



FAIRBOOK

July 11-15

Winneshiek County

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4-H/FFA DIVISION LEADERSHIP RECORD

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Dairy & Meat Goats – Sue Bruvold	Swine – Wayne Huinker & Conner Hemesath
Load out – Andy Darrington	

IOWA EXHIBITOR YOUTH CODE OF ETHICS

Youth are expected to be sincere, honest and act in sportsmanlike ways at all times. Youth represent the entire program and their behavior reflects on their parents, leaders, club and the entire youth program. All adults involved with the youth program, leaders as well as parents, are expected to set positive examples and serve as positive role models by what they say and do. Any youth who breaks the Code of Ethics or allows another person (adult or peer) to talk them into violating the Code of Ethics agrees to forfeit all prizes, awards and premiums. The youth may also be prohibited from exhibiting at this and future exhibitions including the Iowa State Fair and other county, state or regional exhibitions.

Youth agree to follow these guidelines:

1. I will do my own work, appropriate for my age and physical and mental development. This includes research and writing of exhibit explanations, preparing exhibits (such as sewing, cooking, refinishing, etc.), care and grooming of animals, etc. Adult assistance should help guide and support me, not do it for me.
2. All exhibits will be a true representation of my work. Any attempt to take credit for other's work, alter the conformation of animals, or alter their performance is prohibited. Copyright violation or allowing others to complete your exhibit is considered misrepresentation and is prohibited.
3. I will treat all people and animals with respect. I will provide appropriate care for animals.
4. I will present exhibits that are safe for consumption. All food exhibits will be safe to exhibit and for judges to evaluate. Other exhibits will be safe for judges to evaluate and for exhibition.
5. All food animals that may be harvested immediately following the show shall be safe for consumers and shall have met all withdrawal times for all medications, and be free of violative drug residue.
6. If any animal requires medical treatment while at the fair or exhibition, only the Official Fair Veterinarian may administer the treatment. All medications that are administered shall be done according to the label instructions of the medication used.
7. My animal's appearance or performance shall not be altered by any means, including medications, external applications and surgical procedures. Any animal that is found to have changed its appearance or its performance shall be disqualified from the show, and have penalties assessed against the exhibitor, parent and/or guardian by the management of the fair or exhibition.
8. I will follow all ownership and possession rules and, if requested, will provide the necessary documentation.
9. I will follow all livestock health requirements for this fair or exhibition, according to the state health requirements as printed in the Premium Book of the fair or exhibition. I will provide animal health certificates from a licensed veterinarian upon request from the management of the fair or exhibition.
10. By my entering an animal in this fair or exhibition, I am giving consent to the management of the fair or exhibition to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood, or other substances from the animal to be used in testing. If the laboratory report on the analysis of any sample indicates a presence of forbidden drugs, this shall be evidence such substance has been administered to the animal either internally or externally. It is presumed that the sample tested by the laboratory to which it is sent is the one taken from the animal in question, its integrity is preserved and all procedures of said collection and preservation, transfer to the laboratory and analysis of the sample are correct and accurate and the report received from the laboratory pertains to the sample taken from the animal in question and correctly reflects the condition of the animal at the time the sample was taken, with the burden on the exhibitor, parent and/or guardian to prove otherwise.
11. I am responsible for my exhibit and I will not allow others to violate this Code on my behalf. By my entering an exhibit in this fair or exhibition I will accept any disciplinary action taken by the management of this fair or exhibition for any violation of this Code of Ethics and any other rules of competition of the fair or exhibition without recourse against the fair or exhibition.
12. I want my exhibit to be an example of how to accept what life has to offer, both good and not so good, and how to live with and learn from the outcome.
13. I will not be involved in any illegal activities while participating in 4-H and FFA events, including but not limited to alcohol, tobacco or drug use.

I agree to conduct myself in an honest, ethical, and upstanding manner and I understand that disciplinary actions will result if these rules are violated. I understand that I am expected to represent the program in a positive manner. I have read, understand and agree to follow this Code of Ethics, and any other rules of competition of the fair or exhibition as printed in its Premium Book.

Winneshiek County Unsportsmanlike Behavior Policy

“4-H members, parents AND families must abide by rules and 4-H member Code of Ethics and accept disciplinary action deemed appropriate by the 4-H Youth Committee.”

2023 Winneshiek County 4-H/FFA Schedule

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY
Wed., June 21 st	9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Clothing, Foods, and Communications Day - Decorah Lutheran Church
Thur., July 6 th	8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Static Exhibit Entry Day - Community Building *Clubs will be assigned judging times
	2:00 p.m.	Pet Show – Community Building
	Immediately following	Clover Kids Pet Show
Sun., July 9 th	1:30 p.m.	Dog Exhibitor Meeting – Show Barn
	2:00 p.m.	Dog Show (Agility) – Show Barn
Mon., July 10 th	8:00 a.m.	Dog Show (Obedience, Rally & Showmanship) – Show Barn
	1:00 p.m.	Livestock stalling will be posted in barns and tack may enter the grounds.
	5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Family Picnic – Clover Cafe
	5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Livestock may enter (No livestock unloaded before 5:00 p.m. or after 9:00 p.m.)
	5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Poultry check-in & Market Poultry weigh-in
	5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Rabbit check-in & weigh-in
	7:00 p.m.	Exhibitor Meeting – Show Barn
Tues., July 11 th	7:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Livestock check-in (exception: dairy) (NO livestock unloaded before 7 a.m.)
	7:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Dairy check-in
	9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Beef weigh-in
	Immediately Following	Breeding Beef check-in
	11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Sheep and Meat Goat weigh-in – Danan Lansing Building
	1:00 p.m.	Exhibitor Meeting – Show Barn
	2:00 p.m.	Market Beef Scanning – Show Barn
	3:30 p.m.	Swine weigh-in & scanning – Swine Barn
	4:00 p.m.	Ag Olympics
Wed., July 12 th	8:00 a.m.	Dairy Goat Show – Danan Lansing Building
	Immediately following	Clover Kid Bucket Bottle Calf Show – Show Barn
	Immediately following	Bucket Bottle Show (Dairy & Beef) – Show Barn
	Immediately following	Dairy Show – Show Barn
	2:30 p.m.	Clover Kid Bucket Bottle Sheep/Goat Show – Danan Lansing Building
	3:00 p.m.	Sheep Show – Danan Lansing Building
	Immediately following	Meat Goat Show – Danan Lansing Building
	Immediately following	Breeding Meat Goat Show
Thur., July 13 th	7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Horse check-in
	8:30 a.m.	Swine Show – Swine Arena
	9:00 a.m.	Horse Show – Horse Arena
	3:30 p.m.	Poultry Show – E.J. Weigle Bldg.
Fri., July 14 th	8:30 a.m.	Breeding Beef Show – Show Barn
	Immediately following	Market Dairy Steers – Show Barn
	Immediately following	Market Beef Heifer Show – Show Barn
	Immediately following	Market Beef Show – Show Barn
	Noon	Deadline for any Livestock Auction Additions
		And Changes (Exemption: Market Beef/Dairy and Market Rabbit)
	3:30 p.m.	Rabbit Show –E.J. Weigle Building
Sat., July 15 th	8:30 a.m.	4-H Comm. Bldg. State Fair Exhibitors Meeting – Community Building
	9:30 a.m.	Parade of Champions – Show Barn
	10:00 a.m.	Livestock Auction – Show Barn (Milking Cows released after the Dairy Auction)
	3:30 p.m.	Bean Bag Tournament
Sun., July 16 th	6:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	4-H/FFA Livestock Release (Danan Lansing Building 6-8AM) (Livestock must be off grounds and stalls/pens cleaned by 11:00 a.m.)
	7:00 a.m.	Fairground Clean-up
	7:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	4-H Exhibit Checkout – Community Building

Events that are not 4-H/FFA sponsored – see Fair Board with questions at 563-277-1633

Winneshiek County Fair 4-H Exhibit Goal Sheet

Name _____ Address _____
Grade (complete) _____ Club _____ Phone _____
Department _____ Class No. _____ Project Area _____
Exhibit _____

1. What did you plan to learn or do? (What was your exhibit goal?)

2. What steps did you take to learn or do this?

3. What were the most important things you learned?

(Check fair book for additional information requested for this exhibit)

If your exhibit was a Visual Arts, Home Improvement, Sewing or Clothing exhibit, please see the back of this page. Photography exhibits only need to complete the 4-H Photography Label.

Required for: Visual Arts, Home Improvement, Sewing or Clothing exhibits

I made choices for my exhibit based on the following *Design Elements* and *Art Principles*

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4-H Photography Exhibit Label

Attach this form to your photograph for class 10320 Photography or 10340 Creative Photography

Name _____ County _____

4-H Club _____

Grade _____ Years in project _____ Date Photo taken _____

Where was photo taken? _____

1. What did you plan to learn or do? What was your photography goal?
2. What did you do? Explain what you did so the judge easily understands it. What steps did you take?
3. Tell us about your camera. Did you use: ☐ digital camera ☐ phone/tablet ☐ film camera
Brand and model _____

Did you use the lens that came with the camera/phone to take this picture? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If no, what lens did you use? _____

What changes did you make to the original photo to create the final exhibit? List any changes and explain your decisions. (Example: cropping, color enhancement, size of photo, removal of red eye, etc.)
Please include (if possible) original print (no smaller than 3 1/2 x 5"), which shows the photo before any changes were made. Explain why you selected the finished photo print size.

Who designed and selected the matting or mounting?

Who matted or mounted the photo?

4. What were the most important things you learned?
5. What other information about your photo process would you like to share?

4-H Clothing, Foods, & Communications Day Handbook

Wednesday, June 21st @ Decorah Lutheran Church

Entries for Clothing, Foods, and Communications Day are due in FairEntry by June 9th. FairEntry will open on May 24th.

Tentative Schedule of Events:

- The following events will not have **scheduled** judging times: Fashion Review, Clothing Selection, \$20 Challenge, and Innovative Design.
- The following events will have **block** judging time: Extemporaneous Speaking, Share the Fun, Educational Presentations, and Working Exhibits.
- Food & Nutrition exhibits will have scheduled judging times.
- The schedule for CFC Day will be sent the week before CFC Day. The schedule will be based on the number of entries. Judging will tentatively start at 9:30 a.m.

Exhibits judged at Clothing, Foods, & Communications Day are required to be on display during the Winneshiek County Fair. Exhibits should be brought to Static Judging Day to be put on display. Contact the Extension Office for special circumstances to be considered.

4-H CLOTHING EVENTS

General Clothing Event Rules:

- Senior 4-H members (completed 9th -12th grade) are eligible for the State Awardrobe Clothing Event.
- Junior and Intermediate 4-H members are required to complete the 4-H County Clothing Event Report Form for Juniors or Intermediates.
- Senior 4-H members are required to complete the Iowa 4-H Awardrobe Clothing Event Report Form.
- A photo of the 4-H member wearing the outfit must be attached to the write-up.
- There is a limit of two entries per exhibitor in all clothing events. A member could exhibit two entries in each clothing event if desired.
- The 4-H member will wear their Fashion Revue, Clothing Selection, \$20 Challenge, and Innovative Design items when being judged at Clothing, Foods, & Communications Day.
- The 4-H member must participate in the fashion show with all outfits possible.

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, vests, 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.

CLASS NUMBERS

- 12101** Junior (4th – 6th Grade)
- 12102** Intermediate (7th – 8th Grade)
- 12103** Senior (9th – 12th Grade)

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.

CLASS NUMBERS

- 12201** Junior (4th – 6th Grade)
 - 12202** Intermediate (7th – 8th Grade)
 - 12203** Senior (9th – 12th Grade)
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The \$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, 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 and pants 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.

CLASS NUMBERS - \$20 Challenge

- 12301** Junior (4th – 6th Grade)
 - 12302** Intermediate (7th – 8th Grade)
 - 12303** Senior (9th – 12th Grade)
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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.

CLASS NUMBERS – Innovative Design

- 12401** Junior (4th-6th Grade)
- 12402** Intermediate (7th-8th Grade)
- 12403** Senior (9th-12th Grade)

Sewing example:

A 4-H member sewed and created a dress shirt.

- The 4-H'er may enter this item under Fashion Revue. Fashion Revue is where the 4-H member will wear/model the constructed item. The 4-H'er will need to complete the 4-H County Clothing Event Report Form and turn in a photo.
- The 4-H'er MAY ALSO enter this item on **static judging day** under Class 10470 – Sewing and Needle Arts and be judged for the overall construction of the item. The member will need to complete a goal sheet for this category.

Purchased Clothing Example:

A 4-H member purchased a dress shirt.

- The 4-H'er may enter this item under Clothing Selection. Clothing Selection is where the 4-H member will wear/model the purchased item and be judged on construction, ease of care, cost, how it fits into current wardrobe, attractiveness, appropriate for activity/event, etc. The 4-H'er will need to complete the 4-H County Clothing Event Report Form found at the Extension Office or on the Winneshiek County 4-H website and include a photo.
 - The 4-H'er MAY ALSO enter this item on **static judging day** under Class 10420 – Clothing and Fashion and be judged on style, fashion, design, thrifty spending, wardrobe planning, types of fabrics, clothing care, etc. The member will need to complete a goal sheet for this category.
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FOOD & NUTRITION FAIR

Wednesday, June 21st @ Decorah Lutheran Church

Entries for Clothing, Foods, and Communications Day due on FairEntry by June 9th. FairEntry will open on May 24th.

General Food and Nutrition Fair Exhibit Rules:

1. The 4-H exhibitor is limited to two food entries in the Food & Nutrition Fair, plus one place setting.
2. Age for exhibiting at the Winneshiek County Food & Nutrition Fair: Juniors – 4-6th graders. Intermediates – 7-8th graders; Seniors – 9-12th graders.
3. The evaluation process will be based on the following three goals for exhibitors:
 - To involve youth in planning a healthy, well-balanced meal.
 - Suggested website: <https://www.choosemyplate.gov/>
 - To involve youth in preparing a food item from their healthy meal plan.
 - To involve youth in creating a place setting complimentary to their planned menu.
4. Goal sheets: Food & Nutrition Fair and Place Setting entries should have a written goal sheet or videotape. General goal sheet or recommended place setting worksheet acceptable.
5. After participating in CFC Day, 4-H members should bring their place settings, menus, and recipe cards to the Winneshiek County Fair on Static Entry Day to display in their club booth. Before bringing the place setting for display at the Winneshiek County Fair, each item in your place setting should be securely labeled, including the name of the club, class number and exhibitor's name.
6. If selected for possible state fair, the place setting must return on Static Judging Day to be judged with the Food & Nutrition, possible state fair exhibits. Place settings must be displayed at the Winneshiek County Fair.
7. Only 4-H members are allowed in kitchen prep area along with staff-approved volunteer. Exhibitor must work independently in preparation and set-up of exhibit. Clover Kids are allowed assistance if needed.
8. Due to security, we discourage 4-H members from sending items to the Winneshiek County Fair that have special meaning and historical value as part of the exhibit. We will use diligence to ensure the safety of articles entered for exhibit after their arrival and placement, but will not be responsible for damage or loss by fire, theft, etc.

Special Rules:

1. When entering one of the following categories, please include:
 - A healthy, well-balanced menu **MUST** be included.
 - Information regarding food groups and recommended serving sizes can be found on the USDA's MyPlate website <https://www.choosemyplate.gov/>
 - Up to two prepared food items from your menu plan.
 - A place setting should complement your menu.
 - Index cards with recipe and menu are to be placed to the right of the place setting.
2. Foods must be unquestionably safe to eat when they are entered, whether tasted or not. (Hot foods hot, and cold foods cold). Refrigerators, ovens, and stoves will be available for holding foods.
3. Your menu should include food and beverage(s). See sample menu above:
4. Youth may enter **1 Place Setting**, and up to **2 Beverage/Food Items**.
Place setting/Menu Ideas: Theme (Holiday, Birthday, etc.), Specialty Diet Meal (diabetic, low sodium, low fat, etc.), Quick healthy meal.

Sample Menu 1
Appetizer
Meat/Main Dish
Vegetable Fruit
Bread Product
Beverage(s)

Sample Menu 2
Casserole
Vegetable(s)
Fruit Salad
Bread Product
Beverage(s)

Food/Beverage Items: appetizer, main dish, soup, salad, vegetable, bread, dessert, grilled, smoothie drink, snacks, side dishes, etc.

CLASS NUMBERS

11501: Place Setting (limit one entry)

11502: Food/Beverage Items (limit two entries) *Premiums will not be given for class 11502.*

4-H COMMUNICATIONS

Wednesday, June 21st @ Decorah Lutheran Church

Entries for Clothing, Foods, and Communications Day due on FairEntry by June 9th. FairEntry will open on May 24th.

Registration and presentations will be done in block schedule format. Exhibitors are expected to be present during the entire block time and should participate in peer evaluation. Communications classes includes: Educational Presentations, Extemporaneous Speaking, Share the Fun, and Working Exhibits.

General Rules:

1. Ages for the Communications Fair: Juniors – 4-6th grade. Intermediate – 7-8th grade. Seniors – 9-12th grade.
2. Educational Presentations and Working Exhibits may be given by one or more 4-H'ers. 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'er(s) should be an outgrowth of his/her 4-H experience(s). Topics should be appropriate for presentation to a general audience.
4. **Presenters are expected to comply with all copyright/trademark regulations. Copyrighted material may not be distributed without permission.**
5. Only presenters are allowed in the Education Presentation, Working Exhibit, and Extemporaneous Speaking preparation rooms.
6. Educational Presentation and Working Exhibit participants will be involved in a "peer evaluation program."
7. Participants in the 4-H Communication Programs are expected to wear appropriate clothing representative of the 4-H Youth Program and/or the topic of the presentation or a 4-H shirt.
8. 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.
9. Youth in grades K-4 do not participate at the State Fair.

Copyright and Communications:

When presenting an educational presentation, we expect that 4-H members will explore a variety of sources to get correct information to convey to the public. The 4-H member should be able to answer the judge's question, "Where did you get your information?" Responses should include the complete source such as: 4-H project material Celebrate Art, rather than just saying in 4-H materials. If you used other Extension publications, reference books or magazines, you should state the titles and issues if appropriate. It is not necessary that you have this printed out, just tell the judge and audience.

When presenting a working exhibit, it is also important to give the source of your information. Remember if your directions were taken from a copyrighted magazine or book, you CANNOT duplicate the directions and distribute them. You may have purchased the magazine for your use, but that does not grant you permission to duplicate and distribute. For more information, please look at the copyright information located on our webpage,

<https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4hfiles/statefair/SFDocuments/SF1UseofCopyrightVI010401.pdf>

When using ideas from Pinterest, Google, or other online resources, the proper citation must come from the original post. Simply saying; Pinterest, as a resource is not acceptable.

EDUCATIONAL PRESENTATIONS

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

Educational Presentations are eligible to go on to the Iowa State Fair in August if in grades 5-12. A 4-H member may participate in only one educational presentation per year. Topic selection should be an outgrowth of the presenter's 4-H experience or 4-H project work. If there is a group of members giving a presentation, the group will be in the age category of the oldest member. Additional time for questions from audience is given.

CLASS NUMBERS

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| 11101 | Junior (grades 4-6) - presentations should not exceed 15 minutes |
| 11102 | Intermediate (grades 7-8) - presentations should not exceed 20 minutes |
| 11103 | Senior (grades 9-12) - presentations should not exceed 20 minutes |
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WORKING EXHIBITS

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

Working Exhibits are eligible to advance on to the Iowa State Fair in August, if in grades 5-12. If selected for the Iowa State Fair, you are asked to be prepared for at least 75-100 people to participate in your working exhibit. Please keep this in mind and be mindful of the cost of supplies. A 4-H member may participate in only one working exhibit per year. The Working Exhibit provides an opportunity for members to communicate and interact with an audience in an informal way. Many stages of the product should be ready so that any step can be discussed. This is not a presentation. The best topic involves the audience in some doing, tasting, or judging. The topic selected by the 4-H members should be an outgrowth of his/her 4-H experience. Plan to cite where your idea came from.

It is important the working exhibit be of interest to the audience. May be individual or team. If participating as a team, the group will be in the age category of the oldest member. **Plan for 50 people when preparing for your working exhibit at the Winneshiek County Clothing, Foods & Communications Day.**

*Topic selection should be an outgrowth of the presenter's 4-H experience or 4-H project work.

CLASS NUMBERS

11201 Junior (grades 4-6th) will be scheduled for a 30-minute period

11202 Intermediate (grades 7-8th) will be scheduled for a 30-minute period

11203 Senior (grades 9-12th) will be scheduled for a 30-minute period

SHARE THE FUN

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

Do you like to sing, play an instrument, or perform before an audience? Share the Fun is doing what you like to do. Work up an act and sign up to present it. Use your imagination and talent.

Share the Fun skits must not exceed SIX (6) minutes in length.

If the Share-the-Fun act involved a whole club the following criteria must be applied to determine if the club can participate, at least 80% of the performing group must have completed 5th through 12th grade. Youth in grades K-4 do not participate at the State Fair, if selected.

CLASS NUMBERS

11301 One to three people

11302 Four or more people in a group

EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING

Purpose: 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.

1. Two entries per county will be selected to advance to the State Fair.
2. Participants must be senior aged (grades 9-12). This contest is designed to encourage the development of the life skill of communicating with others through enhancing the ability to think, to organize, to speak, and to answer questions readily by participating 4-H members before an audience.
3. Contest format:
 - a. The contest will begin with an orientation.
 - b. Each contestant will select one of the available topics thirty minutes before the contest. The selected topics may not be available to the other contestants. The general nature of the topics will relate to 4-H.
 - c. A preparation room will be available for participants to prepare their speech. A contestant may not leave the preparation room until it is time to speak, nor may a contestant receive help from a parent, leader, other adult, or any other youth. Each contestant will have 30 minutes preparation time. A contest official will assist contestants with the time requirements.
 - d. All reference material will be screened by a contest official on the following basis:
 - Participants may bring their own books, magazines, or newspaper clippings for reference during the thirty minutes of preparation.
 - Reference material must be printed materials such as books or magazines (cannot be notes, outlines, or speeches prepared by the contestant or by another person for the purpose of use in this program).
 - e. 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 3" x 5" note cards will be provided to

- each participant in the preparation room. If notes are used, the note cards provided must be used in delivering the speech.
- f. Only notes made during the preparation period may be used.
 - g. 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.
 - h. The participants will introduce themselves by name, the club they represent, and read the selected question. The timer will begin after the introduction is completed.
 - i. Contestants 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: **Content related to topic, knowledge of the subject, organization of material, power of expression, voice, stage presence, general effect, and response to questions.**
 5. A judge's critique/conference with each participant will be included.

CLASS NUMBERS

11401 Senior members (grades 9-12th)

4-H STATIC JUDGING DAY HANDBOOK

Judging Date: Thursday, July 6th in the Community Building

Judging Time: 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Clubs will be assigned judging times

Entries for Static Day due on FairEntry by June 15th

General Exhibit Rules:

1. All static exhibits are to be entered on the FairEntry website on or before June 15th.
2. **The only limit will be three exhibits in Photography.** All other classes there are no limits on the number of exhibits a 4-H member may bring.
3. **Clover Kids** (K-3rd grade) are limited to 3 exhibits: paper entry forms.
4. **Age for exhibiting at the Winneshiek County Fair:** Clover kids (grades K-3rd), Juniors (grades 4-6th), Intermediates (grades 7-8th), Seniors (grades 9-12th).
 - 4-H members who have completed grades 5-12 (or that equivalent) are eligible to exhibit at the Iowa State Fair. Exception: Group exhibits from an entire club may include 4th grade members.
5. 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.
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 is learned:
 - Posters may not exceed 24" x 36" in size. (See classes 10490 and 10530 for smaller requirements.)
 - Chart boards, graph boards, project presentation boards, model displays, etc., may not exceed 48" x 48" in size. Maximum size is determined by measuring the flat (unfolded) dimensions.
 - Display boxes may not exceed 28" x 22" in height and width and 12" in depth.
8. Endangered and threatened plants and animals (includes insects), or songbird feathers and nests may NOT be used in any exhibit. Game animals legally taken are acceptable. Live specimens of noxious weeds or invasive species are NOT permitted in any exhibit. Dried specimens are acceptable to use in exhibits.
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.)
 - *When using ideas from Pinterest, Google, Flickr, or other online resources, the proper citation must come from the original post. Simply saying, Pinterest, as a resource is not acceptable.*
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 may receive written evaluation comments on the exhibits and a ribbon. Refer to exhibit class evaluation rubrics for detailed evaluation criteria in each class. Rubrics are located at www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/exhibit-tip-sheets
11. A written explanation, audio recording, or video recording is to be included as part of each exhibit. The exhibitor should respond briefly to the following questions about the exhibit using the Exhibit Goal Sheet:
 - 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?

You may type the answers to these questions on the Winneshiek County Goal Sheet. The goal sheet can be found in the beginning of this book, on the Winneshiek Extension website or picked up at the office. Youth may also print (write) your goal sheet but be sure it is legible.

- Use the Photography Label only for photography entries (do not use goal sheet). Photography label can be found on page 8.

NOTE: Check for additional requirements in exhibit classes for clothing and fashion, food & nutrition, home improvement, photography, visual art, and 4-H poster communication classes.

12. **If entering a Visual Arts, Home Improvement, Sewing or Clothing exhibit answer additional questions regarding Design Elements and Art Principles:** I made choices for my exhibit based on the following Design Elements and Art Principles:
 - **Art Principle:** Rhythm, Proportion, Emphasis, Balance, and/or Unity
 - **Design Elements:** Line, Shape, Color, Texture, and/or Space
 - Design element tips can be found at <https://store.extension.iastate.edu/product/464>
13. 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.
14. **All judges' decisions are final.**
15. Each item in an exhibit must be securely labeled, including the name of the county, class number, and exhibitor's name. Check for additional requirements in exhibit classes for food and nutrition, photography, and visual art classes.
16. Exhibits are to be entered at the scheduled judging time.
17. **Release of Exhibits:** Exhibits are to be released between 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. on Sunday of the fair. **If you are unable to be there at release time, have someone pick up your exhibits.** Before removing exhibits, each exhibit is to be checked out by an approved 4-H volunteer/Extension Staff. Exhibits that leave before the designated check out time will forfeit premium money.
18. Club members and leaders are responsible for dismantling their booth by 10:00 a.m. on Sunday.
19. Premiums will be pro-rated in each class and money paid following the Winneshiek County Fair.
20. Exhibits must have been completed after the 2022 fair.
21. Due to security, we discourage 4-H members from sending items to the Winneshiek County Fair that have special meaning and historical value as part of the exhibit. We will use diligence to ensure the safety of articles entered for exhibit after their arrival and placement, but will not be responsible for damage or loss by fire, theft, etc.
22. **Items selected to advance to the Iowa State Fair must fit easily into a car for transportation to and from the fair. If the item does not fit into a car easily, the exhibitor will work with the Extension Office to find transportation to and from the Iowa State Fair.**
23. All exhibitors are responsible to read and comply with the Iowa State Fair general exhibit rules for the exhibit to be eligible for Iowa State Fair participation.
24. **DRESS CODE:** All exhibitors will be required to wear a Winneshiek County 4-H exhibitor t-shirt, both livestock and non-livestock, when they are showing in the ring or being conference judged. County 4-H t-shirts are available. Exhibitors may wear appropriate shorts for static judging day. No hats allowed during judging.
25. All 4-H State Fair and 4-H Alternate State Fair static exhibitors are encouraged to participate in the Winneshiek County 4-H/FFA Parade of Champions on Saturday, July 18th at 9:30 a.m. in the Show Barn. **This event is for both livestock and non-livestock entries.**
26. **Unsportsmanlike Behavior Policy** – “4-H members, parents AND families must abide by rules and the 4-H member Code of Ethics and accept disciplinary action deemed appropriate by the 4-H Youth Committee.”
Project Resources: Most exhibit classes have specific guidelines and requirements that will be included in the judging process. Please check out the following websites for more information about the judging criteria.
 - **Project Hot Sheets:** <https://store.extension.iastate.edu/product/15266>
 - **Exhibit Tip Sheets:** <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/exhibit-tip-sheets>

ANIMALS

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 & 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 health interaction, or other learning related to Veterinary Science.

AGRICULTURE & NATURAL RESOURCES

Class 10210 – Crop Production and Plant Science: An exhibit that shows learning about the 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 (ex: honey) or equipment as part of the display.

Class 10224 – Fish and Wildlife: Any 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, and 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. This could include cut flowers, home raised house plants, arrangements, and terrariums.

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

Class 10310 – Music: An exhibit that shows learning about musical performance, composition and arrangements, instruments, musical styles, or history.

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. Three entries maximum. Minimum size of 5" x 7" and all photos must be mounted or matted. This is being done for the Iowa State Fair to allow for easier display of photographs.

Each photo is a separate entry on FairEntry. Include photo details for each photo. (Example: entry 1: photo of mountains; entry 2: photo of yellow flower; entry 3: photo of dog).

Photography Special Rules

- Exhibitors must use the Photo Exhibit Label to provide the required information for photo exhibits. A 4-H goal sheet should NOT be used for photography.
 - Photo Exhibit Label must be attached to the back of the photo. Tape and fold the paper to the back. Do not put Photo Exhibit label in plastic sleeve or folder. If desired, you may put your photo with attached Photo *Exhibit Label in a plastic sleeve for transport but should be removed for judging.*
- Photographs may be either black and white or color. Photographs must have been taken since your county fair of the previous year.
- Photographs must be a minimum of **5" x 7"**. Finished size (including mounting/matting) of single photographs may not exceed 11" x 14". Exception: Panoramic photos must not exceed 24" in length.
- All photographs must be printed on photographic paper **and must be mounted and/or matted.**
- 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.
- 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 in story order or sequence. Finished size of individual photographs in a series should not exceed 6" x 8."
- Edited photos should include a copy of the photo before editing.
- The subject matter of photographs must be in good taste and be appropriate for public display in a 4-H setting.
- Photographs depicting unsafe practices or illegal activities will not be displayed.
- Photography exhibitors must use the most current Photo Exhibit Label to provide the required information for photo exhibits.
- 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 or submitted (uploaded) as a digital image.
2. If mounted, photograph/image must be mounted on foam core no smaller than 4" in length or larger than 14" in length.
3. Photograph/image can be digitally created or from a film negative
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 exhibit.
5. Subject matter must be in good taste and be appropriate for public display in a 4-H setting. 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.

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 movie/film/video. Exhibits may include a finished movie or video, creation of a detailed storyboard, editing techniques using digital video software, production techniques, or other display to share what was learned. Copyright permission must be obtained for any non-original material included as part of a film/movie/video.

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 element(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 – Visual 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 the exhibition 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 <https://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 the 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

Class 10410 - Child Development: An exhibit that shows learning about children. Exhibits that include items intended for use with children (books, toys, learning games, babysitting kits, etc.) should include information about what you have learned 1) about children while creating and using the exhibit or 2) what the child(ren) learned from use of the item(s) in the exhibit. Exhibit examples include careers in child development, caring for children with special needs, childcare, growth and development, safety and health, etc.

Class 10420 - Clothing and Fashion: Constructed/Sewn Garments & 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 & 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 & Fashion Special Rules

1. Outfits or accessories which will be worn during 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.

If entering Visual Arts, Home Improvement, Sewing or Clothing exhibit please fill out a Winneshiek County goal sheet **AND** a Design Elements and Art Principles sheet. Design element tips are located online:
<https://store.extension.iastate.edu/Product/464>

Class 10430 - Consumer Management: An exhibit that shows learning through savvy budgeting, comparison shopping, money management, or consumer rights and responsibilities.

Class 10440 – Food & 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 or preserved food product. See Food & 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.

Class 10442 – Food & 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 & 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. Exhibits showing learning about meal planning and service must include a menu.

Class 10445 – Food & 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 & service, safety practices, or food preservation. See Food & Nutrition Special Rules below and HS 76 “Foods for Iowa 4-H Fairs – Quick Reference Guide” for additional information regarding prepared and preserved food products. Exhibits showing learning about meal planning & service must include a menu.

Food & Nutrition Special Rules

1. Any exhibit considered to be a food safety risk or portraying 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 Preservation Food 4-H Exhibit Label. Only food processed after August 1, 2022, 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. If selected for the State Fair, two product samples must be included.
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:
 - a. Cookies, cupcakes, bars, muffins, rolls, etc. – four (4) to six (6) items.
 - b. 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.
11. All perishable food will be taken home after static judging. No perishable food items may be displayed in the fair booth displays. Only unopened canned items may be displayed. Please display a photo of all other food items with your goal sheet to be displayed in the club booth. Food items that receive a possible State Fair ribbon will stay to be judged at the end of the day.

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. The items entered for the exhibition 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 class 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 & Consumer Science class listed.

Class 10490 (Special Exhibition) - Thrifty Meal Challenge: Create a balanced, nutritious meal for a family of four (4) that includes a serving from each of the five good groups with a budget of \$11.

Thrifty Meal Challenge Special Rules

1. All entries will receive an evaluation and ribbon.
2. Exhibit may be from an individual or group effort.
3. The meal must include a serving for each person from each of the five (5) food groups – Recommended portion sizes per person: ½ cup fruit, ½ cup vegetable, 3 ounces protein, 1-2 ounces grain, 1 cup equivalent dairy.
4. The meal must serve four (4) people.
5. Total expense on receipt(s) must not exceed \$11.
6. The exhibit will be a poster (maximum size 20" x 30") that includes:
 - a. Menu
 - b. Meal type
 - c. Copy of receipts (up to 2)
 - d. Photos of participant experience
 - e. Thrifty Meal Challenge Worksheet (required)

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

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

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, and non-fiction, etc.

Class 10530 – 4-H Poster Communication Exhibit: 4-H Poster Communication exhibits are to be conference judged on Static Entry Day. 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'ers interpretation)
- Join 4-H
- Opportunity4All (2022 National 4-H Week theme)
- Spy Your Potential (2023 Iowa 4-H Youth Conference theme)
- Best Days Ever (in 4-H) (variation of Iowa State Fair theme)

Poster Communication Special Rules:

1. Only one (1) poster per 4-H member may be entered.
2. All posters must be designed on, or affixed to, standard poster board or foam core board – size minimum of 14" x 20" or maximum of 15" x 22".
3. Posters may be vertical or horizontal. Posters may be any medium: watercolor, ink, crayon, acrylic, charcoal, oils, collage, 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.

Class 10540 – Digital Storytelling: An exhibit that demonstrates the application of technology to produce a creative movie/film/video. Exhibits may include a finished movie or video, creation of a detailed storyboard, editing techniques using digital video software, production techniques, or other display to share what was learned. Copyright permission must be obtained for any non-original material included as part of a film/movie/video.

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.

SCIENCE, ENGINEERING, & TECHNOLOGY

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 10th.)

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 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 Note, if selected for the Iowa State Fair: A conference judging opportunity for exhibitors of repaired or restored tractors in class 10616 will be offered during exhibit check-in. Added note for state fair that 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 20th, 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 & Technology: Any exhibit that shows learning about or helps explain how science and technology help us interact with the world. Topics include aerospace, biological and chemical sciences, computers & networking, earth & climate, geospatial mapping (GPS/GIS), robotics, or any other application of Science, Engineering, or Technology.

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) that shows learning about robotics and robotic systems.

Science, Engineering & Technology Special Rule

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

WINNESHIEK COUNTY CONTESTS

Winneshiek County contests include the Bucket of Junk, Bucket of Tall Corn, and the Upcycle Flower Planter. Contest exhibits must be checked in by 3:00 p.m. on Static Entry Day in the Community Building. All participants will receive a participation certificate. Judges will select a 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place award in each contest that will be recognized on the participant's certificate. Entries in the following contests are not eligible to advance to the Iowa State Fair. You can create an entry in FairEntry and enter your item as a static project for a chance to advance to the Iowa State Fair. Projects must be judged for Static Judging Day before being checked in for the contest classes at 3:00 p.m.

Bucket of Junk Contest: This contest is open to 10 registered 4th-12th grade members each year. Each registered participant will be given one 5-gallon bucket filled with 'junk' (metal welding material). Participants are challenged to turn their bucket of junk into something creative.

1. Buckets will be handed out on a first call – first serve basis by calling 563-382-2949 beginning on March 1st. You will be notified when buckets are available to pick up.
2. You may clean, sand, weld, glue, cut, bolt, fasten, bend, shape, paint, or finish the items you are provided.
3. You must use approximately 75% of the materials provided.
4. Optional: You may supply 5 additional items of your choosing to your project. Please take a photo of the items you add to include in your write up.
5. Entries will be judged on artistic merit, technical merit, and the members exhibit write up responding to the Winneshiek County Exhibit Goal Sheet.
6. These exhibits may also be exhibited at Static Judging Day under the appropriate class and are eligible to advance to the Iowa State Fair. Note: Visual Arts and Home Improvement require completion of the Design Elements and Art Principles worksheet.
7. Your project may be no larger than 36" x 36" x 24".
8. Members may enter only one entry into this contest.

Bucket of Tall Corn: Registered participants are challenged to grow the tallest corn (with supplied seeds) by the Winneshiek County Fair. Clover Kids and 4-H members are welcome to participate!

1. Registration will open for the Bucket of Tall Corn contest on March 1st. Three seeds will be mailed to registered youth on April 1st.
2. There are zero rules!
3. Plant the tall corn seeds in a 5-gallon bucket and put your bucket anywhere you wish to grow it.
4. Feel free to decorate your bucket but be sure to include your name and 4-H club.

Upcycle Flower Planter Contest: Create a flower planter out of a unique and innovative item. This contest is open to Clover Kids and 4-H members.

CLOVER KIDS HANDBOOK (GRADES K-3)

General Rules:

1. Clover Kids must be enrolled in 4HOnline by **May 1**.
2. Clover Kids register by paper. Clover Kids do NOT register on FairEntry.
3. Exhibits must have been completed after the previous fair.
4. Clover Kids judging will be cooperative and not competitive. Each participant will receive a participation ribbon. No premium money will be given.
5. Due to security, we discourage 4-H members from sending items to the Winneshiek County Fair that have special meaning and historical value as part of the exhibit. We will use diligence to ensure the safety of articles entered for exhibit after their arrival and placement, but will not be responsible for damage or loss by fire, theft, etc.
6. **DRESS CODE.** All exhibitors will be required to wear a Winneshiek County 4-H countywide t-shirt, white shirt, or Clover Kids t-shirt for both livestock and non-livestock judging, when they are showing in the ring or being conference judged.
7. **Unsportsmanlike Behavior Policy** - "4-H members, parents **AND** families must abide by rules and the 4-H member Code of Ethics and accept disciplinary action deemed appropriate by the 4-H Youth Committee."

CLOVER KIDS STATIC DAY

Judging Date: Thursday, July 6th @ Community Building

Judging Times: 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Clubs will be assigned judging times

Entries for Static Day due on FairEntry by June 15th

General Exhibit Rules:

1. Clover Kids (K – 3rd graders) are limited to three exhibits to be judged at static judging day.
2. Clover Kids Exhibit Goal Sheet available on the next page, online, or at the Extension Office.
3. Clover Kids judging will be cooperative and not competitive. Each participant will receive a participation ribbon. No premium money will be given.
4. Eligible exhibits are an outgrowth of work done as a planned part of the 4-H'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.
5. See 4-H static class descriptions for approved size guidelines, copyright restrictions, safety, and approved methods.
6. Endangered and threatened plants and animals (includes insects), or songbird feathers and nests may NOT be used in any exhibit.
7. 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.
8. **Each item in an exhibit must be securely labeled, including the name of the county, and exhibitor's name, and club name.**
9. Exhibits are to be entered at the scheduled judging time.
10. Exhibits are expected to be on display the entire fair. Exhibits will be released between 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. on Sunday after the fair. If you are unable to be there during this time, have someone pick up your exhibits. **Exhibits will be checked out by an approved 4-H volunteer/Extension Staff.**

4-H CLOVER KIDS CLOTHING, FOODS, & COMMUNICATIONS DAY

Clover Kids may participate in selected areas of Clothing, Foods & Communications Day. CFC Day is Wednesday, June 21st. Entry forms will be due to the Extension Office on or before **June 9th**. Entry forms found on pg. 25.

Clothing Selection, Fashion Revue, \$20 Challenge, and Innovative Design will require a clothing report form to be completed and turned in to judge for evaluation. These are available at the Extension Office and online.

1. **Clothing Selection:** Select and/or purchase an outfit that represents the 4-H members goal or intended use for the selected outfit.
2. **Fashion Revue:** Model a garment that is constructed, hand-knitted, machine-knitted, or crocheted during the current 4-H year.
3. **\$20 Challenge:** Outfits must be purchased at a garage sale, consignment shop, or resale shop (i.e., Goodwill, Salvation Army).
4. **Innovative Design:** Use creative and out-of-the box thinking when creating an outfit.
5. **Working Exhibit:** Communicate, interact with, and teach an audience in an informal and experiential way.
6. **Share the Fun:** Share your skills and talents before an audience purely for the sake of enjoyment.
7. Clover Kids judging will be cooperative and not competitive. Each participant will receive a participation ribbon. No premium money will be given.

4-H CLOVER KIDS PET DEPARTMENT

Clover Kids may participate in the Pet Show. Entry forms will be due to the Extension Office on or before **June 15**. Entry forms found on pg. 25.

1. Pets will be conference judged on their conditions, member's ability to handle and care for the pet. Clover Kids will have the opportunity to show the audience their pet and tell a caring adult about their pet.
2. Clover Kids will also create a poster about the pet which includes past and present goals. The poster will be conference judged during the Pet Show. The poster may include breed/species, name, age and/or birth date, characteristics/habits of the pet, care of the pet, diet, needs, flea control, worm control, etc.; pictures of pet in action; your own artistic illustrations, cut or pasted diagrams, pictures, etc.
3. Clover Kids judging will be cooperative and not competitive. Each participant will receive a participation ribbon. No premium money will be given.
4. Pets must be leashed, caged, or contained and kept away from animals in other buildings. Pets are to be on the fairgrounds during the time of judging of Pet Show only.
5. Exhibitors are asked to arrive 30 minutes prior to show time to sign-in and prepare their animal.
6. All dog and cat exhibitors must present a current rabies certificate at the time of judging. (No kittens or puppies under 3 months are to be shown due to disease vulnerability). If you have a dog for a pet, it must be screened by the superintendent. Screening may be done day of pet show. This is a safety issue. Also, no turtles allowed due to potential disease. The judge will be handling all agreeable pets for examination (please clip claws of cats).
7. Livestock animals such as swine, horses, cattle (beef and dairy), sheep and goats are not to be shown in the Clover Kids Pet Show. All other animals must be less than 200 pounds in order to be shown.
8. Clover Kids and pets must be supervised by an adult at all times. The adult is responsible for both the Clover Kid and pet. Only one Clover Kid and pet will be allowed in the showcase area at a time, along with a responsible adult, to ensure the safety of the pet, the Clover Kid, and the audience.
9. Any female animal in season cannot be shown.
10. Pets may be shown only by Clover Kid members who have turned in a Pet Project Entry Form to the Extension Office by June 15.
11. Clover Kid pets may not be exhibited in any other category by another Clover Kid or 4-H member.

4-H CLOVER KIDS BUCKET BOTTLE CALF SHOW

Judging Show Time: Wednesday of fair– Immediately following the 4-H/FFA Dairy Goat Show

1. **Calves will be brought to the fair on the day of the show and return home the same day.**
2. Clover Kids judging will be cooperative and not competitive. Each participant will receive a participation ribbon.
3. Project is open to all Winneshiek County Clover Kid members grades K-3.
4. Clover Kids may be accompanied by an adult in the show ring.
5. Any newborn or orphaned calf - steer or heifer - dairy or beef - purebred or crossbred - calved between **March 1 and June 15** of the current year can be a part of this project. Bull calves will be allowed at the fair.
6. Registration: Clover Kids fill out Bucket Bottle Calf entry form (pg. 25) and return to the Extension Office by **June 15**.
7. Calf must be bucket or bottle fed; no nursing permitted.
8. An exhibitor is limited to one calf exhibited at the fair.
9. Calves do not need to be ear tagged.
10. All calves will be shown on halter and should be clean and groomed. No clipping or fitting.
11. Children will be asked questions regarding:
 - a. Care and management of raising the calf.
 - b. Showing/handling of the calf.
 - c. Fitting, general health, and condition of the calf and child's knowledge of the project.
 - d. Birthdate of calf

***NOTE:** Quality and conformation of the calf will NOT be considered in the bucket bottle program.

12. Clover Kid exhibitors must follow the fair's rules and health requirements as stated in the fair book. These include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - a. All exhibitors must show his/her own animal in partnership with a caring adult.
 - b. Each exhibitor is responsible for the care of his or her animal in partnership with a caring adult.
13. Health Requirements: Calves exhibited in the Bucket Bottle class must have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, showing individual identification for each animal and stating the animals are apparently free from symptoms of infectious or communicable diseases as determined on clinical inspection by an accredited veterinarian within 30 days prior to date of entry to fairgrounds. **ANY EVIDENCE OF WARTS, RINGWORM, FOOT ROT, PINK EYE, DRAINING ABSCESES, OR ANY OTHER CONTAGIOUS DISEASE WILL ELIMINATE THE ANIMAL FROM THE SHOW.**

4-H CLOVER KIDS SHEEP/GOAT SHOW

Show Time: Wednesday of fair • 2:30 PM • Danan Lansing Building

1. Clover Kids judging will be cooperative and not competitive. Each participant will receive a participation ribbon. No premium money will be given.
2. Project is open to all Winneshiek County Clover Kid members grades K-3.
3. Clover Kids may be accompanied by an adult in the show ring.
4. An exhibitor is limited to one goat or sheep exhibited at the fair. Must be born between Jan. 1 – April 30 of current calendar year.
5. Sheep/goats do not need to be ear tagged.
6. Sheep/goats will be brought to the fair on the day of the show and return home the same day.
7. All sheep/goats should be cleaned and groomed.
8. Clover Kids will be asked questions regarding:
 - a. Care and management of raising the sheep/goat.
 - b. Showing/handling of the sheep/goat.
 - c. Fitting, general health, and condition of the sheep/goat and child's knowledge of the project.

*NOTE: Quality and conformation of the sheep/goat will NOT be considered in the program.
9. Clover Kid exhibitors must follow the fair's rules and health requirements as stated in the fair book. These include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - a. All exhibitors must show his/her own animal in partnership with a caring adult.
 - b. Each exhibitor is responsible for the care of his or her animal in partnership with a caring adult.
10. Registration: Clover Kids fill out Sheep/Goat Entry Form and return to the Extension Office by **June 15**.
11. Health Requirements: Sheep/goat exhibited in the Clover Kid class must have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, showing individual identification for each animal and stating the animals are apparently free from symptoms of infectious or communicable diseases as determined on clinical inspection by an accredited veterinarian within 30 days prior to date of entry to fairgrounds. No evidence of warts, ringworm, pinkeye, or other infectious conditions will be allowed.
12. All sexually intact sheep must have an individual Scrapie Flock of Origin identification tag. All sexually intact goats must be identified with an individual Scrapie Flock of Origin identification tag or by an official tattoo registered with USDA (to register, call 1-866-USDA-TAG; 1-866-873-2824).

Winneshiek County Clover Kids Goal Explanation Sheet



Name: _____ Grade: _____

Parent Name(s): _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Clover Kid Club: _____

1. What was your exhibit goal?

2. What was your favorite part about this exhibit?

3. What did you learn with this exhibit?

Please complete one goal sheet per project for static judging day. Handwritten is encouraged but can be typed.

Winneshiek County Clover Kids Livestock Entry Form



Name: _____ Grade: _____

Parent Name(s): _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Clover Kid Club: _____

Exhibitors may show one animal per line. Check each line next to the species exhibitor plans to bring to the fair. Due on or before June 15 to the Winneshiek County Extension Office.

_____ Sheep or Goat (circle one) _____ Bucket Bottle Calf _____ Pet: Description of pet: _____

Winneshiek County Clover Kids Static Entry Form



Name: _____ Grade: _____

Parent Name(s): _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Clover Kid Club: _____

Please provide a brief description of the entry. Static Exhibits limited to three (3). Entry is due on or before June 15 to the Winneshiek County Extension Office. Descriptions may be brief and are allowed to change or be different the day of judging. You do not need to call the office to update descriptions.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Winneshiek County Clover Kids Clothing, Foods, & Communications Entry Form



Name: _____ Grade: _____

Parent Name(s): _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Clover Kid Club: _____

Entry is due on or before June 9th to the Winneshiek County Extension Office.

1. _____ Clothing Selection
2. _____ Fashion Revue
3. _____ \$20 Challenge
4. _____ Innovative Design
5. _____ Working Exhibit
6. _____ Individual Share the Fun: description _____
7. _____ Group or club Share the Fun: description _____

GENERAL RULES FOR 4-H/FFA LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS – 2023

1. **RESPONSIBILITY:** Fair management will use diligence to ensure safety of all animals or articles entered for exhibition, after their arrival and placement, but under no circumstances will the Winneshiek County Fair Board or Winneshiek County Extension and Outreach be responsible for any loss, damage, or injury.
 - a. Each exhibitor is responsible to conduct themselves to not endanger another exhibitor or his/her exhibit. Anyone violating this rule will forfeit all awards and prizes won.
2. **ELIGIBILITY:** Classes are open to all 4-12th grade Winneshiek County 4-H youth who have enrolled in 4HOnline by **May 1**. Members may enroll in 4-H in only one county and must exhibit in the county in which they are enrolled. All Winneshiek County FFA students that are certified by their instructor on or before May 1, will be eligible to exhibit in the current year show and one year following high school graduation. No 4-H or FFA member may show the same identified project at the county fair.
 - a. **Iowa State Fair Eligibility:** 4-H youth wishing to compete at the Iowa State Fair, must have completed 5th-12th grade and be YQCA certified.
 - b. **Clover Kid members** (Kindergarten – 3rd grade) will only be allowed to show animals in the Clover Kid livestock departments, Pet Show, and non-livestock exhibition. Opportunities will be noncompetitive, and all participants will receive a Clover Kid ribbon.
3. **RETAGGING:** Exhibitors who have livestock lose a tag must contact the Extension Office to make arrangements for retagging. Staff must be present at the time of retagging. Exceptions to this rule may apply where bio security is an issue. Please refer to species rules for those exceptions.
4. **YQCA:** In order for youth, grades 4-12, to be eligible to exhibit livestock, all exhibitors with the following project(s), must complete YQCA by May 15th: **dairy cattle, bucket bottle, goats, sheep, swine, beef, poultry, and rabbits**. All 4-H/FFA exhibitors must abide by YQCA standards and practices while they have animals residing on the fairgrounds.
5. **DRENCHING of any species will not be allowed.** Drenching is defined as: putting any type of tube down the throat or in the mouth of an animal to force fluids into the stomach. If there are health related concerns regarding dehydration exhibitors must contact the Extension Office immediately before implementing treatment or calling a vet. All calming agents must be reported to the Extension Office Staff before use. Exhibitors involved in drenching or non-approved use of agents will not be allowed to show the animal. There are Quality Assurance issues involved with this practice.
6. **COACHING** from or near the ring is **STRONGLY** discouraged. This includes verbal or non-verbal coaching. If any individual becomes distracting or disruptive by their words or actions, they will be escorted from the barn/show area for the duration of the show. The Winneshiek County Fair follows the Iowa State Fair's rules for coaching from or near the show ring.
7. **HEALTH CERTIFICATES** will be required for **all** animals before they are allowed to unload at the fairgrounds. All livestock must have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, showing individual identification for each animal and stating the animals are apparently free from symptoms of infectious or communicable diseases as determined on clinical inspection by an accredited veterinarian within 30 days prior to date of entry to fairgrounds. (Exception: **Sheep require health inspection within 14 days** prior to entry date to fairgrounds; **Swine require health inspection within 7 days** prior to entry date to fairgrounds.) **ANY EVIDENCE OF WARTS, RINGWORM, FOOT ROT, PINK EYE, DRAINING ABSCESES, OR ANY OTHER CONTAGIOUS DISEASE WILL ELIMINATE THE ANIMAL FROM THE SHOW.** See specific species for additional health requirements.
8. **ENTRIES:** All livestock fair entries must be made on the FairEntry website **by June 15**. Send entry fee(s) to the Winneshiek County Extension Office, 2316 Sweet Parkway Road, Decorah, Iowa 52101. **Fees** must be postmarked no later than **June 17**. No space can be guaranteed unless entries and entry fees are received properly, filled out, and on time. Please make checks for entry fees out to the Winneshiek County Fairboard.
9. **LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED:** For entry fee rates, see the bottom section on these General Rules and/or FairEntry website.
10. **ALL MARKET ANIMALS** (beef, market dairy, sheep, goat, rabbit, poultry, swine): Superintendent and/or Extension staff and parent must be at fair weigh-in with exhibitor to sign-off on weights. No re-weighs after leaving the scale.
11. **IOWA YOUTH CODE OF ETHICS:** **BOTH the member and parents/guardian must** have signed an **Iowa Youth Code of Ethics either** on 4HOnline during 4-H re-enrollment or turned in a paper copy to the Extension Office.
12. **DRESS CODE:** All exhibitors will be required to wear a Winneshiek County 4-H exhibitor t-shirt or FFA Chapter t-shirt, both livestock and non-livestock, when they are showing in the ring or being conference judged. Exception: Horses, refer to Horse rule book.
 - a. FFA Chapters are allowed to design and wear their own t-shirts. All FFA members must wear the same chapter shirt. Exception: Horses, refer to Horse rule book
13. **EXHIBITOR NUMBERS** will be worn at all livestock shows. An exhibitor will wear the same number for all shows. Numbers will be given at scheduled exhibitor meeting.

14. **UNLOADING TIMES: Absolutely no livestock** may be unloaded before 5:00 p.m. or after 9:00 p.m. on Monday or before 7:00 a.m. or after 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday of the fair.
- Poultry & Rabbits** must be on the grounds at 5:00-8:00 p.m. Monday of fair. **No birds are allowed on the grounds prior.**
 - Market Beef, Breeding Beef, Dairy Goats, Meat Goats, Sheep and Swine** must be in place by **10:00 a.m. on the Tuesday of the fair.**
 - Dairy Cattle** may be brought in between **7:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. on the Tuesday of the fair.**
15. **STALLING:** Each exhibitor will be allowed one stall per animal/one pen for 3 animals they enter at the fair. In case of crowded conditions, an exhibitor will forfeit any extra space they **requested** without refund. If enough room is available, a stall may be used as a “club stall” for feed, show boxes, etc. Example: You enter and pay for 5 dairy animals; you bring 3 to the fair. Space is limited; therefore, you forfeit the 2 empty stalls. Livestock entries **MUST** be stalled or penned in the area designated by Extension Staff. Exhibitors who fail to comply will forfeit all premiums for that entry.
- Stall clean-up:** exhibitors will be required to keep all stalls and grounds neat and clean during the fair. When cleaning out your livestock stalls, beef and dairy; pull bedding back 2-3 feet from front of stall. Swine, sheep, goat, rabbit, and poultry exhibitors; clean out entire pens and haul the bedding to the designated location **(If your stall is not clean you will be assessed up to \$25 from your premiums and this money will be given to the club/clubs that are doing the cleaning).**
 - Fans:** Fee: \$5.00 per fan to cover cost of electricity. Location—Must not be reachable from an aisle or walkway; Must have a screen cover front & back of the fan; No aisle or walkways may be blocked. **Power-washers and butt fans are prohibited.**
 - BEEF exhibitors:** Plug-ins are rated for a maximum of 20 amps/circuit – when fitting your animal, plugging in a dryer and a fan may overload the circuit. Use good judgment and ask if you have questions concerning these issues.
 - Once the livestock deadline of June 15 has passed, no refunds of stalling fees will be permitted.
 - All stalling special requests must be submitted in FairEntry or in writing to the Extension Office on or before June 15. Special requests will be taken into consideration.
16. **PLACING:** All classes will be judged on a Blue, Red and White grouping basis. Ribbon placing is given according to quality and expectation in class decided by the judge.
- Classes, including showmanship, can have just 1 exhibitor, however this does not mean exhibitor is automatically granted the champion or blue ribbon. Ribbon placing is given according to quality and expectation in class decided by judge.
17. **AUCTION ORDER** for each exhibitor will be randomly selected via FairEntry. Swine will sell in pen order designated by the superintendent.
- These animals are considered for sale unless you notify the office to take them off the program. You need to notify the office by Friday at noon. Ex: If an exhibitor has more than 2 market beef animals, they must determine which animals will be sold and inform extension staff by the deadline.
18. **PROJECT OWNERSHIP:** All exhibits must have been cared for and managed by the member during this 4-H and FFA year. Projects must have been identified in **4HOnline by May 15 AND** entered into **FairEntry by June 15.** Market Beef, Swine, Meat Goats and Market Sheep will be entered on 4HOnline by the 4-H family but need to be **verified** by Extension Staff. **Animals identified as 4-H projects remain 4-H animals for county and state fair. Animals identified as FFA projects remain FFA projects for county and state fair.**
- If the member owns the animal, he/she must assume 75 percent or more of the management as defined in the 4-H project rules and regulations, 4H-200 (Rev.).
 - A family-owned horse may be managed by no more than two members of the family on a 50 percent basis. A non-family-owned horse must be managed by the member 75 percent of the time or more. A member managing a horse on this basis must have a completed Horse Lease Agreement from the Extension Office signed by the owner stating that the member manages the animal at least 75 percent of the time and that he/she has access to use of the animal. Leased horses must have completed lease form, 4H106C, turned in to the Extension Office by May 15th.
 - IT IS THE INTENT** that the 4-H/FFA exhibitor takes responsibility for caring for and grooming & fitting his/her own animals as this is an educational based youth program. If assistance is needed while animals are housed on the Fairgrounds, it should be aimed at helping the 4-H and FFA member learn new skills and must be done with the 4-H member present. Assistance may come from other immediate family members or a current active 4-H/FFA member.
19. **EXHIBITORS MUST SHOW** their own animals except in the case of sickness or other reasons satisfactory to the Youth Development Committee. Requests must be submitted at least one day before the show to the Extension Office. **Substitute showman must be a current Winneshiek County 4-H or FFA member exhibiting at the current year's fair.**

20. **RELEASE OF EXHIBITS:** All livestock will be released from 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. on Sunday, July 17th (exception lactation dairy cows which will be released Saturday after the auction and Danan Lansing Building will load out between 6-8AM). Exhibitors must secure approval from Youth Development Committee to remove livestock early: submissions to the Youth Development Committee are due to the Extension Office **on or before June 15 at 4:30 p.m. business close.** Livestock will not be permitted to be released early for other shows. Disciplinary action will be implemented by the Youth Development Committee and/or the Extension Council for unapproved early release.
21. **PROTESTS:** **All protests of any nature must be in writing, signed and filed with the Extension Office in the Extension Fair Office within 48 hours** of the incident, with a **\$100 Deposit and burden of proof falls on the filer.** Such complaints will be given due consideration by the Extension Staff, Livestock Superintendents, State 4-H Staff, Extension Council and/or Fair Board. Extension Staff on the grounds reserve the right to interpret all rules and their decisions will be final. If the protest or complaint is found to be in direct violation of the fairbook immediate action may be taken by Extension Staff. If the protest or complaint is found to be unfounded, or is retracted, the money is donated to the 4-H Scholarship Fund. If DNA or drug testing is needed for a protest, the protester is responsible for these fees.
- a. Protocol for Dealing with a Grievance
 - i. When a grievance is turned in to the office, the Youth Development Committee (YDC) is notified.
 - ii. The YDC meets to review the grievance, but no action is taken.
 - iii. A sub-committee is set up to investigate the grievance (Chair and 3 members, CYC serves advisory role)
 - iv. The YDC meets to review the findings of the investigation.
 - v. The YDC submits a recommendation to the Extension Council.
 - vi. At this time the YDC is no longer involved in the process.
 - vii. Extension Council informs YDC of their decision within 30 days of when grievance was filed.
22. **EXHIBITOR PACKETS** must be picked up at one of the scheduled exhibitor meetings.

UNSPORTSMANLIKE POLICY- *"4-H members, parents AND families must abide by rules and the 4-H member Code of Ethics and accept disciplinary action deemed appropriate by the 4-H Youth Committee."*

LIVESTOCK ENTRY FEES

All fees are paid to the Winneshiek County Fair but are submitted at the Extension Office

Dairy & Beef.....	\$10.00 per head
Sheep – Swine – Goats (3 head to a pen).....	\$9.50 per pen (Includes stall and bedding)
Rabbits – Poultry.....	\$3.00 per pen
Horse – Dog – Pets.....	\$3.00 per animal

There will be an additional \$5.00 per fan fee for exhibitors who plug in fans at the Winneshiek County Fair.

Paper fan forms and payment at the Extension Office.

*Additional bedding will be available during the fair and can be purchased from the Fair Board under the grandstand.

HERDSMANSHIP DEPARTMENT

1. All 4-H clubs and FFA chapters with livestock at the county fair will be automatically entered in herdsmanship. The contest includes all species.
 2. All 4-H/FFA members are asked to keep the grounds neat and clean during the fair. If you see a piece of paper or trash on the ground, please stop, pick it up and put it into a nearby trash can.
 3. Herdsmanship will be judged once to twice a day, with the exception of show day for each species. Please keep the aisles near your animals swept and the area in front of your animals looking neat and as clean as possible. Help other members in your club, if they're not around and something needs cleaned. Say hello to people walking through and even visit with them about your 4-H or FFA project.
 4. Club winners will be announced during the Fall Awards Program. There will be two categories: Large clubs (21 members or more) and small clubs (6 - 20 members). Awards are provided by the Decorah Area Chamber of Commerce Ag Committee.
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4-H/FFA PARADE OF CHAMPION

Event Time: Saturday, July 15th, 2023, at 9:30 a.m. at the Show Barn.

PARADE OF CHAMPIONS will take place in the Show Barn. All Grand and Reserve Champions, Supreme and Reserve Champions, 4-H State and Alternate State Fair Static Exhibitors are encouraged to participate in the Winneshiek County 4-H/FFA Parade of Champions. Livestock are not required to walk in the show ring but are encouraged. This event is for **both livestock and non-livestock entries**. Projects may be checked out of the Community Building for Parade of Champions but must be returned immediately after the parade.

4-H/FFA LIVESTOCK AUCTION

Event Time: Directly following the parade of champions.

1. Exhibitors may sell up to 3 rabbits, up to 2 poultry, 2 head of swine, 2 head of sheep, 2 head of goats, and 1 market beef.
2. Please see individual department requirements for the livestock auction.
3. The 4-H/FFA Livestock Auction is open to **only market** livestock exhibited at the county fair.
4. The standard 4% of auction commission will be deducted from the proceeds to go towards the 4-H Program.
5. The animal check off will be deducted from the exhibitor's livestock check.
6. Name, Club, Parent(s) Name, and Placing (champion) will be printed in the auction catalog. Youth are responsible for this information when designating sale animals. *Exhibitor cards will not be used.*
7. Only the overall champion can be replaced by an entered animal, stalled at the fairgrounds, to be sold in the livestock auction.
8. Listed below is the 4-H/FFA Livestock Auction Order. The top exhibits listed below by species will sell at the beginning of the sale and the others will receive a lot number according to the auction sign-up sheet.
9. After a species leads the auction, it will bump to the end of the auction order the following year.
10. **If an animal is not designated by Friday at noon** (excluding market Beef/Dairy and Market Rabbit) the animal will be placed at the end of the auction and have a \$10 late fee assessed from their auction proceeds.
11. All market bovines sold at auction must meet all withdrawal regulations for Feed Additives, and medications, etc.
12. A signed Iowa 4-H Animal Care and Management Disclosure Statement (Drug Affidavit) must be turned in at animal check in for your animal to be sold at auction.

Hall of Fame Announcement Ceremony

The Iowa 4-H Foundation sponsors the annual Iowa 4-H Hall of Fame induction ceremony at the Iowa State Fair. Counties nominate volunteers, community leaders, and Extension staff members who have exemplified outstanding service and dedication to the 4-H youth program in their county. Only one individual or couple per county can be nominated each year. Inductees can be recognized posthumously.

2023 Auction Order

Sheep

Grand Champion Market Lamb
Grand Champion Market Pen
Reserve Champion Market Lamb
Reserve Champion Market Pen
Champion Light Weight Market Lamb

Champion Middle Weight Market Lamb
Champion Heavy Weight Market Lamb
Champion Rate of Gain Market Lamb
Remaining Eligible Market Lambs

Meat Goat

Grand Champion Market Meat Goat
Reserve Grand Champion Market Meat Goat
Grand Champion Market Dairy Goat
Reserve Grand Champion Market Dairy Goat

Champion Rate of Gain Market Meat Goat
Champion Rate of Gain Dairy Meat Goat
Remaining Eligible Market Meat Goats

Beef

Grand Champion Market Steer
Grand Champion Market Dairy Steer
Grand Champion Market Heifer
Reserve Grand Champion Market Steer
Reserve Grand Champion Market Dairy Steer

Reserve Grand Champion Market Heifer
Champion Rate of Gain Market Steer
Champion Rate of Gain Market Dairy Steer
Champion Rate of Gain Market Heifer
Remaining Eligible Market Beef & Dairy Steers

Rabbits

Champion Pen of 3 Rabbits
Reserve Champion Pen of 3 Rabbits
Champion Meat Rabbit

Reserve Champion Meat Rabbit
Remaining Eligible Market Pen of 3 or a single meat rabbits

Poultry

Champion Market Pen of Poultry
Reserve Champion Pen of Poultry

Remaining Eligible Market Pen of Poultry

Swine

Grand Champion Market Individual
Reserve Champion Market Individual
Grand Champion Derby
Reserve Champion Derby

Grand Champion Pen of 3
Reserve Champion Pen of 3
Champion Rate of Gain
Remaining Eligible Swine in order of pens

Dairy Auction

All dairy exhibitors will be listed in the Auction Program.

Seven cheese baskets representing the following will be auctioned off: Supreme Champion Dairy Animal, Top Producing Dairy Cow, and the breed champions. The standard 4% auction commission will be deducted from the proceeds to go towards the 4-H program. The remaining proceeds from the auction will be divided as follows:

- 6% to the exhibitor of the Supreme Dairy Champion
- 3% to the exhibitor of the Reserve Supreme Dairy Champion
- 5% to fairground improvements
- 82% divided equally among 4-H/FFA dairy cattle exhibitors

One basket representing the Supreme Champion Dairy Goat will be auctioned off with proceeds divided as:

- 20% to the exhibitor of the Supreme Champion Dairy Goat
- 15% to the exhibitor of the Reserve Supreme Champion Dairy Goat
- 61% divided equally among 4-H/FFA dairy goat exhibitors



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2023 HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR EXHIBITION OF LIVESTOCK, POULTRY AND BIRDS AT A COUNTY 4H/FFA FAIR EXHIBITION


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

No individual Certificate of Veterinary Inspection will be required on Iowa origin animals or poultry exhibited at County 4-H/FFA Fair, but the animals must be inspected when unloaded or shortly thereafter by an accredited veterinarian. 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 4H/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 on 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 official 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 U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid clean or equivalent flocks, or have had a negative Pullorum-Typhoid test within 90 days of public exhibition and the test must have been performed by an authorized tester. (SEE GENERAL SECTION 1.B) **Please note: Poultry purchased from a hatchery and raised for exhibition are not exempt from Pullorum-Typhoid testing requirements.**

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

DOGS AND CATS

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

FARM DEER

Accredited veterinarians must be approved to administer tuberculosis tests on Cervidae.

"Cervidae" means all animals belonging to the cervidae family, and "CWD susceptible cervidae" means whitetail deer, blacktail deer, mule deer, red deer, elk and moose. Native Iowa Cervidae may be exhibited without other testing requirements when accompanied by a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection that lists individual official identification.

All Cervidae must have been part of the herd of origin for at least one year or were natural additions, or must have originated from a chronic wasting disease monitored or certified herd in which these animals have been kept for at least one year or were natural additions. Cervidae originating from a herd with a diagnosis, signs, epidemiological evidence, or area under quarantine for chronic wasting disease may not be exhibited. The following statement must appear on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection:

"All Cervidae on this certificate have been part of the herd of origin for at least one year or were natural additions to this herd. There has been no diagnosis, signs, or epidemiological evidence of chronic wasting disease in this herd for the past year."

THE DECISION OF THE OFFICIAL SHOW VETERINARIAN WILL BE FINAL.



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

BEEF DEPARTMENT

Judging Show Time: Friday, July 14th, 2023 @ 8:30 a.m. in the Show Barn.

Show Order: Breeding Beef, Market Heifers, Dairy Steers, Market Beef Steers, Carcass Results.

Superintendent: Kia Hovden

MARKET BEEF

Exhibitors must read General Rules for 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors found on pg. 26-28.

1. Entries are open to market beef that have been weighed-in, castrated or banded, and ear tagged at an official 4-H weigh-in by February 1. All entries must be castrated or banded as well as dehorned prior to weigh-in. All FFA State Fair exhibitors must arrange tagging/weighing with FFA advisor.
2. At weigh-in, the 4-H official tag will be inserted, and **all other tags must be removed before county fair.**
3. A total of three market beef may be entered in this division by one exhibitor.
4. Weighing of all market beef animals is Tuesday, July 11th from 9:00-11:00 a.m. **Mandatory: superintendent and parent must be at weigh-in with exhibitor to sign-off on weights. No re-weighs. Breed eligible steers will need to be weighed and then need to have registration papers checked along with tattoos at designated check-in area (signs will be posted the day of fair weigh-in for this designated area).**
 - This check-in will consist of confirming tattoo and/or ear tag numbers and will be performed by an Extension Staff person, Superintendent, approved volunteer and/or Extension Council or Youth Development Committee member near the scale at check-in.
5. All market beef are to be shown in classes according to ending weight. Market beef steers will be divided into the following divisions, if there are 3 or more head checked-in at the 2023 Winneshiek County Fair weigh-in. If less than 3 head of one breed check-in at the show, they will be shown in the All-Other Breeds division.

CLASS NUMBERS

20101 Aberdeen Angus	20115 Horned Hereford	20129 Miniature Hereford
20103 All Other Breeds	20117 Limousin	20131 Polled Hereford
20105 Angus	20119 Maine-Anjou	20133 Red Angus
20107 Charolais	20121 Market Beef Carcass Class	20135 Salers
20109 Chianina	20123 Market Dairy Steer Carcass Class	20137 Shorthorn
20111 Crossbred	20125 Market Dairy Steers	20139 Shorthorn Plus
20113 Gelbvieh	20127 Market Heifers	20141 Simmental

- Number of classes will be determined by superintendent and committee based on ending weight. They will equalize classes in numbers according to weight and weight variation.
 - Market Beef Steers
 - First and second place in each class within a breed division will compete for Division Champion and Reserve Champion. Champion and Reserve for each division will compete for Grand and Reserve Champion Market Steer.
 - Market Beef Heifers
 - Market Heifers will compete as a separate class from all steers and a Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Market Heifer will be selected.
 - Market Dairy Steers
 - Dairy Steers will compete as a separate class from all steers and a Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Dairy Steer will be selected.
 - New in 2023: SUPREME AND RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION MARKET ANIMAL will be selected from the Grand/Reserve Market Steers, Heifers, and Dairy Steers. This selection will occur at the end of the show.
6. A limit of one entry per exhibitor may be sold through the auction.
 7. All market beef animals* must meet a minimum weight of 1000 lbs. to be sold at the 4-H/FFA Livestock Auction with the exemption of miniature and novelty breeds. Animals under 1000 lbs. may be shown but cannot be sold in the sale with the exception of miniature and novelty breeds. Members should plan to have animals weighing between 1250 and 1350 lbs. for the ideal market beef weight. *Miniature Breeds are exempt from Average Daily Gain requirements.
 8. RATE OF GAIN CONTEST- All market beef animals weighed-in for the fair are automatically entered in the rate of gain contest. Cattle may be weighed only once and not wet down.
 9. All market beef animals* will be weighed on entry day, Tuesday of the fair, to determine the rate of gain since the initial weigh-in date. Market steers with less than 2.3 pounds of gain per day and market heifers with less than 2.2 pounds of gain per day will not be eligible for a blue award. The rate of gain information will be given to the judge and will be considered in the evaluation of the project. *Miniature Breeds are exempt from Average Daily Gain requirements.
 10. Rate of gain stickers will be given at the entrance of the ring and will be worn on the **right** shoulder of the exhibitor.
 11. Market beef and beef heifer showmanship classes will be combined.

12. SHOWMANSHIP - a person may win a showmanship division only once and then advance to the next level. The exception to this rule is at the collegiate level you may win more than once.
13. LOCAL ORIGIN - Recognition will be given to market beef steers, market heifers and dairy steers of Winneshiek County origin - providing that they are certified as such on a Local Origin form turned in at the time of beef weigh-in.
14. The National Association of Animal Breeders NAAB, recognizes the following dairy breeds: Holstein, Ayrshire, Brown Swiss, Guernsey, Jersey, Milking Shorthorn, Red and White Holstein, Swedish Red, Viking Red, and Montbéliarde. Those listed or any crosses of the above are acceptable dairy breeds in the Dairy Market Classes.

BEEF STEER AND DAIRY STEER CARCASS CONTEST

An exhibitor may enter up to three animals in this class. Only animals weighed in December and tagged with an official 4-H tag are eligible. Animals will be ultrasound scanned at the fair to obtain carcass information necessary for the formula used for ranking. To enter the carcass contest, indicate on FairEntry 'yes' for participation, and how many head will be scanned. Payment for the Carcass contest will be collected on the day of scanning at the fair. Price will be determined in the final fair book. Market heifers may enter the carcass contest but will be graded on the same scale as the steers.

Carcasses are evaluated by the following: Animals will be ranked on the most current Iowa State University formula to include both daily gain performance and carcass merit. The carcass grid will be determined one week prior to fair to include current premiums and discounts offered through available local cattle buyers. Each animal carcass value will be calculated using whichever grid would net them the highest value per cwt. This value along with ADG will then be used to rank animals using the Iowa State University formula.

BREEDING BEEF

Exhibitors must read General Rules for 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors found on pg. 26-28.

Judging Show Time: Friday, July 14th, 2023 @ 8:30 a.m. in the Show Barn.

Superintendent: Kia Hovden

****If a heifer is originally identified as a market heifer, the heifer can be eligible as breeding but does not have to be re-identified in 4HOnline under the breeding beef category.**

1. There will be a check-in for Breeding Beef immediately following Market Beef weigh-in. Beef must be brought to the check-in chute when called immediately after market beef weigh-in. Youth and adult must be present for check-in and youth must have registration papers if breeding stock are registered animals.
 - **This check-in will consist of confirming tattoo and/or ear tag numbers and will be performed by an Extension Staff person, Superintendent, approved volunteer and/or Extension Council or Youth Development Committee member near the scale at check-in.**
2. Heifers and cows shown in this division cannot be shown in any market beef class or sold in the auction.
3. A maximum of five heifers or cows may be shown in this division by one exhibitor – no more than two per class.
4. Cannot exhibit a beef heifer that has not calved at 30 months of age.
5. Breeding heifers will be divided into the following divisions, if there are 3 or more head checked-in at the 2023 Winneshiek County Fair weigh-in. If less than 3 head of one breed check-in at the show, all of the breed's heifers will be shown in All Other Breeds division.
6. Number of classes will be determined by superintendent and committee based on birthdates.
7. First and second place in each class within a division will compete for Division Champion and Reserve Champion. Champion and Reserve for each division will compete for Supreme Champion Breeding Female and Reserve Supreme Champion Breeding Female.

CLASS NUMBERS

20100 Aberdeen Angus	20116 Gelbvieh	20132 Polled Hereford
20102 All Other Breeds	20118 High % Maine-Anjou	20134 Red Angus
20104 Angus	20120 Home Raised Heifer Class	20136 Red Angus Foundation
20106 Charolais	20122 Horned Hereford	20138 Salers
20108 Charolais Percentage	20124 Lim-Flex	20140 Shorthorn
20110 Chianina	20126 Limousin	20142 Shorthorn Plus
20112 Commercial	20128 Mainetainer	20144 Simmental
20114 Foundation Simmental	20130 Miniature Hereford	
20146 Home Raised Cow/Calf Pair		20152 Purebred/Percentage Cow/Calf Pair 2–4-year-old cow
20148 Commercial Cow/Calf Pair 2-4-year-old cow		20154 Purebred/Percentage Mature Cow/Calf Pair 5+year-old cow
20150 Commercial Mature Cow/Calf Pair 5+ year-old cow		

8. **Home Raised:** These classes are open for heifers or cow/calf pairs that were bred, born, raised and resided in Winneshiek County through the duration of the animal's life to qualify for the award.

Home raised designates that the **heifer or cow/calf pair were bred, born, and raised** on the member's home farm with **the dam of the heifer or cow/calf pair owned by the member or the member's parents.** All animals must have their status recorded, in 4HOnline or at the Extension Office for FFA, as local origin and home raised by **May 15** to be eligible for this class. Exhibitors with a home raised heifer may show the heifer in both the Breeding Beef division and the Home Raised Heifer Class.

DAIRY GOAT DEPARTMENT

Dairy Goat Judging Show Time: Wednesday, July 12th @ 8:00 a.m. in Danan Lansing Building

Superintendent: Sue Bruvold

Exhibitors must read General Rules For 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors found on pg. 26-28.

Dairy Goat Department General Rules:

1. **Additional Health Requirements:** All sexual intact goats must be identified with an individual Scrapie Flock or Origin identification tag or by an official tattoo registered with USDA (to register, call 1-866-USDA-TAG), and this number must be listed on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection. The Certificate of Veterinary Inspection must also include a statement certifying the herd's participation in the Scrapie program.
Goats originating from outside of the state – must originate from a state certified brucellosis free herd, or from a class "free" state (brucellosis) or have a negative brucellosis test performed within 90 days of the fair. In addition, they must originate from a herd having a negative Tuberculosis test within the last twelve months, or from a class "free" state (TB); or have a record of a negative tuberculosis test performed within 90 days of the fair.
2. Exhibitors may enter a total of 6 head in the dairy goat classes. No more than 2 head per class.
3. No bucks will be allowed.
4. Dairy goats must be dehorned.
5. Showmanship class will be at the end of the show. Showmanship classes will be dependent on the number of exhibitors.

CLASS NUMBERS

- 22001** Kid Female - Born January - February 2023
- 22002** Kid Female - Born March - April 2023
- 22003** Doe - 1st or 2nd Freshening - born after January 1, 2021, and in milk
- 22004** Doe - Mature Doe - Born before January 1, 2021 and in milk

DAIRY CATTLE DEPARTMENT

Judging Show Time: Wednesday, July 12th, 30 minutes following the Bucket Bottle Show – approximately 9:30 a.m. or 9: 45 a.m. beginning with the cow classes by age instead of breed. **Superintendent:** Kaitlin Kempel

Exhibitors must read General Rules For 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors found on pg. 26-28.

Dairy Cattle Department General Rules:

1. Open to six dairy breeds: Holstein, Ayrshire, Brown Swiss, Guernsey, Jersey, and Milking Shorthorn.
2. A member may show a total of six dairy animals and not more than two per breed age group.
3. All yearling and calf classes will be divided by breed.
4. Cows that have completed official DHIA or DHIR records above their breed average for milk or fat will be recognized in each class. Cow's DHIA computer number and herd code must accompany the 2023 Fair Entry Registration process.
5. Each dairy exhibitor will be limited to two (2) entries for DHIA production awards. The dairy exhibitor must declare the animals to be submitted for the award along with the completed paperwork (DHIA 201 or 204) with DHIA computer number for declared cow by **June 15**. DHIA paperwork is due to the Winneshiek County Extension Office. **NO SUBSTITUTIONS WILL BE PERMITTED** of the dairy production awards. The production record must meet the following criteria: minimum 305-day record; has been completed since the previous year's fair; and must have been completed under the ownership of the 4-H/FFA exhibitor.
 - a. Awards for milk, combined fat/protein, cheese yield, protein and butterfat will be given. Top milk production goes through the dairy auction.
6. All animals must be a 4-H or FFA project. These animals must be properly identified on 4HOnline by **May 15. A cow may only be identified by one exhibitor on 4HOnline (siblings cannot ID the same animal).**
 - a. All dairy cattle must have TWO of the following ID options submitted with animal ID by May 15th: Official tattoo, Registration number, official DHIA metal tag or 840-type RFID tag, 2 photos uploaded (right side, left side).

CLASS NUMBERS**21010 Spring Calf (3-1-23 to 4-30-23)**

Lot: 1 Ayrshire
2 Brown Swiss
3 Guernsey
4 Holstein
5 Jersey
6 Milking Shorthorn

21011 Winter Calf (12-01-22 to 02-28-23)

Lot: 1 Ayrshire
2 Brown Swiss
3 Guernsey
4 Holstein
5 Jersey
6 Milking Shorthorn

21012 Fall Calf (09-01-22 to 11-30-22)

Lot: 1 Ayrshire
2 Brown Swiss
3 Guernsey
4 Holstein
5 Jersey
6 Milking Shorthorn

21013 Summer Yearling (06-01-22 to 08-31-22)

Lot: 1 Ayrshire
2 Brown Swiss
3 Guernsey
4 Holstein
5 Jersey
6 Milking Shorthorn

21014 Spring Yearling (03-01-22 to 05-31-22)

Lot: 1 Ayrshire
2 Brown Swiss
3 Guernsey
4 Holstein
5 Jersey
6 Milking Shorthorn

21015 Winter Yearling (12-01-21 to 02-28-22)

Lot: 1 Ayrshire
2 Brown Swiss
3 Guernsey
4 Holstein
5 Jersey
6 Milking Shorthorn

21016 Fall Yearling (09-01-21 to 11-30-21)

Lot: 1 Ayrshire
2 Brown Swiss
3 Guernsey
4 Holstein
5 Jersey
6 Milking Shorthorn

21017 Dry Cow Class

Lot: 1 Ayrshire
2 Brown Swiss
3 Guernsey
4 Holstein
5 Jersey
6 Milking Shorthorn

21018 2 Yr. Old Cow (09-01-20 to 08-31-21)

Lot: 1 Ayrshire
2 Brown Swiss
3 Guernsey
4 Holstein
5 Jersey
6 Milking Shorthorn

21019 3 Yr. Old Cow (09-01-19 to 08-31-20)

Lot: 1 Ayrshire
2 Brown Swiss
3 Guernsey
4 Holstein
5 Jersey
6 Milking Shorthorn

21020 4 Yr. Old Cow (09-01-18 to 08-31-19)

Lot: 1 Ayrshire
2 Brown Swiss
3 Guernsey
4 Holstein
5 Jersey
6 Milking Shorthorn

21021 Aged Cow (Born before 09-01-18)

Lot: 1 Ayrshire
2 Brown Swiss
3 Guernsey
4 Holstein
5 Jersey
6 Milking Shorthorn

21022 Dairy Herd

Three females of one breed owned by one exhibitor. One must be milking.

21023 Daughter-Dam

Two females owned by one exhibitor (one daughter of the other).

BUCKET BOTTLE CALF DEPARTMENT

Judging Show Time: Wednesday, July 12th Following Dairy Goat Show, Bucket Bottle will be shown in Show Barn
Exhibitor must also read General Rules For 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors found on pg. 26-28.

Bucket Bottle Calf Department General Rules:

1. Calves will not be stalled on the fairgrounds. They should arrive **Wednesday, July 12th, by 8:00 a.m.** at the show barn to have their health papers checked.
2. Exhibitors are limited to one entry.
3. Upon completion of your 2nd year exhibiting a bucket bottle calf you are encouraged to exhibit a more mature project to continue growth.
4. **Judging will be based on the following:**
 - a) What the member has learned about care and raising of the calf. An interview session with the judge will be held during judging.
 - b) The grooming and the cleanliness of the calf - recommended to use soap, water, brush, and rag.
 - c) General health, management and condition of the calf and member's knowledge of this area.
 - d) Confirmation or type of calf is NOT to be considered.
 - e) Participation ribbons will be awarded, no premiums for this class.

Class 20301 Bucket Bottle Calf – includes dairy & beef calves. Calves must have been born between **March 1 and June 15, 2023**. Calves should not be clipped or fitted. Calves will be shown on halter. All entries will be given a participation ribbon but no class placing.

DOG DEPARTMENT

Judging Show Time: Agility: Sunday, July 9th, 2:00 p.m.

Obedience, Rally, and Showmanship: Monday, July 10th, 8:00 a.m.- Show Barn

Superintendent: Karla Bakken & Brittany Allen

Exhibitor must also read General Rules For 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors found on pg. 26-28.

Dog Department General Rules:

1. **All dogs must have distemper and rabies shots.** A copy of the papers will be given to the superintendent before dog is allowed to participate in pre-fair obedience classes. The superintendent will have health papers at the fair.
2. Immediate family members (siblings/stepsiblings) can co-identify same dog(s). Each dog must still be identified in 4HOnline under each sibling. The same animal will only be allowed to show in a class **once**.
3. Entries are open to purebred or mixed breed dogs and may or may not be owned by the exhibitor. But in all cases, the dog is to have been trained and managed by the exhibitor, 4-H/FFA member.
4. **All dog show exhibitors must have attended 50% (8) scheduled 4-H obedience classes at the fairgrounds. Additional classes outside of the scheduled classes do not count towards 50% attendance.** Extenuating circumstances will be assessed on a case-by-case basis.
5. Each individual dog may only be entered in no more than one rally, and one obedience class.
6. 4-H/FFA exhibitors may have more than one entry in any rally, agility class, obedience class.
7. AKC rules will be used as guidelines.
8. Any dog with aggressive behavior may be dismissed by judge or show superintendent. Dog **MUST LEAVE** show site immediately.
9. If exhibitor or dog are showing in AKC or another venue, exhibitor and superintendent will determine which class level dog will show in at Winneshiek County Fair.
10. Experienced dog exhibitors or dogs starting at beginner novice A will move up in normal class progression.
11. No more than two dogs can be shown per exhibitor.
12. All dogs need to be kenneled when not being shown at the Winneshiek County Fair. Dogs are not allowed on bleachers during the dog show.

RALLY CLASSES

Rally Obedience – This is a class where there will be signs on a course that dog and handler will go to and perform that exercise. Exercises will include heeling and other exercises as trained for by the 4-H member and dog. Handlers can talk to the dogs around the course without penalty. All exercises are done on leash. Rally is a timed event.

CLASS NUMBERS

30101 1st Level Rally - This class is for first year members who have not shown any dog at the fair.

30102 2nd Level Rally - This class is for dogs and handlers in their 2nd and 3rd year of training in obedience and showing. It is also for advanced members who are starting a new dog.

30103 3rd Level Rally - This class is for dogs and handlers in their 4th year and above of training in obedience and showing.

AGILITY CLASSES

Agility is a timed event obstacle course that includes jumps, tunnels, and other obstacles as trained for by the 4-H member and dog. To determine the overall agility champion exhibitors can select one dog to enter in the open agility and open jumpers agility classes.

CLASS NUMBERS

- 30201** **1st Level Agility** This class is for first year members who have not shown any dog at the fair.
- 30202** **2nd Level Agility** This class is for dogs and handlers in their 2nd and 3rd year of training and showing. It is also for advanced members who are starting a new dog.
- 30203** **3rd Level Agility** This class is for dogs and handlers in their 4th year and above of training.
- 30204** **4th Level Agility** This is an off-leash class. Same course as 3rd level agility. Handlers and dogs may not show in both 3rd and 4th level agility.
- 30205** **Open Agility** This is a course that will vary slightly from third and fourth level class. All agility obstacles will be in this class. Any exhibitor from first four classes can enter. Dogs can run on or off leash.
- 30255** **Open Jumpers Agility** Course will be only tunnels and jumps. Any exhibitor from first 4 classes can enter. Dogs can run on or off leash. The score from this class and Open Agility class will be averaged to get Supreme Agility Champion and Reserve Champion.

OBEDIENCE

- 30310** **Intro Class** *1st year exhibitor and dog.* Heel and figure 8 on leash. Sit for examination on leash-handler next to dog. Recall (no finish) at end of 6-foot leash. 20 second sit stay at end of leash. 20 second down stay at end of leash.
- 30301** **Beginner Novice A** *2nd year exhibitor or experienced exhibitor and new dog.* Heel and figure 8 on leash. Sit for exam on leash, handler at end of leash. Sit stay- drops leash and walks around ring and returns to heel position. Recall, halfway across ring- off leash with a front. No finish.
- 30302** **Beginner Novice B** *3rd year exhibitor.* Heel and figure 8 on leash, stand for exam with handler at end of leash. Recall, across ring- off leash with front and finish. Group 1-minute sit stay, minute down stay on leash.
- 30303** **Preferred Novice** *4th and 5th year exhibitor.* Heel and figure 8 on leash. Stand for examination- drop leash and go 6 feet out and face dog. Return around dog to heel position. Recall- off leash, across ring with front and finish. Sit stay- get leash at gate, return to heel position. Dog must remain in sit until judge announces, "Exercise finished." Group exercise – 1-minute sit stay, 2 minutes down stay on leash.
- 30304** **Novice A** *6th year and above exhibitor. Cannot have a leg in Novice in another venue.* Heel and figure 8 on leash. Stand for examination off leash. Heel free off leash- heel across ring with a normal, about turn- slow, normal and halt on judge's command. Recall with finish, off leash, across ring. Sit stay- get your leash at gate, return to heel position. Dog must remain in sit until judge announces, "Exercise finished." Group exercise- 2 minute down stay on leash.
- 30305** **Novice B-** *For exhibitors who have a Novice leg or title in AKC or other venue. Does not have leg in Grad Novice or above in any other venue.* Heel and figure 8 on leash. Stand for examination off leash. Heel free off leash. Recall with finish, off leash, across ring, sit stay- get your leash at gate, return to heel position. Dog must remain in sit until judge announces, "Exercise finished." Group exercise- sit and down stay one minute on leash.
- 30306** **Graduate Novice A** *For exhibitors who do not have a Grad Novice title.* Heel free and figure 8. Drop on recall. Dumbbell recall on flat. Dumbbell recall over high jump. Recall over broad jump. Stay- get your leash. Sit or down.
- 30307** **Graduate Novice B** *For exhibitors who have a Grad Novice Title, no legs toward higher title.* Same exercises as Grad novice A.
- 30308** **Open Obedience** *For exhibitors who have a title leg in the Open Class in another venue.* AKC exercises will be used.
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HORSE & PONY DEPARTMENT

Judging Show Time: Thursday, July 13th, 2023 @ 9:00 a.m.

Check-In: Horses can start arriving at 7:30 a.m. to be checked-in with health papers. Exhibitors may NOT unload before health papers are checked.

Superintendent: Jeanett Hansen

Exhibitor must also read General Rules For 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors found on pg. 26-28.

Horse Department General Rules:

1. General Livestock Rules and "Rules and Regulations for Equine Shown in Iowa" 4-H 511C govern all exhibitions in this department. This handbook can be purchased at the office or viewed, ordered, or downloaded at: <https://store.extension.iastate.edu/Product/430>
2. All equine must be identified in 4HOnline by May 15. Photos are required to be uploaded in 4HOnline for all horses. All equine must sign up on FairEntry by June 15.
3. Maximum of 5 head can be identified; of those, a max of 2 may be leased
 - Leased horses must have completed lease form, 4H106C, turned into the Winneshiek County Extension Office.
 - Halter/conformation class horses **must be owned; cannot be leased.**
 - Immediate family members (siblings/stepsiblings) can co-identify the same horse(s).
 - Each horse must still be identified in 4HOnline under each sibling.
 - The same animal will only be allowed to show in a class **once.**
 - Example: A 5th grade 4-H member cannot show a horse in barrels, and the 8th grade sibling show the same horse in barrels; however, the other sibling could show that same horse in pole bending.
4. **Exhibitor Apparel-** See "Rules and Regulations for Equine Shows in Iowa" 4-H 511C. Wear white shirts, no arm bands. <https://store.extension.iastate.edu/Product/430>
 - a. All 4-H youth participating in any riding classes must wear American Society of Testing Materials (ASTM) and Safety Engineering Institute (SEI) approved headgear with chins strap and properly fitted harness while mounted and riding, including warm up.
5. **Exhibitor Conduct:** Contestants shall always act as young ladies and gentlemen. Unnecessary roughness or discourtesy will dismiss the exhibitor from further competition for the entire show. Good sportsmanship shall prevail. Courtesy is mandatory. No abuse of horses will be tolerated. Each exhibitor must keep horse under control or be excused from ring.
6. Any breed of horse, pony or mule is eligible to show. Horses may be mares or geldings. Stallions may not be shown beyond the yearling class. Horses will arrive at the fairgrounds on Thursday morning. Judging of halter classes and showmanship classes will be at 9:00 a.m.
7. Each exhibitor must enter and show in his/her respective Showmanship and Horsemanship classes in order to exhibit in any other classes.

Showmanship Classes

- This class will be judged for cleanliness and appearance of horse, proper trimming of horse's mane and appearance and merits of exhibitor. **Hat/helmet and belt required.**
- Showmanship classes are divided by age division. Exhibitor may only win each division once, upon winning a division, exhibitors must move up to next age division. Once they reach the collegiate level they may compete indefinitely.

Costume Class

- Costume class participants are asked to provide a paragraph explaining the costume that you choose and what inspired you to pick that costume. Paragraphs will be collected at horse check in prior to the show. The information provided will be read on the loudspeaker during the horse show.

Class Numbers		Pony Halter Classes	
		(Animals mature height less than 56 inches)	
31405	Showmanship – Collegiate (1 st Year out of high school)	31211	Weanling/Yearling Fillies/Colts
31404	Showmanship – Senior – (9 th , 10 th , 11 th , and 12 th Grade)	31212	Two/Three-Year-Old Mares/Gelding
31403	Showmanship – Intermediate – (7 th and 8 th Grade)	31213	Aged Mares (Four and Over)
31402	Showmanship – Junior – (4 th , 5 th , and 6 th Grade)	31214	Aged Geldings (Four and Over)
		<i>Grand and Reserve Champion Halter Pony</i>	
Horse Halter Classes		Longline Class	
(Animals mature height 56 inches or more)			
31101	Weanling/Yearling Fillies/Colts	31105	Longline (all ages)
31102	Two/Three-Year-Old Mares/Gelding	<i>Grand and Reserve Champion Longline</i>	
31103	Aged Mares (Four and Over)		
31104	Aged Geldings (Four and Over)	Draft Horse/Mule Halter Classes	
<i>Grand and Reserve Champion Halter Horses</i>		31321	Draft Horse/Mule Mares
		31322	Draft Horse/Mule Geldings
		<i>Grand and Reserve Champion Draft Horse/Mule</i>	

**Performance
Classes****(Can be ridden English or Western)**

31502	Walk Trot – Junior (4 th - 6 th Grade)
31503	Walk Trot – Intermediate (7 th – 8 th Grade)
31504	Walk Trot – Senior (9 th – 12 th Grade)
31511	Pleasure – Junior (4 th - 6 th Grade)
31512	Pleasure – Intermediate (7 th – 8 th Grade)
31513	Pleasure – Senior (9 th – 12 th Grade)

Costume Class**31754**

Costume (all ages)

*Grand and Reserve Champion Costume***Horsemanship Classes**

- This class will be judged on the rider's ability to correctly ride a horse. The exhibitor will be judged on his/her hands, seat, appointments of horse and rider, suitability, and performance of the horse. Exhibitor must wear a helmet.
- Horsemanship classes are divided by age division. Exhibitor may only win each division once, upon winning a division, exhibitor must move up to next age division. Once they reach the collegiate level they may compete indefinitely.

Class Numbers	Description	Age
31602	Horsemanship	Junior (4 th – 6 th Grade)
31603	Horsemanship	Intermediate (7 th – 8 th Grade)
31604	Horsemanship	Senior (9 th – 12 th Grade)
31605	Horsemanship	Collegiate (1 st Year out of high school)
31611	Egg and Spoon	All ages
31621	Driving Horsemanship	All Ages
31622	Driving Pleasure	All Ages

Speed Classes	Description	Age
31711	Barrel Racing	Junior (4 th – 6 th Grade)
31712	Barrel Racing	Intermediate (7 th – 8 th Grade)
31713	Barrel Racing	Senior (9 th – 12 th Grade)
31721	Flag Race	Junior (4 th – 6 th Grade)
31722	Flag Race	Intermediate (7 th – 8 th Grade)
31723	Flag Race	Senior (9 th – 12 th Grade)
31731	Jumping Figure 8	Junior (4 th – 6 th Grade)
31732	Jumping Figure 8	Intermediate (7 th – 8 th Grade)
31733	Jumping Figure 8	Senior (9 th – 12 th Grade)
31741	Plug Race	Junior (4 th – 6 th Grade)
31742	Plug Race	Intermediate (7 th – 8 th Grade)
31743	Plug Race	Senior (9 th – 12 th Grade)
31751	Polebending	Junior (4 th – 6 th Grade)
31752	Polebending	Intermediate (7 th – 8 th Grade)
31753	Polebending	Senior (9 th – 12 th Grade)

MEAT GOAT DEPARTMENT**Meat Goat Judging Show Time:** Wednesday, July 12th, 3:00 p.m. – Danan Lansing Building**Superintendent:** Sue Bruvold

Exhibitors must also read General Rules For 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors found on pg. 26-28.

Meat Goat Department General Rules:

1. **Additional Health Requirements:** All sexual intact goats must be identified with an individual Scrapie Flock or Origin identification tag or by an official tattoo registered with USDA (to register, call 1-866-USDA-TAG), and this number must be listed on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection. The Certificate of Veterinary Inspection must also include a statement certifying the herd's participation in the Scrapie program.
Goats originating from outside of the state – must originate from a state certified brucellosis free herd, or from a class "free" state (brucellosis) or have a negative brucellosis test performed within 90 days of the fair. In addition, they must originate from a herd having a negative Tuberculosis test within the last twelve months, or from a class "free" state (TB); or have a record of a negative tuberculosis test performed within 90 days of the fair.
2. Exhibitors may enter up to 6 head total in the breeding meat goat classes with no more than 2 per class and maximum of 2 head of market meat goats.
3. **Market meat goats must have been castrated or banded by May 1.**
4. Market goats should be disbudded, dehorned, or tipped blunt before arrival on fairgrounds. Goats must be collared or haltered in the ring.
5. Each market meat goat must weigh a minimum of 50 pounds at the time of fair weigh-in. Those weighing under 50 pounds will be shown in a feeder class and are not eligible to be sold at auction. **Superintendent/Extension Staff and a parent must be at weigh-in with exhibitor to sign for weights. No re-weighs once leaving the scale.**

6. Classes will be broken out according to weights at fair.
7. A trophy will be awarded for Champion Market Meat Goat. The champion will be selected from the first-place winners of individual weight divisions. The reserve champion will be selected from the remaining first place winners plus the second-place winner of the individual weight class division from which the champion was selected.
8. Pygmy goats may not be entered in the market goat show; but may be entered in the pet show.
9. Meat goats must be on the grounds no later than 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 12th.

CLASS NUMBERS - BREEDING MEAT GOAT

23101	Kid Female - Born January - February 2023
23102	Kid Female - Born March - April 2023
23103	Doe - 1st or 2nd Freshening - born after January 1, 2021
23104	Mature Doe - Born before January 1, 2021

CLASS NUMBERS - MARKET MEAT GOAT

23201	Market Meat Goat – Born after January 1, 2023
23202	Market Dairy Goat – Born after January 1, 2023
23203	Feeder Class Under 50 lbs.

4-H PET DEPARTMENT

Judging Show Time: Thursday, July 6th, at **2:00** p.m. – Community Building

Superintendent: Beth Einck

Exhibitors must also read General Rules For 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors found on pg. 26-28.

Pet Department General Rules:

1. Pets will be conference judged on their conditions, member's ability to handle and care for the pet.
2. Pets must be leashed, caged, or contained and kept away from animals in other buildings. Pets are to be on the fairgrounds during the time of judging and the Pet Show only.
3. Exhibitors are asked to arrive 30 minutes prior to show time to register and prepare their animal.
4. All dog and cat exhibitors must present a current rabies certificate at the time of judging. (No kittens or puppies under 3 months are to be shown due to disease vulnerability). If you have a dog for a pet, it must go to Beth Einck (superintendent) for a screening. This is a safety issue. Also, no turtles allowed due to potential disease. The judge will be handling all agreeable pets for examination (please clip claws of cats).
5. **Animals shown in the pet show cannot be shown in any other livestock show, with the exception of dogs.**
Example: Sibling A shows dog in the pet show and sibling B can show the same dog in the dog show.
6. Exhibitors in grades 4th – 12th must prepare a poster about the pet which includes past & present goals. The poster size is 22" x 28". **The poster will be conference judged during the Pet Show.** The poster may include such things as: breed of pet or name of species, age and/or birth date, characteristics and habits of the pet, care of the pet such as special diet, needs, flea control, worm control, etc., name of pet; pictures of pet in action; your own artistic illustrations, cut or pasted diagrams, pictures, etc.
7. Included with the Poster, 4-12 grade exhibitors must also prepare goal cards that answer the following questions:
 - a) What are your present goals in the pet project?
 - b) How have you worked toward your goals?
 - c) What important things have you learned as you worked toward your goal?
 - d) What ideas or plans have you in the future in the pet project?
8. The poster and ribbon will be displayed in the 4-H Community Building during the fair.
9. Pets may be shown only by 4-H and FFA members who are enrolled in the Pet Project. Members must sign up in FairEntry by June 15.
10. Pet entry is \$3.00 per entry for grades 4-12.

CLASS NUMBERS

32001	Pet (required to bring a poster)
32002	Poster (not required to bring pet)
32003	Clover Kids Pet & Poster (Grades K-3) – see Clover Kids specific pet rules, pg. 23.

POULTRY DEPARTMENT

Judging Show Time: Thursday, July 13th at 3:30 p.m. – EJ Weigle Building

Check-In: Monday, July 10th, 2023 5:00-8:00 p.m.

Superintendent: Lori Luzum, Suzi Bauer, Justin Bullerman

Exhibitors must also read General Rules For 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors found on pg. 26-28.

Poultry Department General Rules:

1. All poultry need to be deloused and mites removed with a dust or wet bath prior to entry day. Birds indicating symptoms of disease/lice/mites will be disqualified and will be immediately removed from the grounds by the exhibitor.
 - a. Pullorum testing will be done at check-in, Monday, July 10th from 5-8 p.m.
2. No birds allowed to be delivered to fairgrounds until 5:00 PM. on Monday.
3. **Market birds will be weighed-in on Monday.**
4. All market pens will have the **option** of being sold in the Livestock auction. Only one pen per exhibitor is allowed to be sold in the auction.
5. Members enrolled in this project are allowed two entries in each class (24001-24009) and no more than 5 individuals. Youth may also bring 1 broiler entry.
6. Game bird (pheasant, grouse, etc.) entries need proof of game breeder's license.
7. Crossbred birds may be shown.
8. Cages for chickens will be provided, but large poultry entries will need to provide their own cages. **All exhibitors need to furnish their own feeders, locks, and waterers and are responsible for keeping their cages clean.**
9. Overall Grand Champion Market Pen may be sold at the Livestock auction on Saturday of the fair.

Class 24010 – Broiler Project Class

The Broiler Project is an opportunity for a 4-H or FFA member to gain valuable experience in raising chicks to broiler-weight through partnership. The sponsor will buy the chicks and the 4-H/FFA member raises the chicks and presents the best three birds at the Winneshiek County Fair. 4-H/FFA member is responsible for whatever is necessary to raise the chicks to healthy broiler weight and processing of the birds. Failure to participate in the broiler class at fair will require members to pay full sponsorship fee to their designated sponsor.

1. To show a market bird, exhibitors must participate in the broiler project.
2. Participants must submit registration form to the Winneshiek County Extension Office by March 15th to purchase birds. All birds will be purchased from the same hatchery and will be available for the exhibitors to pick up in May.
3. Participants will receive 15 birds and exhibit 2 live broilers at the fair as a pen-of-two. There will be a cap of 30 birds per family if there are multiple exhibitors from one family.
4. Birds purchased for this class cannot be exhibited in any other class.
5. Broiler project entries are limited to one entry per exhibitor. A pen of two birds must weigh a combined minimum of 10 pounds. The top rate of gain pen will receive an award.
6. Broilers will be judged on the following criteria: Cleanliness –Meatiness of Breast, Thigh, and Drumstick, Conformation of Body Structure and General Health and Freedom from Defects.
7. Exhibitors may sell the pen-of-two from the Broiler Project Class at the Livestock Auction on Saturday.
8. Failure to participate in the broiler class at fair will require member to pay full sponsorship to the sponsor.
9. Birds will be wing tagged at the time of pick-up and must have tags intact with wing at the fair weigh-in.
10. Exhibitors do NOT dress and deliver birds to the sponsor this year. Instead, please write a thank you to Luzum Brother's Poultry for their donation. Please send thank you's to the Extension Office to distribute to the sponsor.

CLASS NUMBERS

24001	COCK: Male bird 12 months or older
24002	COCKEREL: Male under 12 months
24004	HEN: Female bird 12 months or older
24005	PULLET: Female under 12 months
24008	WATERFOWL: Ducks, geese, all ages – ganders or drakes
24009	EXOTIC: Turkeys, peacocks, pheasants, guineas, pigeons, doves, all ages
24010	MARKET PEN: Broilers: Two birds per pen either sex, minimum combined weight of 10 pounds.

RABBIT DEPARTMENT

Judging Show Time: Friday, July 14th at 3:30 p.m. – EJ Weigle Building

Check-In & Weigh-In Monday, July 10th from 5:00-8:00 p.m.

Superintendents: Suzi Bauer & Justin Bullerman

Exhibitors must also read General Rules For 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors found on pg. 26-28.

Rabbit Department General Rules:

1. An exhibitor may show a maximum of 5 entries from class numbers 27101-27530. Each exhibitor is limited to two (2) entries per class.
 - a. A minimum of 3 rabbits to make a class. If 2 or less, rabbits will be shown in an AOB class.
2. Only meat rabbit classes have the option to be sold on the auction sale. An exhibitor is limited to one sale lot. A lot may be a **market meat rabbit pen, or a single meat rabbit**.
3. All rabbits will be individually checked in and weighed on Monday 5:00-8:00 pm. (Exhibitor and guardian must be present.) All rabbits will be classified, and market rabbits weighed at that time. No re-weighs upon leaving the scale.
4. All rabbits shown at the fair must have an identification tattoo in their left ear prior to entry. Tattoo code (number/letters) must be entered on 4HOnline by May 15.
5. Exhibitors may provide their own pen for display. **All exhibitors need to furnish their own feeders, locks and waterers and are responsible for keeping their cages clean.** All meat pens must be caged 3 (three) to a pen. Rabbits must be cared for by the exhibitor during the fair. Manure should be removed daily to prevent odor and flies.

CLASS NUMBERS

27101 Market Pen - fryers (3.5 to less than 5.5 pounds each, the total pen weight may not exceed 16.5 pounds). A pen should consist of the same breed and color. An individual market may or may not be one of the rabbits from the exhibitor's fryer pen.

27103 Commercial Single Fryer: (3.5 to less than 5.5 pounds)

27104 Commercial Single Roaster: (5.6 to less than 8 pounds)

Breeding Rabbits

Purebred rabbits must be of recognized breeds within the American Rabbit Breeders Association (ARBA) and are judged per each breed's standard found in the ARBA's Standard of Perfection. If your crossbred rabbit fits the description of one of the below breeds you may show it as the breed it most resembles.

Sr. Buck	Older than 6 months
Sr. Doe	Older than 6 months
Jr. Buck	Under 6 months
Jr. Doe	Under 6 months

Breeding Rabbit - Commercial Breeds. Rabbits will be shown in divisions listed below by breeds. There will be six classes (ages) for the large commercial breed rabbits.

27301: American	27302: Giant Angora	27303: Argente Brun
27304: Beveren	27305: Californian	27306: Champagne D' Argent
27307: Checkered Giant	27308: American Chinchilla	27309: Cinnamon
27310: Crème D' Argent	27311: Flemish Giant	27312: Hotot
27313: English Lop	27314: French Lop	27315: New Zealand
27316: Palomino	27317: Satin	27318: Silver Fox

Breeding Rabbit – Fancy Breeds. Rabbits will be shown in divisions listed below by breeds. There will be four classes (ages) for the smaller fancy breeds.

27501: American Fuzzy Lop	27502: American Sable	27503: English Angora
27504: French Angora	27505: Satin Angora	27506: Belgian Hare
27507: Britannia Petite	27508: Standard Chinchilla	27509: Dutch
27510: Dwarf Hotot	27511: English Spot	27512: Florida White
27513: Harlequin	27514: Havana	27515: Himalyan
27516: Holland Lop	27517: Jersey Wolly	27518: Lilac
27519: Lion Head	27520: Mini Lop	27521: Mini Satin
27522: Mini Rex	27523: Netherland Dwarf	27524: Polish
27525: Rex	27526: Rhinelander	27527: Silver
27528: Silver Marten	27529: Tan	27530: Thrianta

SHEEP DEPARTMENT

Judging Show Time: Wednesday, July 12th, immediately following Meat Goat Show – Danan Lansing Building

Superintendent: Joni Bruvold

Exhibitor must also read General Rules For 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors found on pg. 26-28.

Sheep Department General Rules:

1. **Additional Health Requirements:** Animals exhibited in the sheep classes must be individually officially identified on a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection and originate from herds or areas not under quarantine. The Certificate of Veterinary Inspection will require clinical inspection by an accredited veterinarian within 14 days prior to date of entry to fairgrounds. All reproductive sheep (ewes and rams) must be identified with an individual Scrapie Flock or Origin identification tag in order to exhibit at the fair, and this number must be listed on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection. This would also include any ewe lamb shown in the market classes either purchased or raised. Whether lambs do not require a scrapie tag.
2. All breeds may be exhibited.
3. A member may identify up to 30 head in 4HOnline (State Fair/County Fair).
4. **White Breed Influence:** Lambs eligible for this class will be identified at fair entry weigh-in. Classifier will be appointed by Sheep Superintendent and Extension Staff and will have final determination in class eligibility. White Breed Influence lambs will be shown in one class for both speckled face and white-faced animals. To be considered speckled, the lamb must have speckles on 2 of the 3 following areas: face, ears, or legs. Face is considered from top of poll down to the nose (see picture right). Leg wool and wool caps are not considered part of the 1/3 coloring; hair color only is allowed.
5. There will be one class/division for WBI lambs. A Grand Champion and Reserve Champion will be awarded in this class and considered a division winner. These champions will go on to be in the final drive for the overall Champion Market Lamb.
6. A member may show a total of eight sheep. A member may have two entries per class. **EXCEPTIONS:** Exhibitors are limited to one pen of three market lambs. An individual may exhibit three individual market lambs which may or may not come from their pen of three.
7. Youth must designate Pen of 3 and Individual Market Lambs within 1 hour after weigh-in.
8. Lambs shown in commercial ewe classes cannot be shown in purebred or market lamb classes.
9. All lambs in the purebred classes must be registered and exhibitor must be able to produce registration papers upon request.
10. All entries in lamb classes must be born after Jan. 1, 2023.
11. All market sheep must be weighed in and ear tagged at county weigh-in. They must be docked and castrated, or banded prior to the initial weigh-in.
12. All market lambs must be shorn as close as possible 2 weeks before the county fair weigh-in.
13. All market lambs must weigh 90 lbs. to be sold at auction.
14. Market lamb classes will be based on ending weights and classes may be split into lightweight, middleweight, and heavyweight depending on number exhibited.
15. **Market Lambs must meet a required 0.25 pounds per day rate of gain to be eligible for blue ribbon consideration.**
16. All market lambs and commercial ewes must be slick shorn upon arrival to the fairgrounds. Animals which are not slick shorn will not be allowed to stall or enter the check-in line. Suggested fleece length for purebred breeding sheep is ¼ inch with ¾ inch maximum, with the exception being for wool breeds which have no maximum length. As noted, “slick shorn” does not apply to purebred “fitted” ewes.

Purebred Sheep	CLASS NUMBERS	
	25101	Purebred Ram Lamb* - January 1 to May 1, 2023
	25102	Purebred Ewe Lamb - January 1 to May 1, 2023
	25103	Purebred Ram* - Born before December 31, 2022
	25104	Purebred Ewe - Born before December 31, 2022
*At least 2 or more individuals with entries required to have the Ram classes.		

Commercial Sheep	CLASS NUMBERS	
	25311	Commercial Ewe Lamb - January 1 to May 1, 2023
	25312	Comm. Yearling Ewe - Born January 1 to December 31, 2022
	25313	Commercial Aged Ewe - Born before December 31, 2021
	25314	Commercial Hair Ewe (All ages)

Market Lambs	CLASS NUMBERS	
	25200	Market Lamb - Born January 1 to April 1, 2023
	25210	White Breed Influence –Born January 1 to April 1, 2023
	25220	Market Lamb – Pen of three

SWINE DEPARTMENT

Judging Show Time: Thursday, July 13th, 8:30 a.m. – Swine Arena

Superintendent: Wayne Huinker & Conner Hemesath

Exhibitors must also read General Rules For 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors found on pg. 26-28.

The order for the Swine Show will be as follows: Breeding Gilts, Derby Gilts, Derby Barrows, Purebred Market Barrows, Market Gilts, Market Barrows, Pen of 3, Showmanship.

Swine Department General Rules:

1. An individual may nominate up to 40 head of pigs for county fair. Each pig must be listed under a 4-H/FFA member's name for the animal ID. All pigs will be ear tagged. An exhibitor may show no more than five pigs.
2. **Additional Health Requirements:** Animals exhibited in the swine classes must be individually officially identified on a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection and originate from herds or areas not under quarantine. The Certificate of Veterinary Inspection will require clinical inspection by an accredited veterinarian within 7 days prior to date of entry to fairgrounds.
3. An exhibitor showing swine must check out tags and paperwork at the Winneshiek County Extension Office and have returned by April 28th. Pigs must be identified by: ear tag and ear notch. Any unused tags not used with descriptions must be returned within three days of checkout from the Extension Office.
4. Swine identification by exhibitors must be completed in 4HOnline by **May 15**.
5. **THIS IS A NON-TERMINAL SHOW** Hogs may return home.
6. **All exhibitors will be required to submit a Premise ID in FairEntry by June 15th. A single (one) Premise ID may be submitted by exhibitors with the same Premise ID.**
7. **All exhibitors must submit an Iowa Swine Exhibition Reporting Form on or before 5:00 p.m. (following swine weigh-in at the fair) on Tuesday.**
8. **SWINE AFFIDAVIT: Animal Care and Management Disclosure Statement** This certifies that you have reviewed the treatment and feed medication records for all exhibit swine, and they meet or exceed the suggested withdrawal periods for Maximum Residue Levels (MRLs) of pharmaceutical products. The completed Affidavit form is due at the swine check-in.
 - a. Ractopamine (in any form) is unauthorized for all swine exhibits at the Winneshiek County Fair. All swine must be raised ractopamine free.
 - b. **All swine, regardless of destination after the fair, are required to have a signed affidavit at the time of check-in in order to exhibit at the Winneshiek County fair.**
 - c. **It is the responsibility of the exhibitor and family to read materials provided about ractopamine.**
9. Two head will be sold at the auction. Members will sign up for the livestock auction at swine check in. Swine will sell in pen order designated by the superintendent.
10. The top 5 animals will be selected by the judge. All entered pigs are eligible.
11. **All pigs will be weighed-in on Tuesday at 3:30 PM on the fairgrounds. Carcass scanning will be available at this time.**
12. Any changes in market pigs for load out must be made within ½ hour of the completion of the show. If Extension Staff is not notified of changes in this ½ hour, we will load out the pig numbers from the initial weigh-in regardless of winning status. No Exceptions.

Breeding Swine

1. Breeding gilts must be farrowed after January 1st.
2. Purebred gilts must have a pedigree, and exhibitors name must be on pedigree.
3. Purebred gilts will be shown by age, crossbred gilts will be shown by weight.
4. All gilts must have 12 functional teats.
5. Breeding gilts cannot be shown as market gilts.
6. Purebred breeding gilts must have a minimum of 2 head to show as breed.

CLASS NUMBERS

26206 Purebred Breeding Gilt

26208 Crossbred Breeding Gilt

Market Swine

1. Market Swine will be based on ending weights and classes may be split into lightweight, middleweight, and heavyweight depending on the number exhibited.
2. A required minimum of 5 head are needed to make a class. Classes with 4 or less will be put in an All-Other Breeds (AOB) class.
3. Proof of purebred registration is due at the time of weigh-in.
4. Market gilts cannot be shown as breeding gilts.
5. Pigs under 235 pounds will be entered into the prospect class. Pigs in the prospect class must have a county fair ear tag.

CLASS NUMBERS

26201 Purebred or Crossbred Market Gilts

26203 Crossbred Market Barrow

Derby Swine

1. Derby pig weights need to be submitted between 3/18/2023 and 3/25/2023. Pigs will be weighed at home. A non-family member needs to witness tagging and weighing. There will be a 55-pound limit on 3/18/2023 and a 62-pound limit on 3/25/2023.
2. Derby's will be shown as individual barrows or gilts.
3. All derby individuals will be scanned for carcass contest.
4. Derby pigs will be shown by beginning weight.

Pen of 3

1. Exhibitors are limited to one pen of three entry.
2. They can be made up of any market and/or derby individuals out of the exhibitors 5 pigs except breeding swine and prospect pigs.
3. A grand champion and reserve champion pen of three will be awarded.
4. No sign up required for pen of three. Exhibitors will be able to sign up on entry day during check-in.

SHOWMANSHIP DEPARTMENT

Showmanship classes are divided by age division. Exhibitor may only win each division once, upon winning a division exhibitors must move up to next age division. Once they reach the collegiate level they may compete indefinitely.

Class #	Description	Class #	Description
20901	Showmanship: Beef – Exhibitors – Junior (grades 4 – 6)	26901	Showmanship: Swine – Exhibitors – Junior (grades 4 – 6)
20902	Showmanship: Beef – Exhibitors – Intermediate (grades 7 – 8)	26902	Showmanship: Swine – Exhibitors – Intermediate (grades 7 – 8)
20903	Showmanship: Beef – Exhibitors – Senior (grades 9 – 12)	26903	Showmanship: Swine – Exhibitors – Senior (grades 9 – 12)
20904	Showmanship: Beef – Exhibitors – Collegiate	26904	Showmanship: Swine – Exhibitors – Collegiate
21901	Showmanship: Dairy – Exhibitors – Junior (grades 4 – 6)	25901	Showmanship: Sheep – Exhibitors – Junior (grades 4 – 6)
21902	Showmanship: Dairy – Exhibitors – Intermediate (grades 7 – 8)	25902	Showmanship: Sheep – Exhibitors – Intermediate (grades 7 – 8)
21903	Showmanship: Dairy – Exhibitors – Senior (grades 9 – 12)	25903	Showmanship: Sheep – Exhibitors – Senior (grades 9 – 12)
21904	Showmanship: Dairy – Exhibitors – Collegiate	25904	Showmanship: Sheep – Exhibitors – Collegiate
22901	Showmanship: Dairy Goats – Exhibitors – Junior (grades 4 – 6)	23901	Showmanship: Meat Goat – Exhibitors – Junior (grades 4 – 6)
22902	Showmanship: Dairy Goats – Exhibitors – Intermediate (grades 7 – 8)	23902	Showmanship: Meat Goat – Exhibitors – Intermediate (grades 7 – 8)
22903	Showmanship: Dairy Goats – Exhibitors – Senior (grades 9 – 12)	23903	Showmanship: Meat Goat – Exhibitors – Senior (grades 9 – 12)
22904	Showmanship: Dairy Goats – Exhibitors – Collegiate	23904	Showmanship: Meat Goat – Exhibitors – Collegiate
31402	Showmanship: Horse – Exhibitors – Junior (grades 4 – 6)	30501	Showmanship: Dog – Exhibitors – Junior (grades 4 – 6)
31403	Showmanship: Horse – Exhibitors – Intermediate (grades 7 – 8)	30502	Showmanship: Dog – Exhibitors – Intermediate (grades 7 – 8)
31404	Showmanship: Horse – Exhibitors – Senior (grades 9 – 12)	30503	Showmanship: Dog – Exhibitors – Senior (grades 9 – 12)
31405	Showmanship: Horse – Exhibitors – Collegiate	30504	Showmanship: Dog – Exhibitors – Collegiate
27901	Showmanship: Rabbit – Exhibitors – Junior (grades 4 – 6)	24901	Showmanship: Poultry – Exhibitors – Junior (grades 4 – 6)
27902	Showmanship: Rabbit – Exhibitors – Intermediate (grades 7 – 8)	24902	Showmanship: Poultry – Exhibitors – Intermediate (grades 7 – 8)
27903	Showmanship: Rabbit – Exhibitors – Senior (grades 9 – 12)	24903	Showmanship: Poultry – Exhibitors – Senior (grades 9 – 12)
27904	Showmanship: Rabbit – Exhibitors – Collegiate	24904	Showmanship: Poultry – Exhibitors – Collegiate

IMPORTANT DATES

February 1st – Market Beef Identification must be submitted in 4HOnline.

March 15th – Market Broiler Registration Due

May 15th – All Animal Identification (Breeding Beef, Horse, Dairy Cattle, Dairy Goats, Dogs, Swine, Breeding Meat Goats, Rabbit, and Breeding Sheep) must be submitted on 4H Online. *FFA are paper forms.*

May 15th – YQCA Certification must be completed.

May 24th – June 9th – Clothing, Foods, and Communications Entry deadline in FairEntry.

June 1st – June 15th – 2023 Static Entry and Livestock Entry deadline in FairEntry.

June 21st – Clothing, Foods, and Communications Judging Day @ Decorah Lutheran Church

July 1st – Iowa State Fair 4-H livestock entries due on FairEntry

July 7th – Static Exhibit Judging Day @ Community Building

July 11-15th – Winneshiek County Fair

UNSPORTSMANLIKE POLICY:

“4-H members, parents AND families must abide by rules and the 4-H member Code of Ethics and accept disciplinary action deemed appropriate by the 4-H Youth Committee.”