



Boone County Rabbit, Poultry, or Small Pet Project Record

Year 2007 to 2008

Name Ima Four-Her Club Clover Power

Circle one: Rabbit **Poultry** Small Pet Number of years in project 6 Grade 10

Inventory of animals at beginning of project

Purchase date or birth date	Cost or value	Sex	Breed/Color	Rabbit - name and tattoo Poultry - name and leg band number (if applicable) Small Pet - name	Poultry number of birds	If exhibited at fair, class and ribbon
3/2005	\$10.00	M	Columian Wyandotte	Mr Grumpy	1	Standard cock - champion
3/2007	\$6.00	M	Barred Rock		1	Standard cock - blue ribbon
3/2007	\$5.00	F	Barred Rock		1	Standard hen - blue ribbon
3/2008	\$9.00	F	Bantam		3	
9/2006	\$5.00	M	Pigeon		1	Pigeon class - champion

Feed Records and other Expenses

Date feed was purchased	Amount of feed	Type of feed	Cost of feed	Other expenses, such as bedding, housing, fees
10/2007	20lb	Pigeon feed	15.00	
10/2007	40 lb	All-purpose chicken feed	8.99	
12/2007	40 lb	All-purpose chicken feed	8.99	Bedding \$12
3/2008	40lb	Chick starter	9.99	Chick feeder/waterer \$10
4/2008	40lb	All-purpose chicken feed	8.99	
6/2008	40lb	All-purpose chicken feed	8.99	Pullorum testing fee \$3
	Total 220lb		Total 60.95	\$25

Health Record

Date of health concern	Symptoms and diagnosis	Treatment	Type/amount of medication given	Cost
3/2008	Vaccines for new chicks	Prevents Marcks and Coccidiosis	Vaccines	\$0.14 /bird or \$.84

Inventory of animals at end of project

Number & value of animals that died	Number & value of animals/eggs sold or butchered	Poultry - breed and number of birds still owned Rabbit or Small Pet - name of animals still owned	Value of animals still owned	Plans for next year with this rabbit, poultry, or small pet
1 pigeon \$5.00		1 columbian, 2 barred rock, 3 bantam	\$30.00	Use for project and take to fair

Goals: Here's what I would like to learn this year in this project. List at least 2 goals related to all the rabbits/poultry/pets you care for.

1. Learn parts of chicken to do presentation at March county project meeting

2. Hatch chicken eggs in April for a new challenge in my project

Action plan: Here's what I did and learned as I worked toward my goals in this project.

1. Used project book and looked up parts of chicken on computer

2. Bought an incubator and got some fertilized eggs. Read about hatching chicks and then set up my incubator and followed the instructions to hatch my first chick.

Communications: List ways you talked to others about your project (club presentations, demonstrations, interview an expert, newspaper or radio.) Include kind of talk, group reached and number in group.

Gave presentation at my club meeting on parts of chicken

Answered question about poultry while doing herdsmanship at fair

Citizenship: List ways you helped others related to this project. Include activities of benefit to community, school, church group, a neighbor, etc.

Took my chicks to the kindergarten class and talked about being in 4-H

Herdsmanship at county fair

Leadership: List what you did to teach others, lead workshops, organize an activity related to this project.

Helped younger members in my club with their projects

Exhibits and Recognition: List fair exhibits, ribbons, certificates, thank you letters, name in newspaper, Awards Day recognition in relation to this project.

Received two champion trophies and 2 blue ribbons

Reflections: Evaluate yourself on this project experience. Did you do more than you expected, the same as you expected, or less than you expected? What were some of your fun and frustrating experiences, your successes?

I enjoyed raising my chickens, It was a lot of work but worth it. The hardest part was getting my chickens ready to show at fair – catching and cleaning them.

Next year: Tell what you would like to do next year in this project.

Learn more about hatching chicks to have better success. Learn about raising chickens for egg laying to be able to sell eggs.

*In your 4-H records attach photos, clippings, and other information on additional pages.
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