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2024 FAIR THEME: “Kicking It Country Style”

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Entry deadline: June 20, 2024

(Entries accepted between May 1 and June 20 ONLY!)

Exhibits must be on display by 7:00 p.m. **Tuesday** of Fair week for all departments with the following exceptions:

HORSES - 8 a.m. Sunday
 LIVESTOCK - (Market animals except swine and rabbits) - Noon, Wednesday
 SWINE – 7 p.m. Tuesday
 RABBITS – 11 a.m – 5 p.m Tuesday
 BEEF BREEDING STOCK—Noon, Wednesday
 OTHER LIVESTOCK - BY 7:00 p.m. WEDNESDAY

BOOTHS - 7 p.m. Tuesday

EXHIBIT RELEASE - No exhibit will be released before 4:00 p.m. Sunday.

ENTRY AND JUDGING SCHEDULE

BUILDING HOURS 10AM TO 9PM

SUNDAY	
8:00 a.m.	Horse Pleasure Show/Horse Trail Class
1:00 p.m.	Open Dog Judging
MONDAY	
9:00 a.m.	Junior Dog Show/Rally
TUESDAY	
11:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.	Junior Rabbit entry
2:00 p.m.	Model Horse & Horseless Horse Judging
2:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Junior Division Entry and Judging
7:00 p.m.	Club booth judging
2:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Open Class Entry
6:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Swine weigh-in
WEDNESDAY	
9:00 a.m.	Rabbit showmanship
9:00 a.m.	Rabbit breed & Cavies judging
9:00 a.m.	Open Class Judging
10:00 a.m. – noon	Enter & weigh livestock for Sale of Champions (including sheep & market goats)
Noon - 7:00 p.m.	Animal Entry
5:00 p.m.	Swine judging
THURSDAY	
10:00 a.m.	Beef Judging
4:00 p.m.	Sheep Judging

FRIDAY

9:00 a.m.	Dairy Judging
9:00 a.m.	Poultry Judging
10:00 a.m.	Meat Goat Judging followed by Junior/Open Dairy Goat Judging
7:00 p.m.	Cat Show

SATURDAY

8:30 a.m.	Horse Speed Show
11:00 – 12:30 p.m.	Buyers' Buffet
12:30 p.m.	Recognition Program at Sale
1:00 p.m.	Sale of Champions-Ag. Bldg.

SUNDAY

9:30 a.m.	Showman of Showmen
12:00 p.m.	Merit & Special Award Recognition - Ag. Building
1:30 p.m.	"Crazy Critter" Show-Swine barn
4:00 p.m.	Exhibit Release Time
5:00 p.m.	BUILDINGS LOCKED

**REQUIRED AREAS OF STATE
CHAPTER ACTP 160 GOVERNING
COUNTY AND DISTRICT FAIRS WILL
BE PUBLISHED AT END OF BOOK.**

WISCONSIN COUNTY, DISTRICT, & STATE FAIRS 2024 ANIMAL HEALTH RULES AND REGULATIONS

SUMMARY

If a fair or livestock exhibition lasts more than 24 hours the sponsors must appoint a licensed Veterinarian to conduct a daily inspection of all livestock at the fair or exhibition. The Veterinarian shall review all records and test results required under ATCP 10.87. If a fair or exhibition lasts less than 24 hours, all records or test results required by ATCP 10.87 shall be reviewed by a licensed Veterinarian or by the show chairperson. Records shall include exhibitors name and address, identification of animals exhibited including number, type and description, documentation to show compliance with disease testing and other health requirements, and the livestock premise code, if any, of the premises from which the animals originate. If requested by the fair or show organizer, the documentation showing legal importation (if applicable) and movement to the event. Fair management must maintain these records for 5 years.

Please note: Except in specific circumstances, if an animal already bears an official "840" eartag, that eartag must not be removed and additional official eartags must not be applied. Instead the existing eartag must be read and recorded when a record of that animal is required.

This is a summary of DATCP animal health requirements for exhibition only. These requirements may change due to animal disease emergencies in Wisconsin or other states. It is always advisable to check with the Wisconsin Division of Animal Health website or call (608-224-4872) for the most recent health requirements when planning to exhibit animals. Animals meeting exhibition requirements may not meet all import or movement requirements for other purposes. The fair and WDATCP have the right to make such tests and examinations as may be necessary to determine the disease status of any animal exhibited.

Animals that show evidence of having contagious or infectious diseases may not be commingled (housed/kept) with other animals at a fair, show or other exposition in such a way as to allow disease to spread. Such animals should not attend the fair, show or exhibition. Animals may be denied entry if they arrive at these events with contagious or infectious diseases, isolated and/or removed if they develop disease after arriving, or be subject to other action as would be necessary to control disease such as removed immediately, quarantined or slaughtered.

Bovine animals with ringworm, mange, warts or scab will be removed from the fair or exhibition premises, unless the veterinarian in charge finds the warts or ringworm lesions are incapable of transmitting disease.

CATTLE AND BISON

Cattle originating from within Wisconsin

There are no test or health document requirements for Wisconsin cattle. However, fair management is responsible for maintaining records of persons who have exhibited at the fair, the livestock premises code, if any, and the identification of animals shown for 5 years. Acceptable forms of animal identification for breeding animals are (1) an official USDA metal ear tag, (2) a breed registration number, (3) a breed registration tattoo, (4) other identification approved by the department, (5) 15 digit "840" tags or farm ear tag. For steers, either an official USDA metal ear tag or the identification applied at weigh-in may be used. Entry blanks submitted and signed by exhibitors, including one of the forms of identification listed above will fulfill the exhibitor requirements. The fair's records of animals shown and exhibited are to be retained in case these are needed for disease tracing purposes.

Cattle originating from outside Wisconsin

A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection shall accompany all cattle documenting official animal identification and all tests or certifications required. Animals must have at least one form of official individual ID (including steers). Animals must meet normal Wisconsin requirements for interstate movement. The Wisconsin Division of Animal

Health website has current import requirements. Acceptable animal IDs for all cattle from outside

Wisconsin are official USDA metal ear tags (NUES) (starts with state 2-digit code, also known as "brite" tag); this includes the orange brucellosis vaccination tag, and AIN 15-digit "840" tags (visual or RFID). Manufacturer-coded RFID tag—15-digit number with first three digits in 900s or American ID tag—8 to 12-digit number prefaced with "USA" are valid only if applied before March 11, 2015.

No cattle from outside Wisconsin are currently required to be brucellosis-tested or vaccinate to come to fairs and shows in Wisconsin.

Tuberculosis requirements for cattle from outside Wisconsin

For requirements by state, see https://datcp.wi.gov/Pages/Programs_Services/CattleBison.aspx

Cattle originating from **Michigan's TB Free**

As of 1/1/23, all cattle from Texas and Michigan's TB Free Zone, regardless of sex or age are required to have a negative TB test within 60 days prior to import.

Cattle originating from **Michigan's Modified Accredited zone** also need 1) Import permit, 2) To originate from a herd that has a negative whole-herd TB test within 12 months before arrival in Wisconsin that includes all animals 1 year and older, 3) Negative individual TB test within 60 days before entering Wisconsin and 4) To return directly to the state of origin after the show, and there must be a statement on the CVI that they will be doing so.

Cattle from Canada may be exhibited in Wisconsin if they meet current federal requirements to cross the international border.

SWINE

Swine originating from within Wisconsin

All swine shall be accompanied by a Wisconsin Intrastate Movement Certificate stating that the herd of origin has been inspected on the farm within 30 days prior to the exhibition and showed no signs of disease. NOTE: Herd of origin means the herd in which the pigs currently reside, likely the exhibitor's herd. When pigs are purchased from a herd, the herd from which they originate is the herd of origin for the seller. Once the purchased pigs are added into the buyer's herd (even if the buyer's herd only consists of one or just a few animals), the buyer's herd becomes the new herd of origin and that herd must meet the testing requirements to move pigs again.

Non-terminal Exhibitions: All swine must have a PRRS (Porcine Reproductive and Respiratory Syndrome) and PEDv (Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea virus) test of the herd of origin within 90 days of the exhibition. On the CVI, the

test date, type of test and results of the test are to be included on the form. For swine originating from herds with positive tests, the herd plan number is to be included on the CVI.

Terminal Exhibitions: No testing requirements.

Terminal exhibitions are those at which the swine go directly from the fair/show to the slaughtering establishment OR to a slaughter only market sale. If going to a slaughter only market sale, contact the Division of Animal Health fair inspector for required information to collect.

The certificate must also include all required test documentation.

Swine originating from outside Wisconsin

All swine need a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection that includes the following:

1) The negative results of the PRRS test from the swine's herd of origin conducted within 90 days prior to movement into Wisconsin including test date, type of test and results.

2) The negative results of the PEDv test from the swine's herd of origin conducted within 90 days prior to movement into Wisconsin including test date, type of test and results.

3) A statement that the veterinarian has inspected the entire herd of origin within the past 30 days and that no clinical signs of PRRS and PEDv or any other apparent disease was present at the time of inspection.

4) If the herd of origin tests positive for PRRS and/or PEDv, contact the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection at 608-224-4872 for options.

5) Official identification number

Acceptable IDs for swine include: USDA silver ear tag, USDA 840 button ear tag, either visual or RFID; breed association tattoo if the pig is a purebred and the tattoo is registered, ear tag with premise ID number and unique identifier and ear notch (if the pig is a purebred and the notch is registered)..

Microchips are not accepted as official ID for any swine including pet pigs.

For more current information, check at http://datcp.wi.gov/Animals/Animal_Movement/Swine.aspx.

SHEEP

Note: All sheep that go through a market or to slaughter and require Official ID must be eartagged with an Official ID tag (tattoo and electronic microchip no longer sufficient). Sheep that go to a market or slaughter establishment after the fair should have an owner hauler statement to move from the fair to the market or slaughter establishment.

Sheep originating from within Wisconsin

Sexually-intact sheep of any age and all other sheep 12 months of age and older need an official individual ID. Official ID include scrapie ear tags or tattoos, USDA 840 button ear tag, approved microchips if a reader is available and if accompanied by registration papers or breed association tattoo (as long as it is unique to that

animal) accompanied by registration papers in the owner's name. Sheep cannot be under restriction for movement to fairs and shows. Sheep cannot have been exposed to scrapie if they are sexually intact.

Sheep originating from outside Wisconsin

All sheep need a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection with an official individual ID. Per federal rule, the CVI should include a statement that the animals were not exhibiting clinical signs of scrapies and an owner statement pertaining to the status of the animals indicating whether the animal is or is not scrapies-positive, suspect, high-risk or exposed animal and whether it originated in an infected, source, exposed or noncompliant flock. Official individual IDs include scrapie ear tags or tattoos, USDA 840 button ear tags, approved microchips if a reader is available or breed association tattoo if accompanied by registration papers in the owner's name. Sheep cannot have been exposed to scrapie.

GOATS

Note: All goats that go through a market or to slaughter and require official ID must be eartagged with an official ID tag (Tattoo and electronic microchip no longer sufficient.) Goats that go to a market or slaughter establishment after the fair should have an owner hauler statement to move from the fair to the market or slaughter establishment.

Goats originating from within Wisconsin

. Sexually-intact goats of any age and all other goats 12 months of age and older need an official individual ID. Official ID may be scrapie ear tags or tattoos, USDA 840 button ear tag, approved microchips if a reader is available and accompanied by registration papers or breed association tattoo if accompanied with registration papers in the owner's name. Goats cannot have been exposed to scrapie if they are sexually intact.

Goats originating from outside Wisconsin

All goats need a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection with an official individual ID. . Per federal rule, the CVI must include a statement that the animals were not exhibiting clinical signs of scrapies and an owner statement pertaining to the status of the animals or herd in regards to scrapies. Official individual IDs include scrapie ear tags or tattoos, USDA 840 button ear tags, approved microchips is a reader is available and accompanied with registration papers or breed association tattoo if

accompanied by registration papers in the owner's name. Goats cannot have been exposed to scrapie.

Goats from Michigan's TB Modified Accredited Zone need import permits, negative whole-herd TB tests within 12 months before entering Wisconsin that include all animals 1 year or older and negative individual TB tests within 60 days before entering. Goats must return directly to the

state of origin after the show with that statement on the CVI.

EQUINE

Equine animals originating from within Wisconsin

All equine animals shall be accompanied by documentation of a negative Equine infectious Anemia (EIA) test conducted within the previous 12 months which clearly identifies the equine by digital photographs, an approved microchip (if reader is available) or a complete description of the equine. Documentation forms include official test report VS 10-11, USDA-approved electronic test form, Global Vet Link EIA electronic form or CVI with test results listed.

Equine animals originating from outside Wisconsin

All equine animals shall be accompanied by a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection and have been tested negative for equine infectious anemia (EIA) test conducted within the previous 12 months. The Certificate must clearly identify the equine by digital photographs, an approved microchip or a complete description of equine. No EIA test is needed for nursing foals accompanying negative dams.

Equines from Minnesota are exempt from the CVI requirement if ownership does not change while the animal is in Wisconsin, the animal remains in Wisconsin no longer than 7 days and proof of a current negative EIA test accompanies the animal.

SOUTH AMERICAN CAMELIDS: llamas, alpacas, guanacos, vicunas

South American camelids originating from within Wisconsin

There are no requirements.

South American camelids originating from outside Wisconsin

All South American camelids must be accompanied by a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection with official individual identification. Official IDs may be approved USDA ear tag number, microchip number, breed association registration number or breed association tattoo.

EXOTIC RUMINANTS (ruminants that are not native to Wisconsin and are not cervids)

Exotic ruminants from within Wisconsin

There are no requirements

Exotic ruminants from outside Wisconsin

They are required to have a written import permit and CVI with proof of negative Tuberculosis (within 60 days) and

negative Brucellosis (within 30 days) tests. They need official animal ID as listed: Approved USDA ear tag number, Microchip number, Breed association registration number or Breed association tattoo.

Call in advance of the exhibition to the Division of Animal Health (608-224-4872) for testing requirements.

POULTRY

(Pigeons are not considered poultry for fairs & shows.)

Poultry and waterfowl from within Wisconsin

Need: A NPIP certificate stating that the birds originate from a US pullorum-typhoid clean or NPIP affiliate flock and sexually mature turkeys must test negative for Mycoplasma gallisepticum or a DATCP-issued certificate stating they are from a Wisconsin Tested or Associate Flock and turkeys must test negative for Mycoplasma gallisepticum. Or individually test sexually mature birds within 90 days before arrival at the show. All birds must test negative for pullorum-typhoid and sexually mature turkeys must test negative for Mycoplasma gallisepticum.

These birds need wing or leg band IDs.

Poultry and waterfowl from outside Wisconsin

Need a certificate of veterinary inspection or equivalent (such as form VS 9-3) that states:

They originate from a flock classified pullorum-typhoid clean under NPIP or an equivalent state program and turkeys must test negative for Mycoplasma gallisepticum or If sexually mature, that they have tested negative for pullorum-typhoid (and Mycoplasma gallisepticum for turkeys) within 90 days before arrival at the show. These birds also need wing or leg band ID.

No import permit number needed.

CERVIDAE

For regulations for exhibition, contact DATCP-Animal Health at 608-224-4872.

DOGS, DOMESTIC CATS & other HOUSEHOLD PETS (ferrets, pet birds, rabbits, gerbils, guinea pigs, hamsters, domestic mice and rats)

Dogs and cats originating from within Wisconsin

Small animals from within Wisconsin

Dogs over 5 months of age must have proof of current rabies vaccination.

Cats and other household pets have no requirements.

Dogs and cats originating from outside Wisconsin

All dogs and domestic cats shall be accompanied by a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection stating the age of the animal and for animals 5 months or older the date of last

rabies vaccination and revaccination due date. See ATCP 10.80 for specific vaccination information.

Other household pets from outside Wisconsin

Need certificates of veterinary inspection, but do not have testing or vaccination requirements.

EXOTIC SMALL ANIMALS (NOT INCLUDED ABOVE, EXOTIC LARGE ANIMALS AND OTHER WILD ANIMALS

Animals from within Wisconsin do not have any requirements as long as they are legally possessed in Wisconsin

Animals from outside Wisconsin generally have no testing or vaccination requirements, but do need a certificate of veterinary inspection and import permit number.

Note: Some animals may not be brought to Wisconsin. These are North American prairie dogs and the following African species: tree squirrels, rope squirrels, dormice, Gambian giant pouched rats, brush-tailed porcupines and striped mice.

Others may require permits from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.

CIRCUS, RODEO, RACING AND MENAGERIE ANIMALS

Animals from within Wisconsin must meet vaccination and testing requirements for their species.

Animals from outside Wisconsin need certificates of veterinary inspection and vaccinations and tests required for their species. They also need import permit numbers if they are: 1) Circus and individual circus acts or 2) rodeo stock other than individual participants' horses, 3) multi-species menageries, or 4) petting zoos.

Fair managers: Please note that this requirement applies to all animals belonging to midway attractions and rodeos.

ADVISORY FOR HOUSING NON-TRADITIONAL LIVESTOCK AND FOR MANAGEMENT OF OTHER ANIMALS WHILE THE FAIR IS UNDERWAY:

The Department makes the following recommendations, but these are not required by statute or administrative rule:

1. South American camelids (llamas, vicunas, alpacas, and guanacos) and other exotic ruminants not be housed with domestic cattle.
2. Ratites (ostriches, emus, rheas, and cassowaries) should not be housed with domestic poultry.
3. Swine should not be housed with other mammalian species.
4. Bovine viral diarrhea (BVD) is an infectious disease of cattle that can spread rapidly under the conditions

of a livestock show. The Department strongly recommends that all breeding cattle exhibited at Wisconsin fairs be properly vaccinated against BVD at least 30 days prior to the show. Exhibitors should consult with their veterinarians regarding the proper choice of vaccine and the correct schedule for its administration.

5. Recommend that cattle be test negative for BVD-PI by immunoperoxidase test and negative for Johnes disease by the ELISA test.
6. Prohibit the use of common watering and feeding troughs.
7. Recommend all vehicles and equipment used to transport animals to and from the exhibition or used at the exhibition be cleaned and disinfected prior to and after use for this purpose.
8. Require all animals found to be afflicted with a contagious or infectious disease to be promptly removed from the premises.
9. Provide hand-washing stations near all livestock facilities.
10. Recommend that all fairs add a space on livestock entry forms for the premises registration code.
11. Isolate exhibited animals returning to their farms or animals purchased at the show for 21 days before mingling them with other stock.
12. House cattle separately from small ruminants, especially sheep.

COLUMBIA COUNTY FAIR JUNIOR DIVISION

Junior exhibitors for the Columbia County Fair need not be residents of Columbia County.

Junior exhibitors must be a junior member of a county, state or national organization.

All junior exhibitors must enter the fair under the organization in which they are enrolled. Proof of membership may be requested.

If an exhibitor is not entered in the correct group, they will be allowed to show, but will not receive premiums or be eligible to sell in the Sale of Champions.

However, if a mistake is made on their entry form (class/lot and organizational membership), a request to make a correction needs to be completed prior to or on entry day.

Junior exhibitors at the Columbia County Fair must be 5 years old by June 1st of show year.

ATCP 160.49-Junior Fair division; general requirements.
(1) Eligibility. In the junior fair division, the department may pay state aid on prizes offered to exhibitors who are 8 to 20 years of age on January 1 of the current fair year and exhibitors who are 5-9 years of age on January 1 of the current fair year who are exhibiting under s. ATCP 160.65. A fair board may establish specific entry classes

within each department. A county or district fair board may establish subgroups within a junior fair entry class based on the exhibitor's age or grade level in school. The department may not pay state aid on prizes for club parades, club floats, song contests, or a project which is not an exhibit or demonstration at the fair.

(2) All exhibitors in the junior fair division shall be members of a youth organization approved by the fair board.

(3) Exhibits in the junior fair shall be a product of the exhibitor's own labor. An exhibit may include a study project, merit project, or other special project, a skill area or a supervised occupational experience in which the exhibitor is regularly enrolled, provided that the fair board approves the project, skill area or supervised occupational experience as an exhibit.

(5) State aid may not be used to award a premium to an exhibitor who exhibits an item or animal that has been exhibited in the junior division previously in a state aid funded fair in that calendar year and resulted in a premium being awarded for that item or animal.

(9) Judging in the junior fair division may be done using regular, face-to-face, conference or Danish judging system.

4-H and Non 4-H Group Exhibitors:

- For example: Your FFA Chapter or Scout Troop could exhibit in Department 32, Booth, Banners, or Scrapbooks.

Exhibitors:

- Kindergarten to Second grade can only exhibit in Department 17 Class A Pre-Explorers

- Third Graders can exhibit in Department 17 Explorers

- Grades three through age 19 on January 1 for the current fair year can enter Department 33 Youth Leadership, or any Department which coincides with the skills being taught in their Club. All 4 - H project literature is available for purchase at the Extension-Columbia County Office.

GENERAL RULES & INSTRUCTION:

Completed entry blanks **MUST** be received or postmarked on or before June 20th of the current fair year. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**

Junior fair exhibitors do not promote brand or business names. Use black marker to strike out names.

Only one entry per Lot number is allowed by an exhibitor with the exception of goats.

All Exhibits must be entered, placed, and arranged according to the times set in this Premium Book including

1) 4-H/YOUTH BOOTHS must be in place by 7:00 p.m. on **TUESDAY**. Face to face judging will begin at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday night scheduled in 10 minute slots by random draw of entry tags. **THE BUILDING WILL BE LOCKED AT 9:00 P.M. SHARP.**

2) All Junior exhibitors of **market beef, sheep, and goat** must have these animals on the grounds by 12:00 noon on Wednesday. Swine must be on grounds by 7:00 p.m. Tuesday.

- All exhibits are released on Sunday at 4:00 p.m. Animals sold at the Sale of Champions will not be released early. Animals can be left overnight if a request is made in writing by Friday night to the department superintendent.
- Exhibitors who wish may pay a fee of \$15.00 per pen/stall to have their stall/pen cleaned after the fair. If garbage is found in stall area an additional \$5.00 pickup fee will be charged. This would allow exhibitors to have an option to leave animals overnight on Sunday for pickup on Monday. Animals must have been properly fed, watered, and bedded on Sunday night.
- Claim check stubs must be presented to claim exhibits. **IF YOU CANNOT PICK UP YOUR EXHIBIT(S) AT THE SPECIFIED TIME, PLEASE ARRANGE FOR SOMEONE ELSE TO DO IT FOR YOU.** All livestock **MUST** be removed from the fairgrounds by 9:00 p.m. Sunday, unless permission to leave them overnight is obtained from the Fair Board.

3) An entry fee of \$5 per Junior exhibitor will be collected during entry at the fair. The fee may also be mailed to Columbia County Fair, PO Box 57, Portage prior to the fair. Junior exhibitors who also enter open class will also be assessed the \$5 open class entry fee.

4) Premise ID number is required for Departments 1-7.

5) Exhibitor birth date is to be entered on the entry form.

IN ORDER TO BE A VALID ENTRY, FEES NEED TO BE PAID PRIOR TO ENTRY OR JUDGING AT THE FAIR. INVALID ENTRIES DO NOT RECEIVE PREMIUMS.

FACE-TO-FACE JUDGING

On judging day, a junior exhibitor may bring only 6 entries at a time to the individual department judging tables. They then must return to the line with any further entries.

All youth exhibitors not participating in their Face-To-Face judging for their department will be down-graded one placing.

- **EXCEPTION:** Youth exhibitors may not be penalized one placing if a letter is submitted to the Fair Board explaining their reasons for not attending Face-To-Face judging and that reason is deemed acceptable by the Fair Board. **Letters should be received by the Fair Board by July 1, except in an emergency.**

At the beginning of the fair, each animal species/department may hold a meeting to discuss and cover the care of the animals during the fair, show protocol updates, auction information, and how to answer and respond to questions from the public during the fair. The day and time for the meetings will be set by the department superintendent and will be posted on the bulletin boards in each species area. It is strongly recommended that all animal exhibitors or someone to represent them attend the meeting pertaining to their animal project.

Junior Fair exhibits will be subject to the same requirements as other livestock at the fair as contained in General Fair Regulations.

Club members may also exhibit in Open classes provided that the same animal or article entered in the Junior Fair Division is not exhibited in the Open Division and that entry fees and regulations of open class competition are met.(exception Open Dairy).

All cattle must be securely tied; bulls must be double tied.

Beef and Dairy animals will be separated in the barns.

Hanging signs for decorations can be **NO TALLER THAN TWO (2) FEET**. The signs can be any width. This is for air circulation purposes.

Horses are not to be ridden in and around barns.

No panels can be removed by exhibitors in the barns without permission from the Fair Board.

The Fair Board requires that breeding animals such as Dairy, Beef, and Sheep be registered or under management by exhibitor before May 1st in order to be eligible for exhibit. The Junior Fair does **NOT** recognize grade male animals, (dairy, beef, or sheep). They must be registered. With the exception of the crossbred classes.

REGISTRATION PAPERS-BREEDING ANIMALS: All exhibitors must present registration papers when superintendent is checking animals in at fair for IDs for fair records on all animals shown as breeding animals in all classes except the crossbred classes. A permanent tattoo (if required by the breed association), breeder's tag and/or association tag, if available, must be on the animal and must correspond with registration papers being shown. If registration papers are not presented, the animal can be shown in the crossbred classes. Faxes, e-mails, photocopies or telephone calls from the breed association will not be accepted. Registration papers must reflect the animal as owned by the junior exhibitor or owned by one of the following: Immediate junior family members (i.e., brother, sister), parents, or the family farm. Co-ownership is allowed between immediate junior family members (i.e., brother, sister). Managerial animals do not need to be owned by the exhibitor.

All livestock (including poultry & rabbits) must be fed and taken care of by the exhibitor at their expense. Feed, straw and hay will be furnished by the exhibitor. Each exhibitor will be expected to take charge of their stock under the superintendent's direction. Each exhibitor (open & junior) will be expected to clean their stalls/pens/cages at the fair's end. Premiums may be withheld if stalls/pens/cages are not cleaned.

When classes are judged according to the Danish system, the Judge shall place each class on a percentage basis. Not over four group placings will be permitted in any class. No state aid will be paid on any premiums awarded in any class when the number of exhibitors in any group (other than the last group) exceeds the total number of entries in the class divided by the number of places.

All showmanship grades are determined as of January 1 of the exhibit year (the grade just completed during the 2023-2024 school year.)

In showmanship, an exhibitor may use 1) use the animal they exhibited or 2) borrow an animal from another exhibitor.

An exhibitor cannot bring a different animal to the fair specifically for the showmanship class. The animal must be exhibited in a class.

Any animal on the fairgrounds must be identified in respective species to maintain records for 5 years.

ANIMAL I.D. FOR LIVESTOCK

Animal entries need to have an ID. The approved IDs will be listed under each species.

Livestock ID for 2024 fair for beef, swine, sheep and meat goat:

- 1) Beef weigh-in/ID—There will be 3 options for beef ID:
 1. Weigh-in at fairgrounds on 3rd Saturday in April (April 20, 2024)
 2. State fair ID
 3. Animal photo ID due to fair by the 3rd Saturday in April (postmarked) with form of ID on photo. (April 20, 2024)
- 2) Lambs and meat goats also have the same 3 options.
 1. Weigh-in at fairgrounds on 3rd Saturday in April (April 20, 2024)
 2. State fair ID
 3. Animal photo ID due to fair by the 3rd Saturday in April (postmarked) with ear tag (scrapies) on photo. (April 20, 2024)
- 3) Swine ID has only 2 options:
 1. State fair ID
 2. Photo ID with ear tag, ear notches and gender due by the third Saturday in April. (April 20, 2024)
- 4) Due dates for all 4 species will be the same—third Saturday in April (April 20, 2024)

- 5) Exception granted if state fair ID process is being used, then it is due date for state fair ID.

Please indicate State Fair ID on the fair entry form the identifying tag numbers.

As usual, only three pigs may be entered per exhibitor at the fair, but 6 pigs max. per exhibitor may be identified.

Any animal not properly identified may be shown at the fair but is not eligible for champion nor eligible to be sold at the Sale of Champions.

Any issue in regard to showing an animal should be addressed to the specific species superintendent.

EXHIBITOR'S CONDUCT RULES

1. CURFEW

- a. Close the barns to non-exhibitors at 11:00 p.m.
- b. Exhibitors will return to their sleeping quarters if not tending their animals.
- c. Light must be on all night.

2. OVERNIGHT EXHIBITORS:

- a. Exhibitors must be 14 years old (Jan. 1st of fair year) or older.
- b. Need to fill out a permission form, have it signed by parent/guardian and turned in to the superintendent by 3:00 p.m. of the day they wish to stay overnight. Forms will be posted on the bulletin board in the barn by 6:00 p.m. A copy should also be placed in the fair office for safety and security. Forms are available at the Fair Office from the secretary.

3. NO ALCOHOL OR SMOKING permitted in the exhibit areas at any time.

4. Exhibitors in violation of conduct rules WILL BE SENT HOME WITH ANIMALS OR EXHIBIT AND PREMIUMS REVOKED, following a decision of the fair board.

5. Supervision of the exhibitors conduct is the responsibility of the parent.

ETHICS STATEMENT FOR THE COLUMBIA COUNTY FAIR

To maintain a high degree of confidence and integrity in our livestock show, the Columbia County Fair reserves the right to disqualify any animal fitted in an unethical manner and disqualify the exhibitor. Unethical fitting shall include any injection of gas, solid or liquid, or filling to alter the normal confirmation. In addition, it shall include any cutting or tearing of the hide, cutting or tearing underneath the hide or removal of tissue in any attempt to alter the shape or appearance. It shall also include attempts to disrupt or change normal dental development, dyeing or coloring hair, adding artificial tail heads, switches, polls hair and heels, as well as any attempt to change the

confirmation and degree of firmness, by administration of fluids internally or externally in a liquid or solid state. The use of clenbuterol is prohibited.

OPTIMALLY ALL ANIMALS SHOULD BE FED, FITTED, ENTERED AND SHOWN BY THE EXHIBITOR.

All exhibitors, their immediate family and any other parties involved in the unethical fitting and showing of an animal will be subject to award and premium forfeiture, which may include dismissal from the fairgrounds, and / or being barred from future competition at the Columbia County Fair.

The Fair Board has the right to interpret and enforce the rules.

Final decisions will be made by the Fair Board

**Columbia County Fair Showman of Showmen Contest
Sunday, July 28, 2024**

Columbia County Fair Showman of Showmen Rules

1. The following species will participate in the Showman of Showmen Contest; Dairy, Beef, Swine, Sheep, Goats, Poultry, and Rabbits.
2. Each species representative will be the winner of the most senior showmanship class of their respective species.
 - a. If a winner from one of the above stated classes chooses not to participate in the Master Showman Contest, the option to participate will default to the second place winner in that class.
 - b. All youth, **excluding those who have previously been named the Champion Showman of Showmen**, are eligible to participate in the Showman of Showmen Contest.
 - c. If a member is eligible to participate in the Showman of Showmen Contest in more than one species, he/she must choose the species in which he/she will participate within one hour of winning the second species contest. The member must inform BOTH species Superintendents and the Fair office of his/her decision. The second place winner in their non-chosen species will have the option to participate.
3. Each participant will show animals of every species that they have not previously trained/worked with, but have selected themselves.

4. Participants are responsible for finding their own animals and making sure they are prepared and at the ring by 9:30 am Sunday.
5. There will be seven judges one representing each species.
6. Each judge will use the same scorecard to evaluate each participant in the following categories: Animal & Equipment, Showing the Animal, Species Knowledge and Appearance/Attitude
7. Each species judging will last 8 minutes.
8. If items such as a brush, show stick, comb, lab coat, etc. are necessary to show that species, please bring them with you to the Master Showman contest.
9. Dress code will be nice jeans, plain colored shirt (no logos), boots. Participants will need a lab coat per required species.
10. All participants will receive a backpack.
 - a. Winner receives \$100
11. All participants will arrive in the Ag Building at promptly 9:00 am on Sunday to review rules.
12. No cell-phones are allowed in the ring.
13. Judges will introduce themselves and explain what they are looking for in each species and will give reasons at the end.
14. In case of a tie, the judges will confer and break the tie.
15. The decision of the judges and the Master Showman Contest Committee are final.

RULES & REGULATIONS FOR THE JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW & SALE OF CHAMPIONS

- 1) All large market animals not previously identified will not be allowed to sell. All exhibitors and their parents or guardians of market animals (Beef, Sheep, Swine) must sign an affidavit attesting to proper withdrawal of all additives and injections administered to the market animals being shown and sold. All livestock exhibited shall be at the sole risk of the exhibitor. You must follow the identification procedures in place for exhibiting at the Columbia Co. Fair or have a state fair ID.
- 2) All market sheep and goats will be weighed and tagged from 10:00 am – noon on Wednesday.
- 3) All swine will be weighed, tagged and identified from 6:00-7:00 p.m. on Tuesday night. Ultrasound will be from 8:00-10:00 a.m. on Wednesday morning. A copy of YQCA certificate is due by swine show time.

4) All beef will be weighed and tagged from 10:00 a.m. – Noon on Wednesday.

5) All junior exhibitors of market beef, sheep, goat and swine must have these animals on the grounds by NOON on Wednesday.

6) MARKET STEERS/HEIFERS must be born after January 1 of the year preceding exhibit year and weigh a minimum of 1200 lbs. for Dairy Steers or 1100 lbs. for Beef Steers. Animals weighing less than minimum can show, but **not sell**, or show for Champion, unless the Judge deems the animal finished.

7) MARKET BARROWS/GILTS must grade No. 1, 2, or 3, by judge's decision and weigh a minimum of 230 lbs. in order to sell. Barrows/gilts weighing over 300 pounds may show for Grand Champion and sell in the Sale of Champions; however it must sell at a maximum of 300 pounds.

8) LAMBS in market class must be wethers or ewes. NO bucks in market class. Market lambs must weigh at least 100 lbs. at entry day weigh-in in order to sell. Lambs weighing less may show, but not sell or show for Grand Champion, unless the Judge deems the animal finished.

9) Market steers and market heifers will be shown beginning at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday. Barrows/gilts will be shown beginning at 5:00 p.m. Wednesday. Market lambs will be shown beginning at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday.

10) Exhibitors selling in the market sale must participate in their showmanship class. You must enter this on your fair entry form at the time of entry.

11) THE SALE OF CHAMPIONS WILL BEGIN AT 1:00 P.M. ON SATURDAY.

12) Only ONE animal may be sold by an exhibitor in the sale, unless the exhibitor has more than one grand/supreme or reserve grand/supreme champion.

13) Unless an exhibitor requires assistance, only the exhibitor is allowed in the ring at the Sale of Champions.

14) All Grand Champions and Performance Champions may sell, including Reserve Grand Champions and Reserve Performance Champions, but it is not mandatory for them to sell.

Grand/Performance and Res.Grand/Perform.Champions

- a) Grand and Reserve Grand Market Steer
- b) Grand and Reserve Grand Dairy Steer
- c) Grand and Reserve Grand Market Heifer
- d) Performance and Reserve Performance Hog
- e) Grand and Reserve Grand Market Barrow
- f) Grand and Reserve Grand Market Gilt

- g) Grand and Reserve Grand Market Lamb
- h) Grand and Reserve Grand Market Goat
- i) Grand and Reserve Grand Market Roaster-Chicken
- j) Grand and Reserve Grand Market Duck
- k) Grand and Reserve Grand Market Goose
- l) Grand and Reserve Grand Market Turkey
- m) Grand and Reserve Grand Market Rabbit

15) No stags may be shown or sold.

16) All **eligible** market class winners must compete for Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion awards.

17) Posters showing the buyers name will be posted by each animal following the sale. This posting is the responsibility of the exhibitor. Posters will be furnished.

18) It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to properly care for the animal until it is loaded on the buyer's truck.

19) Entries that are dangerous to observers and other exhibitors may be dismissed from the ring and/or the fair at the discretion of the judge or superintendent.

20) Sellers of fowl and small animals MUST deliver them to the buyer in a cage or satisfactory container, (no paper boxes).

21) A commission charge of 5% of the gross sale price of each market animal or bird sold will be deducted to cover advertising and other sale expense.

22) All animals in the market show and sale MUST comply with the rules and regulations concerning entry, health, etc. of the Columbia County Fair.

23) Tranquilizers are **NOT** allowed on market animals.

24) Animals sold at auction prior to the Columbia County Fair will not be allowed to sell at the Columbia County Sale of Champions. However, the animal may go in for champion with the understanding that it cannot sell in the Sale of Champions.

If an exhibitor has sold an animal previously at auction and attempts to sell it again, the exhibitor will not be allowed to sell any animal.

25) Animals will be sold according to sale order only. NO EXCEPTIONS.

Within a species, **only** the grand and reserve grand champions will sell first, the rest of the animals will be selected by random draw to complete the sale order.

Animals will be split into groups. Swine will be split into 2 groups selling at the beginning and end of the sale if there is more than 20 swine selling. Otherwise, there will be one group rotating with the other species. All other animals will be 1 group and sell in rotation between the swine groups.

Sale order will rotate per sale order as follows:

Sale order:

<u>2024</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>2026</u>
Swine	Swine	Swine
Rabbit	Goat	Beef
Goat	Beef	Poultry
Beef	Poultry	Sheep
Poultry	Sheep	Rabbit
Sheep	Rabbit	Goat
Swine	Swine	Swine

26) One basket per species will be sold, however dairy exhibitors may sell two (2) baskets.

27) Contact the Extension-Columbia County office for State Fair regulations and identification dates.

28) There will be Little Britches showmanship during each livestock show for children under 9 years old No sign-up prior to the show is required. Sign-up sheets will be available the day of the show.

SALE ETIQUETTE

It is not the responsibility of anyone to buy an animal at the auction, but it is a privilege for the exhibitor to have someone buy it. With that in mind, exhibitors should **never harass, complain or jeopardize** a potential buyer in any way. It is also the exhibitor's responsibility

to thank the person or business that purchased their animal. A personalized thank you note to the livestock buyers is appropriate.

Many times exhibitors ask people to purchase their livestock at the auction. This practice is okay, but caution must be taken. Keep the following points in mind:

- Never jeopardize a friendship during the auction.
- Never solicit one person or business to bid against someone else.
- Always be courteous to bidders for attending the auction, they may purchase animals in the future.

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 1
DAIRY**

Exhibit Entry Day: Wednesday by 7:00 p.m.

Judging Day: Friday, 9:00 a.m.

Release Time: Sunday 4:00 p.m.

NOTICE: All fans must be a minimum of 4 feet above ground for safety purposes.

Exhibitors must wear white pants and have no farm or other logos on their shirts.

ATCP 160.08 Class Definitions; Individual Classes

(1) DAIRY CATTLE.

A **SPRING CALF** is one born on or after March 1, 2024.

A **WINTER CALF** one whose date of birth is between December 1, 2023 and February 29, 2024.

A **FALL CALF** is one whose date of birth is between September 1, 2023 and November 30, 2023.

A **SUMMER YEARLING** is one whose date of birth is between June 1, 2023 and August 31, 2023.

A **SPRING YEARLING** is one whose date of birth is between March 1, 2023 and May 31, 2023.

A **WINTER YEARLING** is one whose date of birth is between December 1, 2022 and February 28, 2023.

A **FALL YEARLING** is one whose date of birth is between September 1, 2022 and November 30, 2022.

A **2 YEAR OLD** is one born between September 1, 2021 and August 31, 2022. A 2-year-old includes a yearling that has freshened.

A **3 YEAR OLD** one whose date of birth is between September 1, 2020 and August 31, 2021.

A **4 YEAR OLD** is one whose date of birth is between September 1, 2019 and August 31, 2020.

A **5 YEAR OLD** is one whose date of birth is between September 1, 2018 and August 31, 2019.

A **DRY COW** is at least 3 years old.

A spring calf must be born by April 1st of exhibit year to show at the fair.

Junior Dairy will show with Open Dairy on Friday morning.

REGISTRATION PAPERS

All calves entered in the registered classes must have their papers at the Fair. These papers will be checked. All registration papers must be transferred by May 1st of the Fair year.

All dairy animals must have an individual ID. Acceptable forms of identification are: USDA metal ear tag (bride tag), 15-digit "840" tags, manufacturer-coded RFID tag, American ID tag (8-12-digit number prefaced with "USA"), breed association tattoo that is specific to that animal or regular ear tag.

Premise ID number is required on the entry form.

All Dairy exhibitors need to include a Dairy Information Entry Form, which is included in this book for each animal entered. This information is needed to maintain the state-required animal ID records and can be used to produce the show program.

Please inform fair board/superintendents prior to fair entry day if exhibiting both dairy and beef to be stalled in close proximity.

If stalling with a different club or individual, please inform or send request to fair board and/or superintendent by July 15th.

Danish Judging

- CLASS A - HOLSTEIN
- CLASS B - GUERNSEY
- CLASS C - BROWN SWISS
- CLASS D - AYRSHIRE
- CLASS E - JERSEY
- CLASS F - MILKING SHORTHORN
- CLASS G – ANY CROSS BRED
- CLASS H – ANY OTHER BREED

Lot	Description	Premiums	9.00	8.00	7.00	5.00
1	Heifer Calf, Spring (Registered)					
2	Heifer Calf, Winter (Registered)					
3	Heifer Calf, Fall (Registered)					
	Premiums	11.00	9.00	7.00	5.00	
4	Heifer, Summer Yearling (Registered)					
5	Heifer, Spring Yearling (Registered)					
6	Heifer, Winter Yearling (Registered)					
7	Heifer, Fall Yearling (Registered)					
	Premiums	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00	
8	Cow, 2 Years (Registered)					
9	Cow, 3 Years (Registered)					
10	Cow, 4 Years (Registered)					
11	Cow, 5 Years & Over (Registered)					
12	Dry Cow, 3 Yr. & Older (Registered)					
13	Unfreshened 2 year old (Registered)					
	Premiums	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	
14	Heifer Calf, Spring (Grade)					
15	Heifer Calf, Winter (Grade)					
16	Heifer, Calf, Fall (Grade)					
17	Heifer, Summer Yearling (Grade)					
18	Heifer, Spring Yearling (Grade)					
19	Heifer, Winter Yearling (Grade)					
20	Heifer, Fall Yearling (Grade)					
	Premiums	9.00	8.00	7.00	5.00	
21	Cow, 2 Years (Grade)					
22	Cow, 3 Years (Grade)					
23	Cow, 4 Years & Over (Grade)					
24	Dry Cow, 3 Yr. & Older (Grade)					
25	Unfreshened 2 year old (Grade)					

CLASS I - SHOWMANSHIP

A junior may do showmanship in one of the animal show using another exhibitor's animal without having exhibited an animal in the show themselves.
 Little Britches showmanship will be held during the show using only calves. Children under 9 years old may sign-up prior to or during the show. Prizes will be awarded.
 Adult showmanship will follow regular showmanship.

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
1	Beginner/Junior, Grades 3-4-5					
2	Intermediate, Grades 6-7-8					
3	Senior, Grades 9 and 10					
4	Advanced, Grades 11 & up					
5	First Year Exhibitor					

CLASS J - PROJECT EXHIBIT - For Dairy project members. Bring entry to Junior Cultural Arts area between 2:00 & 7:00 p.m. Tuesday.

Face-To-Face Judging

Lot	Description	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Dairy poster/chart (14" x 22")					
2	Dairy essay or report					
3	Completed dairy project book (available at UW Extension Office)					
4	Any other project related to Dairy					
5	Any other project related to Dairy					

CLUB HERD (Herdsmanship)

Herdsmanship Scorecard

1. Preparation of the Exhibit (40 points)
 - Adequate bedding, properly packed, front higher than rear, straw clean and bright. (10 points)
 - a. - Animals attractively arranged and correctly spaced. (10 points)
 - b. (10 points)
 - c. - Decorations neat and attractive, well planned, not gaudy or over done. (10 points)
 - d. - Appropriate signs for each animal, displaying complete information. (5 points)
 - e. - Appropriate color scheme, background, tack boxes, originality (5 points)
2. Appearance and Attitude of Exhibitor (15 points)
 - a. - Knowledgeable, courteous, friendly, able to answer questions about the exhibit and/or the cattle. (10 points)
 - b. (10 points)
 - c. - Clothes and person neat and clean, dress appropriate. (5 points)
3. Care of the Exhibit (45 points)
 - a. - Cattle clean, well groomed, neat and attractive, no flies. (15 points)
 - b. (15 points)
 - c. - Aisles clean and neat, adequate width for visitors (10 points)
 - d. (10 points)
 - e. - Bedding clean and dry, shows evidence of frequent reworking, edge neat and square. (10 points)
 - f. - Feed and equipment stored neatly (out of sight if possible) equipment clean. (10 points)

The rubric used in judging for dairy club herdsmanhip will be posted on the bulletin board in the dairy barn for the exhibitors to be aware of the point system.

INDIVIDUAL HERDSMANSHIP – For individuals who are not stalling their animal or animals with a club or group. The animal/animals can be registered and/or grade and may consist of more than one breed. The majority of the care for the animal/animals must be completed by the individual. Cash award for only 1st place

SMALL CLUB – For clubs with 3 or less dairy project members exhibiting. Club herd must consist of 3 animals owned or exhibited by at least 2 different exhibitors. Club herd can be registered and/or grades and may consist of more than one breed. Entry for Club Herd to be made in name of Club or Chapter. No adult may assist project members with Club Herd. Top 4 herds place. Cash award for only 1st place.

LARGE CLUB – For clubs with 4 or more dairy project members exhibiting. Club herd must consist of 6 animals owned or exhibited by at least 3 different exhibitors. Club herd can be registered and/or grades and may consist of more than one breed. No adult may assist project members with Club Herd. Top 4 clubs place. Cash award for only 1st place.

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT 2 BEEF

I.D. and Weigh In Date: 3rd Saturday in April (April 20th for 2024)

Time: 9:00 - 11 am at county fairgrounds

Exhibit Entry Day: Steers Wed. 10:00 a.m. - noon

Breeding animals 10:00 a.m. - noon

Judging Day: Thursday. 10:00 a.m.

Release Time: Sunday 4:00 p.m.

Beef ID has 3 options:

- 1) - Weigh-in at fairgrounds on 3rd Saturday in April (April 20th for 2024)
- 2) - State Fair ID
- 3) - Animal photo ID due to fair by 3rd Saturday in April (April 20th for 2024) (postmarked) with form of ID showing on the picture.

NOTICE: All fans must be a minimum of 4 feet above ground for safety purposes.

All cattle (yearling or older) must be double-tied.

All animals must have an identifying ear tag or tattoo.

Acceptable forms of identification are: USDA metal ear tag (brite tag), 15-digit "840" tags, manufacturer-coded RFID tag, American ID tag (8-12-digit number prefaced with "USA"), breed association tattoo (need to have tattoo for purebred steers and breeding stock if breed association requires it) that is specific to that animal or regular ear tag. Market animals as well as breeding stock need an ID.

Premise ID number required on the entry form.

The ear tag # or registration number must be on entry form and health forms.

Registration papers must be provided to be able to show in purebred classes.

Please inform fair board/superintendents prior to fair entry day if exhibiting both dairy and beef to be stalled in close proximity.

If stalling with a different club or individual, please inform/request fair board and/or superintendent by July 15th.

ATCP 160.08 Class Definitions; Individual Classes (2) BEEF CATTLE

A JUNIOR CALF is one born on or after January 1, 2024. The calf shall be at least 4 months old at the time of exhibit.

A SENIOR CALF is one whose date of birth is between September 1, 2023 and December 31, 2023.

A SUMMER YEARLING is one whose date of birth is between May 1, 2023 and August 31, 2023.

A JUNIOR YEARLING is one whose date of birth is between January 1, 2023 and April 30, 2023.

A SENIOR YEARLING is one whose date of birth is between September 1, 2022 and December 31, 2022.

A 2 YEAR OLD OR OLDER COW is one born before September 1, 2022 and has calved during the past year.

Danish Judging

BREEDING CLASSES

CLASS A – BLACK ANGUS

CLASS B – RED ANGUS

CLASS C - GELBVIEWH

CLASS D – HEREFORD (POLLED AND HORNED)

CLASS E – LIMOUSIN

CLASS F – MAINE ANJOU

CLASS G – SHORTHORN

CLASS H – SIMMENTAL

CLASS I – CROSSBREED

CLASS J – ANY OTHER BREED (Please specify on entry form)

CLASS K – MAINTAINER

CLASS L – SHORTHORN PLUS

ALL male breeding stock must be registered.

Lot	Description	Premiums	9.00	8.00	7.00	5.00
1	Bull Calf, Junior					
2	Bull Calf, Senior					
3	Heifer Calf, Junior					
	Premiums	11.00	9.00	7.00	5.00	
4	Heifer Calf, Senior					
5	Heifer, Summer Yearling					
6	Heifer, Junior Yearling					
7	Heifer, Senior Yearling					
	Premiums	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	
8	Cow, 2 Years Old & Older					

CLASS M – SHOWMANSHIP

A junior may do showmanship in one of the animal shows using another exhibitor's animal without having exhibited an animal in the show themselves.

Little Britches showmanship will be held during the show using only calves. Children under 9 years old may sign-up prior to or during the show. Prizes will be awarded.

Adult showmanship will follow junior showmanship.

Exhibitors selling in the Market Animal Sale **MUST** participate in their respective Showmanship class. You **must** enter this on your Fair entry form.

Late entries will not be allowed.

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
1	Beginner, Grades 3-4					
2	Junior, Grade 5-6					
3	Intermediate, Grades 7-8					
4	Senior, Grades 9 & 10					
5	Advanced, Grades 11 and older					
6	First Year Showmanship					

MARKET STEERS/MARKET HEIFERS

- Each exhibitor shall, at initial beef weigh-in, declare the breeds in which the steer will be exhibited at the Columbia County Fair.

- At the time of fair entry, the exhibitor shall indicate breed as well as the eartag # on the entry form.
- On show day, the beef judge will make the decision whether a steer meets breed characteristics. If not deemed appropriate for the breed in which it is entered, the steer will be placed in the x-bred class.
- State Fair ID is acceptable for Columbia County Fair. State fair ID number to be indicated on the fair entry form.
- Market steers/heifers are to be born on or after January 1, 2023.
- Market Steers must weigh a minimum of 1200 pounds for Dairy Steer; 1100 pounds for Beef Steer at entry day weigh in. Animals weighing less than the required weight can show but not sell or show for champion unless the judge deems the animal finished. Ultra sound, if available, will be at the exhibitors' expense.
- All steers/market heifers will be checked for identification and will be ear tagged and weighed on entry day.
- Dairy and Beef Steers will be exhibited by breeds. A minimum of 3 head constitutes a breed class. There does not need to be 3 head to form a dairy steer class.
- Market heifers will not be shown by breed. Both beef and dairy market heifers will show together.
- A veterinarian will be present at steer weigh-in time to check for any malpractice.

NOTE: A MAXIMUM OF 3 MARKET STEER/MARKET HEIFERS MAY BE SHOWN FOR PREMIUM BY ONE EXHIBITOR, EITHER MARKET BEEF STEER OR MARKET DAIRY STEER OR MARKET HEIFER OR A COMBINATION THERE OF.

The judge of the beef show will select a grand champion, reserve grand champion and an honorable mention. Only blue ribbon animals may compete for grand champion, reserve grand champion and honorable mention.

- **ANY MARKET ANIMAL SOLD AT AUCTION PRIOR TO THE COLUMBIA COUNTY FAIR CAN SHOW AND GO IN FOR CHAMPION BUT CANNOT SELL AT THE SALE OF CHAMPIONS.**
- **Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Market steers and Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Dairy steers may sell at the Sale of Champions, but their sale is not mandatory.**

Market beef steers should be entered: 1 steer – Lot 1; 2 steers – Lots 1 & 2; 3 steers – Lots 1, 2 & 3. Pair of steers use Class ZB

- CLASS N– BLACK ANGUS
- CLASS O – RED ANGUS
- CLASS P – GELBVIEH
- CLASS Q – HEREFORD (POLLED & HORNED)
- CLASS R – LIMOUSIN
- CLASS S – MAINE ANJOU
- CLASS T – SHORTHORN
- CLASS U – SIMMENTAL
- CLASS V– CROSSBREED
- CLASS W – DAIRY STEERS (Purebred dairy breed only)

- CLASS X – ANY OTHER BREED (Please specify on entry)
- CLASS Y – MAINTAINER
- CLASS Z – SHORTHORN PLUS

Lot	Description	Premiums	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00
1	1st Market Steer					
2	2nd Market Steer					
3	3rd Market Steer					
4	Senior Calf – Non-Market					

CLASS ZA– MARKET HEIFER

Lot	Description	Premium	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00
1	1 st Market Heifer					
2	2 nd Market Heifer					
3	3 rd Market Heifer					

CLASS ZB – PAIRS OF STEERS/MARKET HEIFERS

1	Any pair of Market Steers					No Premium
2	Any pair of Market Heifers					

CLASS ZC – CARCASS CLASS

Exhibitor must designate carcass class entry on the fair entry form submitted by June 20th of the fair year. Ultra-sound will be used to determine back fat thickness, marbling score and loin eye area.

THERE WILL BE A CHARGE FOR ULTRASOUND, PAYABLE BY THE EXHIBITOR ON DAY OF ENTRY INTO FAIR.

Lot	Description	Premiums	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00
1	Beef Carcass					
2	Dairy Carcass					

CLASS ZD- PROJECT EXHIBIT for Beef project members. Bring entry to Junior Cultural Arts area between 2:00 & 7:00 p.m. **TUESDAY.**

Face-To-Face Judging

Lot	Description	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Beef poster/chart (14" x 22")					
2	Beef essay or report					
3	Completed Beef project book (available at Extension-Columbia County office)					
4	Any other exhibit related to beef					
5	Any other exhibit related to beef					

CLASS ZE – RATE OF GAIN

- Weigh-in must be done on third Saturday in April to be eligible for rate of gain (April 20 in 2024)
- Exhibitor must exhibit steer.

Lot	Description
1	Beef Class
2	Dairy Class (purebred dairy breed only)

CLASS ZF – RATEGAIN/CARCASS/APPEARANCE

- Judging for the class will be 1/3 on Rate of Gain, 1/3 on carcass evaluation based on ultrasound scanning, and 1/3 on animal appearance and qualities from the judge of show day.
- All animals must be identified and weighed at the Columbia County weigh-in date. Exhibitors are able to show all animals that have entered in a class, but will only receive 1 premium on their top place finish.
- Class will be held only if ultrasound is available.

Lot	Description
1	Rate of Gain/Carcass/Appearance

There will be a carcass champion and a rate-of-gain champion. They may be sold at the auction if selected by the exhibitor, but do not have grand or reserve grand status.

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT 3 SWINE

ID deadline-3rd Saturday in April (April 20th in 2024)
Exhibit Entry Time: Tuesday, 6:00-7:00 p.m.
Ultrasound: Wednesday, 8:00-10:00 a.m.
Judging Day: Wednesday, 5:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

ATCP 160.53 SWINE (2) MARKET CLASSES.

A fair board may establish a market swine entry classes, based on breed, sex, or weight. Swine in each class shall be raised to sell at market and shall be shown by weight. The fair board may establish weight limits for each entry class, but may not limit an entry class by age. If 11 or more swine are entered in any entry class, that class may be divided into 2 more approximately equal subclasses, and each subclass may be judged as a separate class. An exhibitor may enter up to 3 swine in entry classes under this subsection and may receive up to 2 premiums in any entry class under this subsection. exhibitor be awarded more than 2 premiums in any one weight class.

Danish Judging

All swine must have a form of ID which includes an ear notch and ear tag or State fair ID tag.

Due to a new rule/law that became effective February 1, 2018, some changes to the swine project at the fair have been made. If the swine go to exhibitions and the shows are not terminal, each pig must be tested for PRRS (Porcine Reproductive and Respiratory Syndrome) and PEDv (Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea virus) within 90 days of the exhibition/show. A swine weigh-in is considered by the state veterinarian as an exhibition and all the pigs would need testing. Therefore, there will be no swine weigh-in held in April for the Columbia County Fair. The Columbia County Fair swine show remains non-terminal. Pigs will need to be tested within 90 days of the show at the exhibitor's expense. Test results, test type and date of testing need to be included on the Wisconsin intrastate certificate of veterinary inspection (CVI or health certificate).

Swine ID for 2024 Columbia County Fair follows:

- Photo ID with ear tag with ear notches and gender noted on photo due to fair (postmarked) by April 20, 2024.
- State fair ID

As usual, up to six pigs may be entered per exhibitor at the fair entry form, but only 3 may be actually brought to the fair.

Premise ID number is required on the entry form.

For more information, refer to Animal I.D. for Livestock in the front of the book.

Classes will be made up according to ending weigh-in weights with a maximum of approximately ten head.

The swine judge will select a grand champion, reserve grand champion and honorable mention market barrow and gilt.

SEE SPECIAL HEALTH REGULATIONS AT THE FRONT OF THIS BOOK.

Health forms are available from your veterinarian.

THIS IS A NON-TERMINAL SHOW.

Exhibitors must inform the swine superintendent by Saturday of the fair where the swine not sold in the auction are to be sent to market if they are not returning home.

Any Market animal sold at auction prior to the Columbia County Fair can show and go in for champion, but cannot be sold at the Sale of Champions.

- Market prices will be announced before the Sale of Champions.
- Transportation costs to market will be paid for by the Columbia County Fair.
- Selling weight will be the weight taken on Tuesday of the Fair.
- Barrows/gilts must weigh a minimum of 230 pounds, but no more than 300 pounds at entry day weigh-in. Barrows/gilts weighing over 300 pounds may show for Grand Champion and sell in the Sale of Champions, however it must sell at a maximum of 300 pounds.
- Exhibitors must load and unload swine prior to and after they are sold at the auction.

- **In the Sale of Champions there may be a Performance and Reserve Performance Champion (based on ultrasound/carcass and live placing-if ultrasound is available) and the Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Barrows and Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Gilts. However their sale is not mandatory.**

Exhibitors must be YQCA certified to be allowed to sell at the Sale of Champions. (Youth for the Quality Care of Animals) A copy of the YQCA certificate must be presented to the superintendent by the exhibitor prior to the swine show on Wednesday at 5:00 p.m.

CLASS A - MARKET BARROW

Lot	Description	Premiums	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00
1	1st Market Barrow					
2	2nd Market Barrow					
3	3rd Market Barrow					

CLASS B- MARKET GILT

Lot	Description	Premiums	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00
1	1 st Market Gilt					
2	2 nd Market Gilt					
3	3 rd Market Gilt					

- CARCASS CLASS - Exhibitor must designate carcass entry on day of entry into the fair, Ultra-sound will be used to determine B. F. & Loin eye. Champion & Reserve Champion Carcass may sell at Auction if selected by the exhibitor, but do not have grand or reserve grand champion status. Carcass entry must weigh a minimum of 230 pounds. Barrows/gilts weighing over 300 pounds may scan and have full consideration for Carcass Champion. If named Champion or Reserve, the barrow/gilts will sell for a maximum of 300 pounds. Exhibitors may be allowed to ultra sound up to 3 market animals. Only the highest entry will receive premium in the carcass class.

This class is dependent on the availability of ultrasound.

THERE WILL BE A CHARGE FOR THE ULTRASOUND TESTING, PAYABLE BY EXHIBITOR ON DAY OF ENTRY INTO FAIR.

CLASS C - CARCASS CLASS

Lot	Description	Premiums	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00
1	Carcass					

The Columbia County Pork Partners will award prize money to the top 5 in the Carcass Contest as follows:

- 1st - \$50.00
- 2nd - \$40.00
- 3rd - \$30.00
- 4th - \$20.00
- 5th - \$10.00

CLASS D - SHOWMANSHIP Exhibitors selling in the Market Animal Sale **MUST** participate in their respective showmanship class. You must enter this on your fair entry form.

A junior may do showmanship in one of the animal shows using another exhibitor's animal without having exhibited an animal in the show themselves.

Little Britches showmanship will be held during the show. Children under 9 years old may sign-up prior to or during the show. Prizes will be awarded.

Adult showmanship will follow junior showmanship.

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
1	Beginner, Grades 3-4					
2	Junior, Grades 5-6					
3	Intermediate, Grades 7-8					
4	Senior, Grades 9 -10					
5	Advanced, Grades 11 and older					

CLASS E -PROJECT EXHIBIT - for swine project members. Bring entry to Junior Cultural Arts area between 2:00 & 7:00 p.m. **TUESDAY.**

Face-To-Face Judging

Lot	Description	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Swine poster/chart (14" x 22")					
2	Swine essay or report					
3	Completed Swine project book (available at UW Extension office)					
4	Any other exhibit related to swine					
5	Any other exhibit related to swine					

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT 4 SHEEP

I.D. and Weigh In Date: 3rd Saturday in April (April 20th for 2024)

Time: 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. at county fairgrounds

Exhibit Entry Time: Wednesday, 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
Scanning for Carcass Class will take place following the swine scanning on Wednesday (Approximately 10:00 a.m.)

Judging Day: Thursday, 4:00 p.m.

Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Market Lamb ID has 3 options:

- 1) - Weigh-in at fairgrounds on 3rd Saturday in April (April 20th for 2024)
- 2) - State Fair ID
- 3) - Animal photo ID due to fair by 3rd Saturday in April (postmarked) with form of ID showing on the picture (April 20th for 2024)

Judging order on show day will be market lambs, lead class, breeding stock followed by the showmanship.

ATCP 160.08 Class definitions; individual classes (5) SHEEP

A SPRING LAMB is one born on or after February 16, 2024

A FALL LAMB is one born between September 1, 2023 and December 31, 2023.

A WINTER LAMB is one born between January 1, 2023 and February 15, 2023.

A YEARLING RAM OR EWE is one born outside the date of birth limitations on pars. (a) through (c). The age of yearlings may be subject to verification by a veterinarian's examination whose findings shall be final.

A MARKET LAMB is one born after January 1, 2024.

A PAIR OF LAMBS is 1 ram and ewe lamb entered by the same exhibitor.

A FLOCK shall be comprised of 3 sheep consisting of a yearling or lamb ram, a ewe lamb, and a yearling ewe, all of which are owned by the exhibitor.

A PAIR OF MARKET LAMBS must be owned by the same exhibitor.

A PEN O F MARKET LAMBS is two lambs owned by the same exhibitor.

ATCP 160.54 (7) SHEARING. Sheep shown under this section shall meet the following requirements:

- a) Wool breeds shall be shown with 2 inches or less of wool. b) Dairy breeds shall be slick shorn.

c) Breeds other than those in pars. (a) and (b) shall be shown with not more than 1 inch of fleece on any part of the animal's body.

- All male and female breeding stock, except commercial animals, must be registered. All breeding stock must have an official individual ID. Registration papers may be checked at check in time. Copies and faxes will be accepted. If papers are not available, animals will be shown as commercial (crossbred or grade).
- All animals must be owned by exhibitor by May 1 of exhibit year. Registration or proof of ownership may be checked.
- A ewe lamb shown in any market class may not be shown in any breeding class. A ewe lamb shown in any market class must have an official individual ID. An exhibitor may enter only one market lamb per class. If you show a pen of market lambs, one of these must also be shown in the single market lamb class.

Premise ID number is required on the entry form.

Danish Judging

- CLASS A - SHROPSHIRE
- CLASS B - CHEVIOT
- CLASS C - SUFFOLK
- CLASS D - HAMPSHIRE
- CLASS E - SOUTHDOWN
- CLASS F - COLUMBIA
- CLASS G - CORRIEDALE
- CLASS H - MONTADALE
- CLASS I - RAMBOUILLET
- CLASS J - DORSET
- CLASS K - TARGHEE
- CLASS L - LINCOLN
- CLASS M - ANY OTHER BREED
- CLASS N - COMMERCIAL/CROSSBRED/GRADE (Lot #5, 6, 7, 8, 9 only)

Lot	Description	Premiums	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00
1	Spring Ram Lamb					
2	Winter Ram Lamb					
3	Fall Ram Lamb					
4	Yearling Ram					
5	Spring Ewe Lamb					
6	Winter Ewe Lamb					
7	Fall Ewe Lamb					
8	Yearling Ewe					
9	Mature Ewe					
10	Pair Of Lambs					
11	Flock					

ATCP 160.54 SHEEP (2) Market Class (a) A county or district fair may establish up to 3 market lamb entry classes, based on weight. Lambs in each class shall be raised to be sold at market and shall be shown by weight. The fair board may establish weight limits for each entry class, but may not limit an entry class by breed, sex or age. If 16 or more lambs are entered in any entry class, that class may be divided into 2 or more approximately equal subclasses, and each subclass may be judged as a separate class. An exhibitor may enter up to 3 lambs in entry classes under this subsection, and may receive up to 2 premiums in any entry class under this subsection.

- All blankets and tubes must be removed prior to weighing. There will be no reweighing allowed.
- In order to exhibit and/or sell, a market animal must weigh at least 100 lbs. at entry day weigh-in. Animals weighing less than the required weight can show **but not sell or show for**

champion unless the judge deems the animal finished.

Any Market animal sold at auction prior to the Columbia County Fair can show and go in for champion but cannot sell at Sale of Champions

The sheep judge will select a grand champion, reserve grand champion and honorable mention.

The grand and reserve grand champion market lamb may sell at the livestock auction but their sale is not mandatory. All market lambs must have an official individual ID.

CLASS O - MARKET

Lot	Description	Premiums	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00
1	1st Market lamb					
2	2nd Market lamb					
3	3rd Market lamb					
4	Pen of Market Lambs					

RIBBON ONLY

ATCP 160.54 SHEEP (4) Carcass Class

An exhibitor may enter a market lamb shown at the current Fair or another market lamb entered only in the carcass class, but each exhibitor is limited to a single entry in the carcass class. Additional requirements may be established by the local fair board.

- LAMB CARCASS exhibitor must designate carcass entry on day of entry into fair. Ultra - sound will be used to determine back fat & loin eye. Champion & Res. Champion Carcass may sell at Auction if selected by the exhibitor, but do not have grand or reserve grand champion status. Carcass entry must weigh a minimum of 100 pounds. Exhibitors may be allowed to ultrasound up to 3 market lambs. Only the highest placing entry will receive premium in the carcass class. **This class will be held depending on the availability of ultrasound.**

THERE WILL BE A CHARGE FOR THIS CLASS, PAYABLE BY THE EXHIBITOR ON DAY OF ENTRY INTO FAIR.

CLASS P - LAMB CARCASS

Lot	Description	Premiums	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00
1	Lamb Carcass					
2	Performance Class (combines rate of gain & carcass score)					

CLASS Q - SHOWMANSHIP

A junior may do showmanship in one of the animal shows using another exhibitor's animal without having exhibited an animal in the show themselves.

Little Britches showmanship will be held during the show. Children under 9 years old may sign-up prior to or during the show. Prizes will be awarded.

Adult showmanship will follow junior showmanship.

Exhibitors selling in the Market Sale **MUST** participate in their respective showmanship class. You must enter this on your Fair entry form.

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
1	Beginner, Grades 3-4					
2	Junior, Grades 5-6					
3	Intermediate, Grades 7-8					
4	Senior, Grades 9-10					
5	Advanced, Grades 11 and older					

JUNIOR WOOL SHOW

Fleeces must be entered by June 20 and brought to the Fair on Wednesday, Livestock Entry Day. Entries will be displayed in Sheep Barn. Fleeces will be judged Sheep Barn after sheep show on Thursday.

REGULATIONS:

1. Fleeces from all divisions must be shorn within the last 12 months.
2. Fleeces must be properly tied with paper twine.

CLASS R - WHITE WOOL DIVISION

Lot	Description	Premiums	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00
1	Fine > 58'S					
2	Medium 58-50					
3	Coarse < 48'S					

CLASS S - COLORED WOOL

Lot	Description	Premiums	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00
1	Solid Black Fleece					
2	Any solid color fleece other than black (white not eligible)					
3	Variegated Fleece					

CLASS T - ANY OTHER WOOL

Lot	Description	Premiums	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00
1	Llama					
2	Alpaca					
3	Mohair					

CLASS U - PROJECT EXHIBIT - for sheep project members. Bring entry to Junior Cultural Arts area between 2:00 & 7:00 p.m. **TUESDAY.**

Danish Judging

Lot	Description	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Sheep poster/chart (14" x 22")					
2	Sheep essay or report					
3	Completed Sheep project book (Available at UW Extension Office)					
4	Any other exhibit related to sheep					
5	Any other exhibit related to sheep					

CLASS V - SHEEP LEAD CLASS

To be held during the sheep show on Thursday. This event is open to any and all. This is not a costume class. Clothing should be at least 50% wool and suitable for street or school wear.

Lot	Description
1	Children Up to Age 10
2	Age 10 through 16
3	Age 17 through adult

The class will be judged as follows:

50 points:	General Appearance
30 points:	Showmanship
20 points:	Personal Presentation

CLASS W - SHEEP COSTUME CLASS

To held Thursday in conjunction with the Sheep Lead Class. This event is open to any individual or group of individuals. The clothing does not have to be made of 100% wool, but should be a creative idea.

Lot Description

- 1 Children age 15 and under
- 2 Ages 16 through adult

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT 5 GOAT

Meat Goats Entry Time: Wednesday, 10:00 a.m. – noon
I.D. and Weigh In Date: 3rd Saturday in April (April 20th for 2024)
Time: 9:00 – 11 am at county fairgrounds

Exhibit Entry Time: Wednesday, Noon - 7:00 p.m.
Judging Day: Friday 10:00 a.m. – Meat goat judging followed by Junior judging and then Open Class judging
Release Time: Sunday 4:00 p.m.

All goat entries must have an official individual identification.

Acceptable forms of ID include scrapie ear tags, USDA 840 ear tags or breed association tattoo unique to that animal.

Meat goat ID options for Columbia County Fair:

- 1) - Weigh-in: Third Saturday in April (April 20th for 2024)
- 2) - State Fair ID
- 3) - Animal photo ID due to fair by third Saturday in April (postmarked) with acceptable form of ID in the picture (April 20th for 2024)

Premise ID number required on the entry form.

Market goats must be weighed in by sheep department and in place by noon on Wednesday. Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Market Goat may sell at Sale of Champions on Saturday but their sale is not mandatory.

ATCP 160.55 Class Definitions; Individual classes. (6) GOATS. Goats may be entered in one of the following individual classes. The age of the animal for determining the appropriate class shall be computed from the opening day of the Fair. Male goats and goats with full natural horns may not be entered unless full natural horns are a standard for a specific breed. Does which have freshened shall be shown in the appropriate class under Subds. 5. to 8.

JUNIOR DOE KID; under 4 months of age.

SENIOR DOE KID; at least 4 months but under 7 months of age
JUNIOR YEARLING DOE; at least 7 months but under 12 months of age.

SENIOR YEARLING DOE: at least 12 months but under 24 months of age and the doe is not in milk.

YEARLING MILKERS: under 2 years of age and in milk

JUNIOR MILKERS: at least 2 years of age but under 3 years of age.

MATURE MILKERS: at least 3 years but less than 5 years of age.

AGED MILKERS: 5 years of age and older

In both Junior and Open Class goats, two (2) entries per lot are allowed in individual animal lots, but only one entry per lot in group lots.

Danish Judging

- CLASS A - ALPINE
- CLASS B - NUBIAN
- CLASS C - LAMANCHA
- CLASS D - SAANEN
- CLASS E - TOGGENBURG
- CLASS F - Any other Purebred (list breed on entry form)
- CLASS G - RECORDED DAIRY GRADES (eligible for registry)
- CLASS H - UNRECORDED DAIRY GRADES (not eligible for registry)
- CLASS I - ANY MEAT BREED (List breed on entry form)

Lot	Description	Premiums	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00
1	Junior Doe Kid					
2	Senior Doe Kid					
3	Junior Yearling Doe					
4	Senior Yearling Doe					
(The above animals shall never have freshened)						
5	Yearling Milkers					
6	Junior Milkers					
7	Mature Milkers					
8	Aged Milkers					
(All of the above, including dry milkers, must have freshened)						

CLASS J - MARKET CLASS

Lot	Description	Premiums	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00
1	Meat Breed Wether					
2	Meat Breed Wether					
3	Dairy Breed Wether					
4	Dairy Breed Wether					

CLASS K - SHOWMANSHIP You must enter this on your Fair entry form.

A junior may do showmanship in one of the animal shows using another exhibitor's animal without having exhibited an animal in the show themselves.

Little Britches showmanship will be held during the show. Children under 9 years old may sign-up prior to or during the show. Prizes will be awarded.

Adult showmanship will follow junior showmanship.

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
1	Junior, Grades 3-5					
2	Intermediate, Grades 6-8					
3	Senior, Grades 9 & Older					

CLASS L - MEAT BREED SHOWMANSHIP (Enter this on entry form)

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
1	Junior, Grades 3-5					
2	Intermediate, Grades 6-8					
3	Senior, Grades 9 & up					

CLASS M - PYGMY GOATS

Pygmy Goats will be kept at the fair with the Dairy Goats. They must be entered on Wednesday between Noon and 7:00 p.m.

Lot	Description	Premiums	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00
1	Kid - under 7 months old					
2	Yearling - 7 to 23 months					
3	Mature - 24 months and older					

CLASS N - PYGMY GOAT COSTUME CLASSES

Lot	Description	Premiums	NO PREMIUM	RIBBON ONLY
1	Beginner, Grades 3-5			
2	Intermediate, Grades 6-8			
3	Senior, Grades 9 & older			

CLASS P - PYGMY GOAT SHOWMANSHIP

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
1	Beginner, Grades 3-5					
2	Intermediate, Grades 6-8					
3	Senior, Grades 9 & older					

CLASS Q - PROJECT EXHIBIT - for goat project members. Bring entry to Junior Cultural Arts area between 2:00 & 7:00 p.m.

TUESDAY.

Face-To-Face Judging

Lot	Description	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Goat poster/chart (14" x 22")					
2	Goat essay or report					
3	Completed goat project book (available from UW Extension office)					
4	Any other exhibit related to goats					
5	Any other exhibit related to goats					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 6
HORSE**

Pleasure Show & Trail Class: Sunday at start of Fair week
Entry Time: Sunday - 7:00 - 8:00 a.m.

Judging Time: Sunday - 8:30 A.M.

Model Horse & Horseless Horse: Tuesday of Fair Week

Entry Time: Tuesday, 12:30 p.m.

Judging Day: Tuesday, 2:00 p.m.

Exhibit Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Speed Show Set Up: Saturday, 8:00 a.m.

Judging Time: Saturday, 8:30 a.m.

The rain date for the Pleasure Show is the Monday following the scheduled Sunday show and the rain date for the Speed Show is the Sunday following the scheduled Saturday show.

ATCP 160.56 HORSES AND PONIES; Department 6. (1) Light horses, Draft Horses and Ponies Showmanship and Equitation. A fair may establish one or more classes of horse and pony showmanship and equitation for under pars. (a) or (b). A fair may establish separate classes under each paragraph based on criteria listed under that paragraph. A fair shall use the Danish judging system for all entries in showmanship and equitation classes under par. (a) and (b), and the regular judging system for entries in all classes under (1g) pars. (a) Pleasure,

(b) Halter, (c) Trail or obstacle driving and (d) Gymkhana. (1r)
No exhibitor may enter more than 2 animals in all classes established under sub. (1) and (1g).

GENERAL RULES

- The general rules and guidelines of the State 4-H Horse Expo will apply to this show except in the case of sharing horses. Two members may share the same horse at the county level. If the members are not in the same immediate family (brother or sister) only one member can choose to show for premiums. The other member will be showing for ribbons and trophies ONLY. The appropriate forms will need to be filled out the day of the show. If the members sharing the horse are siblings they may both show for premiums. A horse may not compete against itself. This means the horse may not compete in the same class with two different exhibitors.
- When showing at the State 4-H Horse Expo members cannot share a horse if they are not in the same immediate family. This means if you share a horse with another member and you are not a sibling (brother or sister), and if you both qualify for the State 4-H Horse Expo, only one of you will be able to attend. Siblings sharing a horse may share that horse at the State 4-H Horse Expo however; a horse may not compete against itself. This means the horse may not compete in the same class with two different exhibitors.
- Hard soled boots are required in all classes.
- NO exhibitor may show more than TWO horses in each show.
- Premise ID number is required on the entry form.
- Project animals must be identified to the Columbia County 4 – H Horse Council by the date announced on current year schedule. This includes: ID form for each horse, a current year negative coggins for each horse, release of liability, and current years dues.
- The grade of exhibitors and age of horse are determined as of January 1 of the exhibit year.
- No stallion over one year of age can be exhibited.
- Any horse showing evidence of poor health will be removed from the fair grounds at the discretion of the horse show committee.
- It is the responsibility of each exhibitor to keep their area clean. Make sure you clean up around your trailer before leaving any function.
- For a Horse member (FFA, 4-H, horseless, etc.) to exhibit in the Columbia County Pleasure Show, they must follow the general rules, pleasure and speed rules, which include **“Member in Good Standing”** requirements for that current project year. All rule books and requirements are listed on the following web site: www.uwex.edu/ces/cty/columbia/
- Any request of the placings of a show must be made within 15 minutes upon completion of that show.
- Exhibitors with a complaint should register the complaint with the Columbia County 4-H Horse Council. Any PARENT voicing objections during the show will disqualify their child from participating.
- Horses are to be ridden ONLY in the exercise area or show ring. Horses are NOT to be ridden around or through the cattle barns or anywhere on the fairgrounds except as stated.
- All ponies must be 56" and under. Ponies will be measured to insure that the correct size is shown.
- All miniatures must be 38" and under. Miniatures will be measured to insure that the correct size is shown.
- Pony, Draft, Miniature Horse, Donkey and Mule exhibitors in Classes B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K may choose either the Exhibitor Grade lot or the breed lot (pony any age, draft any

age, miniature horse any age, donkey and mules any age) BUT NOT BOTH.

- **Pony Exhibitors** – if shown as a pony, then can be entered into “Pony any age lot”. If shown in “Exhibitors Grade” lot, then CANNOT be shown in “Pony any age lot.” This rule applies for both the Pleasure Show and Speed Show. Exhibitors showing a pony may enter any non-premium class.
- **Draft Exhibitors** – if shown as a draft, then can be entered into “Draft any age lot”. If shown in “Exhibitor Grade” lot, then CANNOT be shown in “Draft any age lot”. Exhibitor showing a draft may enter any non-premium class.
- **Miniature Horse Exhibitors** – if shown as miniature horse, then can be entered into “Miniature Horse any age lot”. If shown in “Exhibitor Grade” lot, then CANNOT be shown in “Miniature Horse any age lot”. Exhibitors showing a miniature horse may enter any non-premium class.
- **Donkey and Mule exhibitors** – if shown as donkey or mule, then can be entered into “Donkey or Mule any age lot”. If shown in “Exhibitors Grade” lot, then CANNOT be shown in “Donkey or Mule any age lot”. Exhibitors showing a donkey or mule may enter any non-premium class.
- The above rules regarding pony, draft, miniature horse, donkey and mules are based on the State 4H Horse Expo rules. If you are considering showing at the State 4H Horse Expo please follow these rules carefully as it will determine what classes you show in at the state show. For example: If you win your qualifying blue in pony showmanship at the county fair you must enter pony showmanship at the State 4H Horse Expo. **NOTE: At the State 4H Horse Expo once you have entered a pony division you must remain in the pony division for the entire show.**
- HORSELESS HORSE MEMBERS – Please read the “Horseless Horse Guideline Rules” in your Handbook. All general rules regarding helmets, boots, ID forms, coggins, and safety rules apply to horseless horse members.
- According to the State Expo rules the only qualifying classes for Horseless Horse are **Horseless Horse Showmanship or Horseless Horse Walk Trot**. You must win a blue in one of these classes to qualify to show at state.
- If you are a Horseless Horse member you must sign up under the Horseless Horse classes.
- Horseless horse members may enter any classes under
- L – non premium, M –non premium, N – Horse/Pony and Horseless Horse, O – Model Horse and P - Clothes Horse.

You must show in the correct breed or your grade lot. If entry rules are not followed, or you sign up for the wrong grade you will not be able to add or change classes the day of show. Please take the time to be certain your entry form is filled out correctly. Contact leaders for assistance in entering fair classes and for additional information in complying with the rules.

SPEED

- The speed show is open to horse, pony, miniature, draft, donkey and mule. There will be no cross over from pony classes. Ponies may show in open classes.
- You may run the animal only ONCE per lot.
- Maximum of 12 lots may be entered per exhibitor.
- Placings will be First – Sixth.
- All general rules regarding helmets, boots, ID forms, coggins, and safety apply.

For complete list of rules, patterns, and explanation of all classes please refer to your handbook. If you do not have a handbook, please contact a horse council member for a copy, or visit the County web site: www.uwex.edu/ces/cty/columbia/

The show order on show day may not be the same order listed in the premium book.

Judging:

- Showmanship—the exhibitor’s ability to show the animal is judged at halter
- Horsemanship/Equitation—Exhibitor’s ability to ride is Judged
- Pleasure—Horse is judged as to its performance

CLASS A - HALTER (use lot numbers 1-9)
 Conformation of the animal is judged.
 Danish Judging

Lot	Description	Premiums	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00
1	Pony 56" And Under					
2	Yearling and Weanlings - born this year or the preceding year					
3	Western Mares 2 Years and Older					
4	Western Geldings 2 Years and Older					
5	English Mares 2 Years and Older					
6	English Geldings 2 Years and Older					
7	Draft					
8	Miniature Horses 38" and under					
9	Donkeys and Mules					

****For Classes B-K, M-S, and U-ZA use lot numbers 1-14 below****

- CLASS B - WESTERN SHOWMANSHIP
- CLASS C – ENGLISH/HUNTSEAT SHOWMANSHIP
- CLASS D – SADDLESEAT SHOWMANSHIP
- CLASS E – HORSELESS HORSE SHOWMANSHIP – ENGLISH OR WESTERN
- CLASS F – HUNTER UNDER SADDLE PLEASURE
- CLASS G – SADDLESEAT PLEASURE
- CLASS H – HUNTSEAT EQUITATION
- CLASS I – SADDLESEAT EQUITATION
- CLASS J – HORSELESS HORSE WALK TROT EQUITATION – ANY DISCIPLINE
- CLASS K – WESTERN PLEASURE
- CLASS U – WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP
- CLASS V - WESTERN RIDING – PATTERN CLASS
- CLASS W – TRAIL CLASS
- CLASS X– PLEASURE DRIVING, PONY OR MINIATURE HORSE
- CLASS Y – PLEASURE DRIVING, HORSE
- CLASS Z – PLEASURE DRIVING, DRAFT
- CLASS ZA – PLEASURE DRIVING, DONKEY/MULE

Lot	Description	Premiums	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00
1	Exhibitors Grades 12 -13					
2	Exhibitors Grade 11					
3	Exhibitors Grade 10					
4	Exhibitors Grade 9					
5	Exhibitors Grade 8					
6	Exhibitors Grade 7					
7	Exhibitors Grade 6					
8	Exhibitors Grade 5					
9	Exhibitors Grade 4					
10	Exhibitors Grade 3					
11	Pony, Any Age					
12	Draft, Any Age					
13	Miniature Horses, Any Age					
14	Donkeys & Mules, Any Age					

CLASS L – MISC. CLASSES / PLEASURE
 (Class L use lot numbers 1-11 below)
 Danish Judging

NON-STATE QUALIFYING

Lot	Description
1	Discipline Rail/(All Disp) All Grades
2	Hunter Hack, All Ages
3	Costume Class
4	Open Western walk/trot pleasure (cannot enter a canter class horse/rider combination)
5	Reining open (all grades)
6	Dressage (all grades)
7	Trail in Hand (all grades)
8	Western Walk/trot horsemanship (cannot enter a canter Class horse/rider combination)
9	Open English walk/trot pleasure (cannot enter a canter class horse/rider combination)
10	English Walk/trot Equitation (cannot enter a canter class horse/rider combination)
11	Ranch Riding

The Show committee reserves the right to cancel, combine or add any classes.

SPEED SHOW

Non-premium
 Maximum of 12 lots can be entered

- CLASS M – Pole Bending
- CLASS N – Key Race
- CLASS O – Barrels
- CLASS P – Flag Race
- CLASS Q – LT. Special
- CLASS R – Plug
- CLASS S – Speed and Action

The above classes (M through S) use the Lot numbers 1-14 under pleasure, driving classes.

CLASS T – OPEN

Lot	Description
1	Ball and Pail
2	Pop Race
3	Tire Race
4	Rescue Race
5	Ribbon Race
6	Key Hole
7	Relay Race
8	Ride a Buck Plug Race
9	Streaking Poles
10	Bribe your Horse

The show committee reserves the right to cancel, combine or add any class.

HORSE / PONY AND HORSELESS HORSE EXHIBITS

Exhibitors must be enrolled in the Horse Project through 4-H or other youth organization approved by the Fair Board.
 Bring to the Model Horse judging area in the Bidwell Building.
 These classes will be judged during or following Model Horses.

Face-To-Face Judging

CLASS NA	Exhibit Showing Western Pleasure
CLASS NB	Exhibit Showing English Pleasure
CLASS NC	Exhibit Identify Parts Of Horse
CLASS ND	Booklet Of Horse Pictures
CLASS NE	Poster on Horse Health
CLASS NF	Poster Identify Good Horsemanship
CLASS NG	Any Other Project Related Entry

Lot	Description				
	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Beginner, Grades 3-5				
2	Junior, Grades 6-8				
3	Senior, Grades 9 and Older				

MODEL HORSE

Judging will be held in the Bidwell Building.
Entry starts at 12:30 pm on Tuesday. All exhibits/entries must be set up and in place by 2:00 pm. Judging starts at 2:00 pm.

Model Horse is not required to stay at the fair on exhibition.

Face-To-Face Judging

CLASS OA	Open Costume by Exhibitor – Native/ Historical
CLASS OB	Open Costume by Exhibitor - Fantasy
CLASS OC	Harness/Driving - Draft
CLASS OD	Harness/Driving – Fine or Pleasure
CLASS OE	Western Pleasure
CLASS OF	Saddle Seat/Park Pleasure
CLASS OG	Gymkhana/Speed Event
CLASS OH	Hunter/Jumper Over Fences
CLASS OI	Trail – English/Western - Arena
CLASS OJ	Trail – English/Western - Natural
CLASS OK	Hunter under Saddle
CLASS OL	Open other Performance
CLASS OM	Of Halter – English Breeds
CLASS ON	Of Halter – Western Breeds
CLASS OO	Of Halter -- Pony
CLASS OP	Of Halter -- Draft
CLASS OQ	Customize by exhibitor (No Tack)
CLASS OR	Showmanship (Doll required)

Lot	Description				
	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Beginner, Grades 3-6				
2	Advanced, Grades 7 and Older				

CLASS ZB - CLOTHES HORSE

Bring to the Horseless Horse and Model Horse judging area Tuesday, 12:30 p.m. Clothes Horse projects will be judged Tuesday afternoon during/following Model Horses, by that judge.

Face-To-Face Judging

Lot	Description				
	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Grooming mitt				
2	Grooming apron				
3	Quilted leg wrap or tail wrap				
4	Western or English pad				
5	Cooling sheet				
6	Horse blanket				
7	Boot carrying bag				
8	Equitation scarf				

- 9 Riding Apparel
- 10 Any other clothes related item for Horse or Rider

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 7
POULTRY**

Exhibit Entry: Wednesday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Judging Day: Friday 9:00 a.m.
Release Time: Sunday 4:00 p.m.

The entries listed in this Junior Poultry Dept. 7 are the same for Open Poultry Dept. 107.

Please read all information regarding Animal Health Rules and Regulations—specifically poultry.

All fowl exhibited may be subject to quarantine and slaughter if any infectious or contagious disease is discovered among any of the fowl. Birds showing any symptoms of a contagious or infectious disease cannot be exhibited.

All poultry (except waterfowl) over 4 months of age shall be accompanied by documentation of a negative test for pullorum-typhoid conducted within 90 days prior to arrival at the exhibition or originate from a flock designated as "U.S. Pullorum –Typhoid Clean." Turkeys over 6 months of age must be tube tested for mycoplasma gallisepticum.

Each exhibitor will be limited to one entry under each lot number.

The date of hatching for determining the distinction between young and old poultry is January 1 of the exhibit year.

All entries must have a form of individual ID for mandatory 5-year record keeping by the fair board.

Premise ID number required on the entry form.

Danish Judging

LARGE FOWL

- CLASS LA – PLYMOUTH ROCK-BARRED
- CLASS LB – PLYMOUTH ROCK-WHITE
- CLASS LC – ANY OTHER PLYMOUTH ROCK VARIETIES
- CLASS LD – RHODE ISLAND REDS
- CLASS LE – WYANDOTTES VARIETIES
- CLASS LF – ANY OTHER AMERICAN CLASS
- CLASS LG – ALL LEGHORN VARIETIES
- CLASS LH – ALL MINORCAS
- CLASS LI – ALL OTHER MEDITERRANEAN CLASSES
- CLASS LJ – ALL BRAHMAS
- CLASS LK – ALL OTHER ASIATIC CLASSES
- CLASS LL – BUFF ORPINGTON
- CLASS LM – ALL OTHER ORPINGTON VARIETIES
- CLASS LN – AUSTRALORPS
- CLASS LO – ALL OTHER ENGLISH CLASSES
- CLASS LP – ALL CONTINENTAL-FRENCH
- CLASS LQ – ALL CONTINENTAL-NORTH EUROPEAN
- CLASS LR – ALL OTHER CONTINENTAL CLASSES
- CLASS LS – AMERAUCANA
- CLASS LT – ALL OTHER STANDARD CLASSES
- CLASS LU – CROSS BRED EGG TYPE
- CLASS LV – CROSS BRED MEAT TYPE

BANTAMS

- CLASS BA – ALL FEATHER LEGGED-COCHINS
- CLASS BB – ALL FEATHER LEGGED-BRAHMAS
- CLASS BC – ALL OTHER FEATHER LEGGED CLASSES
- CLASS BD – ALL LEGHORN VARIETIES
- CLASS BE – ALL PLYMOUTH ROCK VARIETIES
- CLASS BF – ALL RHODE ISLAND REDS
- CLASS BG – ALL OTHER SINGLE COMB CLEAN LEGGED CLASS
- CLASS BH – ALL WYANDOTTE VARIETIES
- CLASS BI – ALL OTHER ROSE COMB CLEAN LEGGED CLASS
- CLASS BJ – ALL ANY OTHER COMB CLEAN LEGGED CLASS
- CLASS BK – ALL GAME-OLD ENGLISH
- CLASS BL – ALL GAME-MODERNS
- CLASS BM – ALL ANY OTHER STANDARD CLASS

CLASS Y - PROJECT EXHIBIT - for poultry project members. Bring to Junior Cultural Arts area between 2:00 & 7:00 p.m. **TUESDAY.**

Face to Face Judging

Lot	Description	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Poultry poster/chart (14" x 22")					
2	Poultry essay or report					
3	Completed Poultry project book (available from UW Extension office)					
4	Any other exhibit related to poultry					
5	Any other exhibit related to poultry					

DUCKS

- CLASS ZA – Bantam Ducks
- CLASS ZB – Standard Light Variety Ducks
- CLASS ZC – Standard Medium Variety Ducks
- CLASS ZD – Standard Heavy Variety Ducks

GEESE

- CLASS ZE – Light Variety Geese
- CLASS ZF – Medium Variety Geese
- CLASS ZG – Heavy Variety Geese

TURKEYS

- CLASS ZH - BRONZE
- CLASS ZI - BROAD WHITES
- CLASS ZJ - ALL OTHER STANDARD VARIETIES OF TURKEYS

USE FOR CLASSES LA-ZJ

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Old Male					
2	Old Female					
3	Young Male					
4	Young Female					

PIGEONS

- CLASS ZK - PERFORMING OR SPORTING BREEDS
- CLASS ZL - UTILITY BREEDS
- CLASS ZM - FANCY BREEDS

USE FOR CLASSES ZK – ZM

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Old Cock					
2	Old hen					

- 3 Young Cock
- 4 Young Hen

ANY OTHER STANDARD POULTRY

- CLASS ZN – Guinea Fowl
- CLASS ZO – Peafowl – (Peacock)
- CLASS ZP – Pheasant
- CLASS ZQ – Quail

USE FOR CLASSES ZN-ZQ

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Male					
2	Female					

The Poultry judge will select a grand champion, reserve grand champion and honorable mention in each market class. The grand and reserve grand champions may sell at the Sale of Champions, but their sale is not mandatory

Any market animal sold at auction prior to the Columbia County Fair can be shown and go in for champion but cannot sell at the Sale of Champions.

CLASS ZR - POULTRY MARKET

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Roaster chickens, 2 birds combined weight of 10 Lbs. or more					
2	Broiler chickens, 2 birds combined weight of 10 Lbs. or less					
3	Young Duck, either sex (5 Lbs & Over)					
4	Young Goose, either sex (7 Lbs & Over)					
5	Young Turkey (Over 15 Weeks) over 15 Lbs.					

** This is only open to Junior Fair Exhibitors**

CLASS ZS - SHOWMANSHIP - Exhibitors selling in the Market Animal Sale **MUST** participate in their respective showmanship class. You must enter this on your Fair entry form.

A junior may do showmanship in one of the animal shows using another exhibitor's animal without having exhibited an animal in the show themselves.

Little Britches showmanship will be held during the show. Children under 9 years old may sign-up prior to or during the show. Prizes will be awarded.

Adult showmanship will follow junior showmanship.

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
1	Junior, Grades 3-5					
2	Intermediate, Grades 6-8					
3	Senior, Grades 9 & 10					
4	Advanced Grades 11 & up					

<p>JUNIOR DEPARTMENT 8 RABBIT</p>
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Exhibit Entry Time: Tuesday 11:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m. – NO LATE ENTRIES

Judging Time: Wednesday
9:00 a.m. Showmanship
9:00 a.m. Breed class

Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

- Rabbits must be at least 3 months old or minimum weight according to ARBA standards for that breed to be shown
- Exhibitors may not show more than 16 rabbits excluding the meat classes.
- Feeding must be done by the exhibitor. Watering should be done by the project sitter. Each exhibitor must sign up for at least 2 shifts as a project sitter on entry day. Project sitting is required. If not completed, it will result in loss of awards.
- FEEDING AND WATERING IS REQUIRED.
- Exhibitors are to provide their own feed and watering bowls as well as their own food.
- Superintendent will examine all entries and any rabbit that he feels is unhealthy, will not be allowed to exhibit.
- Set up on the Saturday before the fair is strongly encouraged for all exhibitors.
- If an exhibitor or their family are unable to feed or water their animals during the duration of the fair, the exhibitor must notify the superintendent or have a fellow club member be responsible for the chore.

DO NOT bring pregnant rabbits or cavies.

During judging, only the exhibitor is to handle/bring the rabbit to the judging table unless there is a viable reason to allow assistance.

Public is allowed to sit and observe the judging, but comments are not allowed while each class/lot is being judged.

- SHOWMANSHIP MANDATORY for all showing in the MEAT classes, and strongly recommended for all others.

- **All rabbits must be permanently tattooed in the left ear.**

- **If you choose to take your rabbit home before release time on Sunday, you will forfeit your rights for Best of Breed and Best in Show.**

- You may sell the rabbits you show, but they cannot be released to the new owner until Sunday at 4 p.m. or you will forfeit your premium and any other awards.
- Selling of other rabbits you have at home will **only** be allowed if it is approved by the superintendent prior to the fair and you must provide your own cages.

Danish Judging

COMMERCIAL

- CLASS CA - AMERICAN
- CLASS CB - GIANT ANGORA
- CLASS CC - BLANC DE HOTOT
- CLASS CD - BEVEREN
- CLASS CE - CALIFORNIAN
- CLASS CF - CHAMPAGNE D'ARGENT
- CLASS CG - CHECKERED GIANT
- CLASS CH - AMERICAN CHINCHILLA
- CLASS CI - GIANT CHINCHILLA
- CLASS CJ - CINNAMON
- CLASS CK - CRÈME D'ARGENT
- CLASS CL - FLEMISH GIANT
- CLASS CM - ENGLISH LOP
- CLASS CN - FRENCH LOP
- CLASS CO - NEW ZEALAND
- CLASS CP - PALOMINO
- CLASS CQ - SATIN
- CLASS CR - SILVER FOX
- CLASS CS - ARGENTE BRUN

FANCY

- CLASS FA - AMERICAN FUZZY LOP
- CLASS FB - AMERICAN SABLE
- CLASS FC - ENGLISH ANGORA
- CLASS FD - FRENCH ANGORA
- CLASS FE - SATIN ANGORA
- CLASS FF - BELGIAN HARE
- CLASS FG - BRITANNIA PETITE
- CLASS FH - STANDARD CHINCILLA
- CLASS FI - DUTCH
- CLASS FJ - DWARF HOTOT
- CLASS FK - ENGLISH SPOT
- CLASS FL - FLORIDA WHITE
- CLASS FM - HARLEQUIN
- CLASS FN - HAVANA
- CLASS FO - HIMALAYAN
- CLASS FP - HOLLAND LOP
- CLASS FQ - JERSEY WOOLY
- CLASS FR - LILAC
- CLASS FS - MINI LOP
- CLASS FT - MINI REX
- CLASS FU - NETHERLAND DWARF
- CLASS FV - POLISH
- CLASS FW - REX
- CLASS FX - RHINELANDER
- CLASS FY - SILVER
- CLASS FZ - SILVER MARTIN
- CLASS FAA- TAN
- CLASS FBB- LIONHEAD (Recognized colors only)
- CLASS FCC - MINI-SATIN
- CLASS FDD - THRIANTA
- CLASS FEE - CZECH FROSTY

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Senior buck					
2	Senior doe					
3	Junior buck					
4	Junior doe					

CLASS T - MEAT CLASSES Rabbits may NOT be entered in any other class. A champion and reserve champion will be chosen in each of the meat classes which will then compete for overall grand champion and reserve grand champion market rabbit. The rabbit judge will select an overall grand champion, reserve grand champion and honorable mention market rabbit

Any meat rabbit sold at auction prior to the Columbia County Fair may be shown and go in for champion but cannot sell at the auction.

(Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Market Rabbit in the meat class may be sold at the auction, but their sale is not mandatory.)

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Meat Pen, 3 rabbits, all same breed not over 69 days old, 3 ½ - 5 ½ lbs.					
2	Single Fryer. not over 69 days old, 3 ½ - 5 ½ lbs.					
3	Roaster, 1 rabbit, either sex, between 70 and 180 days old, 5 ½ - 9 lbs.					
4	Stewer, over 6 months and minimum 8 lbs.					

CLASS U - SHOWMANSHIP –

A junior may do showmanship in one of the animal shows using another exhibitor's animal without having exhibited an animal in the show themselves.

Little Britches showmanship will be held during the show. Children under 9 years old may sign-up prior to or during the show. Prizes will be awarded.

Adult showmanship will follow junior showmanship.

MANDATORY for ALL showing in the Meat Classes, and strongly recommended for all others. You must enter this on your Fair entry form. Rabbit should be entered in a breed or meat class. A rabbit cannot be brought to the fair just for the showmanship class.

Judging time: 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. on Wednesday

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
1	Novice					
2	Beginner, Grades 3-4					
3	Junior, Grades 5-6					
4	Intermediate, Grades 7-9					
5	Senior, Grade 10 & over					

CLASS V – FUR CLASSES

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Commercial fur					
2	Wool fur					
3	Rex fur					
4	Satin fur					

CLASS X -PROJECT EXHIBIT - for rabbit members. Bring entry to Junior Cultural Arts area between 2:00 & 7:00 p.m.

TUESDAY.

Face-To-Face Judging

Lot	Description	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Rabbit poster/chart (14" x 22)					
2	Rabbit essay or report					
3	Completed rabbit project book (available from UW Extension office)					
4	Any other exhibit related to rabbits					
5	Any other exhibit related to rabbits					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 9
DOG**

Dog Entry Time: Monday, 8:00 a.m.

Judging Time Monday, 9:00 a.m (Held in the commercial building)

- Only 1 dog per class may be entered by each exhibitor.
- Each exhibitor must have trained the dog they are showing.
- Any breed or mixture of breeds and/or size dog are allowed except for wolf-hybrid canines.
- The following vaccinations are required to be current during any 4-H sponsored dog event or activity: Rabies, DHLPP. Bordetella (Kennel Cough) is highly recommended. Exceptions may be accepted in writing from a veterinarian, for Leptospirosis, antibody tests (titers) or dogs unfit for vaccination and must be presented to superintendent prior to

show.

- Failure to present certification will result in disqualification.
- If an exhibitor has received a qualifying score of 170 the previous year with the same dog, they must move up one class unless deemed inappropriate by superintendent.
- Each dog shown can only be shown in one showmanship class and one obedience class per show, however it may also be shown in a Brace Obedience class.
- Dogs left unattended in non-designated area will be disqualified from competition and all awards already received must be surrendered.
- Any complaints/questions will come from the youth exhibitor only.
- Participant handlers and dogs must complete required training classes offered through the Columbia County Extension 4-H Dog Project to qualify to show at the fair.
- The participant handler must maintain control over their dog during 4-H sponsored dog events.
- For health and safety, all participant handlers must make their best effort to clean up and properly dispose of waste from their dogs.
- The dog must be in good health at the time of competition and up to date on its vaccinations.
- Participant handlers must wear well-fitting rubber-soled, closed-toe and close-heeled shoes.
- Participant handlers must use a standard 6 foot leash made of leather, nylon or cotton webbing—no retractable or chain leashes.
- Dogs must be kept on leash before and after group activities.
- Dogs must wear a plain, well-fitting slip collar or martingale of chain, fabric, or leather or a well-fitting, plain buckle collar. This includes quick release collars.
- Electronic training collars, head collars, head halti's pinch or prong collars, and harnesses are prohibited while in the show ring.

Class expectations are as follow:

- **Beginner pre-novice** - This class is for the first year handler and dog with no prior training experience. Must perform: heel on leash, figure 8 , SIT for exam, recall (no finish) and 45 second sit/stay. All exercise on leash and performed individually.
- **Pre-novice A** – This class is for handlers and dogs who have never competed before at a show at this level. Must perform: heel, figure 8 heel, stand for exam, recall with finish, 1 minute sit-stay, 1 minute down stay. All exercise done on leash. Sit and down stays are done as group exercises.
- **Pre-novice B** – This class is for youth and/or dog that has shown at the Pre-novice level but have not yet received a qualifying score of 170 or better. Must perform: heel, figure 8 heel, stand for exam, recall with finish, 1 minute sit-stay, 1 minute down stay. All exercise done on leash. Sit and down stays are done as group exercises.
- **Novice** – This class is for youth and/or dog that has shown at the Pre-novice level and received a qualifying score but who have never competed at this level before. Must perform: heel on leash, figure 8 on leash, stand for exam off leash, heel off leash, recall with finish off leash, 1 minute sit-stay (leash dropped to the side of the dog and handler walks 6 feet in front of the dog), 1 minute down-stay (leash dropped to the side of the dog and handler walks 6 feet in front of the dog). Sit and down stays are done as a group exercise.
- **Graduate novice** – This class is for youth and/or dog that has shown at the Novice level and received a

qualifying score. Must perform: heel on leash, (the following are all performed off leash) – stand for exam, heel free, figure 8 heel, recall with drop and finish, 2 minute sit-stay (leash dropped to the side of the dog and handler walks across the ring in front of the dog), 3 minute down-stay (leash dropped to the side of the dog and handler walks across the ring in front of the dog). Sit and down stays are done as a group exercise.

- Pre-open – This class is for youth and/or dog that has shown at the Grad. Novice level and received a qualifying score. Must perform: All exercises off leash. Exhibitor must provide own dumbbell to be approved by the judge. Heel free, figure 8 heel, recall with drop and finish, retrieve dumbbell on flat, recall over Broad jump, 3 minute sit-stay (leash dropped to the side of the dog and handler walks across ring in front of the dog), 5 minute down-stay (leash dropped to the side of the dog and handler walks across ring in front of the dog). Sit and down stays are done as a group exercise

- Open – This class is for youth and/or dog that has shown in the Pre-open level and received a qualifying score. Must perform: All exercises off leash, exhibitor must provide own dumbbell to be approved by judge. Heel free, figure 8 heel, recall with drop and finish, retrieve dumbbell on flat, retrieve dumbbell over high jump, recall over Broad jump, 3 minute sit-stay (leash dropped to side of the dog and handler walks across ring in front of the dog), 5 minute down-stay (leash dropped to side of dog and handler walks across ring in front of the dog). Sit and down stays are done as a group exercise.

- Brace – The Brace class is for two dogs (recommended, but not required, to be of similar height) that are capable of performing exercises in unison with one handler. One or both dogs must be trained by the handler, one dog may be borrowed/leased by the handler. Dogs may be shown with two separate leashes or coupled (recommended – the coupling device will not be less than 6” in length overall). Whichever leash method is used will be continued throughout all exercises. Dogs will be judged as one unit. All vaccinations are required for both dogs.

Pre-Novice Brace – One dog must be working at Pre-Novice Obedience level and the second dog may be Pre-Novice or higher Obedience level. Same class expectations as Pre-Novice Obedience.

Novice Brace – Both dogs must be Novice Obedience level or higher. Same class expectations as Novice Obedience.

JUDGING ORDER IS SET BY JUDGE THE DAY OF SHOW!

Danish Judging

CLASS A - DOG OBEDIENCE – Exhibitors in grades 3 – 9.

Lot	Description	Premiums	4.50	3.50	2.50	1.50
1	Beginner Pre-Novice					
2	Pre-novice-A					
3	Pre-novice-B					
4	Novice					

CLASS B – DOG OBEDIENCE – Exhibitors in grades 10 – 13.

Lot	Description	Premiums	4.50	3.50	2.50	1.50
1	Beginner Pre-Novice					
2	Pre-novice-A					
3	Pre-novice-B					

4 Novice

CLASS C – DOG OBEDIENCE

Lot	Description	Premiums	4.50	3.50	2.50	1.50
1	Graduate Novice					
2	Pre-Open					
3	Open					
4	Pre-Utility					
5	Utility					

CLASS D – DOG OBEDIENCE – BRACE

Lot	Description	Premiums	4.50	3.50	2.50	1.50
1	Pre-novice					
2	Novice					

CLASS E – VETERANS OBEDIENCE (Dogs age 7 & older)

Lot	Description	Premiums	4.50	3.50	2.50	1.50
1	Pre-Novice- A					
2	Pre-Novice - B					
3	Novice					
4	Graduate Novice					
5	Pre-Open					
6	Open					
7	Pre-Utility					
8	Utility					

CLASS F – SHOWMANSHIP

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
1	Junior, Grades 3-5					
2	Intermediate, Grades 6-8					
3	Senior, Grades 9 & Older					
4	Advanced Showmanship (any exhibitor who has won their showmanship class 2 or more years) Grades 3-13					
5	Brace					

Monday morning Rally

Starting with Rally at 9 am

This event to be held North of the Ag Bldg., weather permitting.

CLASS G – RALLY CLASS

Rally run times: Times to be set by the superintendent and the leaders on the day of show.

Class expectations are as follows:

- Novice – Rally signs 1-42
- Intermediate – Rally signs 1-42, 101, 102, 104-123
- Advanced – Rally signs 1-42, 101-123
- Excellent – Rally signs 1-42, 101-123, 201-299
- Master – Rally signs 1-42, 101-123, 201-209, 211-299, 301-322

To move up a level, the handler and dog must have a qualifying score of 70 or better (out of 100)

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
1	Junior Grades 3-5, Novice					
2	Junior Grades 3-5, Intermediate					
3	Junior Grades 3-5, Advanced					
4	Junior Grades 3-5, Excellent					

- 5 Intermediate Grades 6-8, Novice
- 6 Intermediate Grades 6-8, Intermediate
- 7 Intermediate Grades 6-8, Advanced
- 8 Intermediate Grades 6-8, Excellent
- 9 Intermediate Grades 6-8, Master
- 10 Senior Grades 9 & Older, Novice
- 11 Senior Grades 9 & Older, Intermediate
- 12 Senior Grades 9 & Older, Advanced
- 13 Senior Grades 9 & Older, Excellent
- 14 Senior Grades 9 & Older, Master

CLASS H – Cloverbud Stuffed Animal Class – Ribbon only

This class will be Monday with show time approximately 12:00 p.m. in the Commercial building in conjunction with the Junior dog show.

For Grades 2 and under – Child to work showmanship pattern with a stuffed animal

Lot	Description
1	Showmanship

CLASS I – Costume Class – ribbon only

Lot	Description
1	Junior, Grades 3-5
2	Intermediate, Grades 6-8
3	Senior, Grades 9 & Older

CLASS J - PROJECT EXHIBIT - for dog project members. Bring entry to Junior Cultural Arts area between 2:00 & 7:00 p.m. TUESDAY.

Face-To-Face Judging

Lot	Description	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Dog poster/chart (14" x 22")					
2	Dog essay or report					
3	Completed dog project book (available from UW Extension office)					
4	Home made dog toy					
5	Any other exhibit related to dogs					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 10
ANIMAL & VETERINARY SCIENCE**

Exhibit Entry and Judging Time

Tuesday, 2:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Face-To-Face Judging

- Open to members in animal or veterinary science project which do not include live animals. Exhibitor is limited to not more than 3 exhibits per project.
- Exhibits include a poster, chart, diagram, photos, report, models or display showing work done. - - -
- Creativity is encouraged.
- **POSTER SIZE IS 14" X 22"**. (Use two 14" x 22" posters if needed for display.)

CLASS A - VET SCIENCE

Lot	Description	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Exhibit illustrating the various body functions of project animal					

- 2 Poster illustrating proper sanitation practices for animal quarters
- 3 Descriptive diagram, model or photograph illustrating one or more systems of the body
- 4 Chart, model or descriptive diagram illustrating types of cells or tissues in the body
- 5 Poster describing proper steps in maintaining animal health
- 6 Bacterial/Viral Disease
- 7 External/Internal Parasites
- 8 Nutrition And Disease
- 9 Poisons And Disease
- 10 Stress And Disease
- 11 Heredity And Disease
- 12 Immunizations & Animals
- 13 Invasion Of Pathogens
- 14 Allergies Or Alleging Theory
- 15 Zoonoses
- 16 Environmental Health
- 17 Public Health
- 18 Consumer Protection
- 19 Any Other Exhibit of Vet Science

PETS

Pot bellied pigs allowed in pet project.

CAVIES

Entry Day: Wednesday, 11:00 a.m. – Noon

Judging Day: Wednesday, 1:00 p.m. with Rabbits

- Each cavy will be brought in its own pen. The cavy will go home with the exhibitor after completion of the show.
- Bring your own water and food containers, and FOOD.
- Each exhibitor is REQUIRED to feed and water their own animals.

- CLASS BA - AMERICAN
- CLASS BB – AMERICAN SATIN
- CLASS BC - PERUVIAN
- CLASS BD – ANY LONG HAIR
- CLASS BE - TEDDY
- CLASS BF - ANY OTHER RECOGNIZED BREED
- CLASS BG – PET (Does not compete for Best in Show)

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
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- 1 Young Boar Up To 4 Months & less than 22 ounces
- 2 Young Sow Up To 4 Months & less than 22 ounces
- 3 Intermediate Boar, 4 - 6 months of age & 22 - 30 ounces
- 4 Intermediate Sow, 4 - 6 months of age & 22 - 30 ounces
- 5 Senior Boar Over 6 Months & over 30 ounces
- 6 Senior Sow Over 6 Months & over 30 ounces

SPECIAL INTEREST ANIMAL CLASSES

- Open to all members enrolled in a Pet Project.
- Each animal, except cavy, must be checked in at the registration table in the cat judging area at least 1/2 hour before the start of Judging Time.

- Entries must be brought in proper housing to be provided by the exhibitor.

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 13
CATS**

CLASS C - CAGED BIRDS (Judged Friday with Cats, 7 P.M.)

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Hard Bills (Finches, Canaries)					
2	Soft Bills (mynas, Jays, Toucan)					
3	Psittacines (Parrot)					
4	Cloverbud Stuffed animal toy class (Cloverbuds are not allowed to handle live animals. This class has been added to allow them to join in and prep for when they can. The exhibitor will show their toy bird just like the exhibitors do with their real birds in a fun learning experience.)					

CLASS D - POCKET PETS (Judged Friday with Cats, 7 P.M.)

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Hamster					
2	Gerbil					
3	Ferret or Chinchilla					
4	Rat or Mouse					
5	Fish or Amphibian (i.e. Salamander, frog, or other)					
6	Iguana or snake					
7	Any other small animal (i.e. Hedgehog, Hermit Crab, etc. Must specify kind of animal on entry form)					
8	Cloverbud Stuffed animal toy class. Cloverbuds are not allowed to handle live animals. This class has been added to allow them to join in and prep for when they can. The exhibitor will show their pocket pet just like the exhibitors do with their real birds in a fun learning experience.)					

CLASS E- PET RABBIT

Entry day: Wed. 11:00 a.m.-noon
Judging day: Wed. 1:00 p.m. with rabbits following the junior show.

A class for any member enrolled in the pet or rabbit project. **This rabbit cannot be shown in any other class.** Using a marker to identify rabbits in the pet class is acceptable.

Pet rabbits go home after the show is completed.

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Novice/First Year (any age)					
2	Exhibitor age 8-10					
3	Exhibitor age 11-13					
4	Exhibitor age 14-16					
5	Exhibitor age 17 & over					

CLASS F - PETS - PROJECT EXHIBIT –

For Pet project members. Bring entry to Junior Cultural Arts area between 2:00 & 7:00 p.m. **TUESDAY.**

Face-To-Face Judging						
Lot	Description	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Pet poster/chart (14" x 22")					
2	Pet essay or report					
3	Completed Pet project book (available from UW Extension office)					
4	Any other exhibit related to pets					

Exhibit Entry time: Friday 6:30 p.m. To be checked by Vet prior to show

Judging Time: Friday, 7:00 p.m.

Release Time: After show

- All cats must be under the daily care, feeding and supervision of the member from March 1st, of the exhibit year.
- Exhibitors may enter only 1 cat per lot. Each cat **MUST BE CHECKED IN** at the registration table in the cat judging area at least 1/2 hour prior to the show.
- A cat will be disqualified if any of the following are found: ear mites, fleas or lice - or any unhealthy general condition. **NO DISEASED CAT** will be allowed to show. The fair requires ALL cats be immunized for distemper and rabies. As proof, a certificate of immunization against distemper and rabies must be shown prior to the cat being displayed at Fair, failure to provide vaccination records will result in disqualification. Must have a valid distemper inoculation
- Cats are to be brought to the fair in a carrier or on a harness. Display cages will be provided: however, each member may bring a cage of their own and must provide own cage drapes and feeding equipment. Each cat will be allocated one cage space, if needed. Members will be required to bring their own animal to the judging table. Exceptions may be made at superintendent's discretion in case of handicapped or challenged individuals. Judging will include general appearance and condition, temperament and proper handling, hair coat, paws, nails, and body build.
- Long hair: hair coat more than 1" in length.
- Short hair: Hair coat 1" or less in length.
- Only exhibitors are allowed by their cats during the show.
- Spectators are to watch the show in the stands.
- Chairs will be available for the exhibitors to use if necessary.

At the completion of the show:

- A grand and reserve grand champion female will be chosen at the judge's discretion.
- A grand and reserve grand champion male will be chosen at the judge's discretion.

Danish Judging

CLASS A - KITTENS (4 TO 8 MONTHS OLD)

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Male kitten; short hair					
2	Male kitten; long hair					
3	Female kitten; short hair					
4	Female kitten; long hair					

CLASS B - ADULT CATS (OVER 8 MONTHS OLD)

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Unspayed female cat; short hair					
2	Unspayed female cat; long hair					
3	Spayed female; short hair					
4	Spayed female; long hair					
5	Neutered male; short hair					
6	Neutered male; long hair					

CLASS C - OTHER CAT ITEMS

Lot	Description	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Decorated cage (26" x 26" x 20") Exhibitor may use own cage.					

CLASS D – Cloverbud Stuffed animal (toy cat) class

Lot	Description
1	Cloverbud

CLASS E –PROJECT EXHIBIT ON CATS

Bring to Junior Cultural Arts area between 2:00 & 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday

Face-To-Face Judging

Lot	Description	Premiums	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
1	Cat poster/chart (14" x 22")					
2	Cat essay or report					
3	Completed cat project book (available from UW Extension office)					
4	Any other exhibit related to cats					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 14
PLANT & SOIL SCIENCE**

Exhibit Entry and Judging: Tuesday, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Face-To-Face Judging

- All entries in the department must be grown in the exhibit year by the exhibitor.

CLASS A - VEGETABLE GARDEN

- Vegetables should be prepared for display according to guide lines in Extension Pub. A3306. Display plates will be provided. Open to Vegetable Gardening members.
- Attach a 3x5 card stating the variety.
- Exhibitors keep in mind these displays are to be in a state of consumption, processed, or general use.
- Exhibitors may not exhibit in more than 15 categories.

Judging order will be determined by superintendent.

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Sweet Corn, Husks Removed (4)					
2	Tomatoes, Ripe (4)					
3	Tomatoes, Green (4)					
4	Tomatoes, miniature –less than 1½", e.g. cherry (4)					
5	Carrots, Long (4)					
6	Carrots, short (4)					
7	Beets, slicing or table (4)					
8	Beets, pickling (4)					
9	Onions, red (4)					
10	Onions, white (4)					
11	Onions, yellow (4)					
12	Onions, green (5) 6" tops					
13	Muskmelon (1)					
14	Summer Squash, other than zucchini (1)					
15	Zucchini (1)					

16	Chinese Cabbage (1 Head)					
17	Swiss Chard (1 stalk)					
18	Rutabagas (2)					
19	Kohlrabi (3)					
20	Early Cabbage (1) head					
21	Spinach (8 leaves wrapped with moist towel in plastic at base of leaves)					
22	Peas (10 Pods)					
23	Cauliflower (1)					
24	Cucumbers (3)					
25	Egg Plant (1)					
26	Peppers, green (3)					
27	Peppers, bell (3)					
28	Peppers, elongated bell (3)					
29	Peppers, any other sweet (3)					
30	Peppers, ripe (4)					
31	Peppers, hot (4)					
32	Wax Beans (12)					
33	Green Beans (12)					
34	Purple beans (12)					
35	Broccoli (1 Head)					
36	Head Lettuce (1 Head)					
37	Radishes, red, long (4)					
38	Radishes, red, Round (4)					
39	Radishes, white (4)					
40	Celery, 1 plant with 2" root					
41	Dill, 3 stems with roots tied					
42	Garlic, 4 bulbs					
43	Pumpkin					
44	Parsley in a pot					
45	Variety of 3-4 herbs in a container					
46	Vegetable w/ unusual appearance/blemish					
47	Poster 14" x 22" relating to nutrition to planning a vegetable garden					
48	Poster 14" x 22" display of 15 seeds of vegetables labeled and covered with clear plastic					
49	Any other vegetable not listed above					
50	Any other vegetable poster					
51	Any other vegetable project or display					
52	Scrapbook/photos showing steps in vegetable gardening					

	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
53	Potatoes red, any variety (6 tubers)				
54	Potatoes white, any variety (6 tubers)				

CLASS B - FRUITS

- Open to members enrolled in a fruit project
- Keep in mind that the displays are to be in a state of consumption, processed, or general use.

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Plate of 4 Red Variety Apples					
2	Plate Of 4 Green Variety Apples					
3	Strawberry Plant In Pot					
4	One Bunch Grapes					
5	Four pears					
6	Four Plums					
7	Black Berries Half Pint					
8	Watermelon					

CLASS C - FIELD CROPS

- Open to members enrolled in corn, forage, & small grains Projects
- All grain entries must be displayed in a **gallon size Zip Lock type plastic bag**, and be completely filled.
- Attach a 3x5 card stating the variety.
- Low moisture hay silage must also be displayed in a **gallon**

size Zip Lock type plastic bag, and be completely full.

- Dry hay entries must bring two (2) slices taken from center area of a bale, wrap in a clear plastic bag.
- All Grain sheaves must be 2 1/2" in diameter when tied at the cut end of the stems. Tie sheaves in (3) places, below heads, middle, & cut end. All leaves are to be stripped from the stems.
- Use appropriate procedure for soybeans.
- Be prepared to discuss:
 - a) Variety
 - b) Date of maturity
 - c) Date harvested
- High moisture corn leave in **gallon size Zip Lock type plastic bag**

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Wheat, Winter, last year's OK					
2	Wheat, Spring					
3	Barley					
4	Oats					
5	Soybeans					
6	Low Moist Hay Silage, 1st Crop					
7	Low Moist Hay Silage, 2nd Crop					
8	Wheat Sheaf					
9	Barley Sheaf					
10	Oats Sheaf					
11	Corn, 3 stalks, not cut, less than 100 days maturity					
12	Corn, 3 stalks, not cut, 100 days or later maturity					
13	Hay, Alfalfa, Cured, 1st Crop					
14	Hay, Alfalfa, Cured, 2nd Crop					
15	Hay, red clover, cured					
16	Hay any other clover, cured					
17	Hay, alfalfa, grass mixture, cured					
18	Hay, clover, grass mixture, cured					
19	Soybeans, 2 1/2" sheaf					
20	Hybrid corn, 6 ears, last year's OK					
21	Corn, shelled, last year's OK					
22	High moisture shelled corn, last year's OK					
23	Sunflower, three stems					
24	Longest ear of corn					
25	Weed collection of 10 common weeds, mounted on 28" x 22" poster, labeled with common & Scientific names, date collected, where collected, and covered with clear plastic.					
26	Disease Specimens of 5 crop diseases, mounted on 14" x 22" poster labeled and covered with clear plastic.					
27	Crop seed display of 10 different seeds, mounted on 14"x 22" poster, labeled and covered with clear plastic.					
28	Any other crop poster					
29	Any other crop project or display					

CLASS D – PLANT AND SOIL ACTIVITIES

Open to members in the Plant and Soil Science Projects (crops, fruits, vegetables, house plants, flowers, lawns, trees, and shrubs or landscape design).

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Garden Plan (ages 11 & under) Poster (14" x 22") with the drawing of garden plan. It should show size of the garden, number of plants or feet of row, or number of hills of vegetables planted. Map of					

location of each vegetable. Also list varieties. Display must be labeled.

- 2 Garden Plan (ages 12–13) A **poster (14" x 22")** with the drawing of the garden plan. It should show size of garden, number of plants, or feet of row, or number of hills of vegetables planted. Map of location of each vegetable. Also list varieties. Display must be labeled.
- 3 Garden Plan (ages 14–19) A **poster (14" x 22")** with the drawing of the garden plan. It should show size of garden, number of plants, or feet of row, or number of hills of vegetables planted. Map of location of each vegetable. Also list varieties. Display must be labeled.
- 4 Crop Field Plan (ages 11 & under) A poster **(14" x 22")** with the drawing of the crop field. It should show/indicate size of field, seed type, seed spacing, soil type, method of field preparation, etc. – based on the crops 4-H record book sheet or FFA material. Display must be labeled.
- 5 Crop Field Plan (ages 12-13) A poster **(14" x 22")** with the drawing of the crop field. It should show/indicate size of field, seed type, seed spacing, soil type, method of field preparation, etc. – based on crops 4-H record book sheet or FFA material. Display must be labeled.
- 6 Crop Field Plan (ages 14-19) A poster **(14" x 22")** with the drawing of the crop field. It should show/indicate size of field, seed type, seed spacing, soil type, method of field preparation, etc. – based on crops 4-H record book sheet or FFA material. Display must be labeled.
- 7 **Poster (14" x 22")** relating nutrition to planting a vegetable garden.

CLASS E – GARDEN BOX

- Collections of vegetables selected from the previous individual premium list. The number of each vegetable should be the same as in the individual class list (5 tomatoes, 1 muskmelon, etc.)
- Attach a 3x5 card stating variety.
- Exhibitors will be judged on the overall appearance of the display and quality of vegetables.
- Use your own container suitable to the display.

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Collection Of 4 different Vegetables from list, Grades 3–5					
2	Collection Of 5 different Vegetables from list, Grades 6–8					
3	Collection Of 6 different Vegetables from list, Grades 9 & Older					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 15
FLOWERS & HOUSE PLANTS**

Exhibit Entry and Judging: Tuesday, 2:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Face-To-Face Judging

- Open to all members enrolled in House Plants, Indoor gardening, Flowers, Lawns and Landscape Design.
- Containers will not be considered in the judging of flowers. They must be your own, we will not furnish.
- Foliage of flowers encouraged to be used.
- Plant Craft members see Cultural Arts Department

CLASS A - FLOWERS

Lot	Description	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
	Premiums				
1	Asters, 3 blooms				
2	Bachelor Buttons, 3 blooms				
3	Bells of Ireland, 1 stem				
4	Calendula, 3 blooms				
5	Cosmos, 3 blooms				
6	Carnations, 3 blooms				
7	Daisies, 3 blooms				
8	Daisies, Black Eyed Susan, 3 blooms				
9	Delphinium, 3 blooms				
10	Dahlia, Large decorative, 1 bloom				
11	Dahlia, Cactus type, 1 bloom				
12	Dahlia, Pompon, 3 blooms				
13	Dianthis (pinks), 3 stems				
14	Gladiolus, standard, 1 spike				
15	Gladiolus, Bi color, 1 spike				
16	Gladiolus, Miniature, 1 spike				
17	Lily, Calla, 1 bloom				
18	Lily, Day - Hermicallis, 1 stalk				
19	Lily, Any other kind, 1 stalk, identify variety				
20	Marigold, large, 3 blooms				
21	Marigold, Medium, 3 blooms				
22	Marigold, dwarf, 3 blooms				
23	Nasturtiums, 3 blooms				
24	Pansies, 3 blooms				
25	Petunias, Single, 3 stem				
26	Petunias, double, 3 stem				
27	Phlox, Annual, 3 stems				
28	Phlox, Perennial, 1 stem				
29	Rose, Hybrid Tea, 1 bloom				
30	Rose, Floribunda, 1 stem				
31	Snapdragons, 3 stems				
32	Straw Flowers, 3 stems				
33	Zinnias, giant, 3 blooms				
34	Zinnias, small, 3 blooms				
35	Any other flower not listed, ANNUAL, 3 blooms or 1 stem, which ever is appropriate, identify variety				
36	Any other flower not listed, PERENNIAL, 3 blooms or 1 stem which ever is appropriate, identify variety				
37	Any flower related poster (14" x 22")				
38	Any other flower related project or display				

CLASS B - FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS

- Use suitable container, Foliage permissible.
- No use of artificial plant material allowed.
- All plant material must be grown in exhibitor's garden or picked along roadside. - Accessories are permitted.
- No arrangement can contain endangered plant material
- All arrangements must use flowers from above list only.

Lot	Description	3.00	2.25	2.00	1.75
	Premiums				
1	Simple bouquet of Annuals of one variety - 5 blooms or stems				
2	Simple bouquet of Perennials of one variety - 5 blooms or stems				
3	Arrangement of annuals for dinner table-use at least 3 kinds of annuals				
4	Arrangement of annuals for buffet, use at least 3 kinds of annuals				
5	Arrangement of perennials for dinner table, use at least 3 kinds of perennials				
6	Arrangement of perennials for buffet, use at least 3 kinds of perennials				
7	Arrangement for a Holiday - 50 % live material				
8	Arrangement using both annuals and perennials for dinner table, must use at least 3 kinds of annuals & 3 kinds of perennials.				
9	Arrangement using fruit and/or vegetables with annual and perennial flowers. Use 3 kinds of annuals & 3 kinds of perennials, NO artificial fruit or vegetables.				
10	Arrangement of fresh flowers, 3" - 6" tall from top of pot				
11	Arrangement of natural dried materials				
12	Corsage, fresh, for any occasion, kept moist in a bag.				

BASIC FLORAL DESIGN ARRANGEMENTS - can use any combination of flowers (annuals/perennials)

- 13 Crescent Shape
- 14 Triangle Design
- 15 Vertical Design
- 16 All Around Arrangement (as for a centerpiece)

HOUSE PLANTS

- All house plants must have name of plant and date started on a stick inserted in potting soil. Exhibit placed one lower in class if not inserted.
- Plants must have been grown since last fair dates for first year members.
- Second year and longer members can exhibit plants that were exhibited at the previous fair (ONLY 2 YEAR PLANTS ALLOWED).
- All purchased plants shall be purchased no later than March 1 of the current fair year, and in pots no larger than three inches.
- Dish gardens and terrariums must be started 30 days prior to fair.
- Dish gardens exhibited uncovered.
- All plants that require hanging MUST have hanger provided by exhibitor.
- Container judged as part of display
- In all cases, only 1 plant per pot
- All propagated entries must be started between December 1 and March 1 of the current fair year.
- Hydroponically grown plants are not eligible for exhibit.
- Plants shall not have plant gloss or wax applied to their forage.

CLASS C - FIRST YEAR MEMBER

Lot	Description	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
	Premiums				
1	Coleus				
2	Geranium				
3	African Violet, single				
4	African Violet, double				
5	Ivy, Swedish				

- 6 Ivy, English
- 7 Jade plant
- 8 Prayer Plant
- 9 Spider plant
- 10 Any foliage plant not listed above
- 11 Any flowering plant not listed above
- 12 Cacti
- 13 Succulent
- 14 Philodendron
- 15 Fairy garden
- 16 Dish garden - Succulents or Cacti (uncovered) at least 3 plants
- 17 Dish garden - Foliage plants (uncovered) at least 3 plants
- 18 Terrarium (covered) at least 3 plants
- 19 Any house plant related poster (14" x 22")
- 20 Any house plant related project or display

CLASS D - SECOND YEAR OR LONGER MEMBER
Use lots 1 through 20 above

CLASS E – LANDSCAPE/HOME GROUNDS

- ALL plans, exhibits or scrapbooks must be **no more than 14" x 22"**.

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	A plan of lawn improvement with before and after pictures.					
2	Diagram or photograph of landscape plans showing improvements made.					
3	Any other exhibit					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 16
NATURAL SCIENCE**

Exhibit Entry and Judging: Tuesday, 2:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday 4:00 p.m.

- Exhibitor must be entered in the appropriate nature space project.
- All posters, charts, and displays are to be mounted on poster board 14"x22" or in a scrapbook.
- A scrapbook is suggested for leaves.
- All projects are to be carried out during the current project year.
- All bugs must be dead at least two days before the fair.
- No live ammunition allowed. Only empty shells can be used.
- 4-H literature does not need to be followed in making fair exhibits, but should be considered as a guideline.

Face-To-Face Judging

CLASS A – EXPLORING YOUR ENVIRONMENT

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Any project related item.					
2	Any other project related item.					
3	Any other project related item.					
4	Any other project related item.					

CLASS B – BIRDS

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	A scrapbook of drawings/pictures of 15 local birds with descriptions of their feeding, nesting and migratory habits.					
2	Birdhouse made by exhibitor, describing type of bird that would use it.					
3	Bird feeder made by exhibitor, describe type of bird that would use it.					
4	Poster/display on types of bird feeders or houses.					
5	Poster/display on how to attract birds to your backyard in summer or winter.					
6	Exhibit about career opportunities working with birds.					
7	Any other exhibit relating to this project.					

CLASS C –FISHING

- All items must be constructed by the exhibitor
- All lures/hooks must be attached to some type of display board for safety reasons

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Poster listing/showing pictures of fishing equipment needed for a new angler; include cost of each item.					
2	Poster/Display/video of how to tie at least 3 common fishing knots					
3	Homemade pop can fishing rig					
4	Poster/video describing how to cast					
5	Poster showing photos of at least 3-5 different species of fish caught by exhibitor; include gear/rigging used, bait/lure used, date caught and location where caught					
6	Survival kit for fishing; items should be placed in a large self-sealing plastic bag					
7	Poster describing how to care for, clean, transport and store fish after caught					
8	Poster identifying parts of a fish					
9	5 Common fish of Wisconsin with detailed information					
10	Tackle box inventory checklist					
11	Poster/Display showing parts and function of a spinning reel					
12	Interview a local conservation officer and write an article about their experiences					
13	Fishing lure exhibitor has decorated					
14	Homemade soda bottle trap					
15	Poster relating to fishing and water safety rules					
16	Short story about a fishing outing					
17	Fly tied by exhibitor using materials collected by exhibitor					
18	Homemade wooden fishing lure					
19	Poster showing effect of four seasons on lake water temperature					
20	Homemade kick net					
21	Poster of career opportunities in the fishing industry					
22	Any other project related item					
23	Any other project related item					

CLASS D – FORESTRY

May also exhibit in Class M, Lots 5-7

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Poster on fire prevention.					

- 2 Display of at least 12 or more leaves of native Wisconsin trees, labeled according to species.
- 3 Poster/Display on tree ailments and possible cures.
- 4 Display of seeds of 12 or more different species of trees in your neighborhood. List variety, location, and use.
- 5 Pictures of at least 5 different species of trees in your neighborhood. List variety, location, and use..
- 6 Poster/Display on reading a tree stump.
- 7 Poster display of tree parts and function.
- 8 Display of job opportunities directly related to trees.
- 9 Any other exhibit relating to this project.
- 10 Any other exhibit relating to this project.

CLASS E – WILDFLOWER STUDY

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Color photographs of 15 wildflowers, identified, dates, and sites.					
2	Poster/Display showing parts of a flower.					
3	A scrapbook of at least 15 mounted wild flowers with a short description of their habitat. Include the date and location of collection.					
4	Collection of 5 kinds of native fern.					
5	Collection of 10 wildflower seeds showing various adaptation to dispersal by wind, water, birds or mammals.					
6	Exhibit of plant-related careers.					
7	Any other exhibit relating to this project.					

CLASS F – INTRODUCTION TO CAMPING

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Poster, display, or scrapbook on basic camping equipment.					
2	Poster showing selection of suitable campsite, may include actual photographs.					
3	Poster/Display of different campfire types: include fire building techniques, fire safety, types of fires and uses, how to start, fire ingredients, etc.					
4	Basic first-aid kit for camping; identify contents and uses..					
5	Poster/Display of a picture story of a family camp trip.					
6	Poster/Display comparing different forms of camping (tent, cabin, camper, etc.). List advantages/disadvantages.					
7	Poster/Display of planning a safe camping trip					
8	Poster/Display on parts of a compass and how to use a compass.					
9	Any other display related to this project.					

CLASS G – BACKPACKING

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Poster/Display on the advantages and disadvantages of backpacking compared to tent camping from a car.					
2	Poster showing appropriate clothing for backpacking.					
3	Poster/Display on basic equipment needed for backpacking.					
4	Poster on backpacking safety rules.					
5	Poster on backpacking foods include wild edible plants					
6	Poster on proper wilderness manners.					
7	Poster of photographs showing things you observed on a backpacking/hiking trip.					

- 8 Any other item related to this project.
- 9 Any other item related to this project.

CLASS H – WINTER TRAVEL

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Poster/Display on proper winter clothing for an outing.					
2	Poster/Display on cross-country ski equipment.					
3	Poster/Display on snowshoe equipment.					
4	Poster/Display on winter travel safety.					
5	Any project related item					

CLASS I – CANOEING

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Plans for/results of a canoe trip in your area, list miles, unique features to see, etc.: may include photos.					
2	Poster/Display on canoeing equipment and care.					
3	Poster/Display on basic canoeing safety; include wind, sun, lifejackets, throw ropes.					
4	Poster/Display of parts of a canoe.					
5	Any other project related item					
6	Any other project related to canoeing					

CLASS J – ENTOMOLOGY

May also exhibit in Class K, Lots 1-4

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Poster/Display of insect body part(s).					
2	Poster of 3 or more insect observation records which include insect name, life stage, location observed, description and behavior					
3	Collection of 12 or more insects, mounted and identified.					
4	Poster/Display on animals and plants that eat insects.					
5	Poster on how insects use color for defense.					
6	Display on entomology careers					
7	Poster on insect metamorphosis					
8	Display of insect leg parts and various types of legs					
9	Poster on understanding insect pesticide labels					
10	Poster/Display of butterfly garden plans					
11	Spider web poster/display					
12	Display of various types of insect wings					
13	Any other exhibit related to entomology					
14	Any other exhibit related to entomology					

CLASS K –NATURE PRODUCTS – HONEY – MAPLE SYRUP

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Honey in 1 pound or 1 pint container					
2	Honey comb – square/ round section in sealed container					
3	Bees wax display					
4	Poster/exhibit of honey/bee operation					
5	One (1) pound maple syrup					
6	Maple syrup candy					
7	Exhibit/poster of maple syrup operation					

CLASS L – ARCHERY

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Arrow made by exhibitor					
2	Bow made by exhibitor					
3	Poster on Archery Safety					
4	Homemade stand-up target					
5	History of archery, a display of types of arrows					
6	Any other exhibit related to archery					

CLASS M – AIR PISTOL AND AIR RIFLE

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Exhibit showing shooting position					
2	Exhibit showing equipment/accessories					
3	Exhibit showing safety					
4	Exhibit showing care of equipment					
5	Any other exhibit related to air pistol/rifle					

CLASS N – RIFLE

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Exhibit showing shooting positions					
2	Exhibit showing equipment/accessories					
3	Exhibit showing safety techniques					
4	Exhibit showing care of equipment					
5	Any other exhibit related to rifle					

CLASS O – HUNTING (“Members may shoot in the archery competition”)

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Exhibit depicting what exhibitor has done or learned about gun safety					
2	Exhibit on wildlife values, games identifications, wildlife history, wildlife communities, wildlife population, or wildlife management					
3	Exhibit on predators, perdition, or wildlife management					
4	Poster on hunting ethics and citizenship or care and dress of game					
5	Any other exhibit related to hunting					

CLASS P – SHOTGUN

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Exhibit showing shooting position					
2	Exhibit showing equipment/accessories					
3	Exhibit showing safety techniques					
4	Exhibit showing care of equipment					
5	Any other exhibit related to shotgun					

CLASS Q – MUZZLELOADING

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Exhibit relating to the history of the muzzle loading gun					
2	Exhibit showing equipment/accessories					
3	Exhibit showing safety techniques					
4	Any other project related to muzzleloading					

CLASS R – RECYCLING

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Poster/Display illustrating 5 recyclable materials and how they are to be prepared and 5 non-recyclable materials					
2	Poster/Display showing environmentally smart shopping					
3	Poster/Display on the stages of composting					
4	Exhibit on saving energy in the home					
5	Creative project made from recycled materials					
6	Exhibit relating to solid waste					
7	Any other exhibit related to recycling					

CLASS S – WATER

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Exhibit pertaining to water quality or water					
2	Exhibit showing proper hazardous waste disposal					
3	Exhibit pertaining to wetlands or water sheds					
4	Any other water related project					

SHOOT SPORTS CONTEST
TO BE DETERMINED

County Shooting Sports Contest Rules

- All participants must be enrolled in the 4-H Shooting Sports project (or equivalent youth group project), in the sport they wish to compete in by March 1st to participate in the Columbia County Fair Shooting Sport Contest.
- **The specific times and shooting schedules will be announced in the 4-H Rolling in Clover and on the Extension-Columbia County 4-H website.**
- Specifics about each of the contest regulations, equipment, contest procedure and contest entry forms can be found on 1) the Columbia County 4-H website and 2) with a link from the Columbia County Fair website.
- Participants are **NOT** officially entered in the fair contest until the competition forms with release and payment are submitted to the Extension-Columbia County Office **IN ADDITION** to entering on the official fair entry form.
- There may be a charge for events. .
- Youth shall use grade and age as of January 1st of current year when entering the lot numbers.
 - Junior: 8 years and minimum of 3rd grade to age 11
 - Intermediate: ages 12-14
 - Senior: ages 15-19

Class T – Archery

Archery Equipment Classification

- Traditional: Longbow or recurve bow – No sights (no string peep sights), No mechanical releases, No stabilizer, No tape or marks on bow, May use gloves or tab. No pulleys
- Barebow: Longbow, recurve, compound - No sights (no string peep sights), No mechanical release, No stabilizer, No tape or marks on bow. May use glove or tab.
- Limited: Fixed sights. String peep permitted. Glove or tab only.
- Unlimited: Open to all aids

3-D Archery Outdoor (This may or may not be offered this year)

Rules

- Youth must complete fair entry form to receive premiums and ribbons.

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	3D Archery, Traditional, Junior					
2	3D Archery, Barebow, Junior					
3	3D Archery, Limited, Junior					
4	3D Archery, Unlimited, Junior					
5	3D Archery, Traditional, Intermediate					
6	3D Archery, Barebow, Intermediate					
7	3D Archery, Limited, Intermediate					
8	3D Archery, Unlimited, Intermediate					
9	3D Archery, Traditional, Senior					
10	3D Archery, Barebow, Senior					
11	3D Archery, Limited, Senior					
12	3D Archery, Unlimited, Senior					

Target Archery-Indoor

Rules

- All archers to shoot six rounds of five arrows each, for a total of 30 shots.
- Distance that youth shoot from: 10 yards-Junior; 15 yards-Intermediate; 20 yards-Senior

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
13	Target Archery, Traditional, Junior					
14	Target Archery, Barebow, Junior					
15	Target Archery, Limited, Junior					
16	Target Archery, Unlimited, Junior					
17	Target Archery, Traditional, Intermediate					
18	Target Archery, Barebow, Intermediate					
19	Target Archery, Limited, Intermediate					
20	Target Archery, Unlimited, Intermediate					
21	Target Archery, Traditional, Senior					
22	Target Archery, Barebow, Senior					
23	Target Archery, Limited, Senior					
24	Target Archery, Unlimited, Senior					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 17
PRE-EXPLORERS & EXPLORERS**

Exhibit Entry & Judging Time: Tuesday, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

ATCP 160.65 Youth organizations' early childhood categories; department 17. A fair board may establish entry classes comprised of projects involving children who are 5 – 9 years old as of January of the current fair year. A child who is 9 years old may only exhibit in this department if the child is a first time fair exhibitor. The fair board may establish specific classes and age and grade level groupings within classes. The entry classes are open to members of your organizations.

CLASS A – PRE-EXPLORERS—Face to Face Judging

This class is for youth in Grades K-2 that are presently enrolled in youth programs.

- Participation ribbons and a single premium of \$1.50 per entry will be awarded.
- Youth may enter one item in each lot, for a maximum of 9 exhibits.
- Entries must have been made by the youth member (with adult or youth leader supervision). The youth should be able to explain their exhibit to the face to face judge.
- **POSTERS MUST BE 14" X 22"**. This is a half sheet of tag board.)
- Pictures can be photos or drawings.

Lot	Description	Premium	1.50
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- Animal science related item (NON-animal)
- Mechanical Science/Science & Tech. related item
- Natural resources related item
- Personal growth & development related item
- Plant & soil science related item
- Home economics related item
- Expressive arts related item
- Any other project related item
- Any other project related item

CLASS B – EXPLORERS-Face to Face Judging

This class is for youth in Grade 3 enrolled in a youth program.

- Each youth may exhibit in no more than 9 lot numbers.
- Entries must have been made by the youth member. -
- The youth should be able to explain their exhibit to the face to face judge.
- **POSTERS MUST BE 14" X 22"**. This is one half a tag board sheet.)
- Following exact lot description. Example: if the description says a plate of 3 vegetables, you should have 3 vegetables on the plate to be judged.

Lot	Description	Premium	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00
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- Garden plate of 3 vegetables, carrots, tomatoes, or beets
- Green beans or peas in a pod (12)
- House plant started from cutting (label plants & when started)
- 3 plants in one pot started from seed (label plants & when started)
- Collection of 10 mounted leaves, tree or shrub, mounted and identified
- 10 species of insects named & mounted or 14" x 22" poster on life cycle of insects
- Simple article sewn by member
- Poster 14" x 22" on home safety or health
- Craft item made by member
- Three photographs taken by member
- Any ceramic article made by member
- Article from leather, does not need to be laced
- Simple original art project (drawing, etc)
- Poster 14"x 22" on animal care
- 4 different recyclable & 4 non-recyclable in Col. County
- Homemade First Aid kit

- 17 Plate of 3 muffins from scratch
- 18 Nutritious snack on small paper plate
- 19 Sack lunch with food from all 5 food groups from the Food Guide Pyramid
- 20 Birdhouse or bird feeder
- 21 Simple woodworking project
- 22 Simple home repair kit
- 23 Homemade musical instrument
- 24 Puppet and play written for puppet
- 25 Computer activity
- 26 Any lego item
- 27 Any other exhibit completed by Exploring Project

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 18
CULTURAL ARTS**

Exhibit Entry and Judging: Tuesday, 2:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Face-To-Face Judging

- Kits must be entered and labeled as such.
- Paintings, drawings, and wall hanging objects must be ready to hang. Exhibits with any paint not dry or not ready to display will be downgraded one placing. Masking tape and string are not acceptable. Screw eyes and wires are needed for heavier pictures.
- **ALL posters no larger than 14" x 22".**

CLASS A – ART

Project areas include visual arts media such as cutting and pasting, drawing, painting, sculpting, printing, fiber and 3-D construction. Members enrolled in Art may also enter items in painting and drawing and block printing, metal enameling, and leather craft.

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Rubber stamping, e.g. cards					
2	Scrapbooking					
3	Weaving					
4	Jewelry, e.g. necklace					
5	Cross-stitch stitchery					
6-12	Any other project related item					

CLASS B - LEATHERCRAFT

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Leather as a flat surface - buckles, rings, snaps, rivets or stitching are not used (e.g. bookmark, coaster, pendant, or set of earrings)					
2	Leather as a flat surface - buckles, rings, snaps rivets, or stitching are used (e.g. collars, belts, sun visors, etc.)					
3	Leather formed as a flat envelope using a single flat folded					
4	Leather using multiple flat surfaces by sewing and stitching (e.g. billfold, coin purse, handbag)					
5	Leather formed as a container by adding sections to an envelope formed by using sides or gussets to increase the capacity of the object (e.g. handbag, camera case, tool case)					
6	Leather constructed as 3 - dimensional shapes (based on a geometric form such as a cylinder)					
7	Any other leather object					

CLASS C - BLOCK PRINTING

- Original design only
- Attach to each exhibit a description of the type of block or object used in printing

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Block printing on paper – 4 examples, single or 2 or more colors					
2	Block printing on fabric - napkins or placemats (4), scarves, linens, apron, table cloth, wall hanging - single color or 2 or more colors					
3	Nature print on any surface - weeds, leaves, pine cones					
4	Any other block print					

CLASS D – METAL ENAMELING

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	One design created by sifting solid areas of color					
2	One design created with glass lumps, glass thread, wire and/or other metal pieces imbedded in glass					
3	One design created by use of stencils					
4	One design in any technique or combination of techniques					
5	Any other project related to metal enameling					

CLASS E - DRAWING AND PAINTING

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Graphite pencil only					
2	Colored pencils only					
3	Pencil (graphite and/or colored)					
4	Charcoal only (not charcoal pencils)					
5	Charcoal pencils only					
6	Pen and ink					
7	Felt tip pens					
8	Colored chalks (conté or pastels)					
9	Drawing – any other media or combination not listed above					
10	Water color paint					
11	Poster paint or tempera					
12	Other water soluble medium					
13	Acrylics					
14	Oil or alkyd					
15	Mixed media paint					
16	Any other painting medium or combination not listed above					

CLASS F – FOLK ARTS

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Any project related item					
2	Any other project related item					
3	Any other project related item					

CLASS G – PLANT CRAFTS

Project area covers harvesting, drying and using plant materials – including items such as making dried arrangements, collages, potpourri, and other plant crafts.

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Any project related item					
2	Any other project related item					
3	Any other project related item					

CLASS H – THEATRE ARTS

ACTING – PLAY THE ROLE

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Write a description of a character and original monologue script for that character (Maximum of 3 typed pages)					
2	Write a scene or a short one act play (Maximum of 5 typed pages)					
3	Any other project related item					
4	Any other project related item					

PUPPETRY – BECOME A PUPPETEER

5	Sock/Rod puppet made by exhibitor (no kits)
6	Original puppet play (maximum of 5 typed pages)
7	Poster/display of puppets of the world
8	Any other puppet project related item

STAGECRAFT – SET THE STAGE

9	Display or pictures of props for a well-known fairy tale
10	Exhibitors theatre review of a play they attended
11	Any other project related item
12	Any other project related item

CLASS I – CLOWNING

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Clown Costume designed and made by member (not modeled) describe how it fits with clown name, face and character					
2	Poster (14" x 22") On Clown's Make Up					
3	Photos of Performance of Self					
4	Any other clown exhibit					

CLASS J – Music

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Any project related item					
2	Any other project related item					
3	Any other project related item					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 20
PHOTOGRAPHY**

Exhibit Entry and Judging: Tuesday, 2:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Photography exhibit area will be closed at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday to allow the exhibit to be taken down.

Face To Face Judging

- Exhibitors (4-H) must be enrolled in photography.
- Photographs may be either color OR black and white. Do not mix or combine in one item.
- May use digital or film camera
- Mounted Size – An entry of 1-2 photos must be mounted on 11"X14" black poster or black tag board.

- **No foam core poster board.**

- Enlargements:

- Must be 5"x7" or larger
- If cropped, photos must not be smaller than 5"x7"
- Must fit on the 11"x14" black poster or tag board and follow all other rules
- May be color or black and white.

- All photos **MUST** be taken since last fair.

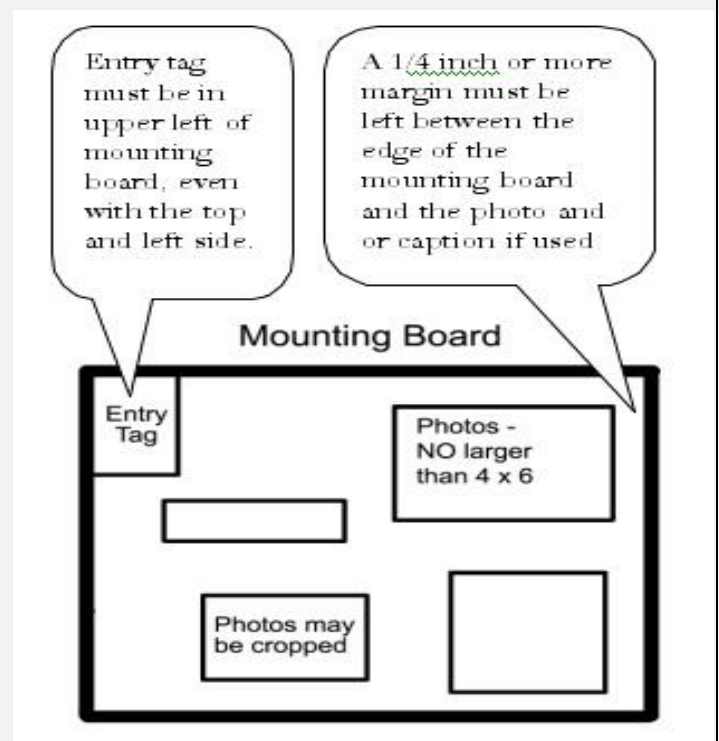
- All exhibits not meeting premium book descriptions and rules will be penalized one placing by the judge.

- Photos will be judged based on composition, technical quality, and storytelling ability.

- Exhibitors may not enter a duplicate picture or a cropped portion of a picture already entered in another lot.

Mounting the entry tags and photos:

- Decide the orientation of the 11"x14" black poster board—landscape or portrait.
- Entry tags **MUST** be stapled in the upper left-hand corner, front side, flush with the edge of the black poster or tag board.
- Photos must be positioned so that they are a minimum of 1/4" away from the edge of the board
- Do not overlap photos.
- Rubber cement or a good quality photo mounting tape may be used to adhere the photos to the board.
- Do not use standard double-sided tape, staples or photo corners.



(Sample of photo layout. A caption is optional)

CLASS - A - PHOTOGRAPHY "Adventures with your camera" and Exploring Photography

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	2 Photos Same subject					
2	2 Photos Nature/Landscape					
3	2 Photos Flowers/Plants					
4	2 Photos Buildings					
5	2 Photos People					
6	2 Photos Animals					
7	2 Photos Agricultural/Farm Scenes					
8	2 Photos Still Life – 3 or more inanimate objects arranged by the photographer.					
9	2 Photos which tell a story					
10	2 Photos of the Columbia Co. Fair from previous year					
11	2 Photos of a county/local fair other than Columbia Co.					
12	2 Photos of Wisconsin					
13	2 Photos selfies					
14	2 Photos of spring					
15	2 Photos of summer					
16	2 Photos of fall					
17	2 Photos of winter					
18	2 Photos of Bird's Eye View					
19	2 Photos of Bug's Eye View					
20	2 Photos illustrating fair theme					
21	2 Photos of Vacation					
22	2 Photos of Garden Art/Sculpture					
23	2 Photos Grandparent Time					
24	2 Photos Outdoor Adventure					
25	2 Photos Fish or Reptiles					
26	2 Photos of Insects					
27	2 Photos Weather					
28	2 Photos Patriotic Theme					
29	2 Photos Different subject, same color					
30	2 Photos showing "Before" and "After"					
31	2 Photos showing pattern, line, shape or texture					
32	2 Photos Action					
33	2 Portraits (subjects posed by photographer)					
34	2 Photos Macro					
35	2 Photos without flash at night using available light (moon, street lights, house lights, etc.)					
36	1 Landscape Enlargement					
37	1 Flowers/Plants Enlargement					
38	1 Animal or Insect Enlargement					
39	1 Agricultural/Industrial Enlargement					
40	1 Wisconsin Enlargement					
41	1 Unique subject Enlargement					
42	1 People Enlargement					
43	1 Trick Photo					
44	1 Architecture/Building Enlargement					
45	1 Sunset/Sunrise Enlargement					
46	1 Portrait Enlargement (subjects posed by photographer)					
47	1 Still Life Enlargement- 3 or more inanimate objects arranged by the photographer.					
48	1 Macro Enlargement					
49	1 Spring Enlargement					
50	1 Summer Enlargement					
51	1 Fall Enlargement					
52	1 Winter Enlargement					
53	1 Special Event Enlargement					
54	1 Person or People and their Pet Enlargement					
55	1 Timed (long) Exposure Enlargement					
56	1 Silhouette Effect Enlargement (lack detail)					
57	1 Night Picture Enlargement (no flash)					
58	1 Action Enlargement					

- 59 2 Photos showing the rules of composition
- 60 2 Photos illustrating shallow, medium, and great depth of Field
- 61 Any other Enlargement
- 62 Any other Enlargement

CLASS B – OPEN TO ANY PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITOR Poster (size 14"x22"), display (size no larger than 24"x24"), report or Scrapbook

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Photo Collage – may be any size up to 14"x22"					
2	A famous photographer					
3	Different types of cameras (e.g., pinhole ,SLR, digital, etc)					
4	Parts of a camera					
5	How a camera works					
6	Poster/Display on Shutter Speeds/Apertures					
7	Poster/Display showing different filters and their uses					
8	Poster showing cropping – must include one each, original And cropped photo					
9	2 Scrapbooks pages using 6-12 photos from current year will be judged on photo composition, creativity and appeal of overall layout					
10	Photo Album – must be exhibitors own work					
11	Any other project related exhibit					
12	Any other project related item					
13	2 Photos digital changes (1 original, 1 w/ changes)					
14	Press photography reporting of any event or activity-include clipping and original photo					
15	Any other project not listed					

CLASS C – VIDEOGRAPH/FILMMAKING

- Action! Making Videos & Movies
- Present via DVD or thumb drive on laptop
- 3-5 minutes with title

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Any project related item					
2	Any other project related item					
3	Any other project related item					
4	Any other project related item					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 21
COMPUTERS**

Entry and Judging Time: Tuesday, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

- 4-H members must be enrolled in the unit in which they exhibit, and ALL entries must be made in the SAME CLASS.
- Exhibitors must provide their own laptop or make arrangements with the superintendent 2 weeks before judging day.
- Each entry that needs a computer to be judged will need a print out of all screens from the entry, in booklet form with a clear cover, and a title page. It must be at least 4 pages long, with the entry tag mounted to the upper right corner of the front of the booklet.

- Any business name should be in good taste and phone numbers like (i.e., 555-1234)
- Poster (size 14"x22"), display on trifold poster board, report or scrapbook

CLASS A – COMPUTERS—Newbie Know How”

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Parts of a computer					
2	How to operate a web browser					
3	How to use a search engine					
4	How to identify potential computer risks					
5	How to save a file					
6	How to create folders and organize files					
7	How to use word processing software					
8	How to use spreadsheet software					
9	How to use graphics software, images and clip art					
10	Computer-generated presentation. 5-8 screens in length on how to do something, your choice of subject, utilizing a presentation software program (e.g. Microsoft Power Point)					
11	Computer-generated graphic illustration					
12	Computer-generated letter. Mount on 11x14 poster board					
13	Computer-generated greeting card. Mount on 11x14 poster board					
14	Computer-generated scrapbook					
15	Computer-generated storybook					
16	Any other project related item					

CLASS B – COMPUTER—“Inside the Box”

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Computer toolkit.					
2	External computer components					
3	Internal computer components					
4	How to troubleshoot your PC hardware problems					
5	Basic troubleshooting flowchart					
6	Compare operating systems					
7	How to install an operating system					
8	Software toolkit					
9	Computer-generated magazine or newspaper					
10	Computer-generated T-shirt design					
11	Computer-generated presentation. 6-8 screens in length on how to do something, your choice of subject, utilizing a software program (e.g. Microsoft PowerPoint)					
12	Make a brochure that relates to 4-H/FFA/youth groups (project, club/chapter, county, state) using 4 different types of text and graphics, can be 2, 3 or 4 panels. Mount on 11x14 poster board					
13	Five different business cards for a fictional business utilizing a combination of graphics, photos, and text. Mount on 11x14 poster board					
14	A computer enhanced photo, no larger than 8x10 using any photo software program with minimum of 2 enhancements to the photo. Include the original (no bigger than 4x6) and mount all photos on 11x14 poster					
15	Five different logo designs for fictional business. Each image must be 3"x3" and mounted on 11"x14" poster					
16	1-2 page Website design with one hyperlink					
17	Display on Internet or Social Media Safety					
18	Poster or display on the functions/short cuts of a keyboard					
19	Any other project related item					

CLASS C – COMPUTERS—“Peer To Peer”

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Plans for creating a network					
2	Network hardware					
3	Wireless networking					
4	Network diagram with parts labeled					
5	Types of network configurations					
6	Types of protocol and their purposes					
7	How to add a network peripheral					
8	Rules of Netiquette					
9	Network security					
10	Compare ethical and unethical programming practices					
11	Collaboration software					
12	Plans for a LAN party					
13	Enhance a 4x6 photo using any photo software to make a cover of a magazine you might find on a news stand. It must be in good taste. Please include all things found on a cover. Cover should be 8x10. Cover and original photo must be mounted on 11x14 poster board					
14	Make a business card, letterhead and envelope for a business using graphic types of text that will make it stand out from all others. Mount on 11x14 poster board					
15	Website for an organization (e.g. your 4-H club, FFA chapter, school club, scouting group, etc.) to include a minimum of five different screens and some hyperlinks.					
16	Animation program that could be used in a presentation, using animation program software (e.g. Macromedia Director, Shockwave Studio, etc.) Program must be on a portable external drive					
17	Any other project related item					
18	Any other project related item					

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT 22 WOODWORKING

Exhibit Entry and Judging: Tuesday, 2:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday 4:00 p.m.

Face-To-Face Judging

- Open to all members enrolled in a Woodworking project.
- Exhibits must be the work of the member.
- Exhibits may be made with either hand or machine tools and must be finished and ready to use.
- A 3" x 5" card must accompany each entry, explaining the article, its intended use, the method used in making the project, and any other information that may help in judging.
- Projects will be judged on woodworking skills, materials and finish appropriate to its use and if the project is ready to use.
- 4-H literature need not be followed in making fair exhibits, but would be good guidelines in project design.

CLASS A – WOODWORKING

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Any project related item					
2	Any other project related item					

- 3 Article of creative design from wood or wood and other materials. Include plans
- 4 Article made in Industrial Arts, Vocational Agriculture class or shop as part of class work. Include plans.
- 5 Make a poster showing tools and how they are used.
- 6 Make a first aid kit for your woodworking area (Does not need to be made of wood)
- 7 Prepare a display board or poster board showing different nails and screws and how they are used.
- 8 Display or poster with different types of woodworking joints and when they are used.
- 9 Poster of 5 workshop safety rules.
- 10 Woodworking shop clean-up checklist.
- 11 Matching game of at least ten samples of different species of wood blocks.
- 12 Make a picture frame with mitered corners.
- 13 Puzzle made with a jig saw.
- 14 Create a display showing the results of what kind of glue is strongest.
- 15 Comparison of different types of paints and what is the best buy.
- 16 Make a display of different types of fasteners and the advantages and disadvantages of each.
- 17 Poster showing different types of clamps with the advantages and disadvantages of each.
- 18 Display of different paints and stains on various types of woods. Show which one is the easiest to apply and which one gives best results.
- 19 Report on a woodworking career.
- 20 Poster explaining proper maintenance of tools.
- 21 Refinished wood item. Include before photos and report on the process and products used.
- 22 Barn Quilt – 2' x 2'
- 23 Barn Quilt – 4' x 4'
- 24 Any other project related item not listed above
- 25 Any other project related item not listed above

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 23
ELECTRICITY**

Exhibit Entry and Judging: Tuesday, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday 4:00 p.m.

Face-To-Face Judging

- **ALL POSTERS MUST BE 14" x 22"**.
- Open to members enrolled in an Electricity Project.

CLASS A – ELECTRICITY

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Homemade flashlight					
2	Simple Switch					
3	Circuit with two batteries and one light bulb					
4	Electric motor					
5	Any 10w voltage or magnetic devise					
6	Circuit diagrams with explanation					
7	Series circuit					
8	Parallel circuit					
9	Momentary switch					
10	Three-way switch					
11	Display of electric wires and cables					
12	Chart showing types of fuses					

- 13 Electrical tool and supply kit
- 14 Display of symbols on wires and cables and their meanings
- 15 Chart showing the electrical usage of appliances
- 16 Poster on how to replace a switch
- 17 Display of electronic parts
- 18 Diode or transistor
- 19 Light emitting diode (LED)
- 20 Light meter
- 21 Any project related item
- 22 Any project related item
- 23 Any project related item

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 24
MECHANICAL PROJECTS**

Exhibit Entry and Judging: Tuesday, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

- **ALL POSTERS MUST BE 14" X 22"**
- Open to members enrolled in a Mechanical Project.

Face-To-Face Judging

CLASS A – SMALL ENGINES

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Poster or display showing the parts of a small engine					
2	Poster or display showing the tools needed for small engine maintenance and repairs. Explain use of each item.					
3	Poster on different types of small engine equipment/maintenance/usage.					
4	Small engine safety poster.					
5	Careers related to small engine. Build a small engine model.					
6	Poster or display identifying some ways that small engines are similar and different.					
7	Poster or display showing the internal parts of a small engine.					
8	Poster showing the correct steps in preparing for off-season storage.					
9	Poster or display identifying diagnostic or testing tools used on small engine components or systems. Explain use of each item.					
10	Exhibit of carburetor parts with explanation of function of parts					
11	Rebuilt small engine that is operational, mounted on a 3'x3' board					
12	A paper outlining a business plan for a lawn care or garden tilling business. Develop a table showing if you will have a profit or loss					
13	Equipment powered by small engines, such as log splitter, go cart, etc.					
14	Any project related item.					
15	Any project related item.					
16	Any project related item.					

CLASS B – BICYCLING

All posters must be 14"x22"

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Any project related item					
2	Any other project related item					
3	Any other project related item					
4	Any other project related item					

AEROSPACE

MODEL AIRPLANES

- Open to members enrolled in Scale Model or Aerospace Project
- Plastic models or commercial built models are not eligible for judging
- Project must be flying models built by exhibitor using kits of self design
- Airplanes may have been flown but must be clean and in good repair for exhibit and judging
- If plane or rockets are lost after a launch, a picture of the exhibit will be allowed.

CLASS C – MODEL AIRPLANES

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Build a flying model, any type for judging of workmanship and exhibit					
2	Build a glider and be able to fly it					
3	Build a gas-powered control line plane and be able to fly					
4	Poster or display showing the components of a model plane					
5	Radio Control (must be 14 or older)					
6	Any other project related item					

CLASS D - ROCKETRY

- Open to members enrolled in the Aerospace project
- If rockets are lost after a launch, a picture of the exhibit will be allowed.

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Single Stage Rocket					
2	Multi Stage Rocket					
3	Rocket for show only from original design (no fiber or plastic fins)					
4	Exhibit basic parts of a rocket					
5	Rocket that has been fired – include photo of launch and report of distance, launch success, failure, and accuracy					
6	Exhibit on rocket safety					
7	Any project related item					

AEROSPACE

4-H Aerospace Project literature need not be followed in making fair exhibits, but should be considered as a guideline.

CLASS E – AEROSPACE

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Drinking straw or balloon rocket					
2	Gnome rocket					
3	Paper airplane					

4	Homemade map
5	Display of different types of aircraft
6	Poster on how weather affects flying
7	Diamond kite
8	Hot-air balloon model
9	Paper helicopter
10	Display of airplane parts and their functions
11	Paper flight simulator
12	Feather wing glider
13	Controllable glider
14	Nagasaki Hata fighter kite
15	Display of remote control parts and their functions
16	Display of helicopter parts and their functions
17	Paper hang glider
18	Altitude tracker
19	Poster on how to earn a pilot's certificate
20	Display of a navigation system
21	Flat-style box kite
22	Exhibit on history of flight
23	Any other project related item

CLASS F – SCALE MODELS

Open to members enrolled in scale models.

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Small model of a plastic airplane from a kit – NO wing span over 24" wide					
2	Model race car or truck from a kit – Examples: Sprints, Nascar, Drafter, Funny cars					
3	Model of a car from a kit					
4	Model of a truck from a kit					
5	Any other plastic model from kit					
6	Scratch built or modified kit model car or boat					
7	Model airplane safety exhibit					
8	Any other project related item					
9	Scale model display, e.g. farm, field, etc. (not to exceed 4 ft. x 4 ft.)					
10	LEGO model from kit – must be at least 200 piece kit					
11	LEGO model – freelance (not from a kit)					
12	Scale mode display using LEGOS, e.g. farm, field, city, Etc. (not to exceed 4 ft x 4 ft)					

CLASS G – TRACTOR

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Tractor panel exhibit showing steps in maintenance service job with explanation of steps involved.					
2	Tractor exhibit displaying parts or a model or: a) Ignition system, or b) Fuel system, or c) Lubrication system					
3	Exhibit panel of six worn parts, caused by poor tractor maintenance with explanation					
4	Poster or panel exhibit illustrating tractor and Machinery safety					
5	Poster on tractor service and cost records					
6	Chart or poster with information on proper care and adjustments related to tractors or other machinery					
7	Display board showing different kinds of nuts, bolts, screws, washers, and other fasteners used on farm machinery, properly labeled.					
8	Video tape 5-10 minutes, single topic, such as parts, safety, etc.					
9	Any other project related item					
10	Any other project related item					

CLASS H – Geospatial

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Poster/Display of types and uses of geographical tools					
2	Poster/Display of types and uses of maps					
3	Map of exhibitor's neighborhood with list of features					
4	Map of exhibitor's favorite place					
5	Map of exhibitor's community with several data layers					
6	Any project related item					
7	Any project related item					

CLASS I – Robotics

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Any Project related item					
2	Any Project related item					
3	Any Project related item					
4	Educational robotics poster/display					
5	Educational robotics report					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 25
FOODS & NUTRITION**

Exhibit Entry & Judging Time: Tuesday, 2:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Face to Face Judging

- If using a recipe that is not in the current 4-H literature (4-H Cooking 101, 201, 301, 401), exhibitors MUST bring a copy of their recipe.

- All food will be disposed of by Superintendent by Sunday. No foods will be returned to the exhibitor with the exception of unopened food preservation entries.
- Exhibitors must be enrolled in the 4-H Foods Project, or a member of FFA, or other organized Youth Group approved by the Fair Board. 4-H Foods Literature can be purchased at the Extension-Columbia County Office.
- **A 4-H member can only enter in projects in which they are enrolled.**
- All entries must be prepared by the exhibitor, no pre-packaged mixes
- **All POSTERS MUST BE 14" X 22" or use any size tri-fold display.**
- Ribbons will be awarded on judging day, placing stickers will be attached to entry tags for display during the Fair.
- Special merit awards will be presented by the Columbia County Association for Home and Community Education.
- Display plates will be available. If exhibitors bring their own, they should be white plates and sized to the product.
- Remember when entering warm items to keep them as warm as possible.
- No nuts are allowed in banana, pumpkin, or zucchini breads.

- Cakes may be in round or square pan.
- Refrigeration is available for entries needing it.
- No paper cups used for muffins except for decorated.

Exhibit sizes:

- **3 Pieces** (cookies, brownies, bars, biscuits, muffins, rolls, pretzels, kabobs, candy, scones, donuts, etc.)
- **3" x 3" Corner Piece from Square Pan or Slice with edge from Round Pan** (cake, dessert, cornbread, coffee cake, fruit/veggie pizza, etc.)
- **1 Cup or a Serving** (main dish item, side dish, salad)
- **1 Cup** (dip, soup, pudding, drink mix, smoothie, drink, sauce, ice cream, yogurt, frosting, etc.)
- White, whole wheat and rye bread must be whole loaves but they may be small loaves. Whole loaves will be cut in half lengthwise by the Superintendent. Other yeast bread must be whole loaves but will have ¼ cut by Superintendent. The rest may be taken home.
- Quick breads (bring whole) will have ¼ cut by Superintendent. The rest may be taken home.
- Whole pies will have one piece cut out by superintendent. The rest may be taken home. A small size pie may be brought.
- **If an item is not specifically listed, use your best judgment and exhibit a serving of the item.**

CLASS A - FOODS

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1-15	Any food exhibit related to project					
16	Safety Poster or Display					
17	Nutrition and Health Poster or Display					
18	Cooking "How to" Poster or Display					
19	Explore MyPlate Poster or Display					
20	International Foods Poster or Display					
21	Meal Planning Poster or Display					
22	Party Planning Poster or Display					
23	Celebration Meal Planning Poster or Display					
24	Cooking with Special Herbs Poster or Display					

CLASS B – RISING TO THE OCCASION YEAST BREAD PROJECT

Bring recipe for all items in lots 1-11. Loaf bread need to be whole loaves, but they may be small loaves. After judging, ¾ of the loaf of bread may be taken home; the other ¼ will be on display during the fair.

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	White Bread – 1 loaf					
2	Whole Wheat Bread – 1 loaf					
3	Any other yeast bread – 1 loaf					
4	Yeast Dinner Rolls – 3 rolls					
5	Cinnamon Rolls, unfrosted – 3 rolls					
6	Any other yeast rolls – 3 rolls					
7	International yeast bread, bring recipe, and in addition a history of the bread product in the country of origin					
8	Holiday or Special Bread – 1 loaf					
9	Bread Machine White Bread – 1 loaf					
10	Bread Machine Any other Yeast Bread – 1 loaf					
11	Pizza Crust (Yeast) for 1 Pizza					

- 12 Soft Pretzels (Yeast)
- 13 Any other food exhibit related to project
- 14 Any other food exhibit related to project

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 26
CLOTHING**

CLASS C- CAKE DECORATING

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Cake (any type)					
2	Cookies (3 on a plate)					
3	Cup Cakes (3 on a plate)					
4	Novelty cake or cookies decorated with candies or other edible items					
5	Birthday Cake (any age)					
6	Holiday Cake (Easter, thanksgiving, etc.)					
7	Special Occasion Cake (Shower, graduation etc.)					

Butter cream techniques (may be done in royal)

- 8 Birthday Cake
- 9 Special Occasion (Shower, graduation, etc.)
- 10 Holiday Cake (Christmas, Thanksgiving, etc.)
- 11 Wedding Cake

Rolled fondant Techniques

- 12 Birthday Cake
- 13 Special Occasion (Shower, graduation, etc.)
- 14 Holiday Cake (Christmas, Thanksgiving, etc.)
- 15 Wedding Cake
- 16 Sugar item (egg, bell, etc.)
- 17 Non cake item (i.e.: gingerbread house, group of at least 6 gum paste flowers)

CLASS D- FOOD PRESERVATION

All products must have been preserved since the preceding Columbia County Fair.

All Jars must be labeled with the following information.

LABEL

Name of Product _____
Date Preserved _____

Method of Preparation:

- _____ hot pack
- _____ cold pack

Method of Processing:

- _____ boiling water bath
- _____ pressure canner
- processing time _____
- pounds of pressure _____

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Any project related item					
2	Any other project related item					
3	Any other project related item					
4	Any other project related item					
5	Dried Fruit – 1 pint					
6	Dried Vegetable – 1 pint					
7	Dried Soup mix – 1 cup only					
8	Fruit leather – 2 rolls					
9	Dehydrated herbs – ½ cup only					
10	Any poster or display					

Exhibit Entry and Judging Time: Tuesday, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Face-To-Face Judging

- Clothing entries may have been worn, but must be clean and pressed for exhibit at the fair.
- All entry tags are to accompany the garment.
- WIRE hangers must accompany all exhibits except where not practical
- **Posters must be 14" x 22" or any size tri-fold display.**
- All garments must have been made within the last year.
- All garments or complete outfits must be different.
- All work must be done by the exhibitor
- A maximum of two entries for self and two entries for Others may be entered in the Revue. (Revue includes knitting, crocheting, quilting, Consumer Savvy, and clothing.)
- Special merit awards will be presented by the Columbia County Association for Home and Community Education.

CLASS A – CLOTHING

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Poster or any size tri-fold display on sewing tools					
2	Nine patch pillow					
3	Photo story on how to sort laundry					
4	Stain removal chart					
5	Pillowcase					
6	Poster or any size tri-fold display of 5 different seam finishes					
7	Notebook of fabric samples					
8	Cloth lunch/ tote/drawstring bag					
9	Clothing estimate/real cost chart					
10	Fabric abrasion chart					
11	Compare wear on two pencil cases made from different fabrics					
12	Cost per wear analysis of three garments					
13	Jeans cost comparison chart (at least four sources)					
14	Crazy tote bag					
15	Chart showing bust, waist, hips and back measurements of five different purchased garments in your size					
16	Serged ice cream cone sampler					
17	Expense sheets for mini-sewing business venture					
18	Personal Career Profile Chart and resume for ideal job					
19	Entrepreneur Self Evaluation Guide					
20	Notes from interview with a small business person					
21	Decorative serger sampler using at least two different methods of decorative serging					
22	Felted mitts, hat or slippers using wadmal fabric					
23	Recycled or redesigned article of clothing					
24	Dyed or tie-dyed article of clothing					
25	Pricing worksheet for an item you intend to create or sell					
26	Notebook with results of at least two textile experiments					
27	Outdoor product such as backpack, duffle bag, fanny packs, snowboard or ski bag					
28	1 st garment or complete outfit					
29	2 nd garment or complete outfit					
30	3 rd garment or complete outfit					

- 31 4th garment or complete outfit
- 32 5th garment or complete outfit
- 33 Any other sewn and/or machine-embroidered item
- 34 Any other sewn and/or machine-embroidered item
- 35 Any other sewn and/or machine-embroidered item
- 36 Doll clothes – dress outfit
- 37 Doll clothes – pants/shorts outfit
- 38 Any other doll clothes
- 39 Doll clothes – accessory
- 40 Any clothing/sewing related poster
- 41 Any other clothing/sewing related project or display – does not need to be related to project literature

CLASS B– CONSUMER SAVVY – The Consumer in Me

Lot	Description	Premiums			
		2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Create a poster/display explaining the difference between needs and wants				
2	Develop and keep a spending diary for one month. Include date, time and place of purchase, item description and costs of item. Analyze it by comparing categories. Write a summary of what you learned.				
3	Create a poster/display comparing an item in three different stores. Include item, store name, brand/quality, size/quantity, date, if on sale, and cost.				
4	Create a poster/display of internet safety practices				
5	Any other project related exhibit				

CLASS C – CONSUMER SAVVY – Consumer Wise

Lot	Description	Premiums			
		2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Create a poster/display on the steps in decision-making; give an example				
2	Create a poster/display on making ethical decisions; give examples				
3	Develop an ad for a specific product. Explain the product, target audience, and advertising technique(s) used.				
4	Create a poster/display on ways to say “no” to peer pressure; give an example				
5	Create a poster/display on things to look for when shopping on any website.				
6	Create a poster/display of types of information found on clothing labels.				
7	Create a poster/display/report on product warranties				
8	Any other project related exhibit				

CLASS D – CONSUMER SAVVY – Consumer Roadmap

Lot	Description	Premiums			
		3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Create a poster/display of 25 different household items/clothes and the country where they are made				
2	Create a poster/display comparing three different search engines. Evaluate the information and write a summary				
3	Create a poster/display of 6 or more print ads. Identify the advertising techniques used				
4	Develop a poster/display of the pros and cons of working while in high school				
5	Develop a poster of a chart with the true cost of owning a car. Include maintenance				

- 6 Create a poster/display of pictures of yourself in 4 flattering outfits. Considering line, texture, and color; summarize why these clothes look good on you
- 7 Develop a poster/display comparing the cost per wear of three different types of clothing
- 8 Letter of complaint on an item returned or poor service received
- 9 Any other project related exhibit

CLASS E – QUILTING

Each quilting item must be different.

Lot	Description	Premiums			
		2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	1 st Quilted Item				
2	2 nd Quilted Item				
3	3 rd Quilted Item				
4	4 th Quilted Item				
5	Display or poster related to project				

CLOTHING REVUE

Judging Day: To Be Determined

Style Show: - A maximum of two entries for self and 2 entries for others may be entered in the Revue. Consider time needed for changing when choosing amount of entries.

Please remember to enter on the fair entry form.

*The Revue includes knitting, crocheting, quilting and Consumer Savvy and clothing.

CLASS F – LEVEL 1 REVUE – Age 13 and younger as of January 1, 2024

Lot	Description	Premiums			
		3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Garment for self				
2	Garment for self				
3	Complete outfit for self				
4	Complete outfit for self				
5	Garment for other				
6	Complete outfit for other				

CLASS G – LEVEL 2 REVUE – Age 14 and older as of January 1, 2024

Lot	Description	Premiums			
		3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Garment for self				
2	Garment for self				
3	Complete outfit for self				
4	Complete outfit for self				
5	Garment for other				
6	Garment for other				
7	Complete outfit for other				
8	Complete outfit for other				

CLASS H- CONSUMER SAVVY - CLOTHING REVUE

MUST BRING RECEIPTS FOR EACH PURCHASED OUTFIT.

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Model Purchased Outfit for self					
2	Model 2nd Purchased Outfit for self					
3	Outfit purchased for and modeled by another					

CLASS I - QUILTING CLOTHING REVUE---

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Model quilted garment for self					
2	Quilted garment modeled by another					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 27
KNITTING & CROCHETING**

Exhibit Entry and Judging: Tuesday, 2:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Face-To-Face Judging

- Fasten entry tags directly to knitted or crocheted Item.
- No hangers of any type.
- Each Knit or Crochet item must be different.
- Secure pair items together (mittens, socks, slippers, etc.) Large safety pins can be used.
- A maximum of two entries for self and 2 entries for others may be entered in the Revue. (The Revue includes knitting, crocheting, quilting, Consumer Savvy, and clothing.)
- Special merit awards will be presented by the Columbia County Association for Home and Community Education.

CLASS A - KNITTING

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	1 st Knit Item					
2	2 nd Knit Item					
3	3 rd Knit Item					
4	4 th Knit Item					
5	Display or poster related to project					
6	Any other related item (Example: needle holder, knitting bag, circular Needle holder)					

CLASS B - CROCHETING

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	1 st Crochet Item					
2	2 nd Crochet Item					
3	3 rd Crochet Item					
4	4 th Crochet Item					
5	Display or poster related to project					
6	Any other project related item (Example: crochet hook holder, crochet Bag)					

CLASS C - FINGER KNITTING

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Afghan/throw					
2	Home decoration					

KNITTING & CROCHETING REVUE

Judging Day: To Be Determined

Style Show: - A maximum of **two** entries for self and 2 entries for others may be entered in the Revue.

Please remember to enter on the fair entry form.

The Revue includes knitting, crocheting, quilting, Looking Good and clothing.

Face to Face Judging

CLASS D - KNITTING REVUE

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Garment for self					
2	Garment for self					
3	Accessory for self					
4	Garment for other					
5	Accessory for other					

CLASS E - CROCHETING REVUE

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Garment for self					
2	Garment for self					
3	Accessory for self					
4	Garment for other					
5	Accessory for other					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 28
HOME ENVIRONMENT**

Exhibit Entry and Judging: Tuesday, 2:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Face-To-Face Judging

- All plates, glasses, linens, & containers must have exhibitor's number on back.
- Exhibits designed to be hung must be prepared for hanging before bringing to the fair.
- Securely fasten entry tags to exhibits.
- Special merit awards will be presented by the Columbia County Association for Home and Community Education.
- **Posters must be 14" x 22" or any size tri-fold display.**
- All entries must be made by the exhibitor

CLASS A - HOME ENVIRONMENT

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Pillow, simple, plain					

- 2 Pin-up or bulletin board for desk area in a room
- 3 Placemats (4), tablecloth (1) or runner (1)
- 4 Storage cases or containers (2)
- 5 Decorative pillow (needlecraft, appliqué, etc.)
- 6 Decorative wall hanging (needlecraft, weaving, stenciling, macramé, etc.)
- 7 Holiday item that does not fit any other listing
- 8 Picture featuring needlecraft (ready to hang)
- 9 Creative accessory for home using items from nature
- 10 Floral arrangement to set or hang (no live flowers, etc.)
- 11 Poster of before & after pictures of a room showing organization and personalization
- 12 Creative accessory for the home (needlecraft)
- 13 Creative accessory for home using recycled materials
- 14 Wood finished item, such as bowl, tray box, picture frame
- 15 Creative/decorative accessory for the home
- 16 Item for the home made from a kit
- 17 Laundry bag
- 18 Fleece blanket
- 19 Tied fleece blanket
- 20 Any useful accessory for your room
- 21 Poster on ways to share your home with other family members
- 22 Poster or display on Doing your part around your home
- 23 Heritage Arts (e.g. rug hooking, tatting, filet crochet, weaving, hardanger, lace making, etc.)
- 24 Refinished wood item,(Include before and after pictures)
- 25 Creative storage unit for room
- 26 Table settings, to include centerpiece, plate, glass, cup & saucer, and table linen. Should be planned around a theme. Information card accompanying exhibit must include a specific theme or event for which the table setting was planned. Items may or may not have been made by member.
- 27 Creative and imaginative storage center. Describe what is to be stored & where
- 28 Simple constructed wooden item decorated by stenciling, painting, etc.
- 29 Memory or event scrapbook by exhibitor
- 30 Framed and matted picture or photo with hanger
- 31 Window treatment
- 32 Weave or decorate a basket
- 33 Comforter or bedspread (no fleece)
- 34 Item made from recycled material
- 35 Stitchery item (cross-stitch, punch needle, etc.)
- 36 Any project related item
- 37 Any project related item
- 38 Any project related item

**CLASS B – FAMILY, HOME & HEALTH –
PERSONAL FINANCE**

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Person spending plan or budget of exhibitor, include income & expenses					
2	Exhibitor's personal money journal					
3	Poster on how to calculate interest					
4	Poster showing the advantages & disadvantages of using credit					
5	Poster/Display on how to manage a checking account					
6	Poster/Display on choosing a financial institution					

- 7 Any other project related item

**CLASS C - FAMILY HOME& HEALTH-
ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Poster/Display showing the profile of a local business					
2	Sketch of exhibitor's business idea					
3	Internet research report on exhibitor's business idea					
4	Marketing plan for exhibitor's business idea					
5	Entrepreneurship journal of exhibitor					
6	Any other project related item not listed above					
7	Any other project related item not listed above					

**CLASS D- FAMILY, HOME & HEALTH -
WORKFORCE READINESS**

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Three job references letters for exhibitor's potential first job					
2	Profile of exhibitor's potential job					
3	Collection of 3-5 news articles exploring future career possibilities					
4	Any other project related item					
5	Any other project related item					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 29
FAMILY LIVING & CHILD DEVELOPMENT**

Exhibit Entry and Judging: Tuesday, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Face-To-Face Judging

- Posters must be 14"x22" or any size tri-fold display.
- Page number refers to 4-H project literature

CLASS A – CHILD DEVELOPMENT

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Play-time kit of 4-6 items with at least 2 made by exhibitor in appropriate container, indicate age recommendation					
2	Create a toy or game for learning, indicate age rec.					
3	Make a picture/photo display of the ages and stages of child development					
4	Educational book created for child, no preprinted material					
5	Autobiographical scrapbook showing your own growth and development					
6	Basic first aid kit for playtime					
7	Any other project related item					
8	Any other project related item					
9	Any other project related item					

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT 31 COMMUNICATIONS

Exhibit Entry and Judging Time: Tuesday, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Face-To-Face Judging

- Posters must be 14"x22" or any size tri-fold display.

- Page number refers to 4-H project literature

CLASS A –SPEAKING

Lot	Description				
	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	A collection of two or more items that document how you planned your speech. These could include: speech planning worksheet, list of references, speech outline, note cards, etc.				
2	A poster of stress reduction tips and suggestions for dealing with speech anxiety				
3	A cassette or videotape of you practicing your speech, with a short note describing what you noticed when you listened to the tape.				

CLASS B –COMMUNICATIONS

Lot	Description				
	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Prepare ten interview questions to ask a 4-H member or leader, then write a short article to introduce the person				
2	Prepare a poster with tips for good listening skills				
3	Prepare a poster outlining how to deal with conflict				
4	Prepare 15 questions to ask your grandparents about what their life was like growing up and write short article				
5	Storyboard or vision board for goal setting				
6	Press release or public service announcement				
7	Communications portfolio				
8	Personal resume				
9	Any other project related item				
10	Any other project related item				

CLASS C – CREATIVE WRITING

Lot	Description				
	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75

INDIVIDUAL PROJECTS

(Can be found in COMM01 "Creative Wordworking", which can be obtained from the 4-H office)

- 1 A hand written "commonplace book." (page 13)
- 2 A scrapbook or notebook of original poetry including at least one of the following: "found poem," nature poem, cinquaine, "telephone or vertical poem," or any other original poem.
- 3 A poster about proper e-mail "etiquette." (page 15)
- 4 A personal essay about why you keep a journal or diary. (note: journals and diaries should not be entered in the fair) (page 2)
- 5 A handmade "few kind words book." (pages 19-20)
- 6 Any other piece of original creative writing (poem, short story, essay or play)
- 7 Booklet of lists (page 3)
- 8 Imaginary letters (page 7)
- 9 Mail Kit (page 17)
- 10 An original book review about your favorite book.
- 11 An original cover illustration for one of your favorite books.

- 12 A poster illustrating your top 10 favorite books ever read.
- 13 A cassette tape recording of yourself reading a children's book to a child, and note about who it was intended for.
- 14 Any other project related exhibit

GROUP PROJECTS

- 15 An exhibit that includes books, props and visual aids to illustrate the books your group has read and discussed together
- 16 A poster of new words (and their definitions) that the members of your book group discovered while doing this project
- 17 A scrapbook or collage about the various books that were read and discussed together

CLASS D –POSTERS

Lot	Description				
	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Any project related item				
2	Any other project related item				
3	Any other project related item				
4	Any other project related item				
5	Any other project related item				

CLASS E - DEMONSTRATIONS

Entry/Judging Time: To be determined

MUST ENTER DEMONSTRATIONS ON ENTRY FORM TO RECEIVE PREMIUMS

Face-To-Face Judging

TEAM DEMONSTRATIONS

Lot	Description				
	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Beginner – any project – Grades 3-5				
2	Intermediate – any project – Grades 6-8				
3	Advanced – any project – Grades 9 and older				

INDIVIDUAL DEMONSTRATIONS

	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
4	Beginner – any project – Grades 3-5				
5	Intermediate – any project – Grades 6-8				
6	Advanced – any project – Grades 9 and older				

CLASS F – EXPO EXHIBIT- Explore, Innovate, Inquire, Create

Entry/Judging Time: Tuesday, 2:00-7:00 PM

Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 PM

- Youth in all project areas are eligible to participate in this Class.
- All exhibitors whether a team member or an Individual must enter the EXPO exhibit on their fair entry form in order to receive fair premium.
- EXPO booklets and guidelines are available at the Columbia County UW-Extension Office and on the 4-H website.
- Displays should be a maximum of 30" x 30" x 15"
- Exhibitors will describe the process they followed to create their EXPO exhibit
- Exhibitors will describe to the judge the steps followed to complete their exhibit using effective communication skills.
- For Team EXPO exhibit, each member must enter in their specific grade area on the fair entry form to receive fair premium for team exhibit.

- All team members must be present during the face-to-face judging unless an exemption is requested and approved otherwise the entry will be penalized one placing

Face-to-Face Judging

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Team – Beginner - Grades 3-5					
2	Team – Intermediate - Grades 6-8					
3	Team – Advanced – Grades 9 and older					
4	Individual – Beginner – Grades 3-5					
5	Individual – Intermediate – Grades 6-8					
6	Individual – Advanced – Grades 9 and older					

CLASS G – CUPCAKE WARS
Judging Day: April 6, 2024

- Youth in all project areas are eligible to participate in this class.
- All team members must enter the Cupcake Wars exhibit on their fair entry form in order to receive fair premium.
- Guidelines for the Cupcake Wars event are available at the Extension-Columbia County Office and on the Extension-Columbia County 4-H website.
- The Cupcake Wars exhibit must reflect the current year's fair theme.
- Teams will create a display that shows the process they used to create their "4-H Cupcake Wars" Exhibit.
- **Decorated cupcakes like those made for the original event are required to be part of the display.**
- Additional display information could include recipes, photos, equipment used, team roles and responsibilities.
- Team members will describe to the judge the steps followed to complete their exhibit using effective communication skills.
- For Cupcake Wars, each member must enter in their specific grade area on the fair entry form to receive fair premium for the exhibit.
- All team members must be present during the face-to-face judging unless an exemption is requested and approved otherwise the entry will be penalized one placing.

Face-to-Face Judging

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Beginners – Grades 3-5					
2	Intermediate – Grades 6-8					
3	Advanced – Grades 9 and older					

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT 32
BOOTHS, BANNERS & SCRAPBOOKS

Exhibit Entry Day: Booths by 7:00 p.m. Tuesday
Planters, Banners & Scrapbooks, Tuesday, 2:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday 4:00 p.m.

All work must be done by the Youth of the Club / Organization

CLASS A – SCRAPBOOKS

Danish judging

The 4-H club historian book entry may be the book for the current 4-H year or the previous 4-H year. Any historian book may be entered only once.

Lot	Description	Premiums	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
1	The 4 - H year's activities (scrapbook version)					
2	The 4 - H year's activities (electronic version)					
3	FFA/FHA year's activities					
4	Youth group, e.g. Girl Scouts, boy scouts, etc.					
5	Community service					
6	Special Events					

CLASS B – BANNERS OR DISPLAY

Lot	Description	Premiums	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
1	Patriotic					
2	Club name or Theme					
3	Tri-fold board display on 4-H club emphasis project					

CLASS C – BOOTHS

Booths to be in place by 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday.

Face to face judging will be Tuesday evening starting at 7 p.m. in 10 minute increments with times scheduled by random draw of entry tags.

Times will be posted on Work Day Saturday by noon

- All clubs wishing booths for exhibit must turn in their entry form by JUNE 20th.
- **All decorating and arranging MUST be done by the club/group members themselves.**
- Booths are not the same size, but are approximately 4' wide x 4' deep and are floor level. Tables are NOT provided, but ones you bring in may be used for display.

Theme for all Booths in 2024 is "Kicking It Country Style"

Booth should contain the word "Fair"

- Judging will be based on the following criteria:
- 10 points—Title sign—size, visibility and follows theme
 - 10 points—Promotional or club information
 - 20 points—Appearance & design including neatness following fair theme
 - 20 points—Creativity following fair theme
 - 40 points—Educational value-helps educate public about the organization and/or theme

Lot	Description	Premiums	16.00	14.00	12.00	10.00
1	Educational Booth - 4-H					
2	Education Booth - FFA/FHA					
3	Educational Booth - Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Campfire Girls, and other Youth Groups					

CLASS D – CLUB PLANTERS

Planters to beautify the Columbia County Fairgrounds may be entered by youth organizations. Planting and care should be done by youth members

- Containers and plants can be any size but remember that you are responsible for moving the planter.

- **The planters are to be entered in the floral area on Tuesday from 2:00-7:00 p.m. with face-to-face judging at that time.**
- After judging, the planters will be placed around the fairgrounds.
- Club members are responsible for watering planters during the fair.
- Name of club or organization should be clearly displayed on the exhibit.
- Decorative accents may be added, but are not required.

Judging will be based on the following criteria:

- 5 points—Visibility of Club name
- 10 points—Use of fair theme
- 15 points—Creativity of container and plantings
- 20 points—Over-all appearance
- 20 points—Plant compatibility and choices
- 30 points—Health of plants

Lot	Description	Premiums	16.00	14.00	12.00	10.00
1	4-H Club Planter					
2	FFA or other school organization planter					
3	Boy Scouts, Girls Scouts or other similar troop planter					

CLASS E – BOB WILLIAMS MEMORIAL SIGN CONTEST
Non-premium

Purpose: To advertise the Columbia County Fair throughout the county

Signs will be judged on Tuesday evening at 6:30 p.m.

Rules: Junior exhibitor group enters the contest on the fair entry form which is due by June 20th of the fair year.

1. Sign cannot be more than 32 square feet.
2. Each group will decorate and design their sign using creativity and originality.
3. Sign is to include the name (Columbia County Fair), the fair dates and location of the fair and name of the group. **(Signs must contain the words of the current year's fair theme.)**
4. The sign is to be put in a location that will allow passer-bys to read the sign.
5. Sign is to be in place on July 1st.
6. Group will submit an 8"X10" photo to the fair board with the sign's location noted on the back of the picture on Tuesday by 6:00 p.m.
7. The photos will be displayed in Fair Sign Booth located by the educational booths.
8. The contest is open to all junior exhibitor clubs/groups that are recognized by the Columbia County Fair Board.
9. The signs will be judged and prizes awarded.

- 1st place--\$100
- 2nd place---\$75
- 3rd place---\$50
- All other---\$25

Judging will be based on the following criteria:

- 5 points—Correct size of sign
- 5 points—Name of youth group on the sign
- 5 points—Use of color-work together well
- 5 points—Neatness
- 10 points—Fair theme on the sign
- 10 points—Title/lettering-legible/readable
- 10 points—Message clear & understandable

- 15 points—Creative expression of fair theme
- 15 points—Originality: expression of fair theme
- 20 points—Fair information present on sign

Lot	Description
1	Youth organization fair sign

Temporary Off-Premise signs for special events are allowed in any zoning district except Agricultural Overlay, subject to the following additional standards:

- 1) All signs placed off-premise shall have the property owner's permission.
- 2) Maximum height shall be 6 feet in the residential, recreational, and agriculture zoning and 12 feet in the commercial, industrial and highway interchange districts.
- 3) Maximum area of any such sign shall be 32 square feet.
- 4) Sign(s) may be displayed for not more than 30 days per event or 45 per calendar year.
- 5) If a sign is displayed on residential property one banner or freestanding sign is allowed for each event.
- 6) If a sign is displayed on nonresidential property, any combination of two banners or freestanding signs, with a total sign area of 64 square feet, is allowed for each event.
- 7) Signs shall only be placed before and during event and shall be removed 24 hours after completion of the event.

Signs cannot be placed in the road right-of-way, which is typically 70 feet (35 feet each side of center line, on a two-lane road

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 33
YOUTH LEADERSHIP**

Exhibit Entry and Judging: Tuesday, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Face-To-Face Judging

- Open to all members enrolled in Youth Leadership
- **Posters MUST be 14" x 22" or any size tri-fold display.**
- NOTE: A display may consist of a 14" x 22" poster, tri-fold display, scrapbook or video

CLASS A - YOUTH LEADERSHIP

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	A photo story of a leadership experience					
2	A display of a community service learning project you helped to plan					
3	A visual aid you made and used to teach a specific project; explain how you made it					
4	A display showing how you assisted an adult or junior leader in teaching a project/activity					
5	A display designed to recruit members or leaders					
6	Display or poster that would help to promote an activity or project					

- 7 A display showing how you taught a project/activity by yourself
- 8 A display on leadership styles
- 9 A portfolio of your leadership experiences
- 10 Any other project related item
- 11 Any other project related item
- 12 Any other project related item

CLASS B - SELF-DETERMINED -Open to those enrolled in non-livestock projects in department 9,10,13,14,15,16,18, and 20-29.

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75
1	Any project related item					
2	Any project related item					
3	Any project related item					
4	Any project related item					

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 34
HEALTH, SOCIAL & POLITICAL
SCIENCES**

Exhibit Entry and Judging: Tuesday, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Release Time: Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Face-to-Face Judging

Posters are to be 14" x 22" or any size tri-fold display in all CLASSES.

CLASS A - INTERNATIONAL

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Any project related item					
2	Any project related item					
3	Any project related item					
4	Any project related item					

CLASS B –SERVICE LEARNING & CITIZENSHIP

Lot	Description	Premiums	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25
1	Poster/Display on exhibitor's service learning mission & plans					
2	Outline of a service learning presentation/speech					
3	Exhibitors community assets and needs/community action plan					
4	Exhibitor's service learning project journal, photo, diary, scrapbook					
5	Any project related item					
6	Any project related item					

CLASS C - HEALTH

Lot	Description	Premiums	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25
1	Assemble a First Aid Kit					
2	Design a First Aid Instruction Book					
3	Create a family kit for an emergency (such as a tornado, snowstorm, no electricity, fire, etc.					
4	Make a board game with interesting health facts					
5	Record all the food you eat in one week. Include					

- the quantity eaten and the time eaten. Write a summary of what you learned.
- 6 Record your physical activity for a week. List your activities and the time you spent. Write a summary of what you learned.
- 7 Design a physical activity plan
- 8 A Fitness display
- 9 Display on how to decrease stress
- 10 Exhibit on home safety hazards
- 11 Affects of media and social media on self-image
- 12 Design a brochure or poster on Keeping Fit
- 13 Any project related exhibit
- 14 Any project related exhibit

**JUNIOR
DEPARTMENT 35
EDUCATIONAL & SCHOOL EXHIBITS**

COLUMBIA COUNTY FAIR SCHOOL PREMIUM LIST - Complete listing of possible school entries is available at area schools. Extra copies can be obtained by contacting Marianne McMillan, W9124 Bilkie Road, Poynette, WI 53955, and (608)697-1152

E-mail: columbiacofair@yahoo.com
Web: www.columbiacountyfairwi.org

Online entries:
<https://www.blueribbonfair.com/BRFairProd/BlueRibbonStart.aspx?ID=1199>

Paper entries:
Columbia County Fair
PO Box 57
Portage, WI 53901

(Extension-Columbia County Office will not be taking walk-in paper entries)

Questions: 608-697-1152

COUNTY AND DISTRICT FAIR REGULATIONS

2022 CHAPTER ATCP 160

ATCP 160.01 DEFINITIONS. As used in this chapter:

- (1) "Breed class" and "breeding class" mean a specific breed within a class such as Holstein in the dairy class.
- (2) "Class" means a grouping in which exhibits may be entered, including an animal breed or age group for animal exhibits; a type of produce, crop or food; or a specific age, age group or educational grade level of exhibitor.
- (2m) "Conference judging" means a judging system using a discussion about each exhibit with the entire group.
- (3) "Danish judging system" means a judging system that allows for multiple first, second, third and fourth class selections as provided in s. ATCP 160.91 (4) (b)
- (4) "Department" as it relates to the organizational structure of a fair, means as animal species, production group, or other principal classification of exhibits. As used in any other context, "department" means the state of Wisconsin department of agriculture, trade and consumer protection.
- (5) "Division means one of 3 exhibitor group classifications for a fair and is limited to junior division, open division and senior citizens division.
- (6) "Entry class" means a class in which the fair allows exhibitors to submit entries.
- (7) "Exotic domestic animal" means an animal that is not a common farm animal.
- (7e) "Face-to-face judging" means a judging system using a semiprivate discussion between the judge and the exhibitor with the following phases:
 - (a) Get acquainted.
 - (b) Learn the background of the exhibit.
 - (c) Self-evaluation.
 - (d) Evaluator comment
 - (e) Parting
- (7m) "Fair" means a county or district fair eligible to receive state aid under s. 93.23 (1) (b) or (c), Stats.
- (7s) "Fair board" means the governing entity of a fair.
- (8) "Lot" or "lot number" means the numerical designation assigned by a fair for a specific category of exhibits within a class.
- (9) "Market class" means a class that includes animals of a certain weight for the species that can be sold for slaughter
- (10) "Premium" means a monetary prize that a fair awards to an exhibitor after judging all competing exhibits in the class to which the premium pertains.
- (11) "Regular judging system" means a judging system that allows for one first, second, third and fourth class selection as provided in s. ATCP 160.91 (4) (c)
- (12) "Self determined project" means a project that meets criteria (a) through (d)
- (13) "Youth organization" means an organization under adult leadership that has educational programming

ATCP160.02PREMIUMREQUIREMENTS(1) General.

- (a)The state aid authorized by s. 93.23 (1), Stats.may be paid on net premiums paid by a fair. The department may withhold state premium aid from any fair which does not enforce the animal health provisions under ch. ATCP 10 that are applicable to animals exhibited at the fair. State aid will be paid only on premiums actually paid by bank check or draft.
 - (b) No deductions may be made from premium money won by an exhibitor. Premiums may, however,may be withheldwhere exhibition rules established by the fair association are violated. A written statement of violation shall be submitted to the department to justify action taken by local fair.
 - (c) Premiums offered shall be definite in amount. No decrease or increase in published premiums may be made because of the financial condition of the organization, or for any other reason.
 - (e) No fair may receive state aid for a premium awarded to any exhibitor in the open division if that exhibitor entered the same exhibit in the in the junior division at the same fair. This paragraph does not apply if the exhibit was entered in the junior division only as part of a herd group, carcass class or performance class.
 - (f) No state aid will be paid on the cost of ribbons, cups, trophy prizes or entertainment contests.
- (2) PREMIUM LISTS. (a) Premiums for which state aid is requested by county and district fairs shall conform with the uniform premium list and other requirements set forth in these rules. Fairs requesting state aid for net premiums shall submit to the department a printed copy of the premium list used at the fair, as required under ATCP 160.92 (3) (c).
- (b) The officers of each fair shall mail a copy of the premium list to other associations, societies, or boards conducting a fair in Wisconsin upon request.
 - (c) Sections ATCP 160.01 through 160.07 and 160.91 shall be published in premium books used by a fair for which state aid is requested.
- (3) ENTRY FEES. (a) A fair may charge an exhibitor an entry fee or charge stall rents for animals or both.
- (b) Exhibitors in educational department 35 shall not be required to purchase an exhibitor's ticket. Any other exhibitor may be required, if no entry fee is charged, to purchase an exhibitor's season ticket at a price not to exceed that charged for a non-exhibitor's season ticket.
- (4) SPLIT FAIR DATES
- (a) For purposes of this subsection, "split fair dates" occur when a fair organization judges exhibits or contests and pays premiums at more than one time or at more than one location during the calendar year.
 - (b) Except as provided under par. (c), the department may not pay state aid for a fair having split dates, unless the department gives advanced written approval for a split fair. The department may approve split dates based on hardship.
 - (c) The department may pay state aid for the following exhibits or contests in a fair having split dates

with advanced notification to the department:

1. Clothing revue, 2. Demonstrations, 3. Favorite foods revue, 4. Dogs, 4m. Cats, 5. Small animals, 6. Rocketry, 7. Shooting sports, 7m. Mechanical projects, 8. Other exhibits and contests that are similar to those identified in subs. 1. to 7.

(d) If there are split dates under par. (b) or (c), all blue ribbon winners shall repeat their demonstrations or exhibits at the regular fair dates unless the department grants a hardship exemption. An exhibitor may use audio-visual media, still photography, or an educational display to repeat a demonstration or exhibit.

ATCP 160.03 EXHIBITION REQUIREMENTS. A fair shall meet all the exhibition requirements of this section to be eligible for state premium aid.

(1) No fair society or other organization sponsoring a fair shall require an exhibitor to become a member of the organization in order to enter an exhibit at the fair, nor may the sponsoring organization make any deduction from an exhibitor's premium as a donation to the fair society, or require an exhibitor in any other way to make a donation to the society.

(2) State aid may not be approved for out-of-state exhibits or for separate classes of local and non-local exhibitors. Aid may not be approved for payment of premiums to an exhibitor having an out-of-state address but claiming Wisconsin residency unless the fair secretary provides the department with an affidavit that the exhibitor's residence is geographically located within the state.

(3) State aid may be paid only on articles or animals actually on display in an exhibit building or actually shown in the show ring on regular fair dates unless approval for split dates is obtained under s. ATCP 160.02 (4). State aid may not be paid on Dairy Herd Improvement Association records, transportation aid, production contests or other special exhibits unless prior approval is obtained under s. ATCP 160.49 (7).

(4) State aid may not be paid on exhibits removed from the fair grounds before 4 p.m. of the last day of the fair, or such other later time as may be specified by the fair, without prior approval of the department. Authority for earlier removal may be granted by the department in case of meat sales, or other special classes, if requested before the beginning of the fair. In other hardship cases, approval may be granted by the fair. Exhibits in dog obedience and small animal pet classes may be judged during the regular fair but are not required to remain present during the entire fair. The fair may prescribe the length of time junior fair exhibitors of horses shall keep their animals on the grounds.

ATCP 160.49-Junior Fair division; general requirements.

(1) Eligibility. In the junior fair division, the department may pay state aid on prizes offered to exhibitors who are 8 to 20 years of age on January 1 of the current fair year and exhibitors who are 5-9 years of age on January 1 of the current fair year who are exhibiting under s. ATCP 160.65. A fair board may establish specific entry classes within each department. A county or district fair board

may establish subgroups within a junior fair entry class based on the exhibitor's age or grade level in school. The department may not pay state aid on prizes for club parades, club floats, song contests, or a project which is not an exhibit or demonstration at the fair.

(2) All exhibitors in the junior fair division shall be members of a youth organization approved by the fair board.

(3) Exhibits in the junior fair shall be a product of the exhibitor's own labor. An exhibit may include a study project, merit project, or other special project, a skill area or a supervised occupational experience in which the exhibitor is regularly enrolled, provided that the fair board approves the project, skill area or supervised occupational experience as an exhibit.

(4) State aid may not be used to award more than one premium to an exhibitor in a premium or lot number in the junior fair division. (There are 3 exceptions).

(5) State aid may not be used to award a premium to an exhibitor who exhibits an item or animal that has been exhibited in the junior division previously in a state aid funded fair in that calendar year and resulted in a premium being awarded for that item or animal.

(7) Within any junior fair department, a fair may establish special classes where none are specified under this subchapter. Special classes may include classes for grade and crossbred females in the beef, swine, sheep and horse departments. Premiums for special classes shall be equal to premiums for comparable classes established in the same department.

(8) The fair board may establish specific classes are age or grade level groupings within classes for each of the junior fair department 14 to 16, 18, 20 to 29, 31, 33 and 34.

(9) Judging in the junior fair division may be done using regular, face-to-face, conference or Danish judging system.

ATCP 160.05 OPEN DIVISION; General Requirements.

(1) The total maximum premiums set forth for all places in any open division livestock class, excluding poultry and rabbits, may be divided into premiums for a greater number of places, but the maximum premium offered for any additional place shall not be higher than the maximum for last place in the class.

(2) All animals in any open division class shall be owned by the exhibitor, except as provided in s. ATCP 160.09

(3) State aid may be paid on no more than 2 premiums awarded an exhibitor under one premium or lot number in open division individual livestock classes, except poultry and rabbits, and no more than one premium in all other classes, including poultry and rabbits.

(4) State aid may not be used to award a premium to an exhibitor who exhibits an item or animal that has been exhibited in open class separation previously in a state aid funded fair in that calendar year and resulted in a premium being awarded for that item or animal.

(5) The fair board may establish specific classes by professional and amateur level groupings within classes

for open class departments 14 to 28.

ATCP 160.39 SENIOR CITIZENS DIVISION; General Requirements.

(1) The age of exhibitors in the senior citizens division is limited to persons 62 years of age or older.

(2) Exhibitors in the senior citizens division may not enter identical items or articles in both the senior citizens division and the corresponding classes of the regular open division.

(3) State aid may not be used to award more than one premium to an exhibitor in a premium or lot number in the senior citizen division.

(4) State aid may not be used to award a premium to an exhibitor who exhibits an item that has been exhibited in the senior citizen division previously in a state aid funded fair in that calendar year and resulted in a premium being awarded for that item.

ATCP 160.07 CLASSES; General Requirements

(1) Classes may be combined if the number of entries in several single classes is insufficient. If any classes are combined, state aid shall be limited to the maximum total premiums listed for a single class of animals, items, or articles in that department.

(2) (a) Except as provided under par. (b), no fair may receive state aid for premiums awarded sexually intact male dairy cattle, beef cattle, sheep, goats, swine or horses unless those animals are registered.

Registered status shall be documented by a certificate of registry from the appropriate breed association or society, or by a copy of the application for registration.

(b) Paragraph (a) does not apply to dairy cattle exhibited at a fair if a national breed association certifies that those dairy cattle are recorded in that breed association's qualified herd book which records the genealogy of that breed.

(3) Any animal entered as part of a group class may also be exhibited in a class for individual animals.

(4) Boars may not be entered as an exhibit in the swine department unless their tusks have been removed.

(5) The age of an animal, for the purposes of determining an entry class under this chapter, shall be determined as of the opening day of the fair.

ATCP 160.91 JUDGING REGULATIONS

(1) Judging shall be done at fairs by individuals who are registered with the department. In no case shall any person who is an officer or director of a fair be eligible to judge exhibits at such fair; nor shall any person interested directly or indirectly in exhibits shown in any department of a fair be eligible to judge articles or animals in that department.

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(a) An individual shall register by submitting to the department an application. The department shall register all individuals who qualify to be judges, including having the knowledge, training, or experience in the specific classes to be judged and adhering to ethical judging practices. The registration is valid for 5 years.

(b) An individual submitting an application after July

1 may not judge for the current fair year.

(c) A fair representative may request the department waive par. (b) in cases of unanticipated emergency situations.

(2) Each judge at a fair shall be provided with a copy of the fair's premium book or list of entry classes as least 7 days prior to the opening date of the fair.

(3) No animal or article, irrespective of the number of entries in the class in which it is entered, shall be awarded a higher rating than its merit would entitle it to in comparison to the standard of perfection in the class.

(4) (a) Danish system judging may be used in the junior division. State aid may not be paid on premiums awarded under the Danish system in any other division.

(b) When classes in the junior fair division are judged according to the Danish system, 4 group placings shall be awarded in any class. When there are less than 8 exhibitors in the class, there shall not be more than 2 in the first group, not more than 4 in the first 2 groups and not more than 6 in the first 3 groups. If there are 8 or more entries in the class, there shall not be more than 25% in the first group, not more than 50% in the first 2 groups, and not more than 75% in the first three groups.

(c) The number of awards in the last group placing may be increased to the extent necessary to give awards to all exhibitors.

(4g) When classes in the junior fair division are judged using the conference judging system, the judge shall use sub. (4) (b) and (c) to award placements in the class.

(5) If any class of exhibits at a fair is judged according to the regular system, the judges for that class may give only one first-place, one second-place, one third-place and one fourth-place in that class.

