production of 4-H food exhibits is NOT permitted.

Class 10450 Health

An exhibit that shows learning through food choices, physical activity, safe activities, skills such as first aid and CPR, careers, and/or healthy lifestyle choices.

Class 10460 Home Improvement

An exhibit that shows learning in planning, improving, and caring for your home living space, including extended personal living areas immediately adjacent to the home. Exhibits may include new or refinished/reclaimed/restored items. Exhibits showing learning about home design, furniture, home accessories, and fabrics must include information about how design elements and art principles were applied.

Home Improvement Special Rules:

1. Items entered for exhibition at the Iowa State Fair must be ready for display in the home: pictures framed, wall hangings and pictures ready to hang, etc. Make sure hangers are strong enough to support the item. Command Strips or other quick attach products are usually not adequate hangers. Items not ready for display will be dropped one ribbon placing.
2. Exhibit write-up/information must include source of inspiration and/or references indicating where the idea or information was obtained, giving credit to original author(s), designer(s), artist(s).

Class 10470 Sewing and Needle Arts

A constructed item (sewn, knitted, crocheted, or other process) that shows learning and skill in sewing, knitting, crocheting, or other needle arts. May include the construction of household items such as pillowcases, curtains, table runners, quilts, wall hangings, etc. Exhibits in this class are not intended to be worn by humans.

Class 10472 Sewing and Needle Arts: Other Ideas/Educational Exhibits

Any other educational exhibit that shows learning about sewing and needle arts including construction techniques, use and care of fabrics and fibers, design illustrations, decorative processes, careers, etc.

NOTE: Exhibits in classes 10470 and 10472 should include information about application of design elements and art principles if appropriate for the exhibit.

Class 10480 Other Family and Consumer Science

An exhibit that demonstrates learning about a family and consumer science topic that does not fit any other Family and Consumer Science class listed.

Special Exhibition: Thrifty Meal Challenge

Class 10490 Thrifty Meal Challenge

Create a balanced, nutritious meal for family of four (4) that includes a serving from each of the five food groups with a budget of \$11.

Thrifty Meal Challenge Special Rules:

1. Each county may advance one (1) exhibit in this class to the Iowa State Fair.
2. All entries will receive an evaluation and ribbon.
3. Exhibit may be from an individual or group effort.
4. The total expense on receipt(s) must not exceed \$11.
5. The meal must serve four (4) people, with a serving for each person from each of the five (5) food groups: Fruit, Vegetable, Protein, Grain, and Dairy.
 - a. Recommended portion sizes per person: ½ cup fruit, ½ cup vegetable, 3 ounces protein, 1-2 ounces grain, 1 cup equivalent dairy.

- b. If there is a dairy allergy, you may substitute it with a calcium-rich item, but you will need to indicate the allergy and identify how the item substituted provides enough calcium.
6. The exhibit will be a poster (maximum size 20 inches x 30 inches) that includes:
 - a. A copy of the Thrifty Meal Challenge Worksheet attached to the back of the poster.
 - b. The menu, the outline of food items, and appropriate portion sizes for each food item.
 - c. Meal type (breakfast, lunch, or dinner)
 - d. Copy of receipts (up to 2)
 - e. Photos of the experience: grocery shopping, food preparation, and prepared meal.

For more information about this special challenge, please go to <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/meal-challenge>.

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

County Fair Quota: A total of 5 entries

Class 10510 Citizenship and Civic Engagement

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

Class 10520 Communication

An exhibit that shows learning about written, oral, or visual communication skills. Includes learning from participation in Theatre Arts projects or programs such as puppets, stage design, etc. May include original creative writing, poetry, fiction, non-fiction, etc. If finished exhibit includes audio or video, it must be uploaded to YouTube.

Class 10530 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 members interpretation)
- Join 4-H
- I <3 4-H (2023 National 4-H Week theme)
- Explore the Jungle of Opportunities in 4-H (variation of 2024 Iowa 4-H Youth Conference theme)
- 4-H Fever (variation of 2024 Iowa State Fair theme)

Poster Communication Special Rules:

1. Only one (1) poster per 4-H member may be entered. Limit of two posters per county can advance to the Iowa State Fair.
2. All posters must be designed on, or affixed to, standard poster board or foam core board: size minimum of 14 inches x 20 inches or maximum of 15 inches x 22 inches.

3. Posters may be vertical or horizontal. Posters may be any medium: watercolor, ink, crayon, acrylic, charcoal, oils, collage, etc.
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 Youth Conference theme logo.
7. 4-H members may include the 4-H clover in the poster.
8. All 4-H Communication Posters will receive Certificates of Recognition and written evaluation comments. Outstanding posters will receive Seals of Merit. Superior posters will receive Seals of Excellence.

Class 10540 Digital Storytelling

(See also Creative Arts)

An exhibit that demonstrates the application of technology to produce a creative film/movie/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. Finished film/movie/video must be uploaded to YouTube.

Class 10550 Leadership

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

Class 10560 Self-Determined

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

Personal Development Special Rule:

1. Exhibits entered in the Personal Development classes should include reflection by the 4-H member stating how they personally grew or benefited from the exhibit. Why was this exhibit important to them as a person?

SCIENCE, ENGINEERING, AND TECHNOLOGY (SET)

County Fair Quota: 2 entries per class

Class 10610 Mechanics

An exhibit that shows skills or learning about general mechanics or engineering solutions or that involve a combination of skills.

Class 10612 Automotive

Repaired or restored vehicle. (**Note: vehicles will be on display at the Iowa State Fair one day only, tentatively Thursday, August 8.**)

Class 10613 Automotive: Educational Display

An exhibit that shows learning about an automotive idea including automotive maintenance, auto operations, auto safety, or automotive systems.

Class 10614 Electric

Constructed or repaired article or educational display that shows skills or learning about electric wiring, appliances, lighting, electrical energy sources, safety, etc.

Class 10615 Small Engine

Repaired or restored operating engine or educational display or other type of exhibit that shows skills or learning about small engines. This class includes repaired or restored lawn tractors, small motorcycles, go-karts, etc.

Class 10616 Tractor

Repaired or restored tractor. Note: A conference judging opportunity for exhibitors of repaired or restored tractors in Class 10616 will be offered during exhibit check-in. (Conference judging may not be available during all check-in times.) Tractors will be displayed outside throughout the Iowa State Fair. Release time Sunday, August 18, after 7 p.m.

Class 10617 Tractor: Educational Display

An exhibit that shows learning related to tractors, tractor mechanics, tractor operations, or tractor safety.

Class 10618 Welding

Constructed item or educational display that shows skills or learning about welding.

Class 10620 Woodworking

An 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.

Class 10630 Science, Engineering, and Technology

An 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 and networking, earth and climate, geospatial mapping (GPS/GIS), or any other application of science, engineering, or technology.

Class 10632 Aerospace

Educational display or other exhibit (including flyable models) showing learning about an aerospace idea or topic.

Class 10634 Robotics

Educational display or other exhibit (including working robots) showing learning about robotics and robotic systems.

Science, Engineering, and Technology Special Rule:

1. Exhibitors entered in the 4-H Science, Engineering, and Technology classes are not eligible to exhibit in similar FFA Ag Mechanics classes and vice versa.

COUNTY ONLY CREATIVE ARTS

County Fair Quota: 5 entries per exhibitor

1. This is a county only class.
2. This class is designed for any creative project that is completed in the current 4-H year. These may be indoor or outdoor exhibits.
3. Items determined to fit State Fair criteria for the Visual Arts classes, may be switched to the appropriate Visual Art Class.
4. A total of ten top-quality exhibits may be selected for the “Creativity Showcase” display at the County Fair. At the judge’s discretion, only those items that are deemed to be outstanding will be selected for the showcase. The number selected may be less than ten.
5. A person may have no more than 2 exhibits selected for the showcase.
6. A write-up answering the following questions must accompany each exhibit entered in this class. To distinguish these exhibits as county only, these questions must be on pink paper. (Available from the Extension Office.)
 - a. What was/were your goal(s)?
 - b. How did you go about working toward your goal(s)?
 - c. What were the most important things you learned as you worked toward your goal(s)?
 - d. Do you have ideas of what you would like to do in this project area next year?
7. Copyright logos, designs, or trademark materials should not be used for creative art exhibits on public display at a fair or other setting without written permission. A copy of the written permission must be attached to display.
8. Noxious weeds, endangered or threatened wildflowers, nests, and small songbird feathers should NOT be used in any exhibit. Pheasant, duck, goose, and quail feathers “legally taken” are acceptable.
9. Evaluation will be on design of the article, workmanship and on what was learned.
10. Entries may be made of paper, fiber, clay, leather, textiles, wood, glass or plastic, metal, chalk, carbon & pigment, nature materials, other creative art, and creative recycling.

4-H COMMUNICATION EVENT

County Fair Quota: 1 entry per class

This department is open to youth who are participating in the 4-H Youth Development programs conducted by Iowa State University Extension and Outreach.

All participants are responsible for reading and complying with the Iowa State Fair Communication Event program rules, 4-H General Rules and Regulations, and specific class rules and regulations.

PURPOSE: The Communication Event Program provides opportunities for 4-H youth to develop their personal communication skills by sharing talents, knowledge, or information with others. The events provide a series of developmental experiences for different age levels.

General Communication Event Rules and Regulations

1. The Appanoose County 4-H Communications Event is open to all 4-H members (4th-12th grade). 4-H members who have completed 5th grade through 12th grade (or that equivalent) in 2024 are eligible to participate at the Iowa State Fair. Exception: Share-The-Fun and Extemporaneous Speaking - See class rules for age guidelines.
2. Educational Presentations and Working Exhibits may be given by one or more 4-H members. Teams consisting of youth of mixed grades will be subject to the time limits based on the grade of the member in the highest grade level (i.e., a team with a 5th grader and an 8th grader will use the times for the intermediate/senior class).
3. Topics selected by the 4-H member(s) should be an outgrowth of their 4-H experience(s). Topics should be appropriate for presentation to a general audience.
4. Participants in the 4-H Communication Program are expected to wear appropriate clothing representative of the 4-H Youth Program and/or the topic of the presentation.
5. 4-H members must use sanitary and safe procedures and methods at all times. Educational Presentations and Working Exhibits involving food must follow established food safety guidelines.
6. Stickers are not allowed in the 4-H Exhibits Building. Stickers may not be used in any Communication Event for any reason.
7. If live animals will be used as part of a Communication Event, the exhibitor must comply with the 2024 Health Requirements for the Exhibition of Livestock, Poultry and Birds at State Fair, District Shows and Exhibitions. This can be found at <https://iowaagriculture.gov/animal-industry-bureau/animal-admission-health-requirements>. Animals that do not comply will not be allowed in the 4-H Exhibits Building or on the Iowa State Fairgrounds.
8. All participants are expected to comply with all copyright/trademark regulations. Copyrighted material may not be distributed without permission.

Class 11100 Educational Presentation

Provide an opportunity for 4-H members to demonstrate communication skills by presenting knowledge, information, or a process to an audience.

Educational Presentation Rules

1. Time limit: Junior Presentations (4th, 5th and 6th grade) must not exceed 15 minutes. Intermediate/Senior Presentations (7th - 12th grade) must not exceed 20 minutes. Presenters will be verbally told to "STOP" when they exceed the time limit.
2. Participants must turn in a completed Educational Presentation Report form during event check-in.
3. 4-H members may participate in one Educational Presentation per year.
4. **Presentation content must be the original work of the presenter(s).** Extensive paraphrasing from other sources is prohibited. Use of brief quotations or excerpts of from other work(s) is permitted provided the source is identified.
5. A judge's critique/conference with each participant will be included.

Class 11200 Working Exhibit

Provide an opportunity for 4-H members to communicate, interact with, and teach an audience in an informal and experiential way.

Working Exhibit Rules

1. Time limit: All participants/teams will be scheduled for a 30-minute period.
2. Participants must turn in a completed Working Exhibit Report form during event check-in.
3. 4-H members may participate in one Working Exhibit per year.
4. A judge's critique/conference with each participant will be included.

Class 11300 Share-The-Fun

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

Share-The-Fun Rules

1. Eligibility for the Iowa State Fair: 4-H members who have completed 5th grade through 12th grade (or that equivalent) in 2024.
Exception: If the Share-The-Fun act involves a whole club, the following criteria must be applied to determine if the club can be entered in the Share-The-Fun Program at the Iowa State Fair:
 - At least 80 percent of the performing group must have completed 5th through 12th grade in 2023.
 - Clover Kids are not eligible to participate at the Iowa State Fair.
2. Share-The-Fun performances must not exceed six (6) minutes in length.
3. Skits, songs, stunts, short one-act plays, dance, and other entertainment are acceptable. All performances must be appropriate for presentation to a general audience.

4. All acts must turn in a completed 4-H Share-The-Fun Report form at event check-in to confirm stage setup, cue music, etc.
5. General judge's comments for the entire show will occur at the Iowa State Fair. No individual conference with the judge will occur.

Class 11400 Extemporaneous Speaking

Encourage the development of communication skills by providing an opportunity to think, organize thoughts, prepare a speech, and respond to questions when given a limited amount of preparation time.

Extemporaneous Speaking Rules

1. Participants must be senior 4-H members - completed 9th through 12th grade (or that equivalent) in 2024.
2. Each county may enter a maximum of two (2) entries; individuals may participate once per year at the Iowa State Fair.
3. Program format:
 - a. Thirty minutes before the speech, each participant will draw three of the available topics, selecting one to speak on.
 - The selected topic will not be available to the other participants in the speaker's assigned room. The general nature of the topics will relate to 4-H. The other two topics drawn but not chosen will be returned to the available topics for the other participants.
 - b. A preparation room is to be used with one participant per speaking site admitted initially and one additional participant per speaking site admitted each 15 minutes as the program progresses. A participant may not leave the preparation room until it is time to speak, nor may a participant receive help from a parent, leader, other adult, or any other youth. A program official will assist participants with the time requirements.
 - c. All reference material will be screened by a program official on the following basis:
 - Participant may bring their own books, magazines, or newspaper clippings for reference during the thirty minutes of preparation.
 - Reference material must be printed material such as books or magazines (cannot be notes, outlines, or speeches prepared by the participant or by another person for use in this program).
 - Some relevant reference material will be available in the preparation room. This material will consist of historical material related to the 4-H program.

- d. Each speech shall be the result of the 4-H members own efforts using approved reference material that a participant may bring to the preparation room. No other assistance may be provided. Plain note cards will be provided for each participant in the preparation room. If notes are used, the note cards provided must be used in delivering the speech.
 - e. Only notes made during the preparation period may be used.
 - f. Each speech shall be not less than four but no more than six minutes with five minutes additional time allowed for related questions, which shall be asked by the judge. The participant will be shown timecards in an ascending order (1, 2, 3, 4, 5) by the timekeeper. "Stop" will be said at six minutes.
 - g. The program timekeeper will introduce each participant by name, the county they represent, and read the selected question.
 - h. Participants are not permitted to use any props, gadgets, posters, or audiovisuals of any sort. A podium will not be available.
4. Speeches will be evaluated using the following criteria:

a. Content related to topic	e. Voice
b. Knowledge of the subject	f. Stage presence
c. Organization of material	g. General effect
d. Power of expression	h. Response to questions
 5. A judge's critique/conference with each participant will be included.

Class 10530 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 members interpretation)
- Join 4-H
- I <3 4-H (2023 National 4-H Week theme)
- Explore the Jungle of Opportunities in 4-H (variation of 2024 Iowa 4-H Youth Conference theme)
- 4-H Fever (variation of 2024 Iowa State Fair theme)

Poster Communication Special Rules:

1. Only one (1) poster per 4-H member may be entered. Limit of two posters per county.
2. All posters must be designed on, or affixed to, standard poster board or foam core board: size minimum of 14 inches x 20 inches or maximum of 15 inches x 22 inches.
3. Posters may be vertical or horizontal. Posters may be any medium: watercolor, ink, crayon, acrylic, charcoal, oils, collage, etc.
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 Youth Conference theme logo.
7. 4-H members may include the 4-H clover in the poster.
8. All 4-H Communication Posters will receive Certificates of Recognition and written evaluation comments. Outstanding posters will receive Seals of Merit. Superior posters will receive Seals of Excellence.

4-H AWARDBOBE CLOTHING EVENT

County Fair Quota: 1 entry per class

General Overview

1. Each county may send the following number of participants in each class to represent their county at the Iowa State Fair, selected from each of the county's events:
 - a. Fashion Revue Class: Four participants total with no more than two (2) participants with an entry in any given category (athletic wear, formal wear, everyday wear, costume).
 - b. \$20 Challenge Class: Four participants total with no more than two (2) participants with an entry in any given category (athletic wear, formal wear, everyday wear, costume).
 - c. Clothing Selection Class: Four participants total with no more than two (2) participants with an entry in any given category (athletic wear, formal wear, everyday wear, costume).
 - d. Innovative Design Class: Four participants total with no more than two (2) participants with an entry in any given category (athletic wear, formal wear, everyday wear, costume).
2. The categories in each class are simply for entry limit purposes. All entries in each class will be judged together.
3. Iowa State Fair Participants must be in the senior 4-H designated level (completed grades 9 – 12 the same year as the event).
4. Outfits or accessories which will be worn during the State 4-H Awardrobe Clothing Event may not be entered as another 4-H Iowa State Fair exhibit.
5. Participants must bring the garment or outfit they purchased or created, and accessories, to the 4-H Awardrobe Clothing Event.
6. Participants should submit only the materials requested for each class (report form and photo – for ALL classes - plus a receipt for \$20 challenge). If additional materials are sent with the entry or brought to the conference judging, they will not be considered. Pages added to the report form will not be considered.

Fashion Revue

Class 12100-1 Jr. Fashion Revue

Class 12100-2 Int. Fashion Revue

Class 12100-3 Sr. Fashion Revue

1. The purpose of this class is to encourage the construction of a personal garment or outfit.
2. Consideration is given to fit, color, style, suitability, quality of construction, stage presentation, and required care.
3. Youth participants will model a garment or outfit they constructed, hand-knitted, machine-knitted, or crocheted during the current 4-H year.
4. A garment or outfit consists of one to three pieces such as, but not limited to, party clothes, tailored suits, vest, slacks, shirt, skirt, active sportswear, and/or coats.
5. Blouses, shirts, and sweaters are usually considered garments. If they are used to complete an outfit, they may be constructed or selected.
6. All other accessories and undergarments may be constructed or selected.

Clothing Selection

Class 12200-1 Jr. Clothing Selection

Class 12200-2 Int. Clothing Selection

Class 12200-3 Sr. Clothing Selection

1. The purpose of this class is to select and/or purchase an outfit that represents the 4-H member's goal or intended use for the selected outfit.
2. Judging is based on fit, color, style, suitability, quality and construction features, stage presentation, required care, and cost comparison.
3. There is no consideration in the judging on the amount spent, only in the process of record keeping and reflection on the cost of the individual items as a part of the process.
4. Outfits may be purchased at a department store, boutique, online store, sidewalk sales, retail shops or mall stores. Outfits may also be purchased at garage sales or other secondhand venues at any price point. Outfits may be gifts, hand-me-downs, relative or friend's modern or vintage clothing, or existing personal clothing, as long as the 4-H member selected the item as part of this specific outfit for the stated purpose.
5. Home-sewn clothing that was not sewn specifically for the participant are acceptable, such as purchases from a used clothing store.

The \$20 Challenge

Class 12300-1 Jr. \$20 Challenge

Class 12300-2 Int. \$20 Challenge

Class 12300-3 Sr. \$20 Challenge

1. This class is designed to expand the 4-H member's shopping experience to shopping venues emphasizing recycling, reducing, and reusing. Outfits must be purchased at a garage sale, consignment store, thrift store, secondhand store, or similar place.
2. Online venues are allowed and must be second-hand in nature. Shipping and handling are not included in the total calculations.
3. Traditional shopping venues may not be used, regardless of a low regular or sale price. Hand-me-downs or clothing as gifts do not qualify for this class.
4. Twenty dollars is the purchase price limit including tax. However, some secondhand stores and venues do not typically charge sales tax.
5. Receipt(s) for every item included as a part of the calculated total must be submitted with the entry. A garage sale receipt can be a piece of paper with the name of the location such as "Jane Doe garage sale", date, amount paid, and signature of person selling at the garage sale. If the outfit was free at a garage sale, "free" can be listed on the report form and on the receipt. Failure to provide receipts will be reflected in the evaluation.
6. An outfit consists of major clothing pieces such as a shirt, sweater, jacket, and pants and/or a dress. Shoes, undergarments, and accessories are not included in the \$20 purchase price limit.
7. Alterations are permitted to achieve a desired look or fit.
8. There are no additional considerations for an outfit that totals less than \$20.
9. The outfit pieces should be purchased to meet the 4-H member's goal or intended use for the purchased outfit, and the 4-H member should have had an experience in choosing shopping alternatives, evaluating fit, quality and construction features, price, and cost comparison.

Innovative Design

Class 12400-1 Jr. Innovative Design

Class 12400-2 Int. Innovative Design

Class 12400-3 Sr. Innovative Design

1. The purpose of this class is to encourage creativity and out-of-the-box thinking when creating an outfit.
2. These designs can be theatrical costumes, cosplay, wearable technology, sustainable/upcycled fashion, accessible fashion, and/or outfits that use unconventional materials.
3. The outfit must be showcased as a worn garment modeled by the exhibitor or by the individual that it was designed for.
4. Exhibitors may make their garment entirely, or permanently alter the silhouette of pre-existing materials through some method of permanent alteration or addition.
5. Consideration is given to originality and innovation.

CLOVER KIDS EXHIBITS

K-3rd Grade

County Fair Quota: Limited to 2 exhibits per exhibitor

1. Open to all youth in kindergarten (K) through third (3rd) grade in Appanoose County who are enrolled in Clover Kids.
2. All exhibits must be made by the Clover Kid with little or no adult help. (Entries may be made in school, at day care, or at home.)
3. All entries will receive a participation ribbon and will be exhibited at the Appanoose County Fair until the end of the fair week.—No Trophies.
4. Clover Kids will be asked to explain how they made the exhibit as it is entered.
5. The Appanoose County Extension Office and the Appanoose County Fair Board will use diligence to ensure the safety of all exhibits entered at the Appanoose County Fair, however we are not responsible for damage or loss by fire, theft, etc.
6. Will not be eligible for exhibiting at the Iowa State Fair.
7. Exhibits entered may be in any of the following categories:

A. Food & Nutrition

Any food exhibit that has been made by the Clover Kid.

NOTICE: Items that need to be refrigerated should not be brought, since the food will be on display for several days.

B. Visual Arts

Any exhibit that is an art exhibit including drawings, paintings, craft items, etc.

C. Sewing

Any exhibit that has been sewn by the Clover Kid, including clothing, furnishings, toys, etc.

D. Home Improvement

Any exhibit created by the Clover Kid that can be used to decorate a home, including knick-knacks, furniture, pillows, storage, etc.

E. Photography

Any exhibit that involves a photography taken by a Clover Kid.

F. Other

Any exhibit that does not fall under any of the above areas.

Open Class Exhibits



OPEN CLASS RULES & REGULATIONS

Entries

1. Entries are to be made in the Exhibit Building starting at 8:00 a.m., Monday, July 15th, 2024.
2. See separate classes for closing dates and times.
3. Entries shall be under the control of Board of Directors during the fair, but the fair association will not be responsible for any loss or damage which may occur.
4. Superintendents of all divisions are in charge of their department and have the right to ban any article if rules and regulations are violated.
5. Only one entry is allowed in the same class by the same exhibitor.
6. Open Class exhibitor number can be obtained in the Exhibit Building prior to entering your items.

Exhibitors

1. Competition will be for exhibitors living in Appanoose County, unless otherwise stated.
2. Exhibits may be removed from 8:00-10:00 p.m. on Friday, July 19th and from 8:00-10:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 20th.
3. All decisions of the judges are final.
4. The fair board is not responsible for any damage or harm or theft of any exhibit, exhibitor, or exhibitor's property.

OPEN CLASS FRUITS, VEGETABLES & FIELD CROPS

Entry closes at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, July 15th, 2024

Judging will take place at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 16th, 2024

Release time: 8:00-10:00 p.m. on Friday, July 19th, 2024
and 8:00-10:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 20th, 2024

- A. All exhibits shown in this department **must have been grown by the exhibitor** or entered by someone who has taken active part in the work, and must not have been shown previously at the Fair to compete for prizes.
- B. This department is open to anyone growing fruits, vegetables, and/or farm crops in county or surrounding area, and to 4-H and FFA exhibitors.
- C. Exhibitors may attach their names to their exhibits after awards have been made.
- D. All entries must conform to the correct number of amounts listed.
- E. The fair will not be responsible for any exhibitors or display.
- F. All varieties must be true to name. If you are not sure of variety, enter under "other".

- G. Entries will be unacceptable in the fruits and vegetables class if overripe, peeled, or unclean. All must be high in quality; the superintendents reserve the right not to accept them for exhibit.
- H. Prepare fruits and vegetables as for market. Do not trim tops too close on root crops (1 inch to 1 ½ inches is best) or trim or peel cabbage too close — uniformity and quality are main points.
- I. Best of Show: Ribbons will be presented to the overall winners in each of the following divisions:
 - Corn Crop — Entries from Division 102
 - Field Crop — Entries from Division 103 & 104
 - Forage & Sheaf Grains — Entries from Division 105
 - Fruits — Entries from Divisions 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111 & 118
 - Vegetables — Entries from Divisions 112, 113 & 114
 - Herbs — Entries from Division 116

Division 102 — Corn Crop

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| 1. Yellow — 6 ears | 8. Sweet Yellow — 6 ears |
| 2. White — 6 ears | 9. Sweet White — 6 ears |
| 3. Yellow — single | 10. Popcorn Yellow — 6 ears |
| 4. White — single | 11. Popcorn (Jap Hulless) — 6 ears |
| 5. Largest — any variety | 12. Popcorn White — 6 ears |
| 6. Unusual | 13. Tallest Sweet Corn |
| 7. Tallest Stalk Corn | 14. Other |

Division 103 — Small Grain Seed

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| 1. Oats, White | 4. Corn |
| 2. Oats, Yellow | 5. Wheat |
| 3. Soybeans | 6. Other |

Division 104 — Meadow and Pasture Seeds

Quantity required is 1 quart in a glass jar

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| 1. Alfalfa | 9. Lespedeza |
| 2. Birdsfoot Trefoil | 10. Orchard grass |
| 3. Brome | 11. Reeds' Canary |
| 4. Blue Grass | 12. Red Top |
| 5. Clover, Alsike | 13. Timothy |
| 6. Clover, Ladino | 14. Fescue |
| 7. Clover, Red | 15. Switch Grass |
| 8. Clover, Sweet | 16. Other |

Division 105 — Forage & Sheaf Grass

Samples to be shown in sheaves, 3 inches in diameter at center bands, can be cured or green.

1. Alfalfa
2. Birdsfoot Trefoil
3. Blue Grass
4. Brome
5. Clover, Alfalfa
6. Clover, Emerson
7. Clover, Ladino
8. Clover, Red
9. Clover, Sweet
10. Clover, White Dutch
11. Oats
12. Orchard grass
13. Red Top
14. Reeds' Canary
15. Rye
16. Soybeans
17. Timothy
18. Cane or Sorghum
19. Wheat
20. Switch Grass
21. Other

Division 106 — Apples

(Plate of 5)

1. Anoka
2. Ben Davis or Gano
3. Crab
4. Dolga Crab
5. Whitney Crab
6. Duchess
7. Grimes Golden
8. Jonathan
9. Maiden Blush
10. Red Delicious
11. Red June
12. Roman Beauty
13. McIntosh
14. Jonidel
15. Snow Apple
16. Stayman
17. Wealthy
18. Winesap
19. Yellow Transparent
20. York
21. Early Harvest
22. Best plate of 5, including 3 or more varieties
23. Other

Division 107 — Pears

(Plate of 5)

1. Bartlett
2. Keiffer
3. Lincoln
4. Best plate of 5, including 3 or more varieties
5. Other

Division 108 — Peaches

(Plate of 5)

1. Champion
2. Elberta
3. Pollu
4. Hale
5. Haven
6. Reliance
7. Best plate of 5, including 3 or more varieties
8. Other

Division 109 — Plums

(Plate of 5)

1. Blue Damson
2. Green Gage
3. Terry
4. Waneta
5. Yellow
6. Best Plate of 5, including 3 or more varieties
7. Other

Division 110 — Grapes

(3 Bunches)

1. Blue
2. White
3. Best plate of 3 bunches, including 3 or more varieties
4. Other

Division 111 — Berries

(1/2 Pint)

1. Strawberries
2. Raspberries
3. Boysenberries
4. Blackberries
5. Cherries
6. Gooseberries
7. Fruit display of 4 or more varieties (displayed in a small flat or basket)
8. Other

Division 112 — Potatoes

1. Red — 3 Specimen
2. White — 3 Specimen
3. Sweet — 3 Specimen
4. Golden Youkon — 3 Specimen
5. Other

Division 113 — Other Root Crops

1. Beets, 3 specimens
— 1 ½ to 3 inches in diameter
2. Carrots, 3 — 1 to 1 ½ inches at crown
3. Onion, Red — 1
4. Onion, Yellow — 3
5. Onion, White — 3
6. Onion — 1 largest
7. Parsnips — 3
8. Turnips — 3
9. Garlic — 3 specimens
10. Salsify — 3 Roots
11. Other

Division 114 — Table Vegetables

1. Beans, green — 6 pods
2. Beans, yellow — 6 pods
3. Beans, shelled
— 6 pods
4. Beans, Lima — 6 pods
5. Beans, Horticulture
— 6 pods
6. Broccoli — 1 head
7. Cauliflower — 1 head
8. Cucumbers
 - a. Pickle size,
2-3 inches — 5 plate
 - b. Dill size — 2 plate
 - c. Slicing — 2 plate
9. Cabbage, green
— 1 head
10. Cabbage, red — 1 head
11. Eggplant — 1 specimen
12. Kohlrabi
— 2 specimens
13. Muskmelon — 1
14. Okra — 3 specimens
15. Peas — 6 pods
16. Peppers, Hot — 5 plate
17. Pepper, Sweet — 2
18. Peppers, Bell — 2
19. Rhubarb — 3 stalks
20. Greens, any kind
— 6 springs
21. Squash, acorn — 2
22. Squash, banana — 2
23. Squash, Buttercup — 2
24. Squash, Hubbard — 2
25. Squash, yellow crooked neck — 2
26. Squash, straight neck — 2
27. Squash, butternut — 2
28. Squash, Kinshaw — 2
29. Squash, Spaghetti — 2
30. Squash, summer — 2 specimens
31. Winter Squash — 1 specimen
32. Tomato, Red — 3 on a plate
(stems off)
33. Tomato, Yellow — 3 on a plate
(stems off)
34. Tomato, Cherry tomatoes
— 10 specimens
35. Tomato, Grape — 10 specimens
36. Tomato, Roma tomatoes
— 3 plate
37. Vegetable Varieties
(18" x 18" Container)
38. Watermelon — 1
39. Zucchini — 2
40. Pumpkin — 1
41. Sweet Corn — 6 ears
42. Other

Division 115 — Funny or Unusual Fruits & Vegetables

1. Unusual shapes or sizes
2. Decorated
3. Other

Division 116 — Herbs

2 heads in small jar of water — 10" to 12" stems

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| 1. Dill | 6. Oregano |
| 2. Sage | 7. Rosemary |
| 3. Parsley | 8. Thyme |
| 4. Basil | 9. Other |
| 5. Mint | |

Division 117 — Gourds

4 per display

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| 1. Jack-B-Little | 4. Dipper |
| 2. Baby Boo Boo | 5. Turbin |
| 3. Birdhouse | 6. Other |

Division 118 — Apricots

4 per display

1. Apricots

HOME ECONOMICS

OPEN CLASS CULINARY ARTS

Entry closes at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, July 15th, 2024
and continues 8:00-10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 16th, 2024
Judging will take place at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 16th, 2024
Release time: 8:00-10:00 p.m. on Friday, July 19th, 2024
and 8:00-10:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 20th, 2024

- A. Entries open to both rural and urban exhibitors.
- B. Only one entry is allowed in the same class by the same exhibitor.

BAKED DIVISION

*Entries to be wrapped baggies and twist ties and displayed on paper plates.

Division 120 — Bread

(No mixes) — Include Recipe

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| 1. Gingerbread | 10. White Rolls — 4 |
| 2. Cornbread | 11. Whole Wheat Rolls — 4 |
| 3. White Bread | 12. Raised Doughnuts — 4 |
| 4. Wheat Bread | 13. Clover Leaf Rolls — 4 |
| 5. Nut Bread | 14. Butter Horn Rolls — 4 |
| 6. Banana Bread | 15. Coffee Cake |
| 7. Zucchini Bread | 16. Muffins |
| 8. Cinnamon Rolls — 4 | 17. Other |
| 9. Parker House Rolls — 4 | |

Division 121 — Cake

(No mixes) — Include Recipe

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| 1. Angel food cake,
unfrosted | 5. Coconut cake, Coconut frosting |
| 2. Burnt Sugar cake, Burnt
Sugar frosting | 6. Chiffon cake |
| 3. Devil's Food Cake,
frosted | 7. Applesauce cake, unfrosted |
| 4. White Layer cake,
frosted | 8. Chocolate case, unfrosted |
| | 9. Cupcakes |
| | 10. Other |

Division 122 — Best Decorated Cakes

Cake will not be judged.

- Judged on decoration only.
- 1 entry per class.
- Cake mixes permitted.
 1. Child's cake
 2. Wedding cake
 3. Graduation/Teen Activity cake
 4. Birthday cake
 5. Other special occasion cakes

Division 123 — Pies

Include Recipe – (No Mixes — No Eggs)

1. 2 Crust Pie, any kind
2. 1 Crust Pie, with topping (no meringue and no refrigeration required)
3. 1 Crust Pie, no topping

Division 124 — Cookies

***(No mixes) — Include Recipe
(4 cookies)***

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| 1. Peanut Butter cookies | 9. Unbaked cookies |
| 2. Ice Box cookies | 10. Drop cookies |
| 3. Oatmeal cookies | 11. Decorated cookies |
| 4. Sugar cookies | 12. Bar cookies |
| 5. Brownies | 13. Snicker doodles |
| 6. Chocolate Chip cookies | 14. Gingersnaps |
| 7. Macaroons | 15. Other |
| 8. Swedish Spritz | |

Division 125 — Candy

(No mixes) — Include Recipe

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| 1. Fudge, cooked | 6. Penuche |
| 2. White Fudge | 7. Mints |
| 3. Peanut Butter Fudge | 8. Snack Mixes |
| 4. Butterscotch Fudge | 9. Other |
| 5. Divinity | |

Division 126 — Junior Division

(No mixes) — Include Recipe

(Age: 10-16 years of age)

1. Brownies
2. Drop cookies
3. Rolled cookies
4. Refrigerator cookies
5. Unbaked cookies
6. Oatmeal cookies
7. Peanut Butter cookies
8. Sugar cookies
9. Chocolate Chip Cookies
10. Snicker doodles
11. Gingersnaps
12. Cake, best decorated
13. Chocolate cake, unfrosted
14. White cake, unfrosted
15. Cornbread
16. Yeast rolls
17. Cinnamon Rolls
18. Fudge, cooked
19. Peanut Butter Fudge, cooked
20. Biscuits
21. Nut bread
22. Muffins
23. Fruitcake (2 fruits)
24. Gingerbread
25. Bar cookie
26. Cookie Mix in a Jar
27. Cookie made with Cake Mix
28. Other

Division 127 — Pre-Junior Division

(No mixes) — Include Recipe

(Age: 5-9 years of age)

1. Brownies
2. Drop cookies
3. Rolled cookies
4. Refrigerator cookies
5. Unbaked cookies
6. Oatmeal cookies
7. Peanut Butter cookies
8. Sugar cookies
9. Chocolate Chip Cookies
10. Snicker doodles
11. Gingersnaps
12. Cake, best decorated
13. Chocolate cake, unfrosted
14. White cake, unfrosted
15. Cornbread
16. Yeast rolls
17. Cinnamon Rolls
18. Fudge, cooked
19. Peanut Butter Fudge, cooked
20. Biscuits
21. Nut bread
22. Muffins
23. Fruitcake (2 fruits)
24. Gingerbread
25. Bar cookie
26. Cookie Mix in a Jar
27. Cookie made with Cake Mix
28. Other

CANNED GOOD DEPARTMENT

- A. Canned products must be displayed in regulation pint or quart jars. Jellies, jams, preserves, butters, marmalades, etc. must be in sealed regulation half pint or pint jars.
- B. All products must be canned and processed by latest methods recommended in USDA or Iowa State University bulletins.
- C. Exhibitors should place a gummed label containing name of product and processing method used one inch from bottom of the jar.
- D. All exhibitors will be limited to one entry in each class number.
- E. No mayonnaise jars, no paraffin, no rings.

Division 128 — Canned Vegetables

Identify Processing and Date

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| 1. Beets | 10. Mixed Vegetables |
| 2. Carrots | 11. Vegetable Soup (without meat) |
| 3. Tomatoes
(whole, not cherry) | 12. Stew Vegetables |
| 4. Shelled Beans
(other than named) | 13. Asparagus |
| 5. Tomato Juice | 14. Succotash
(Butter beans and corn combined) |
| 6. Any Iowa Vegetable | 15. Corn |
| 7. Sauerkraut | 16. Onions |
| 8. Green Beans | 17. Butter Beans |
| 9. Yellow Beans | 18. Soup |
| | 19. Vegetables other than named |

Division 129 — Canned Fruit

Identify Processing and Date

(Leave ¼" headspace — Leave rings off)

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|---------------------------|--|
| 1. Apples | 12. Fruit Juice |
| 2. Applesauce | 13. Spiced Fruit (No Vinegar) |
| 3. Blackberries | 14. Spiced Fruit (No Vinegar) with
coloring |
| 4. Crab Apples | 15. Fruit Cocktail (Dried) |
| 5. Peaches | 16. Pie Filling |
| 6. Raspberries | 17. Plums |
| 7. Rhubarb | 18. Fruit other than named |
| 8. Pears | |
| 9. Cherries | |
| 10. Blueberries | |
| 11. Mixed Fruits (chunks) | |

Division 130 — Pickled Vegetables

Identify Processing and Date

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|------------------|----------|
| 1. Pickles | 5. Beets |
| 2. Pepper | 6. Salsa |
| 3. Pickle Relish | 7. Other |
| 4. Corn Relish | |

Division 131 — Canning Meats

Identify Processing and Date

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|------------|----------|
| 1. Chicken | 3. Pork |
| 2. Beef | 4. Other |

Division 132 — Jams & Jellies

Identify Processing and Date

(Leave 1/4" headspace — take rings off)

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|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Grape Jelly | 8. Rhubarb Jam |
| 2. Apple Jelly | 9. Pepper Jelly |
| 3. Berry Jelly | 10. Strawberry Jelly |
| 4. Apple Butter | 11. Elderberry |
| 5. Plum Butter | 12. Two Combinations of fruits |
| 6. Strawberry Jam | 13. Other |
| 7. Peach Jam | |

Division 133 — Junior. Jams & Jellies

(Age: 10-16 years of age)

Identify Processing and Date

(Leave ¼" headspace — take rings off)

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| 1. G | |
| 2. rape Jelly | 9. Rhubarb Jam |
| 3. Apple Jelly | 10. Pepper Jelly |
| 4. Berry Jelly | 11. Strawberry Jelly |
| 5. Apple Butter | 12. Elderberry |
| 6. Plum Butter | 13. Two Combinations of fruits |
| 7. Strawberry Jam | 14. Other |
| 8. Peach Jam | |

Division 134 — Pre Junior Jams & Jellies

(Age: 5-9 years of age)

Identify Processing and Date

(Leave ¼" headspace — take rings off)

1. Grape Jelly
2. Apple Jelly
3. Berry Jelly
4. Apple Butter
5. Plum Butter
6. Strawberry Jam
7. Peach Jam
8. Rhubarb Jam
9. Pepper Jelly
10. Strawberry Jelly
11. Elderberry
12. Two Combinations of fruits
13. Other

Division 135 — Honey

1. Raw
2. Processed

OPEN CLASS TEXTILES, HOBBIES, CRAFTS

Entry closes at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, July 15th, 2024

Judging will take place at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 16th, 2024

Release time: 8:00-10:00 p.m. on Friday, July 19th, 2024

and 8:00-10:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 20th, 2024

- A. Textile articles must be completed and never exhibited at this fair.
- B. Entries must be the work of the exhibitor and shown by the exhibitor.
- C. Awards will not be made on any article not worthy of merit.
- D. Entries must be made on entry blanks secured from the Textile and Crafts entry section located in the 4-H Exhibit Building on entry day. Tags will be issued and must be securely fastened to each article before delivery to the superintendent in charge. The name of the exhibitor must not appear on any article until after the judging has taken place.
- E. The management will use diligence to ensure the safety of articles after arrival and placement but will not be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur.

Division 140 — Sewing

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| 1. Cotton Dress | 13. Child's dress |
| 2. Dressy Dress | 14. Apron |
| 3. Duster or Robe | 15. Baby's outfit |
| 4. Suit | 16. Night wear |
| 5. Skirt or split skirt | 17. Made-Over child's garment |
| 6. Blouse, sleeveless | 18. Made-Over lady's garment |
| 7. Blouse, with sleeves | 19. Slacks |
| 8. Shorts | 20. Long Dress |
| 9. Coordinated sport set | 21. Vest |
| 10. Jacket, lined (man's or woman's) | 22. Smocking |
| 11. Jacket, unlined (man's or woman's) | 23. Pillow |
| 12. Man's shirt | 24. Doll clothes |
| | 25. Other |

Division 141 — Junior Sewing

(Up to 16 years of age before fair)

1. Skirt or split skirt
2. Blouse, sleeveless
3. Blouse, with sleeves
4. Night wear
5. Shorts
6. Slacks
7. School Dress
8. Better dress suitable for church or other special occasion
9. Apron
10. Swimsuit
11. Poncho or cape
12. Vest
13. Other

Division 142 — Embroidery

1. Placemats and runner
2. Pillowcases
3. Scarf
4. Vanity Set (3 pieces)
5. Guest towels
6. Tea towels
7. Lunch cloth
8. Apron
9. Pillow top
10. Pictures
11. Machine embroidery
12. Needlepoint
13. Crewel embroidery
14. Candlewick pictures
15. Candlewick pillows
16. Candlewick other
17. Other

Division 143 — Crochet

1. Placemats
2. Lunch Cloth
3. Doilies
 - a. Large
 - b. Small
4. Afghan & Wearables
5. Baby Afghan
6. Scarf
7. Edging (separate or on article)
8. Vanity Set
9. Stole
10. Baby Set
11. Booties
12. Bedspread
13. Tablecloth
14. Hot pads
15. Vest
16. Hairpin lace
17. Broomstick lace
18. Ornaments
19. Pillow
20. Name plaques
21. Toy
22. Dolls
 - a. Bride
 - b. Christmas
 - c. Storybook
 - d. Toy
23. Basket
24. Other

Division 144 — Tatting

1. Edging
2. Ornaments
3. Other

Division 145 — Knitting

1. Child's outfit, 2 or 3 articles
2. Sweater, Boy's
3. Sweater, Lady's
4. Sweater, Man's
5. Sweater, Girl's
6. Socks
7. Afghan & Wearables
8. Baby Afghan
9. Booties
10. Pillow
11. Muffler/Scarf
12. Other

Division 146 — Rugs

(At least 2' x 3')

1. Braided rug, any material
2. Crocheted rug, any material
3. Hooked rug, any material
4. Rug made by any other method
5. Rug, yarn
6. Other

Division 147 — Quilts & Comforters

(May have 2 items per class)

1. Machine pieced quilt
2. Hand pieced quilt
3. Appliqué quilt
4. Embroidery quilt
5. Whole cloth quilt
6. Child's quilt
 - A. Preprinted
 - B. Pieced
 - C. Appliquéd
 - D. Embroidery
7. Quilt judged on hand quilting
8. Scrap Quilt
9. Wall hangings
10. Pillows
11. Table runners/placemats
12. Machine quilted
13. Machine embroidery
14. Quilt of Valor
15. Modern
16. Specialty Techniques
17. Art Quilt
18. Original Design
19. Heritage Quilt
20. Quilted Panel
21. Christmas Quilt
22. Other Holidays Quilt
23. T-Shirt Quilt
24. Other

Division 148 — Christmas Decorations

1. Ornaments
2. Stocking
3. Tree Skirt
4. Candles
5. Artificial arrangement
6. Wreath
7. Wall Hanging
8. Other

Division 149 — Specialty Stitching

1. Counted Cross Stitch
 - A. Animals
 - B. Building & Scenes
 - C. Still Life—Floral
 - D. Still Life—Portraits
 - E. Holidays
 - F. Samples
 - G. Afghans & Wearable's
2. Hardanger
3. Pulled Drawn thread
4. Other Specialty Weaves
5. Young Stitches (18 & Under)
6. Other

Division 150 — Hobbies

1. Metal
2. Leather
3. Paper
4. Fabric & Fiber
5. Glass & Plastic
6. Ceramic — glazed
7. Ceramic — not glazed
8. Tole painting
9. Surface painting
10. Stenciling
11. Liquid embroidery
12. Painted knit shirt
13. Decorated knit shirt
14. Stuffed animals & toys
15. Candles
16. Candle holder
17. Accessories
18. Recycled materials
19. Natural Materials
20. Historical items
21. Like items
22. Jewelry
 - A. Bracelet
 - B. Necklace
 - C. Other
23. Other

Division 150A — Woodworking

1. Children's furniture
2. Picture frames
3. Shelves
4. Small Tables
5. Large Tables
6. Desk
7. Unique
8. Toys
9. Quilt holders
10. Stools
11. Refinished
12. Coat racks
13. Jewelry Box
14. Pictures
15. Accessories
16. Other

Division 151 — Scrapbooking

1. Family Heritage
2. Baby
3. Occasions
4. Sports
5. Activities
6. Other

Division 151A — Cards

1. Get Well
2. Wedding
3. Birthday
4. Father's Day/Mother's Day
5. Holiday
6. Other

Division 152 — Junior Hobbies

(Age: 10-16 years)

1. Magnets
2. Painted
3. Toy
4. Decorated Clothing
5. Decorated Pillows
6. Other
7. Metal
8. Leather
9. Wood
10. Paper
11. Fabric & Fiber (included knitting, crocheting and quilting)
12. Glass
13. Mosaic tile
14. Natural materials (must last the lifetime of the fair)
15. Ceramic — glazed
16. Ceramic — not glazed
17. Tole painting
18. Stenciling
19. Painted knit shirt
20. Decorated knit shirt
21. Accessories
22. Stuff animals & toys
23. Recycled materials
24. Display box
25. Plastic
26. Jewelry
 - A. Bracelet
 - B. Necklace
 - C. Other
27. Key Chains
28. Candles
29. Art
30. Other

Division 153 — Pre Junior Hobbies

(Age: 5-9 years)

Same Classes as Division 152

Division 154 — Special Needs

1. Adult
 - A. *Same Classes as Division 152*
2. Junior (Under 18)
 - A. *Same Classes as Division 152*

Division 155 — Collection of Like Items

(Limit 5)

Same Classes as Division 152

Division 155A — Junior Collection of Like Items

(10-16 years old)

(Limit 5)

Same Classes as Division 152

Division 155B — Pre Junior Collection of Like Items

(5-9 years old)

(Limit 5)

Same Classes as Division 152

Division 156— School Projects

(Grades K-12, each grade judged separately)

Same Classes as Division 152

Division 156A — Little Beginners Textiles, Hobbies & Crafts

(Under 5 years old)

May enter up to 3 projects

1. Crafts
2. Drawings
3. Paintings
4. Other

OPEN CLASS PLANTS & FLOWERS

Enter same day as judging

Entry 8:00 a.m.—10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 16th, 2024

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- A. Arrangements must be in containers furnished by exhibitors.
- B. Award to be based on quality, arrangement and color harmony of flowers in container.
- C. Only one entry in any one class shall be made by the exhibitor. In case of only one exhibit or exhibitor in a class, award will be made on the basis of merit of the exhibit.
- D. Do not put sand, gravel, rocks, etc. In bottom of containers.
- E. All products must be live flowers unless otherwise stated.

Division 157 — Arrangement

Arrangement according to variety, other foliage permitted. Arrangement should contain at least 2 types of plant material. Named flowers should be predominating. Arrangement must be the work of exhibitor.

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| 1. Asters | 19. Petunia (ruffled) |
| 2. Bachelor's Button | 20. Petunia (double) |
| 3. Calendula | 21. Phlox (annual) |
| 4. Cosmos | 22. Phlox (perennial) |
| 5. Dahlia | 23. Rose (hybrid tea) |
| 6. Daisy | 24. Rose (cluster) |
| 7. Buddleja (butterfly
bash) | 25. Scabiosa |
| 8. Gaillardia | 26. Snapdragon |
| 9. Golden Crow | 27. Sweet Pea (annual) |
| 10. Hemerocallis | 28. Sweet Pea (perennial) |
| 11. Hydrangea | 29. Zinnia (giant) |
| 12. Lily | 30. Zinnia (dwarf) |
| 13. Larkspur | 31. Mixed Arrangement |
| 14. Marigold (large) | 32. Miniature Arrangements
(not more than 5 inches) |
| 15. Marigold (small) | 33. Dry Arrangement |
| 16. Nasturtium | 34. Coffee Table Arrangement
(fresh); accessories permitted |
| 17. Pansy | 35. Other |
| 18. Petunia (single) | |

Division 157A — Wildflower Arrangement

Other foliage permitted

- A. Arrangements should contain at least 2 kinds of plant material.
- B. Arrangement must be the work of exhibitor.
- C. **NOXIOUS WEEDS NOT ACCEPTABLE (QUEEN ANNE'S LACE, SOURDOCK, FOXTAIL, ETC.)** Check the Iowa Code

Division 158 — Bouquet

(A single type of flower)

Same Classes as Division 157

Division 159 — African Violet (Double)

(one plant only in the pot)

Potted plants must have been the property of exhibitors at least three months prior to exhibiting.

- 1. Blue
- 2. Pink
- 3. White
- 4. Red
- 5. Variegated

Division 160 — African Violet (Single)

(one plant only in the pot)

- 1. Blue
- 2. Pink
- 3. White
- 4. Red
- 5. Lavender
- 6. Purple
- 7. Variegated

Division 161 — Potted Plants (blooming)

(plants to be grown in pots)

- 1. Begonia
- 2. Vine
- 3. Cactus
- 4. Geranium
- 5. Other

Division 162 — Potted Plants (Ornamental)

- 1. Begonia
- 2. Cactus
- 3. Vine
- 4. Cactus
- 5. Succulent
- 6. Other

Division 163 — Specimen Flowers

Own foliage required. Specimen must be grown by exhibitor and be exhibited in a clear container with a narrow neck furnished by exhibitor. Size of the container according to size of the specimen.

1. Angelonia
2. Asters — 3 Stalks
3. Ageratum — 1 Stalk
4. Bachelor's Button — 5 Stems
5. Balloon Flower
6. Bells of Ireland — 1 Spike
7. Blue Bonnet
8. Buddleja (Butterfly Bash)
9. Bulbs
10. Cannas
11. Calendula — 5 Blooms
12. Carnation
13. Celosia, crested
14. Celosia — 1 Spray
15. Cleome — 1 Stem
16. Cone Flower
17. Coreopsis
18. Cosmos — 3 Sprays
19. Dahlia, small — 1 Bloom
20. Dahlia, large — 1 Bloom
21. Daisies — 5 stems
22. Gaillardia — 5 Stems
23. Gerber Daisy
24. Hemerocallis — 11 Score (day lilies)
25. Hollyhocks
26. Hydrangea — 1 Bloom
27. Lantana
28. Larkspur — 3 Stems
29. Lily—1 Stalk
30. Lisianthus
31. Marigold, large — 1 Bloom
32. Marigold, small — 5 Blooms (1 Spray)
33. Mini Rose
34. Nasturtium — 5 Blooms
35. Obedient Plant
36. Osteospermum
37. Pansy — 5 Blooms
38. Petunia, single — 3 Sprays
39. Petunia, ruffled — 3 Sprays
40. Petunia, double — 3 Sprays
41. Phlox — 1 Stem
42. Primrose
43. Rose, clusters — 1 Spray
44. Rose, hybrid tea — 1 Bloom
45. Rudbeckia
46. Russian Sage
47. Salvia — 1 Stem
48. Small mum — 1 Spray
49. Snapdragon — 3 Stems
50. Vinca
51. Wildflowers
52. Yarrow
53. Zinnia, large — 1 Bloom
54. Zinnia, small — 1 Bloom
55. Sunflowers
56. Lavender
57. Other

Division 164 — Gladiolus

1. White — 1 Spike
2. Red & shades
— 1 Spike
3. Pink & shades
— 1 Spike
4. Yellow & Shades — 1 Spike
5. Smoky — 1 Spike
6. Any other color

Division 165 — Junior Exhibits

(under 16 years)

1. Arrangement
 - A. Marigold
 - B. Zinnia
 - C. Other
2. Potted Plants
 - A. Cactus
 - B. Blooming Plants
 - C. Foliage Plants
 - D. Other
3. Specimen Flower
 - A. Same Classes as Division 163

Division 166 — Artistic Arrangements

1. Patriotic — Red, White & Blue
2. Batter Up — Baseball
3. Iowa — Iowa Slogans
4. Lavender
5. Purple
6. Fairy Garden

OPEN CLASS AMATEUR & PROFESSIONAL ART

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- A. All pictures to be exhibited must be mounted on mats or frames and ready to hang. **IF HANGERS ARE NOT PROVIDED, THE EXHIBIT WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED, JUDGED, OR DISPLAYED.**
- B. All paintings must be entered according to the use made of them and must be hand-painted by exhibitor.
- C. A professional artist is one who makes art as a profession and earns their livelihood from teaching and/or selling their work. Such persons are permitted to exhibit in Division 175.
- D. Students' school projects are permitted if the project was completed this year.
- E. **All exhibits must be a result of this year's work.**

Division 167 — Amateur Adult Watercolor

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| 1. Landscape | 7. Seascape |
| 2. Still Life | 8. Portrait |
| 3. Animal | 9. Buildings |
| 4. Abstract | 10. Flowers |
| 5. Character Sketch
(realistic) | 11. Vehicle |
| 6. Character Sketch
(non-realistic) | 12. Series of 3-5 as one piece |
| | 13. Other than listed |

Division 168 — Amateur Adult Acrylic or Oil

Same Classes as Division 167

Division 169 — Drawing

(Pen, Pencil, Charcoal)

Same Classes as Division 167

Division 170 — Drawing

(Oil, Pastel, Crayon)

Same Classes as Division 167

Division 171 — Junior Watercolor

Same Classes as Division 167

Division 172 — Junior Acrylic or Oil

Same Classes as Division 167

Division 173 — Junior Drawing

(Pen, Pencil, Charcoal)

Same Classes as Division 167

Division 174 — Junior Drawing

(Oil, Pastel, Crayon)

Same Classes as Division 167

Division 175 — Professional Artists

Same Classes as Division 167

Division 176 — Scratch Board

Division 177 — Pottery Class (Creative)

May exhibit two articles in total

1. All Articles

OPEN CLASS PHOTOGRAPHY

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Exhibits for the amateur class: Print should be 5" x 7" or larger, mounted on stiff, durable mount board same size as print or larger.

- A. Mount should complement photograph.
- B. Photos must have hangers and be ready to hang. **IF HANGERS ARE NOT PROVIDED, THE PHOT WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED, JUDGED, OR DISPLAYED.**
- C. Framed of matted Photos will NOT be accepted. Just put them in Plastic Sleeves for display.
- D. Entries for professionals are same for amateurs.

Division 178 — Amateur Open Class Photography

(Not digital or computer enhanced)

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| 1. People, black & white | 11. Abstract or design, color |
| 2. People, color | 12. Still Life, black & white |
| 3. People, storytelling | 13. Still Life, color |
| 4. Landscape, black & white | 14. Flowers |
| 5. Landscape, color | 15. Sunrise — Sunset |
| 6. Animal, black & white | 16. Seascapes |
| 7. Animal, color | 17. Series (3-5 pictures) 5" x 7" print mounted as one piece |
| 8. Buildings, black & white | 18. Action |
| 9. Building, color | 19. Sepia |
| 10. Abstract or design, black & white | 20. Other |

Division 179 — Junior Open Class Photography

16 and Under

Same Classes as Division 178

Division 180 — Professional Open Class Photography

Same Classes as Division 178

Division 181 — Amateur Computer Enhanced-Digital Photos

Same Classes as Division 178

Division 182 — Professional Computer Enhanced-Digital Photos

Same Classes as Division 178

Division 183 — Digital Photos Only

Same Classes as Division 178

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