

## **Before the 2019 Southern Iowa Fair -**

Contact the Extension Office if you have any questions 641-673-5841 or email [vermeerA@iastate.edu](mailto:vermeerA@iastate.edu)

- \* Finish Exhibits & figure out which classes to put exhibits into.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT 4-H CLASS NUMBERS CHANGED LAST YEAR!**

***Classes are based off of your exhibit goal...***

*EX: If you sew a blanket for an assisted living facility. If your goal was to create something as a service for others, then it would be Class 10510: Citizenship and Civic Engagement. If your goal was to learn how to sew and you want the exhibit judged on the sewing skills, stitching, finished product, etc., then it would be in Class 10420: Clothing and Fashion—Constructed/Sewn Garments & Accessories.*

*Complete the following steps PRIOR to the county fair judging day:*

- \* Write Goal Card (by hand or type) & answer exhibit questions
- \* Fill out Entry Tag & attach to project
- \* Fill out Exhibit Entry Sheet with class numbers & descriptions
- \* Bring exhibits with entry tags & goal cards to the fair

## **At the Fair -**

When arriving at the fair, go to the check-in table and check in with the building Superintendents at your club's assigned judging time (listed on page 45 of 4-H & FFA Rule Booklet). Superintendents will double check goal cards, entry tags & exhibit entry sheets. You will be directed to your club's booth, all club booths are labeled with a metal sign.

Take exhibits & exhibit entry sheet with you and check-in with Teen Council members sitting at the check-in table. Meet with judges, parents are allowed to sit at the table during judging.

After judging is complete, go to the Ribbon Table located north of exhibit judging (table is labeled) and bring Exhibit Entry Sheet that has been filled out by the judges. 4th graders are not allowed to exhibit at the Iowa State Fair. Outstanding 4th grade exhibits will be awarded a special green ribbon and exhibition in the Outstanding 4th grade booth, see pg. 44.

Those exhibits considered for Iowa State Fair will be held back by the judge and will receive a purple ribbon.

- \* Premiums for ribbons are as follows: Purple (\$2), Blue (\$2), Red (\$1), White (\$.50). Premium checks will be mailed to the club leader's for club

dispersal within 1 month after the fair's end.

\* Attach ribbons to projects and display in the club booth.

\* If exhibiting a Science, Engineering, & Technology, Photography or Ag & Natural Resources Project, please check in at the 4-H building south of the Sheriff's Posse trailer. S, E, T; Photography, & Ag & NR exhibits will be kept for display in the 4-H building. Ribbons for exhibits being judged by 4-H Building judges will be given by the superintendents in the 4-H Building.

\* The 4-H Building & Exhibit Hall will close at 2:30 p.m. on Monday for the State Fair Selection Process. The buildings will re-open at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday for the public to visit; however, Open Class judging will take place on Tuesday.

\* Photos of those advancing on to the Iowa State Fair can be taken any-time during the fair week. Please stop by the 4-H Office to either schedule a time or see if a staff member/volunteer is available to take your photo. If you miss us, you can email your own photo to [vermeerA@iastate.edu](mailto:vermeerA@iastate.edu) by August 1 to be included in the Post-Fair tab in the Oskaloosa Herald.

**Please check all exhibit requirements:**

Copyright permissions, Design Element & Art Principle requirements, Photography labels (no more than 4 photo entries can be exhibited), Poster exhibit labels, Canned food labels, Check out the Inappropriate Foods publication and make sure you do not bring unaccepted food to the fair. Please read the general rules for exhibits in the 4-H & FFA Rule Booklet, beginning on page 39.

**PLEASE HAVE EVERYTHING FILLED OUT PRIOR TO JUDGING DAY!**

**HAVE FUN AT THE FAIR!!**

**Southern Iowa Fair**

**July 15-20, 2019**

**615 North I Street**

**Oskaloosa, Iowa**