2024 Butler County Fair



Gates

Open: 7:00AM

Close: 11:00PM

Address:

1715 Fairgrove Ave.

Hamilton, OH. 45011

A Family Tradition Since 1851

Preserve the Past

Present

Embrace the Envision the Future

Every effort has been made to assure that the Information in this program is complete and accurate.

RIDES & GAMES

JULY 23rd

4:00PM-10:00PM JULY 24th-28th

1:00PM-

10:45PM

July 29th

1:00PM-

10:45PM

4-H YOUTH PROJECTS & DEMONSTRATIONS

CARNIVAL FOOD & FOOD TRUCKS

EXHIBITS & VENDORS

GRANDSTAND EVENTS

Sunday July 21st

Garden Tractor Pull @10:00AM Antique Tractor Pull @4:00PM Monday July 22nd

Truck/Tractor & Semi Pull @ 7:00 PM Tuesday July 23rd

> Rodeo @ 7:00PM

Wednesday
July 24th

Demolition Derby @ 7:00PM

Thursday July 25th

Demolition Derby @ 7:00PM Friday July 26th

Demolition Derby @ 7:00PM Saturday July **27th**

Combine Derby @ 7:00PM

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LIST OF PREMIUMS RULES & REGULATIONS

Of The ONE HUNDRED SEVENTYFOURTH ANNUAL FAIR Of The

BUTLER COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

www.butlercountyohfair.org

To Be Held Seven Days and Seven Nights

SUNDAY,MONDAY,TUESDAY,WEDNESDAY,THURSDAY,FRIDAY,SATURDAY JULY 21,22,23,24,25,26,27 2024

At 1715 Fairgrove Avenue • Hamilton, Ohio 45011

Owned and Operated by:

The Butler County Agricultural Society Since 1851
SENIOR FAIR BOARD OFFICE PHONE 513-892-1423



General Admission & Parking

GATES OPEN AT 7:00 A.M. CLOSE AT 11:00PM

General Admission per Day	\$10.00
Children 6-12 accompanied by paying adult - gate only	\$5.00
Senior Citizen, Veterans, Wednesday, July 26 th (age 62)	Free
Membership Ticket (Seven day admission & Parking)	\$40.00
7-Day Pass - 7 Day Admission and Parking	\$35.00
4-Day Pass - 4 Day Admission and Parking	\$25.00
SATURDAY ONLY\$5.00 Adult, Kids 6-12 Free (accompanied by pa	ying adult)

GRAND\$TAND ADMI\$\$ION

Grandstand Seating Wristband......\$40.00 Adult, \$15.00 Child (6-12)

^{***}Once Grandstand ticket is purchased it cannot be upgraded or exchanged for a Grandstand Seating Wristband.

Day:	Event:	Time:	Admission Cost:
Sunday	Garden Tractor Pull	10:00AM	NO Admission
	Antique Tractor Pull	4:00PM	Adult \$10.00Child \$5.00
Monday	DCTPA Tractor, Semi & Truck Pull	7:00PM	Adult \$10.00 Child \$5.00
<u>Tuesday</u>	Rodeo	7:00PM	Adult \$10.00Child \$5.00
Wednesday	Demolition Derby	7:00PM	Adult \$15.00 Child \$5.00
Thursday	Demolition Derby	7:00PM	Adult \$15.00Child \$5.00
Friday	Demolition Derby	7:00PM	Adult \$15.00 Child \$5.00
Saturday	Combine Derby	7:00PM	NO Admission

*** Pit Passes for All Events \$20.00 per person ***

^{*}includes grandstand seating for the entire week of fair **must be purchased prior to event in fair office

OFFICE HOURS

MAY/JUNE 2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	Memorial Day	28	29	30 11am-3pm	31 11am-3pm	1
2	3	4	5 11am-3pm	6 11am-6pm	7 11am-3pm	9am-3pm JUNIOR FAIR ENTRY DUE
			40	10		ALL CAMPING & PREFERRED PAKRING APPLICATIONS DUE
9	10	11 11am-3pm	12 11am-3pm	13 11am-3pm	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27 11am-6pm Start Accepting Open Class Art	28 10am-4pm	29 9am-3pm Open Class Livestock
30				Hall Entries		Entries Due

Entries may be made online at www.butlercountyohfair.org or in person during office hours listed on calendar.

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OFFICE HOURS

JULY 2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 CLOSED	2 CLOSED	3 CLOSED	4 CLOSED	CLOSED	6 CLOSED
7	8	9	10	11	12	13 9am-3pm
			11am-3pm	11am-6pm	10am-4pm	Art Hall Open Class Entries Due
						Final Day to Accept Late Entries (\$75/Entry)
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	CLOSED	11am-3pm	9am-5pm	9am-6pm	9am-5pm	Office opens at
		PICK UP ENTRY	TAGS ART HAI	.L		8am
		PICK UP PREI	ERRED PARK	ING PASSES		
						,
21	22	23	24	25		27
Office opens at 8am	Office opens at	Office opens at	Office opens at	Office opens at 8am	Office opens at 8am	Office opens at 8am
Gain	8am	8am	8am	oani	Open Class Premium	9am
					Checks ready after	Livestock Sale
					1pm at Fair Office	
28	29	30	31	1		
10am-12:30pm	Call Prior	to Arrival to Of	fice			
						

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ALL CHECKS GIVEN AT THE FAIR MUST BE CASHED IN 60 DAYS OR WILL BE VOID

PLEASE PAY CLOSE
ATTENTION TO ALL DEADLINES

2024 Butler County Fair



Ride Band Prices (Per Person)

Sunday July 21st: 4:00PM-10:00PM \$15.00

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday

July 22nd-July 26th 1:00PM-10:45PM \$22.00

Saturday July 27th

Family Day! 1:00PM-10:45PM (ONLY) \$15.00



Fair Week Sponsor: LEI Home Improvement & Kaivac, Inc.

FAIR DAY SPONSORS
SUNDAY - Kissel Amusements & Rides

MONDAY - Zimmer Tractor

TUESDAY-Worthington Steel

WEDNESDAY - Butler County Veterans Commission

THURSDAY - G&J Pepsi

FRIDAY - United Rentals

SATURDAY - Tri-State Landscaping

SHOWRING SPONSORS

Brubaker Grain-Swine Show Ring

Tyson Food- Sheep/Goat Show Ring

Butler County Fair Schedule at a Glance July 21st-27th 2024

General Admission (Includes Parking)

 Jr. Fair Nutrition Judging & Skillathon.
 9:00am

 Pie Judging.
 10:30am

 Open Class Adult Swine Showmanship.
 6:00pm

 Jr Fair Dog Cloverbud CGC & Trick Dog
 6:00pm

 Pie and Cake Auction.
 6:00pm

General 1 annieden (metalee 1 em 19)	
General Admission Per Day\$10.00	Wednesday, July 24 th " Senior Citizen Day"
Children 6-12, Accompanied by paying adult	Fair Day Sponsor: Butler County Veterans Commission
Gate Only\$5.00	Jr. Fair Horse Contesting. 8:00am Jr. Fair Feeder Calves. 9:00am
•	Jr. Fair Market Beef Show Following Jr. Fair Beef Breeding (30 Minutes After)
Senior Citizen, Veterans Day-	Jr. Fair Market Goat9:00am
Wednesday July 26thFREE	Boer Doe Breeding Show to Follow Fiber Goat Show to Follow
Sunday, July 21 st	Companion Goat Show to Follow Pack Goat Show to Follow Goat Costume to Follow
Fair Day Sponsor: Kissel Amusements & Rides	Jr Fair Rabbit Show
Grange Displays Judging9:00am	Fleece Judging
Produce/Farm Products Judging9:00am	Yeast Bread Judging
Rabbit Show Open Only9:00am	Small Animal Showman of Showman
Jr Fair Rabbit Showmanship to Follow	Poultry, Rabbits & Pocket Pets Awards Program
Jr. Fair Swine Showmanship	Demolition Derby7:00pm
Open Swine PeeWee Showmanship to Follow Open Class Sheep Breeding Show	th
Open Class Market Lambs	Thursday, July 25 th
Open Class Sheep FleeceFollowing Conclusion of Open Class Market Sheep Show Open Class Sheep Decorator ClassImmediately Following Conclusion Fleece Show	Fair Day Sponsor: G&J Pepsi
Open Class Sheep Showmanship Immediately Following Conclusion of Decorator/Lead Show	Boy Scout Camp DemonstrationAll Day
Fine Arts Judging	Open Class Market Goat Show9:00am
Garden Tractor Pull	Jr. Fair Dairy Goat, Pygmy Goat
Girl Scout Judging Results	Born and Raised Beef Breeding
Honey Judging	FCS Bake in Contest9:00am
Open Class Beef Breeding Judging	Jr. Fair Horse Fun Show. 9:00am
Open Class Feeder Calf Judging to Follow	Market Beef Born & Raised Judging 9:00am
Open Class Market Beef Judging to Follow	FCCLA Bake-A-Rama10:00am
Open Class Showmanship to Follow	Open & Jr. Cookie Judging10:30am
Jr. Fair Beef Showmanship to Follow	Men's Bake Off
Jr Fair Shop, Crop & Arts1:00pm	Jr. Fair Sheep Born & Raised Judging
Decorated Cakes/Candy Judging1:00pm	Jr. Fair Dog- Fun Day & Awards
Sewing & Decorative Clothing	·
Jr. Fair Style Review & Awards1:00pm	Friday, July 26 th
Jr. Fair Born & Raised Hog Show2:30pm	
Purebred Market Hog Show To Follow	Fair Day Sponsor: United Rentals
Jr. Fair Special Interest Awards Program	
Farm Stock	
Jr. Fair Born & Raised Goat Judging5:30pm	Barnyard Rodeo Fun Day
Monday, July 22 nd	Animal & Me
Wollday, July 22	Wood Carving Auction
Fair Day Sponsor: Zimmer Tractor	Skillathon, Premier Exhibitor & Herdsman Award6:30pm
Tall Day Oponsol. Zillinol Tractor	****After Conclusion of Awards Program Jr. Fair Grand Showman of Showman Contest
Jr. Fair Sheep Show9:00am	Demolition Derby7:00pm
Jr. Fair Poultry Show9:00am	Coturdov, July 27 th
Jr. Fair Poultry Showmanship to Follow	Saturday, July 27 th
Open Class Swine Judging	Fair Day Sponsor: Tri State Landscaping
Judging Of Farm Products. 9:00am	rail Day Sportsor. I'l State Landscaping
Crochet & Knitted, Embroidery & Cross Stitch Judging9:15am	Jr. Fair Livestock Sale9:00am
Jr. Fair Horse Show-Western Day9:30am	Horse Awards Program9:00am
Judging of Open Class Dairy Cattle9:30am	Youth Exhibit Hall Released
Jr. Fair Dairy to Follow	Horses Released
Cake Judging	All Other Livestock Exhibits Released
Flower Show/Garden Club Judging	Small Animals Released
Goat Showmanship-All BreedsImmediately Following Conclusion of Sheep Show	Combine Derby7:00pm
FFA Agri Science Fair	Combine Berby7.00pm
Beef Showmanship Clinic	All Remaining Exhibits Released Sunday July 28th10:00am-12:30pm
Tractor/Truck Pull & Semi's to follow	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
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Tuesday July 23 rd	
Fair Day Sponsor: Worthington Steel	For More Information, Contact:
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2024-BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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The Butler County Agricultural Society meets the Second Tuesday of each month at the Fairgrounds office.

Any special meeting notification will be posted on the website 24 hours prior to meeting.

Assignments of Open Class Departments:

Department 1-Beef Cattle: David Vollmer **Department 2-Goats: Mark Mignery Department 3-Swine: Mike Green Department 4-Sheep:** Tim Ross **Department 6-Rabbits:** Leon Simpson **Department 7-Dairy:** David Vollmer

Department 10-Farm Products & Garden Produce: Gary

Gerber

Department 11-Culinary: Gary Gerber Department 12-Grange Display: Gary Gerber **Department 13-Flower Show:** Gary Gerber

Department 14-Household Arts & Crafts: Gary Gerber

Department 15-Amateur Fine Arts: Gary Gerber

Agricultural Machinery: Leon Simpson

Auditing Committee: Mark Miignery, Casey Wells & Tim Ross Camper Space Assignments: Doug Turner, David Vollmer, Chad Idle

(Horse Area)

Concessions Manager: Casey Wells Facilities and Grounds: Doug Turner Grandstand: Leon Simpson, Gary Gerber

Grounds Committee: All Directors

Safety Committee: Doug Turner, David Vollmer

Sponsorship Committee: Casey Wells, Mark Mignery, Gary Gerber

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BUTLER COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS



- 1 Fairboard Office
- 1A Expo Hall
- 2 Art Hall
- 2A Event Center Foyer/ Restrooms*
 - 3 Small Animal Barn
 - 4 Open Class Swine Barn
 - 5 Jr. Fair Swine Barn
- 5A Show & Sale Arena
- 6 Jr. Fair Sheep Barn
- **6A** Sale Office
- 7 Open Class Sheep Barn
- 7A Show & Sale Arena
- 8 Jr. Fair Beef Barn

- Morris VanGorden Dairy Barn
- 9A Show Arena
- 10 Goat Barn
- 10A Restrooms & Showers*
 - 11 Youth Exhibit Building/ Special Interest
- 11A Jr. Fair Office
- 12 Picnic Area
- 12A Restrooms*
- **13** The Farm Zone
 - **14** Entertainment Tent
 - 15 Restrooms*
 - 16 Concessions
 - 17 Grandstand

- 18 Clay Pulling Track
- Demo Derby Area 19
- Maintenance Building
- 21 Jr. Fair Horse Barn 1
- 22 Jr. Fair Horse Barn 2
- 23 Jr. Fair Horse Barn 3
- 24 Paddock Barn
- 25 Jr. Fair Horse Show Arena 1
- 26 Jr. Fair Horse Show Arena 2
- 27 Green Trotter Barn 1
- 28 Green Trotter Barn 2
- 29 Restrooms & Showers*
- 30 Rest Tent

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WRIST BANDS Sponsored by: Butler Tech

To be eligible for a wristband, Junior Fair members must have a project or participate in the fair. Advisors name must appear on approved list and have qualified numbers of members in club. \$5.00 fee for wristband, payable in cash on the day the Junior Fair member picks it up. Only one wrist band per eligible member and advisor, who must personally show up to have the wrist band put on by Fair Board Staff. Wristbands will only be put on days and times listed below, all other times will have a cost of \$20.00 per wrist band.

- Monday July 15th
 - . 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at the Event Center
- Tuesday July 16th
 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at the Event Center
- Friday July 19th
 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Event Center
- Saturday July 20th
 - . 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Event Center

Wristband must be worn as a form of security and admission onto the fairgrounds. Wristband must stay on all week as you plan on coming back to the fair. If wristband is cut, taped, stretched or pried, it will NOT be honored at the gate and admission will be charged. All replacement wrist bands will cost \$20.00.

Thank You to All of Our Fair Book & Week/Day Sponsors

WEEK SPONSORS: LEI HOME & KAIVAC, INC.

<u>Sunday Sponsor: Kissel Amusements &</u> Rides

Monday Sponsor: Zimmer Tractor

Tuesday Sponsor: G&J Pepsi

Wednesday Sponsor: Butler County

Veterans Commission

Thursday Sponsor: United Rentals

Friday Sponsor: Worthington Steel

Saturday Sponsor: Tri-State Landscaping

Fairbook Ad Sponsors:

Baker Concrete Construction

Bobcat

Brubaker Grain

Butler County Sheriff Mounted Patrol

Couch's Farm Market

Advertisements: Anyone wishing to place an ad in the 2025 Fairbook may visit our website at www.butlercountyohfair.org

Please Support Them and Let Them Know You Saw Their Ad in the 2024
Butler County Fair Book

Admission Rules & Regulations

Membership—Must be 21 years or older and resident of Butler County. Membership gives the rightto votein annual election of board of directors, and the right to make entries in all departments. Membership tickets go offsale at 6 o'clock P.M. Saturday, July 20th. They must be purchased by the person intended. Tickets are not transferrable, and if presented by any person other than to whom it was issued, it shall be confiscated and appropriate action taken by the Board of Directors of the Butler County Agricultural Society. Anyone duplicating or reproducing tickets shall be banned from the fair along with all other penalties imposable by law. All persons entering upon the Fairgrounds shall be subject to the laws and regulations of the State of Ohio and the Department of Agriculture, and in particular, the rules, regulations and policies of the Butler County Agricultural Society. The Butler County Agricultural Society by and through any director or directors of its Board (also referred to as the Senior Fair board), reserves the right to have any person or property removed from the Fairgrounds (including camping and parking areas) for any reason whatsoever. Drugs, drug-related substances and alcohol are strictly prohibited upon the fairgrounds (including parking and camping areas). Matters concerning drugs, drug-related substances and/or alcohol, or evidence or suspicion of any type or nature of the same, shall be referred to a director or directors of the Agricultural Society or its duly authorized agents for disposition. Any action to be taken on the matter is within the sole discretion of the Directors of the Agricultural Society, and such actions may include, without limit, the following:

- A. Referral of the matter to law enforcement authorities.
- B. Notice to parents and/or guardians.
- C. Removal from the fairgrounds.
- D. Bar from Participating in any manner in future fairs.
- E. Forfeiture of any awards and/or prize money.
- No gambling of whatsoever type and nature including, without limit, card playing for money, shall be allowed or permitted on the Fairgrounds.
- Vandalism of any type or sort shall not be tolerated and any such vandalism shall be referred to proper authorities for prosecution.
- There shall be absolutely no smoking in or around any barns or barn areas.
- All days, trucks or delivery wagons, delivering articles on the grounds will receive a delivery ticket. This ticket will give permission for such day, truck or delivery wagon and one person to enter the grounds until 12:00 noon during the Fair for the delivery of articles only. No person shall be permitted to make solicitations of any nature on the Fairgrounds except in contracted concession or commercial rented spaces.

Camping Fees & Rules

Members in Charge: Doug Turner, Dave Vollmer, Chad Idle (Horse Area)

1. Camping fee for the week of the fair is \$250.00 Horse Area 1,Horse Area 2 is \$300.00, \$225.00 for fence along Engineers Of-

fice and \$300.00 for the infield.

2. Absolutely no Motorized Vehicles (ATV, RTV, Golf Carts) Permitted on Fairgrounds.

- 3. Fee does not include Fair entry. **Everyone staying in camper must have and hold a ticket for the week.** Tickets must be 4-Day pass, membership, 7-Day pass, Junior Fair or Junior Fair Advisor Pass. **Must Be a Fair Participant.**
- 4. Campers will not be permitted to park until after 5:00pm on Friday July 20, 2024.
- 5. 2023 Campers requesting same location should have application & payment to the Senior Fairboard Office By Jr Fair entry deadline. They will be given first consideration but are not guaranteed a space or same space as previous year if camper size or length has changed from previous year. Measurements must be accurate and will be checked by member in charge. Camper placement will be based upon camper size, space availability and date application received. This does not apply to Jr. Fair Horse Department or campers placed in horse area as overflow. Campers cannot give space to someone else. If you do not reserve your space by the deadline, it will be made available to others.
- 6. **New Applicants:** New Camping applications will be accepted anytime. Applications can be dropped off or emailed. Camper spaces will be awarded based on camper size, space availability and date/time or position on waiting list. If on waiting list then you will need to complete a new application each year. All applications are due to the Fairboard office by the Jr. Fair Entry Deadline. To verify If you have a space, please call the fair office at 513.892.1423.
- 7. All Fire Lanes must be kept open at all times.
- 8. No pets are allowed in camping area.
- 9. Quiet hours begin at 12:00 midnight.
- 10. Air Conditioners will be permitted.
- 11. Electric hook-ups are to be proper receptables only, and only one camping unit per extension cord. **NO GENERATORS ALLOWED UNLESS AUTHORIZED BY SENIOR FAIR**

ALLOWED UNLESS AUTHORIZED BY SENIOR FAIR BOARD

- 12. Premises around camping area are to be kept clean and sanitary. Trash is to be placed in proper containers. No dumping of holding tanks will be permitted.
- 13. No open fires are permitted.
- 14. No person staying in a camper may cause a disturbance, nuisance or annoyance as determined by the sole discretion of any members of the Board of Directors of the Agricultural Society or their duly authorized agents.
- 15. The Butler County Agricultural Society is not liable in any way for any actions, losses, damages, or claims of any type which might arise as a result of a person using the Fairground Facility for camping.

The above rules will be enforced by a Director of the Butler County Agricultural Society and/or its authorized agents. The Society reserves the right to take whatever action deems appropriate, in its sole discretion, to remedy any concern in the camping area which shall include, without limit, the following:

to immediately terminate or cancel the rental arrangement, to have the applicant or camper removed from the premises to reject or refuse camper rental privileges to any applicant.

Open Class Entries

Competition is open to the world except where otherwise specified. Anyone wishing to exhibit in open class must purchase a membership ticket, 4-Day or 7 Day pass, unless otherwise stated in Department Rules. Only Butler County residents twenty-one years and older may purchase a membership ticket. Only one exhibitor may show on a ticket. Only one exhibitor number and check will be issued per 4-Day, 7-Day pass or membership ticket. Departments 1 thru 7 have additional entry fees and housing fees. Departments 10 thru 15 have additional entry fees if over 50 entries. Every exhibitor must fill out an official entry blank, found on the web site, or at the Senior Fair Board Office. Only one exhibitor may be listed per entry blank. Exhibitors may also complete the entry online. NO phone entries will be expected.

- All Open class livestock entries must be into the Senior Fair Board Office no later than Saturday June 29th, 2024 @ 3:00pm
- All Open Class entries for produce, farm products, culinary, grange, arts & crafts, fine arts and flowers must be into the Senior Fair Board Office no later than Saturday July 13th, 2024 by 3:00pm

All articles entered for premium will be under control of the Senior Fair Board during the Fair, and cannot be removed without the consent of the member in charge of the article sought to be removed. Awarding committees appointed by the Senior Fair Board will not be changed during the examination of the class for which they were appointed, unless the committee or any portion of it is related to any of the exhibitors. Awarding committees will

not award any more premiums than are offered by the Senior Fair Board, and they will not award any animal or article a premium unless it is in their opinion decidedly meritorious; and if not satisfied as to the age of any animal, may require proof.

The Butler County Agricultural Society shall have the right to subject animals exhibited to examinations or tests as prescribed to determine substance has been administered to the animal to change the conformation or temperament of the animal.

Premiums

All checks given at the fair must be cashed in 60 days or they will be voided with no recourse. When premium is obtained by fraud or deception, and when the owner or person in charge of the article or stock shows disrespect to or insults committee men in the discharge of their duties, he shall forfeit any or all premiums awarded to him during the fair. Any exhibitor who wins \$600 or more in premiums will be issued a 1099 misc. in compliance with IRS regulations. Premium check will be released after office receives all required information.

- All animals entered in competition must be exhibited in the show ring to be eligible for premiums
- All Livestock exhibits will remain in place until 7:00pm Saturday July 27th, 2024

The Society will not be responsible for premiums awarded by committees or claimed by exhibitors, when such award of claim is based upon a typographical error in the catalogue. The judges book is the official guide in the awarding of premiums, not the placement of ribbons. Courteous and orderly conduct is expected from the ex-

hibitors, their attendants, parents and advisors. Any violation of the rules, misstatement of facts or discourteous conduct toward a judge, department director, or any other Fair Employee could be warrant with holding premiums won and banning from showing at future fairs. Any exhibitor making a protest against another exhibitor shall deposit \$200.00 with the Secretary at time of making complaint, and if protest is not sustained money will be forfeited.

Stalls/Pens

- Dairy Cattle- \$5.00
- Beef, Steers-\$5.00
- Swine- \$5.00
- Sheep-\$5.00
- Goats- \$5.00

Stall and pen rent must accompany entry blank. Any person occupying a stall and not exhibiting his/her horse will be charged \$5.00 per day for each stall so occupied. NO straw furnished. **Do not reserve more stalls/pens than needed. If additional housing is reserved and cannot be accommodated, fees will not be refunded.**

Police

The best of police regulations will be provided both day and night and all possible effort will be made to prevent loss or injury of articles on exhibition, but the Society will not be accountable for any article lost, stolen or injured during the Fair or any damage or injury to persons or property by reason of any exhibitor game on the grounds, or the neglect of any exhibitor, patron or employee.

Newspaper Solicitor's

NO concession or booth or privilege will be granted for newspaper solicitors, except on request of its publishers or manager, mailed to the Secretary ten days prior to the opening of the Fair, which request must contain name of publication, privilege desired and names of such persons authorized as solicitors (who have been continuously employed for a period of three months preceding date of application). Solicitor must be gentlemanly, courteous and honest in dealing with the public, and is absolutely prohibited from influencing subscriptions such as by the issue of tickets for future drawing of gifts or by the giving away of merchandise, livestock or articles of any kind whatsoever in connection therewith. All subscription sales must be made strictly upon the merits of the publication.

Sale of Membership

Agricultural Society Membership Tickets will be placed on sale annually on December 15th for the following year and to remain on sale until 6:00pm the preceding day of the Fair. Said tickets will be on sale at the Fair Office during hours or from any current Fair Board Member. NO membership certificates shall be issued to any corporation, organization, partnership or firm. NO person shall pay for or secure more than one membership and that membership shall be for himself and shall be signed at the time of purchase by himself. The Fair Board will have established office hours listed in the Fair Book and on the website. All articles must be properly entered on the books of the Fair Board, and properly arranged in the department to which they belong, on dates stipulated in the catalog, or the same will not be accepted by the Superintendent of the Department. Persons desiring to exhibit will prevent much trouble and delay by preparing a list of their articles and forwarding the same day by the mail to the Fair Board office, which will turn them over to the Superintendent in charge for prompt attention.

The Butler County Agricultural Society Constitution and By-Laws

Article |- Title

This organization shall be known as the Butler County Agricultural Society.

Article II- Object

The object of the Society shall be for the improvement of agricultural horticulture, better livestock, uniform domestic science and art, general community betterment, together with all other industrial commercial and education interests of the County.

Article III—Membership

Any person that is 21 years of age or over and a resident of Butler County may become a member of this society by purchasing a membership ticket not later than 6:00 pm the preceding day of the Fair.

Article IV—Board of Directors

The Board of Directors shall consist of ten (10) members. The Directors shall be elected for a term of three (3) years, and so arranged that one-third (1/3) of the members be elected each year. The terms of office of the retiring Directors expire and that of the Director elect begins on the last Board Meeting in December of each year. A majority of the Board shall constitute a quorum to transact business. The compensation of Board Members shall be fixed by the Board in accordance with the rules of the State Board of Agriculture.

Article V– Election

The annual election of the directors of the Society shall be by ballot, held at the office of the Society in Hamilton, Ohio, on the second Saturday of November of each year, said election shall be held between the hours of 11A.M. and 3 P.M. of said day. Only persons who are 21 years of age and over, residents of Butler County, Ohio, and who hold membership tickets shall be entitled to vote at said election. The President shall appoint three judges and two clerks who are members of the Society, but not candidates for election to conduct the election of directors and declare the results thereof. Candidates may witness the count either personally or by proxy. Candidates for Directors of the Society must be members of the Society, and nominations must be in writing to the Secretary, no later than 11 A.M. seven days preceding the election, and must have ten or more signatures, who hold membership tickets. Blank petitions to be obtained from the Secretary and circulated no earlier than six weeks before the annual election of directors.

Article VI—Organization

The Board of Directors at its first meeting shall organize by the selection of

a President, a Vice- President, Secretary and Treasurer, whose terms of office shall be for one (I) year, except Secretary who may be elected for three (3) years. All officers shall be elected from the membership of the Board, except Secretary and Treasurer, who may or may not be. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at the meetings of the Board, and to act as a delegate to Annual State Convention. He shall appoint all committees for whatever purpose they may be selected. President shall be allowed a reasonable compensation. It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to preside at the meeting of the Board in the absence of the President, and to perform such other duties as may be required of him. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to receive all moneys from all sources and turn same over to the Treasurer, taking his receipt therefore. Also to keep accurate account of all the proceedings of the Society and Board of Directors. He shall issue all orders on the Treasurer for payment of premiums and expenses. He shall give bond in such a sum as the Board may require. He shall be allowed a reasonable compensation for his services to the Board. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all moneys from the Secretary, giving his receipt therefore, to keep an accurate account of the same and to pay out under the direction of the Board of Directors by the order of the Secretary, and to make a report of receipts and disbursements at the last meeting of the Board in each year. He shall give bond in such sum as the Board may determine. His salary shall be fixed by the Board of Directors.

Article VII Vacancy

In case a vacancy occurs on the Board from any cause, the Board of Directors shall have power to fill such vacancy at any regular meeting until the next annual election. If any member of the Board of Directors fails to attend three consecutive regular meetings of the Senior Fair Board without reasonable excuse satisfactory to the Board, the Board shall have the right to declare said place vacant, and that said member so failing to attend shall be no longer a member of the Board, and the Board shall have the right to fill said vacancy until the next annual election.

Article VIII-Miscellaneous

The constitution or by-laws of a Society shall not be amended except by a majority vote of the membership voting at the annual election of the Board of Directors.

Amendments to the constitution or by-laws may be proposed by:

A. A majority of the Board of Directors at a scheduled meeting voting in favor of placing an amendment on the ballot; or

B. Filing a petition with the Secretary of the Society at least fourteen (14) days prior to the annual election of the Board of Directors. Said petition must set forth the proposed amendment and be signed by not less than 25 members of the Society.

In case the Society, after paying indebtedness and incidental expense, has insufficient funds to pay the full amount of premiums, the same shall be paid pro- rata among all successful competitors to whom any premiums are awarded, except purses for speed. The Executive Committee shall have charge of all business of the Society not otherwise provided for, and shall obey and carry out all orders and instructions of the Board. The President shall appoint each year one or more of the Directors to the supervision of each department, whose duty it shall be to report promptly on the Thursday before the commencement of the Fair, and to take charge of all stock and articles on exhibition in the department to which he has been assigned and to perform such other duties relating to his department as the President may direct.

Article IX-Life Membership

All past directors who have been elected at least once at the Annual Election, shall be entitled to a life membership in the Society. At their death the Life Membership goes to the widow or widower, whichever the case may be.

Concessions/Vendors

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Concessionaires are bound by the terms of the contracts they signed at the time of securing concession. In addition, they are liable to strict supervision by the management. The right is reserved to promulgate and enforce whatever rules appear necessary for the regulation of concession. The abuse of any privilege granted, by extortion, impure or unwholesome food, sale of dishonest goods, untidy appearance of booths, or other acts of practices objectionable to the Butler County Agricultural Society, will forfeit all rights and privileges. The sale of alcoholic liquors and games of chance are strictly prohibited. Any Violation of this rule will be prosecuted to the full extent. No person will be allowed to show outside of the Fairgrounds on the Public Highway any curiosity for pay or set up for profit any swing or refreshment stand of any kind within the distance prescribed by law, and under penalty of the law, according of Section 9884-12 of the General Code. No Person shall be permitted to make solicitations of any nature on the Fairgrounds except in contracted concession or commercial rented spaces. All commercial spaces must be paid before June 1, 2024 or space will not be reserved. Commercial Exhibitors may pick up their passes during office hours July 16 to July 20.

ABSOLUTELY NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES (ATV, RTV, GOLF CARTS) PERMITTED ON FAIRGROUNDS

<u>Butler County Farm Zone Building Farm Zone Usage</u> Rules:

1. The Butler County Farm Zone Building is an educational facility.

- Membership on the Farm Zone Building Fair Planning Committee is determined by The Ohio State University Extension, Butler County.
- Butler County Farm Zone Building Planning Committee are as follows: The Ohio State University Extension Office – Butler County, Central State University Extension – Butler County, Butler County Soil & Water Conservation District, Butler County Master Gardeners & Butler County Farm Bureau.
- 4. Farm Zone activities during the Butler County Fair will be developed & determined by the Butler County Farm Zone Building Planning Committee. Final activities, daily schedule & daily themes for the Butler County Farm Zone will be approved by the Butler County Agricultural Society (Butler County Fairboard).
- Groups using the Butler County Farm Zone Building for the entire duration of the Butler County Fair are as follows: The Ohio State University Extension – Butler County, Central State University Extension – Butler County, Butler County Soil & Water Conservation District & Butler County Master Gardeners
- 6. Group using the Butler County Farm Zone Building on a limited basis are as follows: Butler County Farm Bureau, educational groups, daily theme day groups or other organizations. The Butler County Agricultural Society (Butler County Fairboard) will make final approval of those limited use groups that will participate in the Farm Zone Building activities based on their dates and times of participation on the Farm Zone Building schedule at the Butler County Fair.
- 7. Butler County Farm Zone will consist of youth & adult education with the primary focus on youth education.
- The Farm Zone Building at the Butler County Fair is and will always be a place for youth and adult education with a primary focus on youth education.
- 9. The Ohio State University Extension & Central State University Extension serve as a liaison to the Butler County Agricultural Society (Butler County Fairboard) when it comes to matters involving the Butler County Farm Zone Building Fair use only. All other uses of the building will be determined by the Butler County Agricultural Society (Butler County Fairboard). If use of the Farm Zone building has plans to change, all parties of the Farm Zone Building Planning Committee must be contact and given an opportunity to state any concerns.
- All other expectations of the Farm Zone Building at the Butler County Fair will be determine by the Butler County Agricultural Society (Butler County Fairboard)



SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS

The Farm Zone:

Open Sunday-Saturday 11:00am-7:00pm
"I am a Farmer" An interactive Area for children

Bear Hollow Wood Carving: Friday July 26th 25:00pm

Auction Prior to Showman of Showman

- ⇒ Wood Carving Demonstrations throughout the week beside Art Hall
- ⇒ Monday-Thursday: 4 Demonstrations per Day

New for 2024!

- ⇒ Entertainment Tent Located next to the Farm Zone
- ⇒ Live Music Daily
- ⇒ Featuring Local Music Entertainment
- ⇒ Music 2:00pm-6:30pm
- ⇒ Several Acts all week!



2024 Fermentation Frenzy

Butler County Fairgrounds, 1715 Fairgrove Ave. Hamilton, OH 45011
Saturday, July 27, 2024 Judging begins 9:30 am

(Beer/Mead/Cider Competition)

Entry Fee: \$10 per entry – Limit of 4 entries, only one entry per BJCP subcategory Best of Show Beer will have their beer brewed at Municipal Brew Works.

Brewers Choice award(s) to be selected by judges from other Best of Show table Beers to be brewed at Humble Monk brewing in Cincinnati.

Medals for Best of Show and $1^{st}/2^{nd}/3^{rd}$ in each category All Categories based on the 2021 BJCP Guidelines

Butler County Brewing Society reserves the right to add or combine categories based on the number of entries.

All entrants encouraged to attend the Butler County Fair during the competition and have a chance at some great brewing raffle prizes!!!

2024 Fermentation Frenzy Homemade Wine Competition

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry - No limit to number of entries Ribbons and Payouts to 1st, 2nd & 3rd per category (\$10/\$5/\$3)

Best of Show Wine receives a \$50 Gift Card from Great Fermentations and a Gift Package.

2nd & 3rd overall also receive a \$50 Gift Card from Great Fermentations

Categories: All wine must be homemade, no commercial wines or commercial blends.

Dry Red	Sweet Red
Dry White	Sweet White
Rose	All Other — Fruit/Vegetable/Dessert/Port/Fortified/Sparkling

Butler County Brewing Society reserves the right to add or combine categories based on the number of entries.

Registration website: (register as a judge or steward here as well!)

https://winefrenzy.butlercountybrewing.org/

Entries must be received by July 13, 2024, at the following locations:

- Municipal Brew Works (20 High Street, Hamilton, OH 45011
- HBYOB Dayton (123 N. Springboro Pike, Dayton, OH 45449
- Humble Monk Brewing (1641 Blue Rock Street, Cincinnati, OH 45223

For questions, Contact: Lance Clayton (Competition Coordinator) 513-300-9627

Vidourek (Wine Coordinator) 513-805-3659

-or- Kevin





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ALL PRIZE MONEY OF THE ABOVE CLASSES BASED ON AT LEAST 10 CARS

THURSDAY JULY 2514

7 PM START TIME

- STOCK TEAM HEATS ENTRY FEE \$250

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NO CONSULTATION FOR THE TEAM SHOWS CARS WILL BE BULL PINNED. AND GUARDED BY A SHERIFF OVER NIGHT.
IMPOUND WILL OPEN AT 8 AM FRIDAY MORNING
TO START WORKING ON CARS.

FRIDAY JULY 267H

6 PM START TIME

1ST \$10,000 1ST \$10,000

2ND \$3,000 3RD \$1,000

2ND \$3,000 3RD \$1,000

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BUTLER COUNTY DEMOLITION DERBY 2024 EVENT PAGE





Combine Derby

Saturday July 27th @ 7:00PM

2024 BUTLER COUNTY COM-**BINE DEMOLITION DERBY RULES**

Questions: Tony Sterwerf 513.623.2104

All combines must be on grounds 1 hour before start of derby for inspection. All participants of the combine derby must be a paid member of the tractor club. If

driver is under the age of 18 they must have a parent present and sign a waiver. Drivers meeting will be held at 5:30pm in front of the announcement stand.

Combine Unit:

1. Disconnect all drive

> belts to threshing unit, grain table, straw chopper, 3. Combine must operate in responsible safe manand grain unloading system.

- 2. Fuel tank must be mounted inside grain tank with a spill poof cap. No more than 15 gallons of fuel in tank.
- 3. Seta belts must be installed to seats.
- 5. Remove ladder to cab.
- 6. Remove unloading auger from grain tank.
- 7. Hydraulic hoses for hydro stat must be covered but no protection on belts or transmission drive.
- 8. If no cab unit must have full roll cage.
- 9. Tall end of combine can be off. Straw chopper cannot hang out, must be smooth with outer edge.
- 10. Windshield and door must have some kind of protective webbing.

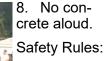
Combine Tires:

- 1. No loaded tires. All tires to be filled with air only. No water. They will be checked before derby.
- 2. Smal combine tires or fork tires can be used. Must have rubber

Header Unit:

1. Grain table must be used in combine derby.

- 2. Remove complete reel, sickle bars, guards and floating cutter bar.
- 3. Head must be fastened solid to the combine.
- 4. Hydraulic hoses to cylinder must be removed. There can be no lift action on the header from cab.
- 5. Head must be 18 to 24 inches off the ground.
- 6. Head can be reinforced. Braces and/or brackets can be used, but may not extend outside the head and must be smooth with outer edge.
- 7. No spikes mounted to head.



- 1. There can be no fires.
- 2. Combine may not be raised more than 10inches off ground from side impact.
- ner at all times on the track.
- 4. A protective helmet must be worn by the operator at all times on the track.
- 5. All drivers must remain in the cab at all times during the derby heat. No hanging outside of the cab.
- 4. All window and glass must be removed from cab. 6. During heat, combine has 3 minutes to make contact. You will be given 2 warnings. After time limit combine is disqualified.
 - 7. No head hunting, no attempts to injure operators, or turn combines over.
 - 8. If header becomes unattached or deemed unsafe by officials combine is disqualified for that heat.
 - 9. Judges have final say on all rules and regulations.
 - ***NO COMBINES may be worked on until after the last heat has ended***
 - *** All combines have 1 hour from end of the last heat to get ready for the final heat. ***



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Butler County Fair Garden Tractor Pull Sunday July 21st 2024 @ 10:00 AM

1715 Fairgrove Ave. Hamilton OH. 45011

Weigh In & Registration Begins @ 8:30 am Questions: Jon Spencer w/ No Bull Pulling 937.533.6684

Registration for every class will remain open until the class in front begins. Once Class in front begins registration will be stopped. Entry Fee & First Hook Up: \$30.00

Added Class is: \$15.00 per class

Payout if more than 5 Tractors in class: 1st\$50.00 2nd\$30.00 3rd\$20.00

Class of 5 Tractors or less:

1st (only) \$50.00

RULES:

All Tractors must be equipped with some sort of kill switch and dead man throttle; Wheelie bars are required in all classes. You must have either wheels or skids on them. *They are not to be NO MORE than 5in above the ground and MUST be at least 5in behind rear tires* Children must be 5yrs of age and must be able to operate the tractor, children must have parent/or guardian walk next to the tractor in case of emergency, or if the child is incapable of starting/stopping the tractor on their own. All drivers must be checked by tech committee. No alcoholic beverages allowed on the fair grounds, Zero Tolerance!

CLASS	STOCK	CUT TIRES
	TIRES	
12 HP & Under	1030lbs	1000lbs
14HP & Under small tire only	1055lbs	1025lbs
16 HP & Under	1080lbs	1050lbs
20HP & Under	1080lbs	1050lbs
25HP & Under	1130lbs	1100lbs
Hot Stock Singles-30.9 Cubes & Under	1050lbs	May Run Pro Tires
Hot Stock Singles-31 Cubes & Above	1050lbs	May Run Pro Tires
Hot Stock Twins-39.9 Cubes & Under	1050lbs	May Run Pro Tires
Hot Stock Twins-40 Cubes & Above	1050lbs	May Run Pro Tires

Work Stock & Belt Drive	Weights
9HP & Under	1100lbs
12HP & Under	1075lbs
14HP & Under	1050lbs
16HP & Under	1025lbs
All Twins	1000lbs

CLASS LIST

- * Work Stock (23x10.5x12)
- * Belt Drive
- * Stock 12HP & Under (23x10.5x12)
- * Stock 14HP & Under (23x10.5x12 or smaller tire only)
- * Stock 16HP & Under
- * Stock 20HP & Under
- * Stock 25HP & Under
- * Hot Stock Singles(30.9 cube & under & 31 cubes & above)
- * Hot Stock Twins (39.9 cubes & under & 40 cubes & above)

*Cut Tires are allowed to run in stock classes except work stock.

^{**}Below are weights for stock and cut tires.

^{***}Cut Tires will be Handicapped***



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Butler County Fair Antique Tractor Pull Sunday July 21st 2024 @ 4:00PM 1715 Fairgrove Ave. Hamilton OH. 45011

Weigh In: 3:00pm (scales on grounds)

Class 1: 6000# Stock Antique Tractors

Entry Fee: \$30.00

Purse: \$100.00 \$75.00 \$50.00 \$30.00

RULES:

~ Tractors must be 1955 or older ~ 1 Tractor 1 Driver ~ Weight 6,000lbs ~ No electric Fuel Pumps ~ Low Gear, Maximum Speed Limit 35 MPH ~ Gasoline, Propane or Diesel ~ Maximum Tire Size

15.5 ~ NO Alcohol

Stock ~ Hitch must be rigid, no floating drawbars

~Top Cut Tires permitted, however no cutting on the front of bar

~ Finish line 200ft. horn after 75ft. for speed disqualification

Class 2: 6500# Antique Tractors

Entry Fee: \$30.00

Purse: \$100.00 \$75.00 \$50.00 \$30.00

RULES:

~Tractors must be 1959 or older ~1 Tractor, 1 Driver ~ Weight

6,500lbs. ~ Stock Intake & Exhaust manifolds

Must Have Original Engine for Particular Model of Tractor
 » For Example: no 310 Twelve port Olivers or Red Diamonds in 460 or 560 Farmalls.

~Weights must be Securely Fastened to Tractor

~ Stock Appearing Carburetors Only

~ May Run Open RPM subject to Following: » Cut Tires Permitted » Maximum Tire Size 15.5 » Hitches may be rigid minimum 18" from centerline of rear axle and 20" in height

Class 3: 10,500# Farm Stock

Entry Fee: \$30.00

RULES:

~ Tractors must be 1970 & Older ~ 1 Tractor, 1 Driver ~ Tires 18.4x38" max. ~3 Point Hitch ~ Stock Draw Bar ~No Alcohol ~ Factory Cast Centers on Rims ~ Maximum RPM 3000 ~ No Duals ~ No Front Wheel Drive ~ No Water Injection ~ Clevis 3.5" Opening ~ No P Pumps

~ Speed Limit 6MPH Horn after 75 Feet- Disqualification

~ NO weights hanging from the 3 point hitch. Hitch height 20"

~ Use of torque convertors & power shifts up or down gear on IH

Class 4: 14,000# Farm Stock

Entry Fee: \$30.00

RULES:

~ 1 Tractor,1 Driver ~ Tires 20.8x38" Max. ~ 3 Point Hitch ~ Stock Draw Bar

~ Factory Cast Centers on rims ~Max RPM 3000 ~Clevis 3.5" Opening ~ No Duals ~ No Alcohol ~ No P Pumps ~ No FrontWheel Drive ~No Water Injection

~ Speed Limit 6MPH. Hom After 75ft Disqualification

~ No Weight Hanging from the 3 Point Hitch. Hitch Height 20"

~ Use of Torque Convertors & Power shifts up or down 1 gear on IH.

Butler County Fair Tractor Pull

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Thursday July 25th @ 7:00pm 1715 Fairgrove Ave. Hamilton OH. 45011

****Open To All****

Gates Open @ 4:00pm.

Questions: Leon Simpson 937.371.9114 or

Gary Gerber 513.200.5742

Schedule:

1. Open Semi-Truck

2. 6000# Natural Aspirated Superstock

3. 6200# Altered Gas Four Wheel Drive Trucks

~ Carburetor Must be 4. 5800# Hot Rod Tractors

5. 5. 7800# 2.5 Diesel Trucks

6. 9000# Altered Farm Stock

7. 9500# Hot Farm

6000# Natural Aspirated Superstock

Entry Fee: \$30.00 **Purse:** \$1,500.00

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6200# Altered Four Wheel Drive Trucks

Entry Fee: \$30.00 **Purse:** \$1,500.00

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5800# Hot Rod Tractors

Entry Fee: \$30.00 **Purse: \$1,500.00**

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8000# 2.6 Diesel Trucks

Entry Fee: \$30.00 **Purse:** \$1,500.00

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9000# Altered Farm Stock

Entry Fee: \$30.00 **Purse:** \$1,500.00

RULES: Visit www.dctpa.com

9500# Workstock Diesel Trucks

Entry Fee: \$30.00 **Purse:** \$1,500.00

RULES: Visit www.dctpa.com

Open Semi-Truck

Entry Fee: \$30.00

Purse: To Be Determined

Questions: Tony Sterwerf 513.623.2104



Livestock Show Fact Sheet

What's New for Livestock Exhibition In 2024

By: Dennis M. Summers, DVM, Ohio Department of Agriculture

The Ohio Livestock Show Reform Act authorizes the Director of Agriculture to adopt mandatory and optional rules. Mandatory rules apply to all livestock shows, while the sponsor has the option to opt out of the optional rules on an individual rule basis. If a sponsor decides not to opt out of an optional rule, the rule then becomes mandatory. The following is a clarification of how the statute (Ohio Revised Code) and rules (Ohio Administrative Code) are to be interpreted and applied at all terminal, partial terminal and non-terminal livestock exhibitions in Ohio:

- 1. Livestock is inclusive of all species, except equine;
- Livestock exhibitions include all county and independent fairs, the Ohio State Fair and all preview and jackpot shows;
- A sponsor is any entity who conducts an exhibition including preview and jackpot shows;
- 4. The sponsor may opt out of any or all of the optional rules at least 30 days prior to the opening (a form will be provided and must be returned to the Ohio Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal Health, 8995 East Main Street, Reynoldsburg, Oh. 43068);
- Effective February 13, 2004, exhibitors shall annually attend or complete a quality assurance program before exhibiting terminal or partial terminal market livestock, or at the option of Ohio State University Extension, annually pass a test administered by or under the supervision of Ohio State University Extension.
- Effective February 19, 2007, OAC 901-19-07, exhibitors may pass a
 test based on age and skill level to be exempt from quality assurance
 re-certification. This exemption is at the discretion of OSU Extension
 or Ohio agricultural education.
- Effective March 2017, OAC 901-19-07 (C): Exhibitors who fail to attend or complete a quality assurance program or fail to pass the exam as outlined in paragraph (B) of this rule may be subject to the disciplinary actions listed in rule 901-19-21 of the Administrative Code
- Effective April 22, 2018, Appednix A to OAC 901-19-17 requires junior fair exhibitors to complete a quality assurance program at least 45 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition.
- Swine being sent to a licensed livestock facility or going out of state for slaughter or commingled with out of state swine must be identified with an official ear tag or four digit tattoo.
- 10. The department does not require Certificates of Veterinary Inspection for exhibition livestock originating in Ohio including swine. However, an exhibition sponsor can choose to require additional regulations above those of the department.
- 11. Effective March 21, 2016, an acceptable practices rule, OAC 901-19-12 (Q), only permits drenching of livestock for a medical condition at an exhibition when diagnosed by a licensed veterinarian and an unacceptable practices rule, OAC 901-19-13 (H), drenching of livestock at an exhibition is prohibited except as permitted under paragraph (Q) of rule 901-19-12 of the Administrative Code.

- Effective March 21, 2016, OAC 901-19-13(C) Applying any electrical, mechanical, or other appliance that enhances, transforms, or changes the true conformation, configuration, or appearance of the livestock, unless prescribed by the exhibition veterinarian;
- 13. 13. Effective March 21, 2016, OAC 901-19-33, Prohibited Grooming Practices, becomes **mandatory**.
- 14. Effective February 15, 2003, OAC 901-19- 02 (II) "slick dipping" or "body shaving" means having hair that is less than one half inch in length on the body of market hogs;
- 15. Even if the sponsor opts out of one or more of the optional tampering rules, the statute prohibits the use of any material, gas, solid, or liquid, that conceals, transforms or enhances the true confirmation or configuration of all livestock, including by way of example but not limited to rope, false hair, graphite, and hemp;
- For breeding classes the rules of the breed association will constitute acceptable grooming practices;
- 17. Effective March 21, 2016, OAC 901-19-38, becomes a mandatory rule.
- 18. The Exhibition Livestock Health Rules apply to any exhibition over 36 hours in duration or has livestock whose origin is not Ohio and that exhibition must have an approved veterinarian (a form will be provided and must be returned to the Ohio Department of Agriculture at least 20 days prior to the opening date).
- Junior market livestock shows at county and independent fairs and the Ohio State Fair are defined as either terminal or partial terminal shows:
 - a) partial means that at least the grand and reserve grand champion animals are required to go to slaughter or directly to a licensed livestock facility for slaughter only,
 - terminal means all market livestock go to slaughter or directly to a licensed livestock facility for slaughter only;
- Preview and jackpot shows, as well as breeding classes are nonterminal shows:
- At all terminal, partial terminal and non-terminal shows urine and hair samples may be collected;
- 22. A Drug Use Notification Form (DUNF) will be required to be completed for all livestock for which a test sample is collected;
- 23. OAC 901-19-06 (D) the Director of Agriculture shall require a DUNF be completed for livestock including market steer, market hog, market lamb, veal calf, market dairy steer, market goats, market poultry, lactating dairy cattle and lactating dairy goats, and be reviewed locally (assistance will be available from the Ohio Department of Agriculture by faxing the form to 614-728-6310);
- 24. For all shows the statute prohibits the misuse of legal drugs (including but not limited to the use of drugs approved for use in humans, but not approved for animal use) and the use of illegal drugs;
- **25.** The statute **prohibits** the showing of **tranquilized** livestock, including products such as Calf Calm, and **diuretics for cosmetic purposes**;

- 26. All livestock entered in a carcass contest at a terminal, partial terminal, and non-terminal show must be drug free on the day of show:
 - a) the withdrawal time must have elapsed by the day of show, or
 - b) the drug must not exceed the tolerance level on the day of show;
- 27. Immediately before or during a terminal and partial terminal show and sale and within a valid veterinarian-client-patient-relationship (VCPR) or for a valid medical purpose a drug or an over-the-counter (OTC) drug may be used if it is declared on a DUNF and the drug's side effect does not conceal, transform or enhance the conformation of the treated livestock, any such permitted drug use must be disclosed at the time of sale;
- 28. The drug use notification form shall be filed with the records official prior to the show in which the animal is entered. If at any time, the information on the original drug use notification form changes, an updated form shall be filed **immediately** with the records official.
- 29. At non-terminal shows the use of drugs requires a VCPR for prescription and extra-label use of drugs, and OTC drugs must be used for a valid medical purpose and according to label directions and must be declared on a DUNF.

The preceding is not intended to be an all encompassing review of the statute and rules as they pertain to livestock exhibitions in Ohio. Exhibitors, exhibition sponsors, parents, advisors, and veterinarians are encouraged to call the Ohio Department of Agriculture, Tony Forshey, D.V.M., at 614-728-6220 with any questions.

The success of this program is based on the continued input and cooperation of educators, industry, and government. Through your continued support, Ohio will continue to be a national leader in livestock show reform.

Ohio Livestock Health Exhibition Rules

901:1-18-01 Chapter's application.

- A. Animals listed in this chapter when moved or imported into Ohio for exhibition purposes only shall comply with the requirements of this chapter and when in compliance with the provisions of this chapter shall, with the exception of rules governing movement and importation of quarantined animals, be exempt from any other rules governing movement within or importation into Ohio.
- B. Animals moved within or imported into Ohio for any purpose in addition to exhibition shall meet all movement and import requirements of Chapter 901:1-17 of the Administrative Code.

901:1-18-02 Definitions.

As used in this chapter:

- A. "Exhibition" means any public show of animals which is sponsored by or under the control of an Ohio county or independent agricultural society organized under Chapter 1711. of the Revised Code; or the Ohio state fair; or which is assembled for a period which exceeds thirty C. -six hours or contains animals of origins other than Ohio.
- B. "Certificate of veterinary inspection" means a form from the state of origin which has been issued and completed by a licensed and accredited veterinarian attesting to the health status and identification of an animal listed thereon.
- C. Approved veterinarian" means any licensed and accredited veterinari-

- an approved by the Ohio department of agriculture, or an employee of the Ohio department of agriculture or the United States department of agriculture, animal plant health inspection service, veterinary services
- D. "Licensed and accredited veterinarian" means a person who is licensed by the state of Ohio to practice veterinary medicine and who is certified by the United States department of agriculture, animal plant health inspection service, veterinary services, to bean accredited veterinarian.
- E. "Residue" means any poisonous or deleterious pesticide governed by 40 C.F.R. 180, any poisonous or deleterious substance governed by 21 C.F.R. 109.6, or any other substance governed by 21 C.F.R. 556.
- F. "Contagious or infectious disease" means any disease, including any foreign animal disease, or vector, capable of transmission by any means from a carrier animal to a human or to another animal and includes dangerously contagious or infectious diseases.
- G. "Tuberculosis accredited free herd" is one that has passed at least two consecutive annual negative official tests for tuberculosis in accordance with the "Uniform Methods and Rules - Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication", and has no other evidence of bovine tuberculosis.

901:1-18-03 Exhibitions: sanitation, inspection and records.

- Each entity sponsoring an exhibition shall have in attendance an approved veterinarian for the duration of the exhibit.
- B. Each entity sponsoring an exhibition shall:
 - Immediately, prior to an exhibition and under the direction of the approved veterinarian, thoroughly clean and disinfect each building, pen, stall, ring or other enclosure in which animals are to be quartered for exhibition;
 - 2. Have the approved veterinarian:
 - Examine the certificate of veterinary inspection when required for an animal brought to the exhibition:
 - Inspect within a reasonable time of ar- rival each animal brought to the exhibit for symptoms of any infectious or contagious diseases;
 - Daily inspect each animal present at the exhibition for symptoms of infectious or contagious disease.
 - Maintain a record for one year from the date of the exhibition of each animal present at the exhibit. The record shall contain the name and address of the owner of each animal and the species and breed of the animal.
 - May order the immediate removal of any animal which in the opinion of the approved veterinarian places other animals at unacceptable risk of disease.
- C. An exemption from the requirements of paragraph (B) (1)of this rule maybe requested from the department and will be granted when, in the judgment of the department, cleaning and disinfection will serve no purpose.

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C. By way of example only, cleaning and disinfection will 901:1-18-06 Cattle. generally serve no purpose in a newly constructed building that has never been occupied.

901:1-18-04 Exhibitors.

- A. No person shall present for exhibition or exhibit an animal which he knows or has reason to suspect is affected with or has been exposed to a dangerously contagious or infectious disease or residue.
- B. The owner or bailee of an animal with symptoms of an infectious or contagious disease shall, when directed by an exhibition official, the approved veterinarian, or an employee of the Ohio department of agriculture, immediately remove the animal from the exhibition premises.
- C. Upon request, each person who presents for exhibition or exhibits an animal, shall make available any certificate of veterinary inspection, registration certificates, vaccination certificate, and other documents to exhibition officials, the approved veterinarian or an employee of the Ohio department of agriculture.
- D. Each person who presents for exhibition or exhibits an animal for which a certificate of veterinary inspection is required by rules 901:1-18-01 to 901:1-18-11 of the Administrative Code shall forward a copy of
- E. the certificate of veterinary inspection to the Ohio department of agriculture's division of animal industry.

901:1-18-05 Poultry and fowl.

- A. All turkeys, chickens and gamebirds moved within or imported into Ohio for exhibition must:
 - 1. Originate directly from a flock or hatchery which is a participant in the national poultry improvement plan for the eradication of disease and be accompanied by documentary evidence that they meet the requirements of this paragraph; or
 - 2. Originate directly from a flock which has had a negative test for pullorum/fowl typhoid disease within twelve months pre-ceding the opening date of exhibition and be accompanied by documentary evidence that they meet C. Cattle from a brucellosis certified free herd the requirement of this paragraph; or
 - 3. Have had a negative test for pullorum/fowl typhoid disease, within ninety days, preceding the opening date of the exhibition and be accompanied by documentary evidence that they meet the requirement of this paragraph; or
 - 4. Be tested for pullorum/fowl typhoid disease upon arrival at the exhibition by a tester approved by the Ohio department of agriculture and found negative.
- B. The rapid whole blood test shall not be used to test turkeys for compliance with the requirements of paragraph (A)(2),(A)(3) and (A)(4) of this rule.
- C. Waterfowl, doves and pigeons are exempt from this rule.

- A. Cattle moved within Ohio for exhibition:
 - 1. The animals presented for exhibition must show no symptoms or evidence of an infectious or contagious disease.
- B. All cattle imported into Ohio for exhibition must:
 - 1. nary inspection issued within thirty days preceding the opening date of the exhibition;
 - 2. Originate from a tuberculosisaccredited free herd, an accredited free state or zone, or a modified accredited advanced state or zone;
 - 3. If originate from a modified accredited state or zone must comply with rule
 - 4. 901:1-17-03 of the Administrative Code; If originate from an accreditation preparatory or a non-accredited state or zone are prohibited from exhibition;
 - 5. If from a brucellosis class A state or area/ zone must be negative to an official brucellosis test within thirty days of the opening date of the exhibition unless: they are under six months of age, steers, or official vaccinates under twenty months of age (dairy) or twenty-four months of age (beef); and
 - 6. If from a brucellosis class B or C state or area/zone must meet all requirements for pre-entry testing as specified in 9 C.F.R.78.9 and obtain an Ohio permit prior to move-
- or class free state or area/zone are not required to be brucellosis tested.

901:1-18-07 Goats.

- A. Goats moved within Ohio for exhibition:
 - 1. The animal presented for exhibition must show no symptoms or evidence of aninfec- tious or contagious disease.
 - 2. All sexually intact animals and any wether eighteen monthsofageand older must be identified with an official identification as defined in rule 901:1-13-04 of the Ohio Administrative Code.

- B. Goats imported into Ohio for exhibition:
 - Must be accompanied by a certificate of veterinary inspection issued within thirty days preceding the opening date of the exhibition;

The animal presented for exhibition must

- 1. show no symptoms or evidence of an infectious or contagious disease; and
- The owner and the veterinarian must attest to the following statement on the certificate of veterinary inspection "the goats in this shipment are not known to be under any movement restrictions because of scrapie."
- Originate from a tuberculosis accredited free herd as defined in rule 901:1-18-02
 - 4. (G) of the Administrative Code for bovine tuberculosis eradication; or
 - Originate from a bovine accredited free state or zone, or a bovine modified accredited advanced state or zone; or
 - Originate from a bovine modified accredited state or zone must comply with rule 901:1-17-06 of the Administrative Code.
- If originate from a bovine accreditation preparatory or a bovine non-accredited state or

901:1-18-08 Horses, mules and ponies.

- A. Horses, mules and ponies moved within Ohio for exhibition:
 - If not under quarantine and if they are free of any signs of a contagious or infectious disease; and
 - If the animal is twelve months of age or older, the exhibition manager may require that the animal has been tested and classed negative to an official test for equine infectious anemia within twelve months of the opening date of the exhibition
- B. Horses, mules and ponies imported into Ohio for exhibition:
 - Shall be accompanied by an official certificate of veterinary inspection issued within thirty days of the opening date of the exhibition; and
 - If the animal is twelve months of age or older, it shall be accompanied by evidence the animal was negative to an official test for equine infectious anemia within twelve months of the opening date of the exhibition; and
 - Upon request by an authorized representative of the Ohio department of agriculture, the person responsible for each animal must make available a chronological list of dates, places and events attended by this

animal within thirty days prior to entry into

901:1-18-09 Sheep.

- A. Sheep moved within Ohio for exhibition:
 - The animal presented for exhibition must show no symptoms or evidence of an infectious or contagious disease.
 - All sexually intact animals and any wether eighteen months of age and older must be identified with an official identification as defined in rule 901:1-13-04 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- B. Sheep imported into Ohio for exhibition:
 - Must be accompanied by a certificate of veterinary inspection issued within thirty days preceding the opening date of the exhibition; and
 - 2. The animal presented for exhibition must show no symptoms or evidence of an infectious or contagious disease; and
 - The owner and the veterinarian must attest to the following statement written on the certificate of veterinary inspection the sheep in this shipment are not known to be under any movement restrictions because of scrapie.

901:1-18-10 Swine.

- A. Swine moved within Ohio for exhibition
 - 1. At a terminal show must:
 - Showno symptomsor evidence of aninfec- tious or contagious disease; and
 - Originate from a county which sixty days prior to the exhibition opening date had no pseudorabies quarantined herds; and
 - Have no breeding swine present and all swine removed are delivered for immediate slaughter or to a licensed livestock facility.
 - d) Notwithstanding any other provisions of these rules, the manager or sponsor of the exhibition may, prior to permitting the ex- hibition of any porcine animal at a terminal showrequire proof, for example aVS form 4-33, animal disease diagnostic laboratory submission form, or a certificate of veterinary inspection, the animal has been tested and classed "negative" to an official test for pseudorabies within forty-five days immediately preceding the opening date of the exhibition.

- At all other shows, must be accompanied by a certificate of veterinary inspection issued within forty-five days preceding the exhibition opening date; and Must be negative to an official pseudorabies test within forty-five days of the exhibition opening date unless:
 - a) They originate immediately and directly from a pseudorabies qualified herd; or
 - Are suckling pigs accompanying a negative dam; or
 - They originate from a pseudorabies vaccinated herd and meet the following conditions:
 - The herd has had a negative monitored test within twelve months, and
 - The swine presented for show are negative to a pseudorables differential test; or
- Will be exempt from the requirement of a certificate of veterinary inspection if they originate immediately and directly from a stage V area and show no symptoms or evidence of an infectious or contagious disease.
- 4. Are exempted by a written permit issued by the department.
- B. Swine imported into Ohio for exhibition:
 - Must be accompanied by a certificate of veterinary inspection issued within thirty days preceding the exhibition opening date; and
 - Be negative to an official pseudorabies test within thirty days of the exhibition opening date unless:
 - They originate immediately and directly from a stage V area or from an area or country recognized by United States department of agriculture, animal plant health inspection service, veterinary services as pseudorabies free; or
 - They originate immediately and directly from a pseudorabies qualified herd and have not been previously exhibited this show season; or
 - c) Are exempted by a written permit issued by the department.
- C. Swine moved within or imported into Ohio for racing shall:
 - Be separated at all times from any other swine on the exhibition grounds by the greatest distance reasonably possible; and
 - 2. Be accompanied by a certificate of veterinary inspection issued within thirty days preceding the opening date of the exhibition; and
 - Be negative to an official pseudorabies test within thirty days of the exhibition opening date unless: They originate immediately and directly

from a stage V area or from an area or country recognized by United States department of agriculture, animal plant health inspection service, veterinary services as pseudorabies free; or

- b) They originate immediately and directly from a pseudorabies qualified herd and have not been previously exhibited this show season;
- Are exempt by written permit issued by the department.
- 4. Be exempt from the immediate slaughter requirement of paragraph (A) (c) of this rule.

901:1-18-11 Llama.

- A. Llama moved within Ohio for exhibition when presented for exhibition must show no symptoms or evidence of an infectious or contagious disease.
- B. Llama imported into Ohio for exhibition:
 - 1. Must be accompanied by a certificate of veterinary inspection issued within thirty days preceding the exhibition opening date.
 - 2. When presented for exhibition must show no symptoms or evidence of contagious disease.

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Open Class Entry Procedures

Entry Forms can be mailed to:

Butler County Fair 1715 Fairgrove Ave. Hamilton Oh. 45011 entry unless they are children's divisions. Entry Fees: If participant qualifies by age to enter Jr./Child Division Classes and is not a FFA, 4-H, or Clover Bud member, there is a \$5.00 entry fee. (This fee does not include gate admission. \$5.00/ day for 12 and under, or \$5.00 for a wristband for the whole week.) If this Jr./Child enters any Sr./adult classes. they must purchase a 4-day or 7-day pass instead. Clover Bud members must pay stall/pen fees.

Entry forms are **online** and available on the website. Please complete the form prior to making your entry in order to avoid errors and save time.

> Please print all information. Exhibitors must determine for themselves in which class they will make entry.

Absolutely no changes will be made after entries close. Entry tags will not be available at time entries are made. Tags may be picked up at the fair office beginning July 16th. Exhibitor responsible for checking tags for accuracy. If an error is found or a tag is missing, you must report it to

Back For is

We will have online entries for open class beginning June 1st 2024.

Late entries accepted until July 13th at 3:00 p.m. (Departments: Swine/Goat only)

\$75.00 late fee per entry. If entries are mailed, you may check with the Senior Fair Board office at (513) 892-1423 to see if they have been received before the deadline. We are not responsible for delay or loss of mailed entries. Open Class rabbit, sheep and cattle entries will be taken on Sunday, July 21, 2024 before the show begins at the show site. Exhibitors are required to purchase a Membership ticket, 7day pass, or 4-day pass, unless otherwise stated in Department Rules, or they are a Junior Fair Exhibitor entering their Junior Fair animal or a Clover Bud. All Junior Fair livestock animals must be entered in Open Class under the Junior Fair Exhibitor's name, Junior Fair Exhibitors must still pay entry fees required by each department.

Jr. Fair members and Clover Buds entering Art Hall departments will be required to purchase pass with



before item can be displayed. Tags or tickets will not be mailed. See each department for placement dates and times and rules. All

exhibits and displays must be left in building until Sunday, July 28th @ 10:00 am. The management will not be responsible for items left after 12:30 p.m. on Sunday, July 31st If possible, Open Class premium checks may be picked up at Fair Office beginning on Friday, July 26th, beginning at 1:00 pm.

Butler County Open Beef Show Sunday July 21st,2024

Show Order:

Breeding: 1:00PM

Beef & Dairy Feeders Calves:4:00pm

(Heifers-Beef ONLY & Steers)

Market Beef: Following Feeder

Show

Champions

Breeding	Feeders	Markets
\$100	\$125	\$400
\$80	\$60	\$200
\$60		
\$40		
\$20		

Thank you Butler County Cattlemen's For Your Continued support of this Show!

Department NO. 1: Beef Cattle

David Vollmer-Member In Charge

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Registration for Open Class Beef Cattle will take place online and by mail. Online Entries open June1st and close July 21st at 9:00am. Mail in Entries must be into the Fairboard Office by 3:00pm on Saturday June 29th, 2024. We are not responsible for delay or loss of mailed entries.
- B. All Exhibitors must pay admittance at the Gate-NO exhibitors pass required.
- C. Entry Fee: \$8.00 per entry in County, by Open Class Entry Deadline. For all Day of Show & Out of County entries, \$10.00 per entry. Fees must be paid at time of entry. All Junior Fair animals must be entered under Junior Fair exhibitor's name. Do not reserve more stalls/pens than needed. If additional housing is reserved and cannot be accommodated, fees will not be refunded.
- Livestock trailers will not be permitted to park in the infield fair week. Trailers must be moved off the fairgrounds after 12:00 a.m., Sunday, July 21st,2024.
- E. Any exhibitor making a protest against another exhibitor shall deposit \$200.00 with the Secretary at the time of making the complaint and if protest is not sustained will be forfeited.
- F. All Jr. Fair animals must be entered under Junior Fair exhibitor's name.
- G. All animals must be exhibited in show ring and judged, even in absence of competition, in order to be awarded premium.
- H. Exhibitors must furnish own bedding.
- No chutes or canopies are permitted between any buildings.
- J. No Cooking in barns.

All Rules for Sections 1 & 2

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Market Beef Animals will be weighed Saturday, July 21st 2024 beginning at 1:30pm
 - ⇒ Special Weigh in time for Open Class only Feeder class and Market Beef. Weigh in on Sunday July 21st 2024 from 8:00am-10:00am. \$10.00 entry fee per head.
 - \Rightarrow STEERS, HEIFERS AND FEEDERS MUST WEIGH TO SHOW
- ⇒ Open Class Market Beef Not exhibiting in Jr. Fair will be release on Sunday July 24th @ 6:00pm or After the Open Class Market Beef Show.

MARKET RULES:

- A. Animals can be groomed by anyone.
- B. Exhibitor must comply with all the general rules of the Cattle Department.
- C. Animals must be owned by exhibitor at least 90 days prior to the opening date of the fair.
- D. All market beef animals must be halter broken.
- E. Any exhibitor may enter and show a maximum of two steers or market heifers or combination of the two.
- F. Code of Ethics: To maintain a high degree of confidence in the livestock show, THE COMMITTEE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO DISQUALIFY ANY ANIMALS THAT HAVE BEEN FITTED IN AN UNETHICAL MANNER. Unethical fitting shall include any injection of gas, solid, or liquid under the skin to alter the normal conformation. It shall include also, any cutting or tearing of the hide or underneath the hide or removal of tissue in an attempt to alter the shape of the animal. It shall also include attempts to disrupt or change normal dental development as well as the dyeing or coloring of individuals which alters their natural coloration; also artificial tail heads or polls. Any attempts to change the degree of firmness of any individual shall also be considered unethical. Any persons guilty of the above will be disqualified and barred from future shows.
- G. No grooming chutes allowed in aisles in Beef Barn.
- H. Classes will be determined after weigh-in.

Section 1– Open Class Feeder Calf Classes:

1.Dairy Feeders (NO Dairy Heifers)

2. Beef Feeders

Open Feeder Calf Show:

Sunday July 21st, 2024 Following Breeding

Premiums for each Feeder Weight Class:

 1^{st} -\$15.00 2^{nd} -\$10.00 3^{rd} & 4^{th} -\$8.00 5^{th} -\$5.00

Rosettes for Champions

Beef Feeder Champion-\$125 Beef Feeder Rs. Champion-\$60
Dairy Feeder Champion-\$125 Dairy Feeder Rs. Champion-\$60

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<u>Section 2– Open Class Market Beef Classes:</u>

- 1.Market Heifers (NO Dairy Heifers)
- 2. Market Steers

Open Market Beef Show:

Sunday July 21st 2024 after Open Class Feeders

Premiums for each Market Weight Class:

1st-\$20.00 2nd-\$15.00 3rd & 4th-\$10.00 5th & 6th-\$8.00 7th & 8th-\$5.00

Trophy and \$400 for Grand Champion.

Trophy and \$200 for Reserve Grand Champion.

Section 3- Open Class Showmanship Classes:

- 1. Pee-Wee Showmanship-5-8 years old
 - NO Jr. Fair Exhibitors can enter with any beef project.
- 2. Adult Showmanship
 - · Open to anyone 18 years and old er. That is NOT Jr. Fair

Open Showmanship Show:

Sunday July 21st Following Market Beef Show

SECTIONS 4-13 BREEDING RULES:

NOTE: SPECIAL ARRIVAL TIME FOR OPEN CLASS **BEEF BREEDING**

- A. Open Class Beef Breeding Cattle are to arrive between 8 a.m. and 10:00am, Sunday, July 21st 2024. »» Registration papers will be checked July 21st 2024 @ 10:00am and must correspond with animal for class entered.
- B. All animals, regardless of age, must be recorded and appear in the name of the exhibitor on the records of the respective associations.
 - »» All animals entered in Class 2,4,6,9 must be recorded in the recognized breed association
- C. The awards in Open Class Beef Breeding will be made Sunday, July 21st following conclusion of show. Only two premiums will be paid per exhibitor per class.
- D. All animals must be led into ring & judged, even in absence of competition, in order to be awarded premium.
- E. All Animals in group classes must be shown in individual clas-

Open Beef Breeding Show:

Sunday July 21st @ 1:00pm:

Premiums for Beef Breeding
<u>Classes:</u>1-9/18-20 1st-\$20.00 2nd-\$15.00 3rd-\$10.00
<u>Classes:</u> 11-17 1st-\$20.00 2nd-\$15.00 3rd-\$10.00 4th-\$8.00 5th-\$5.00
<u>Classes:</u> 22-25 1st-\$15.00 2nd-\$10.00 3rd-\$5.00

Champion Bull-Rosette

Reserve Champion Bull-Rosette

Overall Female Champion: \$100.00 & Banner

Overall Female Reserve Champion: \$80.00 & Banner

3rd Overall Female Champion: \$60.00

4th Overall Female Champion: \$40.00

5th Overall Female Champion: \$20.00

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Beef Breeding Sections:

Section 4 - Angus

Section 5 - Charolais

Section 6 - Chianina

Section 7 - Hereford

Section 8 - Maine Anjou

Section 9 - Maintainer

Section 10 - Shorthorn

Section 11 - Shorthorn Plus

Section 12 - Simmental

Section 13 - Crossbred

*This Section consists of all non-registered

Classes for Beef Breeding-Sections 4-13:

- 1. Junior Bull Calf calved after January 1, 2024.
- Late Senior Bull Calf born Nov. 01, 2023 Dec. 31, 2. 2023.
- Early Senior Bull Calf born Sept. 01, 2023 Oct. 31, 2023.
- Late Summer Yearling Bull born July 01, 2023 Aug. 31, 2023.
- 5. Early Summer Yearling Bull born May 01, 2023 -June 30, 2023.
- Late Junior Yearling Bull born March 01, 2023 Apr. 30, 2023.
- Early Junior Yearling Bull born Jan. 01, 2023 Feb. 28, 20223
- Senior Yearling Bull born Sept. 01, 2022- Dec. 31, 2022.
- 9. Bull 2 year old-born Jan 01,2022 Aug. 31, 2022.

Champion & Reserve Bull

- 11. Junior Heifer Calf born after January 1, 2024.
- 12. Late Senior Heifer Calf born Nov. 01, 2023 Dec. 31, 2023.
- 13. Early Senior Heifer Calf born Sept. 01, 2023 Oct. 31, 2023.
- 14. Early Summer Yearling Heifer born May 01, 2023 -June 30, 2023.
- 15. Late Junior Yearling Heifer born March 01, 2023 -Apr. 30, 2023.
- 16. Early Junior Yearling Heifer born Jan. 01, 2023 Feb. 28, 2023.
- 17. Senior Yearling Heifer born Sept. 01, 2023 Dec. 31,
- 18. Cow 2 year old born Jan 01, 2023 Aug. 31, 2023
- 19. Aged Cow born prior to Jan 01, 2023.

Champion & Reserve Female

- 22. Pair of Bulls two bulls any age owned by exhibitor.
- 23. Pair of Heifers two Heifers any age owned by the exhibitor.
- 24. Get of Sire four animals, any age, both sexes represented, sire.
- 25. Cow & Calf exhibited as pair calf born after Jan. 01,2024.

Department NO. 2 - Goat

Mark Mignery-Member In Charge

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Entries close and must be into the Senior Fair Board Office by 3pm. On Saturday June 29th, 2024. Late Entries accepted until July 13^h, 2024 at 3pm. With \$75/entry. If entries are mailed, you may check with the fair board office at 513.892.1423 to see if they have been received before the deadline. We are not responsible for delay or loss of mailed entries.
- B. Open Class exhibitors must purchase a Society Membership, 4-Day Pass or 7-Day Pass, except Butler County Jr. Fair Exhibitors who are entering their Junior Fair Animals. All Junior Fair animals must be entered under the Junior Fair Exhibitor's name.
- C. Stall rental is \$5.00 per head unless it is a 4-H or FFA project Entry Fee \$8.00 per entry. Fees must be paid at time of entry. All Junior Fair animals must be entered under Junior Fair exhibitor's name. Do not reserve more stalls/pens than needed. If additional housing is reserved and cannot be accommodated, fees will not be refunded.
- D. Livestock trailers will not be permitted to park in the infield fair week. Trailers must be moved off the fairgrounds after 12:00 a.m., Sunday, July 21st 2024.
- E. Any exhibitor making a protest against another exhibitor shall deposit \$200.00 with the Secretary at the time of making the complaint and if protest is not sustained will be forfeited.
- F. All animals must be exhibited in show ring and judged, even in absence of competition, in order to be awarded premium.
- G. All Jr. Fair animals must be entered under Junior Fair exhibitor's name.
- H. Exhibitors must furnish own bedding. No straw furnished.Straw and wood shavings Only type of bedding permitted.
- Exhibitors must furnish1"x6"x4'8"kickboard on all pens along aisles.
- J. No Cooking in barns.

All Rules for Section 1

****NO Breed Classes****

- A. All market goats will be ear tagged with Butler County ear tags at weigh in. All market goats will be weighed on Saturday July 20th from 1:00 P.M.-3:00 P.M.
- B. All market goats must have their milk teeth intact. Any market goat missing milk teeth will be disqualified.
- Ideally all market goats should have been disbudded or have their horns have been disbudded or have their horns cut back

- to approximately 1 inch in length. However, if market goats are shown without being disbudded they should have horn tips cut off in a blunt manner,
- D. All animals must have a scrapie tag or tattoos with official registration papers, which match. Implants are acceptable but you must provide your own reader. All animals must be tagged, tattooed, or implanted before arriving on the Fairgrounds.
- E. All market goats will be checked by the fair board member in charge.
- F. Any animals showing signs of sore mouth, pinkeye, open abscesses or open sores will be prohibited from unloading, pending vet examination.
- G. No uncastrated male market goats are allowed on grounds.
- H. Exhibitors may bring a maximum of two Market Goats to the Fair .(Include Jr. Fair animals in total).
- All Junior Fair animals must be entered under the Junior Fair exhibitor's name.
- J. All Goats must have water available 24/7.
- K. All classes will be set by weight.
- L. All market goats will be divided into classes of approximately 15 to 20 according to weights, with each group having approximately the same number.
- M. Market Classes will be broken down into weight divisions to allow for a fair final drive. Divisions will be determined after weigh-in.

Section 1–Open Class Market Goat Class:

1.Single Market Goat

Open Market Goat Show:

Thursday July 25th @ 9:00am

Premiums for each Weight Class: 1^{st} \$12.00 2^{nd} \$10.00 3^{rd} \$9.00 4^{th} \$8.00 5^{th} \$7.00 6^{th} \$6.00 7^{th} \$5.00 8^{th} \$4.00

Rosettes for Division Champions
Grand Champion- \$20.00 & Rosette
Reserve Grand Champion-\$15.00 & Rosette

Department NO. 3 - Swine

Mike Green-Member In Charge

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Entries close and must be into the Senior Fair Board Office by 3pm. On Saturday June 29th, 2024. Late Entries accepted until July 13th, 2023 at 3pm. With \$75/entry. If entries are mailed, you may check with the fair board office at 513.892.1423 to see if they have been received before the deadline. We are not responsible for delay or loss of mailed entries.
- B. Open Class exhibitors must purchase a Society Membership, 4-Day Pass or 7-Day Pass, except Butler County Jr. Fair Exhibitors who are entering their Junior Fair Animals.
- C. Stall rental is \$5.00 per head unless it is a 4-H or FFA project. Entry Fee \$8.00 per entry. Fees must be paid at time of entry. All Junior Fair animals must be entered under Junior Fair exhibitor's name. Do not reserve more stalls/pens than needed. If additional housing is reserved and cannot be accommodated, fees will not be refunded.
- Livestock must be in their proper places by 1:00 p.m., Saturday, July 20th 2024.
- E. Livestock trailers will not be permitted to park in the infield fair week. Trailers must be moved off the fairgrounds after 12:00 a.m., Sunday, July 20th 2024.
- F. Any exhibitor making a protest against another exhibitor shall deposit \$200.00 with the Secretary at the time of making the complaint and if protest is not sustained will be forfeited.
- G. All animals must be exhibited in show ring and judged, even in absence of competition, in order to be awarded premium.
- H. All Jr. Fair animals must be entered under Junior Fair exhibitor's name.
- Exhibitors must furnish own bedding. No straw furnished.
 Straw and wood shavings Only type of bedding permitted.
- J. Exhibitors must furnish1"x6"x4'8"kick board on all pens along aisles.
- K. No chutes or canopies are permitted between any buildings.
- L. An exhibitor must not place any obstruction in the aisles and must keep them clean. All show boxes must be located with the exhibitors pens.
- M. Exhibitor must be 4 years old (day of show) or older to show.
- N. No Cooking in barns.

Rules for Section 1 Crossbred

- A. Exhibitors may bring a maximum of two market hogs to the fair. (Include Jr. Fair animals in total.)
- B. Market hogs will be weighed and tagged Saturday, July 21st from 7:30 a.m. to 11:30p.m. Each exhibitor must be with his/her own animals at this time. All hogs under 220 lbs or over 300 lbs must be removed from fairgrounds by 10:00 p.m. Saturday.
- C. All entries will be judged by weight classes. All hogs not going though the Jr. Fair sale need to be removed from the fairgrounds Tuesday night, after the Jr. Fair Show. All pigs remaining on the grounds will go to the packer.
- D. Weight Classes for market hogs will be divided as evenly as possible. The number of show classes will be determined once all hogs are weighed and processed.
- E. Crossbred classes will be divided into 4 Divisions.
- F. A Champion and Reserve Champion will be selected from each division.
- G. The Champion and Reserve Champion from each crossbred division will be eligible to show for the Overall Top 5 open class Market Hog.
- H. Class 12 is for those who are unsure which purebred class to enter.

Rules for Section 2

- A. Registration Certificates for all Purebred Market Hogs are REQUIRED from respective Breed Assn. To be shown at weigh-in.
- B. Registration certificates must be in Exhibitors name or family as owner, transferred by entry due date.
- C. All purebred market hogs to be ear notched. (Universal System)
- D. Breed Purity Verification by Sr./Jr. Fair Board. All market hog entries not meeting the purebred requirement will be permitted to enter as a crossbred, unless it is the exhibitors 3rd pig, at which time it is disqualified, as exhibitors are limited to a maximum of 2 crossbred entries. Animal will need to be removed from the fair-grounds by Saturday night of weigh-in.
- E. A minimum of 3 entries is required per breed or they will show crossbred. (Section 1)
- F. Purebred or composite breeds not recognized by the Ohio State Fair Breeds will not be eligible for AOB classification.

- G. Purebred hogs will show per breed. A Champion and Reserve Champion from each breed will be selected Each breed Champion and Reserve will be eligible to show for the top 5 purebred, at the conclusion of the breed shows.
- H. The top 5 purebreds will be eligible to show for the Overall Top 5 open class market hog with the 4 crossbred Division Champions & Reserve Champions.

Open Market Hog Show:

Monday July 22nd 2024 @ 9:00am

Premiums for each Weight Class in Sections 1 & 2 $1^{st}\,\$18.00\,\,2^{nd}\,\$15.00\,\,3^{rd}\,\$14.00\,\,4^{th}\,\$13.00\,\,5^{th}\,\$12.00\,\,6^{th}\,\$11.00\,\,7^{th}\,\$10.00\,\,8^{th}\,\9.00

Rosettes for Division Champions

Grand Champion-Trophy Reserve Grand Champion-Trophy
NO CASH AWARDS

Section 1– Crossbred Market Hog Class:

1.Crossbred Market Hog

Section 2– Purebred Market Hog Show Class:

12. Purebred Classes (Breed Class Determined at Weigh In)

Recognized Breeds: Berkshire - ABA

Chester Whites - CPS

Duroc - NSR Hampshire - NSR Hereford - CPS

Landrace - NSR Poland China - CPS

Spotted (Spots) - CPS

Tamworth - TSA Yorkshire - NSR

All Other Breeds

<u>Section 3– Open Class Showmanship</u> Class:

- 1. Pee-Wee Showmanship-6 to 8 years of age
- Day of show.
- •Not Open to Jr. Fair exhibitors
- Must Enter with Open Show Entries

Open Class PeeWee Showmanship Show: Sunday July 21st 2024

Following Jr. Fair Showmanship Prior to the Born &

Raised Show

Premiums for Showmanship:

Pee-Wee: Trophy Donated by Doug & Chris Turner &

Family

Adult Showmanship-19 years and older Adult: Trophy Donated by Al Couch Farm Market & Garden Center

Open Class Adult Showmanship:

Adults can be nominated to participate by 4-H showmen between the ages of 9-18, (4-H age). Adults (anyone age 19 and over) should be encouraged by kids to participate. All adults of all barn will be eligiable; however, ALL proceeds will go towards the betterment of the swine barn. The judge will be determined by a volunteer bases or those who are interestd and asked to judge. Those who will be nominating a volunteer MUST have a 4-H swine project that they are allowing the nominee to use, OR a 4-H showman who has agreed to allow the nominee to use their animal. Nominees without a project to show will not be able to participate.

Tuesday July 23rd @ 6:00PM

Nomination Fee: \$10.00

Opt. Out Fee:

- \$10.00 x the amount of times an adult was nominated.
- Adults will be able to be nominated 5 times, and those who are nominated over that will not be asked to pay nay opt out fee over \$50.00 dollars.
- Opting out of showing will mean that the adult pays their fee
- If they participate, nominees WILL NOT be asked to make any payment, excluding any more donations they would like to include.

Sign Up:

- ♦ Sign-Ups will be as follows during fair week
- ♦ If interested in signing up after these times, can contact Amy Damer or Leah Watson (as appropriate) via phone- (513) 704-2282
- ♦ Saturday (during swine barn weigh in): 7:30am-11am
- ♦ Sunday (during first part of show): 9am-11am
- ♦ Monday: 9am-11am

All Proceeds will go towards swine barn repair/refurbishing

Butler County Fair Open Market Lamb Show

When? Sunday July 21st (30 Minutes After Conclusion of Breeding show)

Where? Butler County Fairgrounds

Info: Entry Fee: \$8.00 per entry (Maximum 2 Entries per person)

Open Entries and Weigh In: Non Butler County 4H lambs will take place Sunday July 23rd from 7:30-8:30am in the Open Class Sheep Barn.

All Butler County Jr. Fair Lambs will be weighed in and tagged Saturday, July 20 from 4:30-6:30pm (Market Animals shown by weight)

Pens: Pens are available for \$5 if reserved in advance.

For more details, please refer to the fair book at: www.butlercountyfairoh.org

All Butler County Fair Rules Apply

Market Overall Ram: \$50.00 Sponsored by Butler County Lamb & Wool

Market Overall Ewe: \$50.00 Sponsored by Butler County Lamb & Wool

Market Champion Lamb: \$80.00

Reserve Champion \$40.00

3rd Overall Champion \$15.00

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Butler County Open Sheep Breeding Show

Sunday July 21st 9:30am



Check in 7:30am-8:30am

Pens available-Please Reserve in advance

For more information, or to reserve pens in advance, contact the Fairboard Office (513) 892-1423 or butlercountyohfair@gmail.com

Overall Champion Ram-\$200

Overall Champion Ewe- \$200

Prize Money Donated by:

Butler County Lamb and Wool Association

Individual class premiums as printed in the Butler County Fair Book.

Department NO. 4 - Sheep

Tim Ross-Member In Charge timross.bcf@gmail.com

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Registration for all open market lambs, entries will occur online and need to be submitted by 12:00pm on July 21st, 2024. For breeding see breeding show rules. Premiums for all open classes will be available on Friday July 26th after 1:00pm, if not picked up will be mailed after July 26th. OPEN BREEDING class entries are \$8.00 per entry. OPEN MARKET class entries are \$8.00 per entry.
- B. Pens for sheep, \$5.00 each. It is recommended that pens be purchased. Showing out of trailer is difficult due to proximity of show ring to the parking area. Pens are to be purchased at time of registrations. Exhibitors must furnish own bedding. Straw, mulch and wood shaving are the only acceptable forms of bedding. For Pens in use for more than 1 day, exhibitors must furnish kick boards on all pens along aisles (board measure 1"x6"x4'8").
- C. All Visitors, including Exhibitors must pay admittance to the fair.
- D. Livestock Trailers will have designated parking areas within the fair grounds. Once sheep and all supplies have been unloaded, please see the member in charge for parking guidance. All trailers must be moved off of the fairgrounds property by midnight of the day of show unless given approval by a representative of the Agricultural Society Board.
- E. All animals must be led into the ring and judged in order to be awarded a premium. (even in the absence of competition)
- Cooking in the barns, and areas around the barns, is prohibited.
- G. For those choosing to show out of their trailers, generators are recommended as electric will not be available in the parking area. Water is available at the barns, but the barns are not in close proximity to the parking area. Wash racks are also available at the show barn.
- H. Any exhibitor wishing to make a protest against another exhibitor shall deposit \$200 with the Secretary at the time of making the complaint. If the protest is not sustained, then the money will be forfeited.
- Member in charge reserves the right to hold any premium while any decision in pending. Pending decision can result from verification of paperwork, protests, etc. Upon final decision, held premiums will be released.

Open to the World Market Lamb Show Rules:

- A. Pens to be assigned by Member in Charge.
- B. NO STOCK REMOVED until animals are released by the Member in Charge. Open Class Breeding sheep will be encouraged to leave after the Open Class Breeding Show if the exhibitor has no market animals to show. All open class only animals will be released at the conclusion of the Open Class Market Show.

- C. Classes will be shown by weight. All Junior Fair Open Market Lambs will be weighed Saturday, July 20th from 4:30-6:30 pm. In the Open Class Sheep Barn. All others will be weighed in on Sunday, July 21st from 7:30am-8:30am in the Open Class Sheep Barn.
- All Market Lambs will be checked for an official USDA scrapie ear tag or they will be dismissed.
- E. Market Lambs may be purebred, crossbred, or grade. All lambs must be slick shorn uniform in length. Lamb's wool is not to be longer than ¼ inch in length. Longer wool on the lower leg is acceptable.
- F. All male market lambs must be castrated by May 1, 2024.
- G. All Single market lambs will be divided into classes that will be displayed prior to the beginning of the show.
- H. All market lambs entered in pen of two will show in the same weight class.
- All Junior Fair animals must be entered under the Junior fair exhibitors name.
- Use of drench guns and feeding syringes is prohibited.

<u>Section 1– Market Lamb</u> Class:

1.Single Market Lamb

2. Commercial Breeding

Open Market Lamb Show:

Sunday July 21st 2024 Immediately Following Conclusion of Breeding Show

Premiums for each Weight Class: 1st \$13.00 2nd \$11.00 3rd \$10.00 4th \$9.00 5th \$8.00

Grand Champion Market Ram: \$50.00 Sponsored By: Butler County Lamb & Wool Grand Champion Market Ewe: Sponsored By Butler County Lamb & Wool Grand Champion Market Lamb: \$80.00 Reserve Grand Champion Market Lamb: \$40.00 3rd Overall Market Lamb: \$8.00

<u>Section 2– Pen of Two</u> Class:

Pen of Two Market Lambs

Open Market Pen of Two Show:

Sunday July 21st, 2024 Following Open Class Market Lamb Show

Premiums for each weight class:

1st \$13.00 2nd \$11.00 3rd \$10.00 4th \$9.00 5th \$8.00

Grand Champion Pen of Two: \$10.00 Reserve Grand Champion Pen of Two: \$8.00

Entry for pen of two: \$8.00

Decorator Showmanship Rules:

- The purpose of this class is to promote a lamb and wool in a clever manner to the public.
- Entry Fee \$5.00, entries taken between 7:00am-9: 00am on Sunday.
- C. Out of State Papers Required.
- D. Shown By Age
- Exhibitors to Wear Open Class Numbers
- Participants may be male or female between the ages of 1-8 years old as of January 1, 2024.
- Each entry may include one more child depending on choice of entry.
- Exhibits will be judged on the decoration of a Sheep and entrant as to the artistry, attractiveness and originality.
- H. Entrants must be relative of Sheep exhibitor or sponsored by Open Class exhibitor.
- Entrant is free to choose their own colors, designs and materials for exhibition in class.

Section 3- Decorator/Lead

Class Decorator:

- 1. 1-5 Years of Age
- 2. 6-8 Years of Age

Open Decorator Show:

Sunday July 21st Immediately Following

the Market Show

Premiums for Decorator Classes: ****All Placings receive a ribbon**** 1st \$12.00 2nd \$10.00 3rd \$8.00 4th \$6.00 5th \$5.00 Lead Showmanship Rules:

- A. Age Group as of January 1, 2024.
- Entrants can be exhibitors in Junior Fair or open class sheep divisions or sponsored by Open Class Exhibi-
- C. Entrants must be responsible for obtaining their own sheep to exhibit during lead class. Entrants may bring sheep the day of the show with health papers.
- D. The sheep must be ewe or wether, broken to lead on a halter and groomed in show condition. The ewe or wether must be shown in a halter. Any violations of this ruling will result in immediate disqualification of the contestant.
- E. The costumes are to be handmade or purchased of fabric or yarn that is at least 50% wool.
- F. Entrants will be judged on poise and presentation, general appearance, garment construction, and the behavior and grooming of the sheep.
- G. No decoration on animal or halter.
- H. Entry Fee \$5.00. Entries close same date as open class.

Class Guys and Gals Lead:

- 3. 20 Years & Over Handmade Garment
- 4. 15-19 Years Handmade Garment
- 5. 9-14 Years Handmade Garment
- 6. 20 Years & Over Purchased Garment
- 7. 15-19 Year Purchased Garment 8. 9-14 Years - Purchased Garment
- 9. OPEN: Antique Class Garment 20 Years & Older

Open Guys and Gals Lead Show:

Sunday July 21st @ 3:30pm

Premiums in Each Level:

****All Placings receive a ribbon****
1st \$12.00 2nd \$10.00 3rd \$6.00 4th \$6.00 5th \$5.00

Open Showmanship:

- 10. Pee-Wee Showmanship 4-8 Years
- 11. Adult Showmanship 19 Years & Older

Open Showmanship Show:

Sunday July 21st Following Decorator/Lead

NO Premiums Awarded

****Places 1st - 5th Receive Ribbon ONLY****

BREEDING RULES: Sections 4-19

- A. Premiums for all open classes will be available on Friday, July 27th after 1:00pm Out of county will be mailed after Friday July 27th. OPEN BREEDING class entries are \$8.00 per class entry. Check in 7:30am-8:30am
- B. Pens for sheep are \$5.00 each. It is recommended that pens be purchased. Showing out of a trailer is difficult due to proximity of show ring to the parking area. Pens are to be purchased at the time registration. Exhibitors must furnish own bedding. Straw mulch, and wood shavings are the only acceptable forms of bedding.
- C. Fair admission is NOT included in class registration. Each person must purchase fair admission.
- Pens to be assigned by the Member in Charge. Do not reserve more stalls/pens than needed. If additional housing is reserved and cannot be accommodated, fees will not be refunded.
- NO STOCK REMOVED until animals are released by the Member in Charge. Open Class Breeding sheep will be encouraged to leave after the Open Class Breeding Show if the exhibitor has no market animals to show. All open class only animals will be released at the conclusion of the Open Class Market Show.
- F. All breeding sheep will be checked for an official USDA scrapie ear tag or they will be dismissed.
- G. All breeding sheep, with the exception of commercial class, must have required paperwork at check in.
- All Wool Breeding Sheep must have a minimum of 2" fleece length.
- All animals must be led into the ring and judged, even in the absence of competition, to be eligible for premiums.

Show order for Sheep Breeding

Wool Breeds will show first, followed by Meat Breeds

Open Sheep Breeding Show: Sunday July 21st @ 9:30 am

Premiums for Breeding Classes: 1st \$14.00 2nd \$12.00 3rd \$10.00 4th \$8.00 5th \$6.00 6th \$5.00 7th \$4.00 8th \$3.00 9th \$2.00

Champion Ram Overall: \$200.00Champion Ewe Overall: \$200.00 ****Both will receive Rosettes****

Donated by: Butler County Lamb & Wool

Sheep Breeding Sections:

Section 4 -Columbia-Wool

Section 5- Corriedale-Wool

Section 6 -Lincolns-Wool

Section 7 - Rambouillet- Wool

Section 8 - Natural Color-Wool

Section 9 - All Other Breeds-Wool

Section 10 - Cheviot-Meat

Section 11 - Dorper-Meat

Section 12 - Dorset-Meat

Section 13 - Hampshire-Meat

Section 14 - Horned Dorsets-Meat

Section 15 - Khatahdins-Meat

Section 16 - Montadales-Meat

Section 17- Oxford-Meat

Section 18- Shropshire-Meat

Section 19 -South Down-Meat

Section 20 - Suffolk-Meat

Section 21 - All Other Breeds-Meat

Classes for Sheep Breeding-Sections 4-21:

- 1. Ram, 1 Year Old and Under 2
- Fall Ram Lamb
- 3. Ram Lamb
- Pair of Ram Lambs
- Ewe, 1 Year Old and Under 2
- Pair of Ewes, 1 Year Old and Under 2
- 7. Fall Ewe Lamb
- Ewe Lamb
- 9. Pair of Ewe Lambs
- 10. Pen of Four Lambs
- 11. Flock- To consist of one Ram and Four or More Ewes or Ewe Lamb

Fleece Rules:

- A. Entry Fee will be \$5.00 per fleece. All wool must have been shorn within the year shown.
- B. All fleeces must be in clear bags.
- C. Fleeces with excessive foreign material tags, burrs, chaff, seeds or straw, will be disqualified at the discretion of the judge.
- D. The management or individuals connected with the fleece show will not be responsible for loss or damage in any way, shape, or form of any fleece on exhibit.
- E. Fleeces will be brought to the Open Class Sheep Barn on Saturday, July 20th 2024 from 9:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. and will be released on Sunday after the fair on July 28th, 2024 9:00 A.M. If your fleece is not picked up after the fair ,it will be disposed of.
- F. Judging will be held in the Open Class Sheep Barn.

Open Fleece Show:

Sunday July 21st 2024 Following Conclusion of Market Show

Premiums for Fleece Classes:

1st \$12.00 2nd \$10.00 3rd \$8.00 4th \$6.00 5th \$5.00

Champion: Medium White - Rosette

Reserve Champion: Medium White - Rosette Champion: Long White/Natural Color - Rosette Reserve Champion: Long White/Natural Color - Ro-

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Section 22 – Fleece Class:

- 1. Medium White: Suffolk, Hampshire, Tunis
- Medium White: Dorset, Polypay, Montadale
- Medium White: Shropshire, Southdown, Oxford
- Long White: Romney, Lincoln, Border, Leicester
- 5. Natural Color

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De	epartment NO. 6 - Rabbit	Open Rabbit Show:				
	on Simpson-Member In Charge	Sunday July 21 st 2024 @ 9:00am Premiums for Rabbit Classes:				
	John Schomaker	Premiums for	or Rabbit C	Classes:		
Show Coordinator/ Superintendent/Secretary		# In Class	First	Second	Third	Fourth
Phone: 513.441.3619		2-3	\$2.00			
Rules Governing This Department:		4-6	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	
Ple	ease Read All Rules Carefully	7-10	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00
A.	ENTRY FEE: Single Rabbit—\$6.00; Fur—\$6.00. Entries turned in day of show.	11-16 17 & Up	\$5.00 \$6.00	\$4.00 \$5.00	\$3.00 \$4.00	\$2.00 \$3.00
B.	This will be a no Sweepstakes show for any breed.	**** Fur Class Premiums Same as Below**** Best Of Breed: \$10.00 Best Opposite Sex: \$5.00				
C.	All exhibitors must pay admittance at the Gate—no exhibitor's pass required.					
D.	This Show will be run by the ARBA Show Rules, using the ARBA Show Remark Cards. Entries are to be made on the ARBA Forms. Your entry is to be TURNED IN THE DAY OF SHOW - Additional entry forms will be available day of show. Cards are to be made out by the EXHIBITORS and turned in with Completed Entry Form and Entry Fee.	***Provided 20 or more rabbits are shown I Best 6 Class: Commercial - \$20.00 Best 4 Class: Fancy - \$20.00 Best in Show: \$20.00 *Rosette for each				
E.	If rabbits are not entered correctly or do not meet ARBA standard, they will be disqualified.	Rabbit Classifications:				
F.	This will be a carrying case show.	American		Chinchilla, Standard		Lop, French
G.	All Rabbits must be permanently ear - marked in LEFT Ear.	American Fuzzy Lop		Cinnamon		Lop, Mini
H.	Stock will be released as soon as judged, except Best of Breed Which must remain for picking BEST OF SHOW.	l	American Sable		gent	Mini Satin
l.	Ribbons will be given to 5 th place in each class and must be picked day of show.			0		
J.	PREMIUMS will be paid at show - be sure to pick up premium winning before you leave show. NO PREMIUMS PAID AFTER 5:00PM SUNDAY	Angora, English		Dutch		Mini Rex
		Angora, Fre		Dwarf Hotot		Netherland Dwarf
K.	The Butler County Fair reserves the right to substitute or add judges.	Angora, Giant		Dwarf Papillon		New Zealand
L.	The Butler County Fair will not be responsible in case of fire, theft, or accident, however, precautions will be taken to avoid mishaps.	Angora, Sat	in	English Spot		Palomino
		Argente Bru	ın	Flemish Giant		Polish
M.	Jr. Fair Members NOTE: Your rabbits may be entered in this show and in the Jr. Fair show, by complying with all Open Class Show Rules.	Belgian Har	e	Florida White		Rex
		Beveren		Harlequin		Rhinelander
N.	Exhibitors are responsible for bringing their Rabbits to the Judging Tables for their class and returning them to their carrying cage when released by the judge.	Blanc de Hotot		Havana		Satin
О.	No breeding of rabbits allowed in the showroom.	Britannia Pe	etite	Himalaya		Silver
P.	Rabbits must be entered in the regular class to be eligible for competition in the Fur Class. The Butler Count y Agricultural Society Reserves the right to remove from the showroom any diseased animal. Entry fees on such rabbits will be forfeited.	Californian	ian Holland Lop)	Silver Fox
		Champagne	D'Argent	Jersey Wooly		Silver Marten
Q.	Decision of the judges is final.	Chinchilla, American		Lilac		Tan
R.	Exhibitors should enter Fairgrounds through Gate 4 on State		·			
	Route 4.	Checkered (Giant	Lion Head		Thrianta
S.	DUTCH and HOLLAND LOPS are to be in show room by 8:00 A.M. All other breeds to be in showroom by 9:00 A.M. Judging will start at 9:00 A.M.	Chinchilla, C	Giant	Lop, English	1	

Department NO. 7 - Dairy

David Vollmer-Member In Charge

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Entries close and must be into the Senior Fair Board Office by 3pm. On Saturday June 29th 2024. Late Entries accepted until July 13th 2024 at 3pm. With \$75/entry. If entries are mailed, you may check with the fair board office at 513.892.1423 to see if they have been received before the deadline. We are not responsible for delay or loss of mailed entries.
- B. Open Class exhibitors must purchase a Society Membership, 4-Day Pass or 7-Day Pass, except Butler County Jr. Fair Exhibitors who are entering their Junior Fair Animals.
- C. Stall rental is \$5.00 per head unless it is a 4-H or FFA project. Entry Fee \$8.00 per entry. Fees must be paid at time of entry. All Junior Fair animals must be entered under Junior Fair exhibitor's name. Do not reserve more stalls/pens than needed. If additional housing is reserved and cannot be accommodated, fees will not be refunded.
- D. Livestock must be in their proper places by 12:00 Midnight, Saturday, July 20th 2024.
- E. Livestock trailers will not be permitted to park in the infield fair week. Trailers must be moved off the fairgrounds after 12:00 a.m., Sunday, July 21st 2024.
- F. Any exhibitor making a protest against another exhibitor shall deposit \$200.00 with the Secretary at the time of making the complaint and if protest is not sustained will be forfeited.
- G. All Jr. Fair animals must be entered under Junior Fair exhibitor's name.
- H. All animals must be exhibited in show ring and judged, even in absence of competition, in order to be awarded premium.
- Exhibitors must furnish own bedding. No straw furnished. Straw and wood shavings Only type of bedding permitted.
- J. No Cooking in barns.
- K. Entries will not be accepted unless animals are registered. All exhibitors must be prepared to show certificates of registration when called for. Failure to produce registration forfeits right to show or award. No premiums will be awarded unless animal corresponds to description and ownership as shown by transfer certificates. All animals, regardless of age, must be recorded and appear in the name of the exhibitor on the records of the respective associations.

BREEDING RULES:

A. Entries will not be accepted unless animals are registered. All exhibitors must be prepared to show certificates of registration when called for. Failure to produce registration forfeits right to show or award. No premiums will be awarded unless animal corresponds to description and ownership as shown by transfer certificates. All animals, regardless of age, must be recorded and appear in the name of the exhibitor on the records of the respective associations.

- B. Misrepresentation as to breeding or ownership of animals and irregularity or violation of rules in showing will be exposed, and any premium won by such exhibitor or agents will be forfeited and if payment to exhibitor has been made before the evidence is given that such violations have occurred, the exhibitor must refund premium money so forfeited to the Butler County Fair Board of the State of Ohio or be barred from exhibiting at the Butler County Fair in the future.
- C. The unethical fitting of livestock which 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 is considered tampering and is prohibited. It should 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 conformation and degree of firmness, by administration of fluids or air internally or externally in a liquid, solid or gaseous state.
- D. The awards in Open Class Dairy Judging will be made Monday, July 22nd, commencing at 9:30 a.m.

Open Dairy Show:

Monday July 22nd, @ 9:30am:

Premiums for Dairy Cattle:

Classes:1-7 1st -\$20.00 2nd -\$15.00 3rd -\$10.00

<u>Classes</u>: 10-15 1st -\$20.00 2nd -\$15.00 3rd -\$10.00 4th -\$8.00 5th -\$5.00

Classes: 18-20 1st -\$15.00 2nd -\$10.00 3rd -\$5.00

Sections 1-3 N/A

Dairy Breed Sections:

Section 4: Ayrshire

Section 5: Brown Swiss

Section 6: Guernsey

Section 7: Holstein

Section 8: Jersey

Section 9: Milking Shorthorn

Classes for Dairy Cattle-Sections 4-9:

- 1. Junior Heifer Calf born March 01, 2024 Apr. 30, 2024.
- 2. Intermediate Heifer born Dec 01, 2023- Feb. 28, 2023.
- 3. Senior Heifer Calf born Sept. 01, 2023 Nov 30, 2023.
- Summer Yearling born June 01, 2023 Aug 31, 2023.
- 5. Junior Yearling born March 01, 2023- May 31, 2023.
- 6. Winter Senior Yearling-born Dec 01, 2022 Feb 29, 2023.
- 7. Senior Yearling Calf born Sept. 01, 2022 Nov. 30, 2022.

Junior Champion

Junior Best Three Females

 Junior 2 Yr. Old Cow - born March 01, 2022 - Aug. 31, 20212

- 11. Senior 2 year Old Cow born Sept. 01, 2021- Feb. 28, 2022
- 12. 3 Year Old Cow born Sept. 01, 2020 Aug. 31, 2021.
- 13. 4 Year Old Cow born Sept. 01, 2019 Aug. 31, 2020.
- 14. Aged Cow born prior to Sept. 01, 2019.
- 15. Dry Cow 3 Years and Over

Senior Champion

Grand Champion

- 18. Produce of Dam
- 19. Daughter of Dam
- ***Any age owned by exhibitor***
- 20. Best Three Females
- ***Shall be Bred and Owned by the Exhibitor***

THE PUREBRED DAIRY CATTLE ASSOCIATION SHOW RING CODE OF ETHICS

Adopted April 3, 2014

The showing of registered dairy cattle stimulates and sustains interest in the breeding of registered dairy cattle. It is also an important part of the promotion, merchandising and breeding program of many breeders. For these reasons, the Purebred Dairy Cattle Association (PDCA) believes that it is in the best interest of all breeders of registered dairy cattle to maintain a reputation of integrity in dairy cattle shows and to present a wholesome and progressive image of dairy cattle in the show ring. PDCA endorses this Show Ring Code of Ethics for all dairy breed shows and pledges its full cooperative support for its enforcement to show management, show judges, and the national breed associations. The application of this Code of Ethics provides for absolute responsibility for an animal's condition by an owner, exhibitor, fitter or participant whether or not he or she was actually instrumental in or had actual knowledge of the treatment of the animal in contravention of this Code of Ethics. Dairy cattle exhibitors shall, at all times deport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship. It is recognized that there are certain practices in the proper care and management of dairy cattle that are necessary in the course of moving dairy cattle to and between shows that are advisable to keep them in a sound, healthy state so they might be presented in the show ring in a natural, normal condition. At all times, exhibition livestock shall be treated in a humane manner and in accordance with dairy quality assurance practices so as to protect the health, safety and welfare of the livestock and the consuming public. No person shall present for exhibition or exhibit an animal which he or she knows, or has reason to suspect, is affected with or has been exposed to a dangerously contagious or infectious disease, or illegal or non-approved use of drugs, medication and/or prohibited substance, or residue. The position of the Purebred Dairy Cattle Association is that all animals presented for exhibition shall be in their natural conformation and structure, free of any alteration or modification by injection or internal or external administration of any substance or by any involvement

in unethical fitting.

GROOMING AND PREPARATION

Dairy cattle exhibitions are conducted under standards for evaluating conformation established by the PDCA Unified Score Card (1994), with specific breed characteristics taken into consideration by the show judge. In this connection, animals will be groomed and prepared for the judge's evaluation in order to display the animal's natural contour, conformation, performance and mobility. Specifically:

- 1 .External applications of cosmetics that affect only appearance may by used, including by way of example hoof polishes and false switches.
- 2. The maximum allowable length of naturally growing hair anywhere on the top line is not to exceed 1". Exhibitors will be required to comply with this rule before the animal is allowed to enter the ring.
- 3.Addition of foreign o jects, including but not limited o hair or hair substitutes, cloth or fiber ,to change the natural contour or appearance of the animal's body is prohibited.
- 4.Externally sealing the teat end with a preparation that does not harm the animal's skin is permissible. Natural teat placement will be given preference over artificially positioned teats VIOLATIONS: FALSE, DECEPTIVE OR UNACCEPTABLE PRACTICES

These practices are violations of the Code of Ethics and will be reported to show management and may be reported to the respective national breed associations:

- 1. Misrepresenting the age and/or milking status of the animal for the class in which it is shown.
- 2. Treating the animal, particularly the udder, internally or externally:
 - a. With an irritant or counter-irritant.
 - b. Using a device to artificially create or enhance the udder crease.
 - c. Using other substances as detected by testing that causes changes in the udder to artificially improve the conformation.
 - d. Plugging of teat canal with foreign substances.
- 3. Surgical or unethical insertion of any matter under the skin or into body cavities, performed to change the natural contour or appearance of the animal's body (e.g., administration of fluid via a stomach tube or other similar apparatus to fill the rumen), though not to preclude practices required or involved in normal management.
- 4. Criticizing or interfering with the judge, show management or other exhibitors while in the show ring or their conduct detrimental to the breed or the show.
- 5. Challenging, threatening or interfering with an ethics committee appointed by show management to monitor the animals on exhibit on the show grounds., and/or the national dairy breed association without recourse.

EXHIBITOR RESPONSIBILITY

The act of entering an animal in a livestock show is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter and/or absolutely responsible person (hereinafter referred to as "Exhibitor") for show management to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood, milk, or other substances from the animal to be used in testing. Materials may also be collected by ultrasound and photographic methods and by direct examination of animal. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter and/or absolutely responsible person (the "Exhibitor") to have disciplinary action for violation of this Show Ring Code of Ethics taken by show management, the state in which the show occurs, and/or the national dairy breed association without recourse.

SHOW ETHICS COMMITTEE

Each show should have an Ethics Committee. The make-up of this committee should include official breed representatives, representative (s) of show management (e.g., dairy cattle show superintendent, General Manager), the official show veterinarian, and Extension representative. The Ethics Committee will be responsible for monitoring violations of the Show Ring Code of Ethics. The Ethics Committee will investigate the report of any violation and determine the accuracy of the allegation. The Ethics Committee will have the authority to inspect animals and related material to determine if violations have occurred.

VIOLATIONS: REPORTING AND INVESTIGATION

Complaints of alleged violations can be reported to the breed superintendent, the show superintendent, show management, and/or the Ethics Committee. Before An Animal is Shown If the Ethics Committee suspects that a violation of the Show Ring Code of Ethics will occur if the animal is shown, and that violation is reasonably well established before the animal is shown, the Ethics Committee will submit a report to show management. Show management will discuss the violation with the Exhibitor:

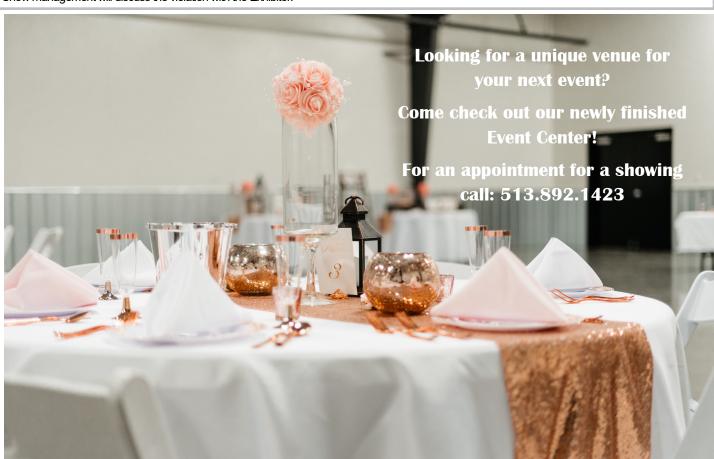
1.lf, at the Exhibitor's discretion, the animal in question is not shown, no violation will have occurred.
2.lf the Exhibitor wishes to challenge that a violation occurred,

he/ she/t hey will have opportunity to appeal to the Ethics Committee. If its decision is not changed, the Exhibitor will be denied opportunity to exhibit the animal in question.

During and After An Animal is Shown:

All animals are subject to examination during judging. The judge and Ethics Committee are instructed to examine the top five (5) animals in each class closely for violations of the Show Ring Code of Ethics. When a violation may have occurred, a milk out maybe called for. This call may be by breed association, the judge, the Ethics Committee, or show management. If an animal is exhibited and a violation of the Show Ring Code of Ethics is subsequently suspected, investigated, and determined to have occurred, the violation will be reported to the Ethics Committee and show management for action. The Exhibitor will be notified of the violation and the supporting evidence and invited to defend or explain the allegations. Violations are subject to the disciplinary provisions of show management, the state in which the show occurs, and the national dairy breed association. Sanctions may include anyone, or combination of the following:

- forfeiture or return of awards, prizes, premiums or proceeds;
- Written letter of reprimand to the owner, exhibitor, fitter and/or absolutely responsible person (the "Exhibitor");
- disqualification of the Exhibitor from the show;
- publication of offense Exhibitor. Disqualification may include any or all shows and classes and may be for any number of years.



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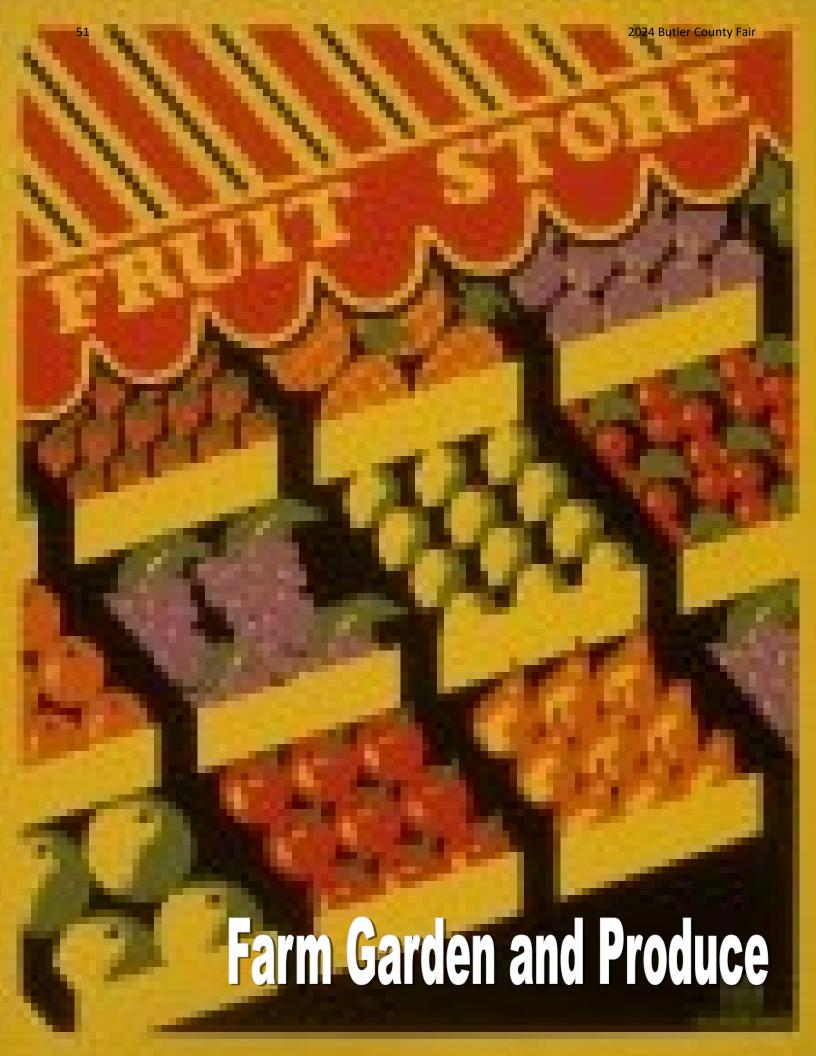
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<u>Department NO. 10 - Farm</u> Products & Garden Produce

Member In Charge-Gary Gerber

Lori Newport, Superintendent

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Entries for Art Hall are open June 27th-July 13th online and in office. Entries close and must be into the Senior Fair Board Office by 3pm. On Saturday July 13th 2024. If entries are mailed, you may check with the fair board office at 513.892.1423 to see if they have been received before the deadline. We are not responsible for delay or loss of mailed entries. No late Entries will be Accepted.
- B. Open Class exhibitors must purchase a Society Membership, 4-Day Pass or 7-Day Pass. This pass gives you 50 entries for the Art Hall. Once 50 entries are made the cost is .25¢ per entry, except for Junior or Children's Classes.
- C. ENTRY FEES: If participant qualifies by age, to enter Jr./ Child Division Classes and is not a FFA, 4-H, or Clover-bud member, there is a \$5.00 entry fee. (This fee does not include gate admission. \$5.00/day for 12 and under, or \$5.00 for a wristband for the whole week.) If this Jr./ child enters any Sr./Adult classes, they must purchase a 4-day or 7-day pass instead.
- D. Art Hall will be open Daily 9am-9pm.
- E. All articles will be released for pick up on Sunday, July 28th from 10:00 a.m. until 12:30p.m. Please make arrangements with Superintendents if picking up early. Unclaimed articles will be considered abandoned and may be disposed of as the Fair Board chooses.

All Rules for Sections 1-4

- A. Actual farm and garden produce (Sections 1 –4) must be delivered to the Art Hall between 9:00a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 20th. Exhibits must be completed during the same 6hr period.
- B. The judge will have the right to withhold an award if he or she feels the entry is not worthy of a ribbon and premium. All entries must be prepared or raised by the exhibitor. An entry tag must accompany each article.
- **C.** No farm, family or person will be allowed to make more than one entry in each class. As an example, Mr. Smith

may choose to enter in the potato class, item number 1, best plate of 3 Kennebec, Mrs. Smith cannot also enter 3 Kennebec, although she may enter any other of the five items of the potato class that Mr. Smith does not enter. If Mrs. Smith does not want to enter any potato category, then Mr. Smith may enter all five potato categories. No entries by clubs or groups will be accepted. This competition is for individuals only.

- D. All grains and seed must be shown in glass mason jars with screw lids and each variety labeled. All grain and seeds are to have been grown in 2023, except those which mature and are harvested before the Fair in 2024.
- E. Section 4— Exhibitors must be a bona fide beekeepers. All Entries must originate from the apiaries of the exhibitor and be the production of the current or first past season and not previously shown at the Butler County Fair.

Open Farm Products & Garden Show: Sunday July 21st @ 9:00am Honey Judging Sunday July 21st @ 12:00 pm

Premiums for Farm Products & Garden Produce:

Sections 1-4: 1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00

Section 3 - Class:7: 1st \$11.00 2nd \$6.00 3rd \$4.00

Class: 8: 1st \$6.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00

Section 4- Class:10 1st \$11.00 2nd \$6.00 3rd \$4.00

*** A Best of Show exhibitor will be selected from each Section.

^{***}Sections 1-3. Awarded with Rosette.***

^{***}Best Farm Display-Rosette***

<u>Section 1– Farm Products</u> Classes:

Wheat:

1. Any Variety, Label Variety

Oats:

2. Any Variety, Label Variety

Soybeans:

- 3. Soybeans **IN Mason Jar** from 2023, Any Variety, label
- 4. Best bush or stalk of soybeans, 2024 crop

Corn:

- Best Quart of shelled corn, any variety, labeled: 2021 Crop
- 6. Best 3 Stalks of new corn
- 7. Tallest Single Stock of New Corn
- 8. Best 6 Ears of Old Corn
- 9. Best 6 Ears of New Corn
- 10. Best Single Ear Old Corn
- 11. Best Single Ear New Corn
- 12. Longest Ear Old Corn
- 13. Longest Ear New Corn
- 14. Best 6 Ears Sweet White Corn
- 15. Best 6 Ears Sweet Yellow Corn
- 16. Best 6 Ears Sweet Bi-Colored Corn
- 17. Best 6 Ears Popcorn (2024)
- 18. Best 6 Ears of Indian Corn (2024)
- 19. Best Single Ear White Corn
- 20. Best Single Ear Sweet Yellow Corn
- 21. Best Single Ear Sweet Bi-Colored Corn
- 22. Best Single Ear Popcorn (2024) Crop
- 23. Best Single Ear Hulless Popcorn (2024) Crop
- 24. Best Single Ear of Large Kernel Popcorn (2024) Crop

Baled Hay & Mixed Grasses:

- 25. Clover, 2 Slices
- 26. Alfalfa, 2 Slices
- 27. Mixed Grasses, 2 Slices
- 28. Timothy, 2 Slices

Sheaf Grain: To Be Displayed in Sheaves

- 29. Oats in Straw
- 30. Timothy in Straw
- 31. Wheat in Straw
- 32. Barley in Straw
- 33. Rye in Straw
- 34. Best Display of Farm Products:
 - * Must contain at least 8 different labeled varieties raised by exhibitor. Judging will be based on Creativity and Quality of Products

Section 2- Garden Produce Classes:

Potatoes:

- 1. Best Plate of 3 Kennebec
- 2. Best Plate of 3 Katahdins
- 3. Best Plate of 3 Irish Cobbler
- 4. Best Plate of 3 Red Pontiac
- 5. Best Plate of 3 Idaho

Sweet Potatoes:

- 6. Best Plate of 3 Red Yams
- 7. Best Plate of 3 Nancy Hall
- 8. Best Plate of 3 Porto Ricos

Onions:

- 9. Best Plate of 3 Yellow
- 10. Best Plate of 3 White
- 11. Best Plate of 3 Red

Turnips:

12. Best Plate of 3

Cabbage:

- 13. Best One Head Flat Dutch
- 14. Best Two Heads Round
- 15. Best Two Heads Red
- 16. Largest Quality Singe Head (IN Circumference)

Eggplant:

17. Best Two

Beets:

- 18. Best 3 Dark Red
- 19. Best 3 Early Wonder

Carrots:

- 20. Best 3 Nantes
- 21. Best 3 Danver

Celery:

- 22. Best Stalk of Celery
- *Must be Displayed in a jar or larger glass container filled with water

Beans:

- 23. Best Plate of 18 Green podded bush beans
- 24. Best Plate of 18 Green podded pole beans
- 25. Best Plate of 18 Golden wax beans
- 26. Best Plate of 18 Large or Small Lima beans, In pods
- 27. Best Plate of 18 Horticultural Beans, in pods

Cucumbers:

- 28. Best 3 Long Green Cucumbers
- 29. Best 3 Pickling Cucumbers
- 30. Longest Quality Cucumber

Peppers:

- 31. Best of 3 Large Green Bell Peppers
- 32. <u>Best Display of Peppers</u>
 * Plate of 5 Different Varieties, Each Labeled

Tomatoes:

- 33. Best Plate of 3 Red
- 34. Best Plate of 3 Yellow or Golden
- 35. Largest Quality Tomatoes & Color
- 36. <u>Best Display of Tomatoes</u>
 *Plate of 5 Different Varieties, Each Labeled

Pumpkins:

37. Best Connecticut Field

- 38. Best Pie or Sweet
- 39. Largest Quality Pumpkin, Largest as well as Heaviest
- 40. Best Display of Gourds
 *Plate of 5 different Varieties Each, Labeled

Squash:

- 41. Best Hubbard, Any Variety or Color
- 42. Best Acorn, Any Variety or Color
- 43. White Bush Scallop
- 44. Butternut
- 45. Best Cushaw, Any Variety or Color
- 46. Best Quality Zucchini
 *9 Inches or under
- 47. Spaghetti
- 48. Summer Yellow Crookneck
- 49. Banana Squash, Blue or Pink
- 50. Longest Quality Zucchini

Melons:

- 51. Best Watermelon
- 52. Best Cantaloupe (Muskmelon)
- 53. Best Honeydew

Other Classes:

- 54. Best 3 Kohlrabi, White or Purple
- 55. Best 3 Okra, Green or Burgundy
- 56. Best 3 Stalks Rhubarb
- 57. Best 3 Garlic
- 58. Largest Quality Garlic

Section 3- Other Products Classes:

- 1. Tobacco-Best Stalk
- 2. Tallest Sunflower (Stalk & Head)
- 3. Largest Sunflower Head (Remove Stalk)
- 4. Corn Husk Article
- Wheat Straw Article
- 6. Painted Vegetable (Adult Entrant)

7. Vegetable Basket

*Five or more home grown vegetables arranged in a basket. Judged on artistic appeal as well as horticultural quality. Baskets will be displayed throughout the garden department.

8. Best Scarecrow

*Must be free standing and not over 8 feet tall. Judged on appearance, originality and effectiveness.

9. Best Junior Novelty Decorated Vegetable Contest *Exhibitor may be no older than 12 years of age and must do project them- selves. Projects must fit on a 10"x12" foil- lined cardboard (due to space limitations). Vegetable projects will be judged on imagination and creativity. Cards will be provided for naming of project.

** Ribbons will be awarded for placings 1-8.

10. Best Garden Display

*Must have at least ten different labeled varieties of garden products raised by exhibitor. Display must not exceed 2'x4' space. No changes or additions may be made after that time.

11. Decorated Yard Goose Contest

*May be wood, cement, or plastic goose. Will be judged on appearance and originality.

Section 4- Honey Sunday July 21st @ 12:00pm

*Extracted Honey-Each Class consist of three one pound jars (Queenline/Classic, NOT Mason Jars, With NO labels)

**Ribbons will be awarded for placings 1-8 in classes with as many exhibitors

*** Premiums will only be awarded for 1st, 2nd & 3rd place.

Classes:

- 1. White & Light Amber
- 2. Amber
- Dark

- 4. Infused, non-spicy
- 5. Infused spicy
- 6. Creamed, soft set, natural
- 7. Creamed, soft set, flavored
- 8. Comb Honey, 3 Sections, medium or shallow
- 9. Comb Honey, 1 shallow for cutting
- 10. Cut Comb-Enter 3 boxes
- 11. Extraction Honey-1 comb deep or medium
- 12. Beeswax- One pound minimum, one piece
- Novelty Items
 For the most novel exhibit produced by using Honey, Bees or Beeswax
- Best Display in Standard Observations Hive Containing Bees, Brood and Queen
- Black Jar- 2ox-4ox of honey judged on taste ONLY

Section 5- Junior Sunday July 21st

*Ages 12 & Under

**Premiums for Jr Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

Classes:

- Best of 3 ears of Corn, Uniform, any variety
- 2. Best Plate of 10 beans, any variety
- 3. Best 2 Cucumbers, uniform
- 4. Best 2 Sweet Peppers, uniform
- 5. Best 4 Hot Peppers, uniform
- 6. Best of 2 Tomatoes, uniform
- 7. Best 2 Squash, uniform

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Rules and Regulations:

The First Place winner of each class in Section 3 (Cakes) and the first place winner of each class in Sections 4 (Pies) will be asked to donate the winning cake or pie to be auctioned off.
 If the First place

winner declines, the second place winner will be asked to donate his or her pie or cake.

- The Pie and cake auction is optional for winning exhibitors.
- The exhibitor must mark the entry ticket of each pie or cake "yes or no" to indicate that he or she would be willing to participate should he or she be a winner.
- An exhibitor will not be allowed to auction more than 3 entries, unless there is a category with no contribution for auction.
- Fair Board is not responsible for notifying winners.
- Proceeds from the Auction will be divided 50% to the exhibitor and 50% to the Fair Board for use in improvements in the Art Hall.



Department NO. 11 - Culinary

Member In Charge-Gary Gerber

Katie Chafin-Superintendent (513) 785.9207 bcfcookbook@gmail.com

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Entries for Art Hall are open June 27th-July 13th online and in office. Entries close and must be into the Senior Fair Board Office by 3pm. On Saturday July 13th 2024. If entries are mailed, you may check with the fair board office at 513.892.1423 to see if they have been received before the deadline. We are not responsible for delay or loss of mailed entries. No Late Entries Accepted.
- B. Open Class exhibitors must purchase a Society Membership, 4-Day Pass or 7-Day Pass. This pass gives you 50 entries for the Art Hall. Once 50 entries are made the cost is .25¢ per entry, except for Junior or Children's Classes.
- C. ENTRY FEES: If participant qualifies by age, to enter Jr./Child Division Classes and is not a FFA, 4-H, or Cloverbud member, there is a \$5.00 entry fee. (This fee does not include gate admission. \$5.00/day for 12 and under, or \$5.00 for a wristband for the whole week.) If this Jr./child enters any Sr./adult classes, they must purchase a 4-day or 7-day pass instead.
- D. Culinary products must be in place in the culinary section of the Art Hall as stated at the beginning of each division shown below. Commercial products and products made from mixed will not be judged. All baked goods must be well covered with plastic wrap or in plastic bags. No entry will be accepted without the appropriate Fair pass, as explained elsewhere in the Fair Book. Fresh baked projects that do not place need to be picked up by 6:00 p.m. on the day of judging.
- E. All articles will be released Sunday, July 28th between 10:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. Please make arrangements with Superintendents if picking up early. Unclaimed articles will be considered abandoned and will be disposed of by the Butler County Agricultural Society.

Section 1- Decorated Cake

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Entries Must Be In Place by 11:00am Sunday July 21st.
- ⇒ Entry Tags must accompany all cakes.
- ⇒ All decorated cakes will remain on display for the duration of the Fair.
- ⇒ Judging will begin on Sunday, July 21st @ 1:00 p.m.
- All visible parts must be edible except for separator plates and columns. Other non-edible parts used for decoration will be judged at the judge's discretion.
- No more than one inch margin allowed between cake base and plate edge. Styrofoam as well as regular cake base may be used.
- ⇒ Cakes will be judged on appearance, originality and workmanship.

Premiums for Decorated Cake Classes 1st \$11.00 2nd \$9.00 3rd \$7.00 <u>Jr. Classes:</u> 1st \$6.00 2nd \$5.00 3rd \$4.00

Best Overall Cake in each group will Receive Rosette

<u>Professional Classes:</u>

*Business cards may be placed with cake after judging.
*All decorated cakes must be on boards no larger than 15½ inches square and no higher than 2 feet.

- *They must fit in cases for display.
 - Wedding Cake
 * Premiums for this class only*

 1st \$15.00 2nd \$10.00 3rd \$8.00 4th\$5.00
- 2. Any Occasion Cake
- 3. Butler County Fair Theme Cake
- Decorated Cupcakes
 * Any Theme Plate of 6
- 5. Decorated Cookies
 * Any Theme Plate of 6

Amateur Classes:

*Open only to those who do not decorate cakes for pay or sale.

- 6. Any Occasion Cake
- Butler County Fair Theme Cake
- 8. Decorated Cupcakes
 *Any Theme Plate of 6
- Decorated Cookies
 *Any Theme Plate of 6
- 10. Dessert Imposters*on real cake

<u>Junior Classes:</u>

*16 Years and Under

- 11. Fancy Cake With Flowers
- 12. Novelty Cake
- 13. Theme Fair Food

Section 2- Candy

NOTICE:

- Entry products must be in place in the Art Hall by 11am Sunday, July 21st.
- Judging will begin on Sunday, July 21st
 Following completion of judging of decorated cakes.
- ⇒ Candy must be displayed on a paper plate (6 pieces on the plate) and in a zip-lock bag.
- ⇒ Only placing candies will remain on display. The rest can be picked up Sunday evening.

Premiums for Candy Classes 1st \$5.00 2nd \$2.00 3rd \$3.00

Jr. Classes: 1st\$4.00 2nd\$3.00 3rd\$2.00

Best of Show Adult Candy and Jr. Candy will Receive Rosette

Adult Candy Classes:

- Chocolate Fudge *6 Pieces
- Divinity Candy *6 Pieces
- Caramel Candy *6 Pieces
- 4. Peanut Brittle *6 Pieces

- Peanut Butter Fudge
 *6 Pieces
- Buckeyes
 *6 Pieces
- 7. Any Other Candy
 *Name and Ingredients
 *6 Pieces

Junior Classes:

*16 Years and Under

- 8. Chocolate Fudge *6 Pieces
- 9. Divinity Candy *6 Pieces
- 10. Caramel Candy *6 Pieces
- 11. Peanut Brittle
 *6 Pieces
- 12. Peanut Butter Fudge *6 Pieces
- 13. Buckeyes *6 Pieces
- Any Other Candy
 *Name and Ingredients *6 Pieces

Section 3 - Cake

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Cakes Must Be in Place in the Art Hall by 10:30am on Monday July 22nd.
- All cakes must be out of baking pans and well covered, but do not leave in Tupperware or other such containers. Do not use decorative cake plates or holder.
- ⇒ Judging will begin Monday, July 22nd @ 10:30 a.m.
- Cakes will be released for pick up Monday afternoon when judging is complete

Premiums for Cake Classes 1st \$6.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00 **Best Of Show Cake will Receive Rosette**

Cake Classes:

- 1. Applesauce Cake
- Angel Food Cake *No lcing
- Carrot Cake With Icing
- Chiffon Cake With Icing
- 5. German Chocolate Cake
- 6. Jam Cake
- Devil's Food Cake With Caramel Icing
- 8. Pound Cake
 *No Icing
- 9. Pineapple Upside Down Cake
- Plate of 13 Spectacular Iced Cupcakes
 *Using Your Favorite Recipe With Cherry being one of the Ingredients
 *Name and List Ingredients
- 11. White Layer Cake With White Icing

- 12. Yellow Layer Cake With Chocolate Icing
- 13. Chocolate Layer Cake with Chocolate Icing
- 14. Pumpkin Cake
- 15. Plain Cheese Cake
- 16. Cakeroll *Any Variety
- 17. Your Favorite Cheese Cake
 *Name and List Ingredients
 *Refrigeration Available
- Your Favorite Cake
 *Name and List Ingredients

Section 4 - Pies

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Pies must be in place in the Art Hall by 10:30am on Tuesday, July 23rd.
- ⇒ Pies will be scored considering general appearance, tenderness, flakiness and flavor of the crust. The flavor and consistency of the pie filling will also be considered.
- ⇒ Refrigeration will be available for cream pies.
- ⇒ Judging will begin @ 10:30am on Tuesday, July 23rd

Premiums for Pie Classes 1st \$6.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00 **Best Of Show Pie will Receive Rosette and \$10.00**

Two Crust Fruit Pie Classes:

- 1. Cherry
- 2. Peach
- 3. Berry
- Cooked Strawberry
- Special Apple Pie Contest
 *You Must Use Fresh Apples in the Pie
 *Label Shortening used in Crust

One Crust Pie Classes:

- 6. Butterscotch Made From Scratch
- Old Fashioned Sugar Cream
- 8. Coconut Cream Made From Scratch
- 9. Chocolate Cream Made From Scratch
- 10. Pumpkin Pie
- 11. Pecan
- 12. Lemon Meringue
- Hand Pies Fruit or Cream Filling (Baked or Fried) *plate of 3
- 14. Your Favorite Pie
 *Name and List Ingredients

Best Of Show Pie

Section 5 – Yeast Bread & Quick Bread

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Breads must be in place in the Art Hall by 10:30am Wednesday, July 24th
- ⇒ Entries must be on paper plates and stored in zip lock bags or covered with plastic wrap. Do not use Tupperware or similar storage containers
- ⇒ Breads will be scored on general appearance, lightness, crust, crumb, texture and flavor.
- Quick Breads: Do not leave bread in pan
- Yeast Breads: Do not leave bread in pan
- Judging will begin Wednesday, July 24th @ 10:30 a.m.

Premiums for Yeast & Quick Breads Classes 1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00

Best Of Show Yeast Product will Receive Rosette & \$5.00

Best Of Show Quick Bread will Receive Rosette & \$5.00

Yeast Bread Classes:

- Raisin Bread *Loaf
- 2. White Bread *Loaf
- 3. Wheat Bread *I oaf
- 4. Loaf: Any Other Combined Grain(s) *State Name and Grain(s) Used
- Any Style Dinner Rolls *6 Rolls
- Cinnamon Rolls *6 Rolls
- Yeast Coffee Cake *8"x8" 9"x9" 8"round ONLY *Favorite Filling - Named
- 8. Machine Bread *Name - Any Variety

Quick Bread Classes:

- Your Favorite Quick Bread Not Listed Below * Include Name
- 10. Pumpkin Bread *Loaf
- 11. Your Favorite Donut *6 On a Plate
- 12. Ginger Bread *Loaf, *8"x8" 9"x9" 8" Round ONLY
- 13. Nut Bread *Loaf
- 14. Banana Bread *Loaf
- 15. Crumb Top Coffee Cake *8"x8" 9"x9" 8" Round ONLY
- 16. Biscuits *Your Favorite *6 On a Plate *Include Name

- Muffins *Any Variety *6 On a Plate *Include Name
- 18. Zucchini Bread *Loaf
- 19. Cornbread *Cut into 6 Pieces on a Paper Plate
- 20. Dried Homemade Noodles *Store in Zip Lock Bag

Best of Show Yeast Product

Best of Show Quick Bread

Section 6 - Cookie

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Cookies must be in place in the Art Hall by 10:30am on Thursday July 25th.
- Adult Cookies Six Cookies on a paper plate in zip lock bags.
- Judging will begin @ 10:30am on Thursday, July 25th.

Premiums for Cookie Classes 1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00 <u>Sr. Fair Board Cookie Jar:</u> 1st \$8.00 2nd \$5.00 3rd \$3.00 <u>Men's Bake Off:</u> 1st \$15.00 & Rosette 2nd \$10.00 **Best Of Show Cookie will Receive Rosette & \$5.00**

Adult Cookie Classes:

- 1. Chocolate Chip Cookies
- Ginger Cookies
- Oatmeal Cookies
- 4. Peanut Butter Cookies
- Refrigerator Cookies
- 6. Brownies
- Sugar Cookies
- Snickerdoodles
- **Bar Cookies** *Any Variety *List Name & Ingredients
- Best Diabetic/Gluten Free Brownie or Cookie *List Name & Ingredients
- Your Favorite Cookie *List Name & Ingredients

12. Senior Fair Board Cookie Jar Contest

*Cookie Jar Must Include 6 each of 5 Variety of Cookies *Each Variety of six cookies should be in a zip lock bag *Cookies will not be returned after Judging

13. Men's Bake-Off Contest

*Each Male Contestant will enter 3 Items

*A plate of 6 of his favorite cookies, cake & pie

* Pie must have homemade crust

**Each Item must be named. Judging will be based on quality, flavor & appearance of each item.
***Using a point system, the total high points will determine

the winner.

Section 7 – Juniors: Boys & Girls

NOTICE:

- ⇒ 16 Years and Younger
- ⇒ Baked goods must be in place in the Art Hall by 10:30am on Friday, July 26th.
- All baked goods must be out of the baking pans and displayed on either a foil-covered board or a paper plate and covered with plastic wrap or in a zip lock bag.
- ⇒ Do not leave Tupperware containers.
- Premiums will not be available until after conclusion of fair.
- ⇒ Judging will begin @ 10:30am On Friday, July 26th

Premiums for Junior Classes 1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00

Best Of Show Junior will Receive Rosette & \$5.00

Junior Classes:

- Chocolate Cake *Iced
- Yellow Cake *Iced
- Plate of 6 of Your Favorite Cupcakes *Iced & Named
- Plate of 6 of Your Favorite Biscuits
 *Named
- Plate of Your Favorite Muffins *Named
- 6. Plate of 6 Chocolate Chip Cookies
- 7. Plate of 6 Peanut Butter Cookies
- 8. Plate of 6 Snickerdoodle Cookies
- Plate of 6 Brownies
 *Not Iced
- 10. Loaf of White Yeast Bread
- 11. Your Favorite Quick Bread
 *Named
- 12. Any Two-Crust Fruit Pie
- 13. Plate of 6 Decorated Cookies *Judged only on Decoration

Section 8 - Jelly, Preserve & Jam

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Jams, Jellies and Preserves must be in place in the Art Hall between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 20th.
- ⇒ Entries must be in clean, proper canning jars with rings on the lids. The exhibitor must have prepared the entry within the year 2023-2024 and never before exhibited.
- All jars may be opened by the judge. Jars with rusted lids will not be judged. Each jar must be neatly labeled and edible in the judge's opinion.

- ⇒ Must be in canning jelly jars and processed
- ⇒ Preserves Preserves contain whole or large pieces of fruit
- ⇒ Jam Jar Jams are crushed or chopped fruit
- Judging will begin on Sunday, July 21st, following completion of the candy judging.

Premiums for Jams, Jellies and Preserves Classes 1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00

Best of Show Exhibitor will be Chosen from Sections 8,9 &10

****Winner will Receive a Rosette & \$10.00****

Jelly Classes:

- 1. Apple Jelly
- 2. Blackberry Jelly
- 3. Crab Apple Jelly
- 4. Grape Jelly
- 5. Raspberry Jelly

Preserves Classes:

- Blackberry Preserves
- 7. Cherry Preserves
- 8. Grape Preserves
- 9. Peach Preserves
- 10. Plum Preserves
- 11. Strawberry Preserves
- Raspberry Preserves
 *Black or Red
- 13. Tomato
 *Red or Green
- 14. Apple Butter
- Any Other Butter
 *Non Dairy

Jam Classes:

- 16. Blackberry Jam
- 17. Raspberry Jam *Black or Red
- 18. Strawberry Jam
- Sugarless Jam
 *Any Variety * Named
- 20. Freezer Jam *Any Variety
- 21. Marmalade *Any Variety
- 22. Pepper Jelly *Any Color * Mild, Medium or Hot * Please Label
- 23. Your Favorite Jam or Jelly Not Listed Above * Include Name and Ingredients

Section 9 – Pickles– Pints or Quarts

NOTICE:

- ⇒ PICKLES MUST BE DELIVERED TO THE At Hall on Saturday, July 21st between 9:00am and 3:00pm
- ⇒ Entries may be pints or quarts.
- ⇒ Judging will be Sunday, July 21st following the completion of judging of preserves, etc.

Premiums for Pickle Classes 1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00

Best of Show Exhibitor will be Chosen from Sections 8,9 &10

****Winner will Receive a Rosette & \$10.00****

Pints or Quarts Classes:

- 1. Pickled Beets
- 2. Pickled Mixed Vegetables
- 3. Corn Salad or Any Other Vegetable Pickled Salad
- 4. Zucchini Pickles
- 5. Bread & Butter Pickles
- 6. Dill Pickles
- 7. Green Tomato Pickles
- Sweet Pickles
- Any Other Pickles
 *Include Name & Ingredients

Best Sauce or Relish Classes:

- 10. Tomato Sauce
- 11. Chili Sauce
- Sweet Relish
 *List Name & Ingredients
- 13. Sweet Pepper Relish
- 14. Catsup
- 15. Salsa
- 16. Spaghetti Sauce
- 17. Any Other Relish or Sauce *Must Include Ingredients

Best of Show -Pickles/Sauce/Relish

Section 10 – Fruit & Vegetable

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Fruits and Vegetables MUST BE DELIVERED TO THE Art Hall on Saturday, July 21st between 9:00am and 3:00pm
- Best canned pints or quarts, one variety of fruit or vegetable per jar, except as noted.
- ⇒ Judging will be Sunday, July 21st following the completion of judging of preserves, etc.

Premiums for Fruit & Vegetable Classes 1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00 **Best of Show Exhibitor will be Chosen from Sections 8,9 &10**

****Winner will Receive a Rosette & \$10.00****

Fruit & Vegetable Classes:

- 1. Apples
- Apple Sauce
- Blackberries
- 4. Pears
- 5. Peaches
- 6. Black or Red Raspberries
- 7. Green Beans
- 8. Lima Beans
- 9. Beets
 *Not Pickled
- 10. Carrots
- 11. Corn
- 12. Peas
- 13. Tomatoes
- 14. Mixed Vegetables
- 15. Canned Sauerkraut
- 16. Squash *Any Variety
- 17. Okra
- Dried Vegetables
 *Any Variety-IN Jar
 *Does Not have to be Sealed
- Dried Fruit
 *Any Variety-IN Jar
 *Does Not have to be Sealed

Department NO. 12- Grange

-Member In Charge

Phil & Bev Foutz County Deputies in Charge

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Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Entries for Art Hall are open June 27th-July 13th online and in office. Entries close and must be into the Senior Fair Board Office by 3pm. On Saturday July 13th 2024. If entries are mailed, you may check with the fair board office at 513.892.1423 to see if they have been received before the deadline. We are not responsible for delay or loss of mailed entries.
- All exhibits must be in place by 6:00 P.M., Saturday, July 20th 2024.
- C. Displays are limited to subordinate granges of Butler County.
- D. No materials attached to ceiling.

Section 1- Best Grange Display

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Exhibits will be released Sunday, July 28th @ 10:00am-12:30pm.
- ⇒ The purchase of any products is for bidden. These must be grown by grangers.
- ⇒ Floor covering may be of natural materials, such as alfalfa, etc. or can be made of manmade materials.
- ⇒ Bible must be displayed closed.
- Flag is to be displayed in all booths and to be to the left of the booth as you face it.
- ⇒ Ribbons, or anything won by the grange, may be displayed.
- Achievements must be for the past year and Goals must be for the coming year.
- ⇒ Achievements and Goals will not be judged on the basis of what they

- were, but that each grange had Goals and Achievements and may be displayed anywhere in the booth.
- ⇒ Permitted to change flowers or water deteriorating products, Replace as needed.

2024 Score Card for Fair Display: Total 100 PTS. **Label Only State and National Contest Entries**

- BUTLER COUNTY GRANGES THEME (use any theme)
 Theme should tell grange story 30pts
- ♦ GRANGE ACHIEVEMENTS (Past year: July 2023-July 2024) 10 pts.
- ♦ GRANGE GOALS (Coming year: July 2024-July 2025) 10pts.
- ♦ GENERALAPPEARANCE 30 pts.
- MATERIAL USED (To be judged on quality instead of quantity)20 pts.
 - Grain-threshed or sheaf
 - ♦ Corn-3 varieties-ears & shelled or stalks
 - Grass seed-3 varieties of grass
 - ♦ Baked goods- 3 varieties
 - ♦ Fresh fruits and vegetables
 - State Baking Contest
 - ♦ Flowers- fresh cut or potted
 - Needlework- Sewing contests plus additional needlework and crafts to make nice display
 - Plants- all home grown

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Department NO. 13 - Flower Show

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Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Entries for Art Hall are open June 27th-July 13th online and in office. Entries close and must be into the Senior Fair Board Office by 3pm. On Saturday July 13th 2024. If entries are mailed, you may check with the fair board office at 513.892.1423 to see if they have been received before the deadline. We are not responsible for delay or loss of mailed entries. NO Late Entries Accepted.
- B. Open Class exhibitors must purchase a Society Membership, 4-Day Pass or 7-Day Pass. This pass gives you 50 entries for the Art Hall. Once 50 entries are made the cost is .25¢ per entry. Except for Junior or Children's Classes.
- C. **ENTRY FEES:** If participant qualifies by age, to enter Jr./
 Child Division Classes and is not a FFA, 4-H, or Cloverbud
 member, there is a \$5.00 entry fee. (This fee does not include gate admission. \$5.00/day for 12 and under, or\$5.00for
 a wristband for the whole week.) If this Jr./child enters any
 Sr./adult classes, they must purchase a 4-day or 7-day pass
 instead.
- D. Exhibitors may enter as many classes as desired, but may make only one entry in each class or subdivision.
- E. Garden clubs may enter only under Garden Club name, not an individual.
- F. All horticulture specimens must be grown by the exhibitor. All houseplants must have been owned by exhibitor for at least 2 months.
- G. Houseplants having received 1st Place in the previous year cannot be entered the following year.
- H. All specimens should be clean and free of spray materials, disease and insects.
- All cut specimens must be displayed in CLEAR, NON-COLORED GLASS containers of suitable size. (Entries displayed in paper cups, cans, etc. will not be judged.) Entries should be tagged before bringing to fair.
- On horticulture entries, leaves and/or thorns below the waterline should be removed.
- K. Waxed paper, soft foam or other suitable material may be used for support of horticulture specimens in their containers.
- L. Entries should include name of specimen, if known, for educational purposes. (More consideration, when judging, will be given to a groomed specimen, correctly named, labeled and attractively staged.
- M. Plant material used in artistic arrangements can be obtained from any source. Plant material used in artistic arrangements should be listed on a 3x5 card. No artificial plant material is permitted.

- N. The standard form of judging will be used and will be done by accredited judges of the Ohio Association of Garden Clubs.
- O. All articles will be released on Sunday, July 30th, 2023 between 10:00am & 12:30pm. Unclaimed articles will be considered abandoned and may be disposed of as the Butler County Agricultural Society sees fit.

Section 1– House Plant

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Houseplant entries must be in place Saturday, July 20th between 9:00 and 11:00 am.
- ⇒ These entries will remain for the duration of the fair. They will be released Sunday, July 28th, 2024 between 10:00am. - 12:30pm.
- ⇒ The owner may groom their plant Monday, July 22nd between 9:00am. and 10:00am.
- ⇒ <u>Judging will begin on Monday, July 22nd after Garden</u> Clubs.

Premiums for House Plants Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th\$1.00 **Best of Show House Plant Rosette & \$10.00**

House Plant Classes:

African Violets

- 1. African Violet-Single Crown-Single Bloom
- 2. African Violet-Single Crown-Double Bloom
- 3. Miniature-Single or Double

<u>Begonia</u>

- 4. Single
- 5. Double
- Beefsteak
- 7. Rex
- 8. Wax

Geraniums

- 9. Geranium In Bloom
- 10. Geranium In Bloom-Scented

Fern

- 11. Boston Fern
- 12. Asparagus Fern
- 13. Any Other Variety-Named

Any Other-Single Plant Only

- 14. Any Other Flowering Plant-9" Pot and Under
- 15. Any Other Flowering Plant-10" Pot and Over
- 16. Any Oher Foliage-9" Pot and Under
- 17. Any Other Foliage-10" Pot and Over
- 18. Dish Garden-Variety of Plants Excluding Cacti & Succulents

Hanging Baskets

- 19. Vining Geranium
- 20. Hanging Begonia
- 21. Ivy-Any Variety
- 22. Any Other Hanging Basket Grown for Foliage
- 23. Any Other Hanging Basket Grown for Bloom

Cactus and/or Succulent

- 24. Cactus
- 25. Succulents (only)
- 26. Hens & Chickens (only)
- 27. Dish Garden-Cactus and/or Succulents

Herbs-Container Grown

*Should be Potted and Identified

- 28. Oregano
- 29. Chives
- 30. Rosemary
- 31. Sage
- 32. Tarragon
- 33. Thyme-English
- 34. Basil
- 35. Marjoram-Sweet
- 36. Parsley
- 37. Savory-Summer

Section 2 – Patio Planters

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Patio Planters must be in place on Saturday July 20th between 9:00am - 11:00am.
- ⇒ Must Remain for the Duration of the Fair.
- ⇒ Patio Planters may be up to 18" overall in size
- ⇒ Patio Planter must be container grown by exhibitor for 2 months prior to fair
- ⇒ Label plants included in planter on a 3x5 card
- ⇒ Judging will begin on Monday July 22nd After Garden Clubs.

Premiums for Patio Planters Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th\$1.00

Patio Planter Classes:

1. Patio Planter

Section 3- Garden Club

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Entries must be placed between 9:00am -12:00pm Monday, July 24th
- ⇒ Members may place their arrangements in a designated place.
- ⇒ Judging will begin on Monday July 24th @ 12:00pm
- ⇒ Entries will be released Sunday, July 28th between 10:00am and 12:30am
- ⇒ For Garden Clubs Only

Premiums for Garden Club Classes 1st \$20.00 2nd \$15.00 3rd \$10.00 ****\$25.00 Will be given to each Garden Club Entering**** **Best of Show Rosette

Garden Club Classes:

 Most Artistic Exhibit By a Senior Garden Club **Eight Arrangements per Club

Section 4- Horticulture

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Open To All
- ⇒ Entries must be placed between 9:00am 11:00am Monday, July 24th
- ⇒ Entries will remain for the duration of the fair.
- ⇒ Judging will begin Monday July 24th @ Noon
- ⇒ Entries will be released July 28th, 2024 between 10:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

Premiums for Horticulture Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th\$1.00 **Best of Show Horticulture Rosette & \$10.00

Horticulture Classes:

Roses - Hybrid Tea

* Disbudded *1 Bloom

*Name Variety if Known *All Foliage Remaining

- 1. White or Near White
- Yellow or Yellow Blend
- 3. Pink or Pink Blend
- 4. Red or Red Blend
- 5. Lavender
- 6. Orange Or Orange Blend
- 7. Any Other Variety or Color

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Roses - Floribunda and Polyantha

*Spray *Not Disbudded *Foliage Remaining *Named

- 8. White or Near White
- 9. Yellow or Yellow Blend
- 10. Pink or Pink Blend
- 11. Red or Red Blend
- 12. Lavender
- 13. Orange or Orange Blend

<u>Grandiflora</u>

*1 Bloom *Foliage Remaining *Named

- 14. Red or Red Blends
- 15. Yellow or Yellow Blends
- 16. Pink or Pink Blends
- 17. White
- 18. Orange/Coral
- 19. Any Other Variety

Mini Roses

- 20. Any Variety, Any Color-1 bloom
- 21. Any Variety, Any Color –1 spray

Roses-Full Blown

22. Any Variety; One Stem; One Bloom

Celosia

- 23. Plumed Type-Not Disbudded
- 24. Crested Type-Not Disbudded

Any Other

- 25. Any Other Annual Not Listed
- 26. Any Other Perennial Not Listed

Dahlias

*1 Bloom *Disbudded *All Foliage Attached

- 27. Large-6" & Over
- 28. Medium-4-5"
- 29. Small-Under 4"

Gloriosa Daisy

30. Any Variety

Marigolds

*1 Bloom *Disbudded *All Foliage Attached

- 31. Large Orange-3" & Over
- 32. Medium Orange-Under 3"
- 33. Large Yellow-3" & Over

- 34. Medium Yellow-Under 3"
- 35. Collection of 3-Same Variety

Marigolds

*Small Flowered *NOT Disbudded

- 36. Single
- 37. Collection of 3-Same Variety

<u>Hemerocallis</u>

- 38. Red
- 39. Yellow
- 40. Orange
- 41. Melon
- 42. Any Other Color
- 43. Double-Any Color

Lilium, Lilies

- 44. Tiger Lily
- 45. Asiatic Lily
- 46. Oriental Lily
- 47. Trumpet lily
- 48. Magic Lily

Gladiolus

*1 Spike *All Foliage Attached

- 49. White-With or Without
- 50. Cream or Yellow
- 51. Orange or Buff
- 52. Red or Scarlet
- 53. Rose
- 54. Pink
- 55. Lavender/Purple
- 56. Smokies-Tan or Brown
- 57. Salmon
- 58. Green
- 59. Violet (Blue)
- 60. Collection of 3-Same or Different Varieties

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Miniature Gladiolus

- 61. Miniature 1 Spike-Any Other
- 62. Miniature Collection-3 Spikes-Same or Different Variety

<u>Snapdragons</u>

*1 Spike *All Foliage Attached *Medium Height-12"

- 63. White
- 64. Pink or Pink Blend
- 65. Yellow or Yellow Blend
- 66. Red
- 67. Orange
- 68. Lavender

Zinnia

*1 Bloom *Disbudded *All Foliage Attached *Giant Cactus Flowered-4^{1/2} & Over

- 69. Pink
- 70. Orange
- 71. Red
- 72. Yellow
- 73. White
- 74. Any Other

Zinnia

*Medium Cactus Flowered-2^{1/2}," to 4^{1/2},"

- 75. Pink
- 76. Orange
- 77. Red
- 78. Yellow
- 79. White
- 80. Any Other

Giant Flowered Zinnia

*41/2 & Over

- 81. Pink
- 82. Orange
- 83. Red
- 84. Yellow
- 85. White
- 86. Any Other

Medium Flowered Zinnia

*2^{1/2}" to 4^{1/2}"

- 87. Pink
- 88. Orange

- 89. Red
- 90. Yellow
- 91. White
- 92. Any Other

Small Flowered Zinnia

- 93. Button
- 94. Lilliput or Pompom
- 95. Any Other
- 96. 3 Stems-All Same Color-Same Variety-Blooms 21/2 & Under
- 97. 3 Stems-Each a Different Color or Variety-Blooms 2^{1/2} &Under

Section 5 – Jr. Horticulture

Notice:

- ⇒ Ages 12 & Under
- ⇒ Entries must be placed between 9:00am 11:00am Monday, July 22nd
- ⇒ Judging will begin on Monday July 22nd After Garden Clubs.

Premiums for Jr. Horticulture Classes

1st-\$4.00 2nd-\$3.00 3rd-\$2.00 4th-\$1.00

Best of Show Jr. Horticulture Rosette & \$5.00

Jr. Horticulture Classes:

- 1. Zinnia-Any Variety-One Bloom
- 2. Marigold-One Bloom
- 3. Petunia- 1 Stem Only-Foliage Attached
- 4. Any Other Annual or Perennial not listed above
- 5. Cactus-Any Variety
- 6. Dish Garden

material is

<u>Section 6 – Artistic Designs Senior</u> **Picture Yourself In Flowers**

Notice: NOTE TIME CHANGE

- ⇒ Entries must be in place on Wednesday July 24th between 9:00am & 12:00pm
- ⇒ Entries in this sections are open to all gardeners
- ⇒ Plant material used should be listed on a 3x5 card
- ⇒ Plant material used in artistic arrangements need not be grown by the exhibitor
- ⇒ Painted or dyed dry plant permitted
- ⇒ <u>Judging begins @ 12:00am on Wednesday July</u>
 24th
- ⇒ Entries are to be removed on Sunday July 28th between 10:00am-12:30pm

Premiums for Artistic Design Classes

Best Of Show Senior Artistic Design Rosette & \$10.00

1st \$15.00 2nd \$10.00 3rd \$5.00

Sr. Artistic Show Classes:

"Picture Yourself in Flowers"

- Picture yourself at the Butler County Fair-Own Interpretation
- Picture yourself at the Hamilton Ice Fest-Feature White Flowers
- Picture yourself at a Nascar Race-Own Interpretation
- Picture yourself at a Music Concert-Include Music Sheet.
- Picture yourself at Mardi Gras-Own Interpretation
- Picture yourself at a Cincinnati Red's Game-Feature Red Flowers
- Picture yourself at Pyramid Hill-A Design in the Vertical Manner
- Picture yourself at a Bengal's Game-Own Interpretation



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<u>Department NO. 14 - Household</u> <u>Arts & Crafts</u>

Member In Charge-Gary Gerber

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Rules Governing This Department:

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- A. Entries for Art Hall are open June 27th-July 13th online and in office. Entries close and must be into the Senior Fair Board Office by 3pm. On Saturday July 13th 2024. If entries are mailed, you may check with the fair board office at 513.892.1423 to see if they have been received before the deadline. We are not responsible for delay or loss of mailed entries. No Late Entries Accepted.
- B. Open Class entry form is located in the Back of the Fairbook or you may enter online.
- C. Open Class exhibitors must purchase a Society Membership, 4-Day Pass or 7-Day Pass. This pass gives you 50 entries for the Art Hall. Once 50 entries are made the cost is .25¢ per entry. Except for Junior or Children's Classes.
- D. ENTRY FEES: If participant qualifies by age, to enter Jr./Child Division Classes and is not a FFA, 4-H, or Cloverbud member, there is a \$5.00 entry fee. (This fee does not include gate admission. \$5.00/day for 12 and under, or \$5.00 for a wristband for the whole week.) If this Jr./child enters any Sr./adult classes, they must purchase a 4-day or 7-day pass instead.
- E. (Any other) classes are for those items that do not fit the categories listed.
- F. Exhibitor cannot furnish own competition. Only one item per class.
- G. No group or club entries. Must be individual entries. Item must be entered under name of individual who made it
- H. Items having received first place in previous years cannot be entered again.

- I. Tags for entries may be picked up at the Senior Fair Board Office beginning on Tues., July 16th 2024.
- J. All articles must be tagged and brought to the Art Hall on Friday, July 19th from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. for display. No items will be taken on Saturday, July 20th.
- K. Items must be displayed in area assigned by superintendent. No dress forms or mannequins allowed.
- L. Articles must be clean and neat.
- M. The superintendents have the right to reject any item that doesn't meet the above requirements or is judged unfit for display.
- N. All wall hanging categories must be fixed for hanging.
- O. The best possible care will be taken of all items, but the Society will not be held responsible for loss or damage to articles on exhibition.
- P. All articles will be placed and taken down by the superintendents or assistants. No article may be removed from hall until released by superintendent
- Q. The decision of the judge is final.
- R. Items can be picked up Sunday, July 28th 10:00am-12:30 p.m. After the deadline, unclaimed articles will be considered abandoned and may be disposed of as the Butler County Agricultural Society sees fit.

Judging Times:

Quilt & Afghan - Saturday July 20th @ 9:15am Sewing, Christmas, Toys & Wreaths - Sunday July 21st @ 1:30pm

All Other Items- Monday July 22nd @ 9:00am

Section 1- Quilts And/Or Bed Coverings

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Entries in Classes 1-16 Must be quilted
- ⇒ Entries in Classes 1-7 Must be at least 70"x90"

<u>Judging will begin on Saturday July 21st @</u> 9:15am

Premiums for Quilts and/or Bed Coverings Classes 1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00 4th \$2.00 ****Best of Show Quilt Rosette & \$10.00****

Quilts and/or Bed Covering Classes:

- Applique Quilt
- 2. Pieced Quilt (quilted by exhibitor)
- 3. Pieced Quilt (quilted by professional)
- 4. Embroidered Quilt (machine)
- 5. Hand Embroidered Quilt
- 6. Hand Quilted Quilt
- 7. Machine Quilted Quilt (quilted by exhibitor)
- 8. Applique Baby Quilt
- 9. Embroidered Baby Quilt
- 10. Pieced Baby Quilt
- 11. Other Baby Quilt
- 12. Small Pieced Quilt (quilted by exhibitor)
- 13. Small Pieced Quilt (quilted by professional)
- 14. Small Quilt Applique
- 15. Small Quilt Embroider
- 16. Miniature Quilt
- 17. Crochet Bed Spread
- 18. Hand Made Bed Spread (not quilted)

Section 2- Crochet

NOTICE:

<u>Judging will begin on Monday July 22nd @ 9:15am</u>

Premiums for Crochet Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00 *****Best of Show Crochet Rosette & \$10.00*****

Crochet Classes:

1. Hat

- 2. Neck Scarf
- Hat & Scarf set
- Cape
- 5. Tablecloth
- Slippers
- 7. Baby Dress
- 8. Baby Shawl/Shawl
- 9. Vest
- 10. Doily
- 11. Sweater
- 12. Collar
- 13. Baby Set
- 14. Booties
- 15. Any Other

Section 3- Afghan

NOTICE:

Judging will begin on Saturday July 21st @ 9:15am

Premiums for Afghan Classes

1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

*****Best of Show Afghan Rosette & \$10.00*****

Afghan Classes:

- 1. Crochet
- 2. Lap Robe
- Ripple
- 4. Granny Square
- Shell Stitch
- 6. Knitted
- 7. Baby Crochet
- 8. Baby Knitted
- 9. Afghan Stitch
- 10. Any Other

Section 4 – Knitted Articles

Judging will begin on Monday July 22nd @ 9:15am

Premiums for Other Knitted Article Classes
1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00
*****Best of Show Knitted Article Rosette & \$10.00*****

Knitted Article Classes:

- 1. Shawl
- 2. Vest
- 3. Hat
- 4. House slippers
- 5. Mittens/Gloves
- 6. Baby Set
- 7. Baby Dress
- 8. Scarf
- 9. Socks
- 10. Sweaters
- 11. Felting
- 12. Hand spun
- 13. Any Other

Section 5 – Hand Embroidery NOTICE:

Judging will be on Monday

Premiums for Hand Embroidery Classes
1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00
*****Best of Show Embroidery Rosette & \$10.00*****

Hand Embroidery Classes:

- Tablecloth
- 2. Sampler
- 3. Pillowcase
- 4. Dresser Scarf
- 5. Any Other

Section 6 - Christmas

NOTICE:

<u>Judging will begin on Sunday July 22nd @</u> 1:30pm

Premiums for Christmas Classes
1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00
****Best of Show Christmas Rosette & \$10.00****

Christmas Classes:

- 1. Wall Hanging
- 2. Santa Claus
- Gift Wrap
- 4. Ornament
- 5. Table Centerpiece
- 6. Wreath
- Door Decoration
- 8. Tree Skirt
- 9. Stockings
- 10. Angel
- 11. Snow Man
- 12. Any Other

Section 7 - Crafts

NOTICE:

Judging will be on Monday

Premiums for Craft Classes
1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

Craft Classes:

- 1. Jewelry one piece
- 2. Jewelry (set)
- 3. Refrigerator Magnet
- 4. Macramé
- Stain Glass
- Paper Crafts
- 7. Rug
- 8. Silk Flower Arrangement
- 9. Dried Flower Arrangement
- 10. Ceramic
- 11. Pin Cushion
- 12. Leather Crafts
- 13. Any Other

Section 8 – Counted Cross Stitch NOTICE:

⇒ Size Based on Cross Stitch Area

Judging will be on Monday

Premiums for Counted Cross Stitch Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00 ****Best of Show Counted Cross Stitch Rosette & \$10.00****

Counted Cross Stitch Classes:

- 1. Small 5x7 up to 8"x10"
- 2. Medium 8x10 up to 16"x16"
- 3. Large 16x16 or larger
- 4. Miniature
- 5. Sampler
- 6. Any Other (Non Picture)

Section 9 – Basket

Judging will be on Monday

Premiums for Basket Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

Basket Classes:

- 1. Woven (woven by exhibitor)
- 2. Material Covered
- 3. Lined
- 4. Decorated
- 5. Any Other

Section 10 - Wreath

NOTICE:

Judging will be on Sunday Afternoon

Premiums for Wreath Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

Wreath Classes:

- 1. Grapevine
- Fabric
- 3. Straw
- 4. Holiday, except Christmas
- Any Other

Section 11 – Wall Hanging

NOTICE:

Judging will be on Monday

Premiums for Wall Hanging Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00 ****Best of Show Wall Hanging Rosette & \$10.00****

Wall Hanging Classes:

- Crewel
- Quilted (Under 30")
- 3. Quilted (Over 30")
- 4. Embroidery
- Counted Cross Stitch
- 6. Any Other

Section 12 – Toy Classes NOTICE:

Judging will be on Sunday

Premiums for Toy Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

<u> Toy Classes:</u>

- 1. Stuffed Animal (Small)
- 2. Stuffed Animal (Large, over 12")
- 3. Stuffed Doll (Small)
- 4. Stuffed Doll (Large, Over 12")
- Material Dressed Doll
- Crochet Dressed Doll
- 7. Novelty (Toy)

Section 13 – Table Decorations NOTICE:

⇒ One Center Piece and Two Favors

Judging will be on Monday

Premiums for Table Decoration Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

Table Decoration Classes:

- 1. Thanksgiving or Halloween
- 2. Wedding or Anniversary
- 3. Baby
- 4. Birthday
- 5. Any Other (except Christmas)

Section 14 - Pillows

NOTICE:

Judging will be on Monday

Premiums for Pillow Classes
1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

Pillow Classes:

- Counted Cross Stitch
- 2. Needlepoint
- 3. Crochet
- 4. Quilt Pattern
- 5. Embroidery
- 6. Applique
- 7. Any Other

Section 15 – Table Runner or Topper NOTICE:

Judging will be on Monday

Premiums for Table Runner or Topper Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

Table Runner or Topper Classes:

- Embroidery
- 2. Crochet
- 3. Quilted
- 4. Holiday
- 5. Any Other

Section 16 – Machine Clothing NOTICE:

Judging will be on Sunday Afternoon

Premiums for Machine Clothing Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00 **Best of Show Machine Sewed Clothing Rosette & \$10.00**

Machine Clothing Classes:

CHILDREN

- 1. Dress
- 2. Skirt
- 3. Blouse/Shirt
- 4. Slacks (girl's or boy's)
- 5. Jacket (girl's or boy's)
- 6. Sleepwear (girl's or boy's)
- Sportswear (girl's or boy's)
- 8. Costume

ADULT

- 9. Casual Dress
- 10. Formal/Dinner Dress
- 11. Blouse
- 12. Skirt
- 13. Sportswear (women's or men's)
- 14. Slacks (women's or men's)
- 15. Housecoat/Robe
- 16. Women's/Men's Sleepwear
- 17. Men's Shirt
- 18. Adult Jacket
- 19. Vest
- 20. Coat
- 21. Suit
- 22. Costume

Section 17 – Gift Wrapping NOTICE:

<u>Judging will be on Monday</u>

Premiums for Gift Wrapping Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

Gift Wrapping Classes:

- 1. Baby
- 2. Birthday
- Wedding
- 4. Other

Section 18 – Decorative Clothing

Judging will be on Sunday Afternoon

Premiums for Decorative Clothing Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

Decorative Clothing Classes:

- 1. Child's Sweatshirt
- 2. Women's Sweatshirt
- Men's Sweatshirt
- 4. Child's T-Shirt
- Women's T-Shirt
- 6. Men's T-Shirt
- 7. Any Other

Section 19 – Machine Sewed Item NOTICE:

Judging will be on Sunday Afternoon

Premiums for Machine Sewed Item Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

Machine Sewed Item Classes:

- 1. Apron
- 2. Placemat
- Pot Holder
- 4. Carry-All
- Chair Cushion
- 6. Pillow
- Doll or Goose Clothes
- 8. Purse
- 9. Baby Outfit (12 months and under)
- 10. Machine Embroidery
- 11. Any Other

Section 20 – Recycled Old Items Into New

NOTICE:

Judging will be on Monday

Premiums for Recycled Old Items Into New Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

Recycled Old Items Into New Classes:

- 1. Clothing
- Household
- Needlework/Sewing
- 4. Crafts
- 5. Any Other

Section 21 – Wood/Metal Craft NOTICE:

Judging will be on Monday

Premiums for Wood/Metal Craft Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00 ****Best of Show Wood/Metal Craft Rosette & \$10.00****

Wood/Metal Craft Classes:

- Wood Carving
- 2. Wall Hanging
- 3. Wooden Toy
- 4. Wood Burning
- Home and Lawn Decoration
- Small Furniture (Refurnished)
- Metal Work (Under 30")
- 8. Any Other

Section 22 – Junior Craft NOTICE:

⇒ Ages 12 & Under

Judging will be on Monday

Premiums for Junior Craft Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00 ****Best of Show Junior Craft/Lego Rosette & \$10.00****

<u>Junior Craft Classes</u>:

- 1. Needlework/Sewing
- 2. Stuffed Toy
- 3. Model
- 4. Stain Glass
- 5. Pillow
- 6. Jewelry (one piece)
- 7. Jewelry (set)
- 8. Recycled old item into new
- 9. Wood/Metal
- 10. Any Other

Section 23 - Legos

NOTICE:

⇒ Ages 12 & Under

Judging will be on Monday

Premiums for Lego Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

Lego Classes:

- 1. Star Wars (Under 20" Wide)
- 2. Scenery set (Under 20" Wide)
- 3. Creatures (Under 12" Wide)
- 4. Scenery Original Design (small under 12" Wide)
- 5. Scenery Original Design (large under 20" Wide)
- Super Heroes

<u>Section 24 – Overcoming</u> <u>Disabilities</u>

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Developmental Or Physical
- ⇒ Judging will be on Monday

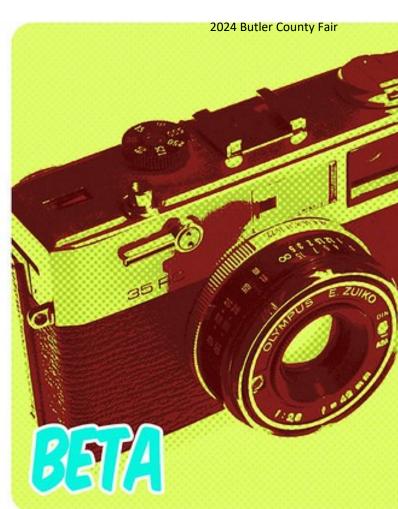
Premiums for Overcoming Disabilities Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00

Overcoming Disabilities Classes:

- 1. Yarn work (crochet, needlework) Weaving
- 2. Ceramics
- 3. Painting & Drawing
- 4. Crafts
- 5. Jewelry











Department NO. 15-Amateur Fine Arts

Member In Charge-Gary Gerber

Sonia Lightfield-Superintendent Rules Governing This Department:

Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Entries for Art Hall are open June 27th-July 13th online and in office. Entries close and must be into the Senior Fair Board Office by 3pm. On Saturday July 13th, 2024. If entries are mailed, you may check with the fair board office at 513.892.1423 to see if they have been received before the deadline. We are not responsible for delay or loss of mailed entries. Open Class exhibitors must purchase a Society Membership, 4-Day Pass or 7-Day Pass. This pass gives you 50 entries for the Art Hall. Once 50 entries are made the cost is .25¢ per entry. Except for Junior or Children's Classes.
- B. ENTRY FEES: If participant qualifies by age, to enter Jr./Child Division Classes and is not a FFA, 4-H, or Cloverbud member, there is a \$5.00 entry fee. (This fee does not include gate admission. \$5.00/day for 12 and under, or \$5.00for a wristband for the whole week.) If this Jr./child enters any Sr./ adult classes, they must purchase a 4-day or 7-day pass instead.
- C. Entry tag must accompany picture. Tags for all entries may be picked up at the Fair Office beginning on Tuesday, July 16th 2024.
- D. Only one entry per class per exhibitor.
- E. All work must be original work of exhibitor no kits, no Xerox type reproductions or color copies. No group or club entries.
- F. All entries must be made under an individual's name no group, club, family, farm, etc. entries.
- G. All entries must be of good taste and non-offensive to any person viewing them.
- H. Entries previously exhibited may not be entered again.
- I. Exhibits must be brought to the Art Hall on Friday,

- July 19th between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. with tag taped to top right corner of work. There will be a \$20 late fee due to the Fair Office, for any entries arriving after 3pm on Friday July 19th Articles can be picked up on Sunday, July 28th between 10:00am & 12:30pm.
- J. No incomplete or wet work will be accepted
- K. The Senior Fair Board or their representative reserves the right to reject any work which doesn't conform to the rules. All exhibits will be judged in respect to appropriateness for category, visual quality and composition, technical quality and display/presentation of print. Judge may choose not to award premiums in any class where desired quality is not exhibited. The exhibitor assumes responsibility for any loss or damage due to fire, theft or other causes.
- No articles are to be removed early or exhibitor will be prohibited from exhibiting next year.
- M. Unclaimed articles will be considered abandoned and may be disposed of as the Butler County Agricultural Society sees fit.

Judging Times:

All Fine Arts Judging will be held Sunday July 21st @ 10:00 am

Section 1 – Adult Painting/Drawing

NOTICE: For Sections 1-4

- ⇒ PAINTINGS: All entries must have been completed within the past year. All paintings must be ready to hang or they will not be accepted. It is suggested that watercolors and pastels be covered with rigid plastic (NO GLASS) for protection from dust, etc. All must be done on traditional medium not glass, metal, wood, etc.
- ⇒ DRAWINGS: All entries must have been completed within the past year. Must have cardboard/poster board backing. May use closed bottom sleeve protectors. Items will be hung with Velcro, not hooks.
- ⇒ Judging will begin on Sunday July 21st @ 10:00am

Premiums for Adult Paintings/Drawing Classes 1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00 4th \$2.00
****Best of Show Adult Painting/Drawing Rosette & \$10.00****

Adult Painting/Drawing Classes:

- 1. Oil
- Watercolor
- 3. Acrylic
- 4. Pastel
- 5. Pencil Class
- 6. Color Pencil Class
- 7. Ink
- 8. Mixed Media
- 9. Charcoal

Section 2 – Senior High Painting/ Drawing

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Ages 13-18
- ⇒ <u>Judging will begin on Sunday July 21st @</u> 10:00am

Premiums for Senior High Paintings/Drawing Classes 1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00 4th \$2.00

****Best of Show Adult Painting/Drawing Rosette & \$10.00****

Sr. High Painting/Drawing Classes:

- 1. Oil
- Watercolor
- 3. Acrylic

- 4. Pastel
- Lead Pencil
- 6. Colored Pencil
- Ink
- Mixed Media
- 9. Charcoal

<u>Section 3 – Junior Painting/Drawing</u> NOTICE:

- \Rightarrow Ages 8-12
- ⇒ Judging will begin on Sunday July 21st @ 10:00am

Premiums for Junior Paintings/Drawing Classes 1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00 4th \$2.00 ****Best of Show Junior Painting/Drawing Rosette & \$5.00****

Junior Painting/Drawing Classes:

- Oil
- 2. Watercolor
- 3. Acrylic (Tempera)
- 4. Pastels (chalk)
- 5. Drawing

Section 4 – Children's Painting/ Drawing

- NOTICE:
- ⇒ Ages 7 & Under
- ⇒ Due to space limitation, Children's section may be exhibited in another area. All pictures must be mounted on poster board no larger than 11"x14".
- ⇒ Judging will begin on Sunday July 21st @ 10:00am

Premiums for Junior Paintings/Drawing Classes
1st \$3.00 2nd \$2.00 3rd \$1.00
****Best of Show Children's Painting/Drawing Rosette****

Children's Painting/Drawing Classes:

- Watercolor
- Finger Painting
- Drawing

Section 5 – Adult Amateur Color Photography

NOTICE: Sections 1-8

- ⇒ Print size must be 8"x10" with an 11"x14" mat frame.
- ⇒ Mount on cardboard/poster board backing with clear plastic sleeve cover.
- Tags to be attached prior to drop off with tape in 5. Nature top right corner.
- ⇒ NO metal or wood frames or glass coverings.
- ⇒ Prints that are not properly framed WILL NOT be accepted for judging or display.
- ⇒ Prints will be hung with Velcro, not hooks. Kits with 11"x14" mat, plastic sleeve and cardboard backings will be available for purchase at the Fair Office as long as supplies last.

DEFINITIONS:

- ⇒ Portrait Planned photograph taken primarily to show identity and character of the included person or persons.
- ⇒ Picturesque–Photograph in which subject is a broad view such as landscape, seascape, or cityscape, etc.
- ⇒ Animal/Birds Photography in which primary subject is obviously an animal, bird, or insect.
- ⇒ Action Photograph depicting an obvious action by subject.
- ⇒ Nature A photograph of any natural subject that does not show obvious hand of man.
- ⇒ Still Life Planned and arranged photo of inani- 4. mate objects.
- ⇒ Miscellaneous Photo that doesn't fit into any other category.
- ⇒ Butler County Scene Any place in Butler County. Location must be named.
- ⇒ The winners of the Butler County Scene in each section will each receive an individual membership to the Butler County Historical Society and the opportunity to have their winning photograph on display at the Historical Society for the months of September – December 2023 (or any other mutually agreed upon time) compliments of the Butler County Historical Society.
- ⇒ Judging will begin on Sunday July 21st @ 10:00am

Premiums for Adult Amateur Color Photography Classes 1^{st} \$5.00 2^{nd} \$4.00 3^{rd} \$3.00 4^{th} \$2.00 ****Best of Show Rosette & \$10.00****

Adult Amateur Color Photography Classes:

- 1. Portrait
- 2. Picturesque
- Animal/Bird/Insect
- 4. Action
- 6. Still Life
- 7. Miscellaneous
- 8. Butler County Scene any place in Butler County. Location must be named.
- 9. Butler County Fair

Section 6 – Adult Amateur Black & White Photography

NOTICE:

⇒ Judging will begin on Sunday July 21st @ 10:00am

Premiums for Black & White Photography Classes 1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00 4th \$2.00 ****Best of Show Rosette & \$10.00****

Adult Amateur Black & White Photography Classes:

- 1. Portrait of Person
- **Picturesque**
- Animal/Bird/Insect
- Action
- Nature
- Still Life
- Miscellaneous
- Butler County Scene any place in Butler County. Location must be named.
- Butler County Fair

Section 7 – Sr. High Photography NOTICE:

- ⇒ Ages 13-18
- ⇒ Color or Black and White
- ⇒ Judging will begin on Sunday July 21st @ 10:00am

Premiums for Sr. High Photography Classes 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00 4th \$1.00 *****Best of Show Rosette & \$10.00*****

Sr. High Photography Classes:

- 1. Portrait of Person
- 2. Picturesque
- 3. Animal/Bird/Insect
- 4. Nature
- Butler County Scene Any place in Butler Coun- 3.
 ty. Location must be named.
- 6. Butler County Fair
- 7. Action

Section 8 – Junior Photography NOTICE:

- ⇒ Ages 8-12
- ⇒ Color or Black and White
- ⇒ Judging will begin on Sunday July 21st @ 10:00am

Premiums for Junior Photography Classes 1st \$3.00 2nd \$2.00 3rd \$1.00
****Best of Show Rosette & \$5.00****

Junior Photography Classes:

- Portrait of Person
- 2. Picturesque
- 3. Animal/Bird/Insect
- 4. Nature
- 5. Butler County Scene Any place in Butler County. Location must be named.
- 6. Butler County Fair
- 7. Action

<u>Section 9 – Computer Generated/</u> Modified

NOTICE:

- ⇒ Photo that starts as photograph either digital or traditional film, then is modified, manipulated or enhanced via a computer. The print may be computer generated or from film.
- ⇒ Judging will begin on Sunday July 21st @ 10:00am

Premiums for Computer Generated Classes Class:1&2:1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00 4th \$2.00 Class 3: 1st \$3.00 2nd \$2.00 3rd \$1.00 ****Best of Show Rosette & \$5.00****

Computer Generated/Modified Classes:

- 1. Adult (19 & Older)
- 2. Senior High (13-18)
- Junior High (8-12)

Section 10 – Scrapbooking

- ⇒ Theme Examples: Vacation, Family, Special Occasion, Historical, School, etc.
- ⇒ Neatness and style
- ⇒ Quality of photos
- ⇒ Artistic design and creativity
- ⇒ Journaling written story lines
- ⇒ Must have a minimum of 10 individual pages

Premiums for Scrapbooking Classes Class 1 & 2:1st \$5.00 2nd \$4.00 3rd \$3.00 4th \$2.00 Class 3: 1st \$3.00 2nd \$2.00 3rd \$1.00 ****Best of Show Rosette & \$5.00****

Scrapbooking Classes:

- Adult (19 & Older)
- 2. Senior High (13-18)
- Junior (12 & Under)

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Butler County Junior Fair Section 2024 Butler County Fair

Constitution

Article I – Title

The name of this organization shall be the Butler County Junior Fair Board.

Article II – Purpose

The purpose of this organization shall be to promote the interests of Butler County youth through their exhibits and activities at the Butler County Fair. Whenever possible, activities of the junior exhibitors shall be coordinated for the benefit of the total board. The members and officers of the organization shall cooperate with the Junior Fair Board Advisors and Senior Fair Board in carrying out the activities of the Butler County Fair.

Article III – Membership

Section I

Membership on the Butler County Junior Fair Board shall consist of representatives of 4-H Clubs, FFA, Family Career and Community Leaders of America and other established youth groups as the need arises. Youth organizations desiring membership on the Junior Fair Board shall submit an application to the Junior Fair Board. This would be approved by a 2/3 vote of the Junior Fair Board.

Section II

Representation shall be as follows: Total 45 Members

- 4 Beef Department Members
- 2 Dairy Department Members
- 4 Special Interest Department Members
- 4 Goat Department Members
- **4 FCS Department Members**
- 2 Farm Bureau Youth
- 2 Girl Scouts
- 4 Horse Department Members
- 5 Swine Department Members
- 4 Small Animal Department Members
- 4 Sheep Department Members
- 2 Dog Department Members
- 2 FCCLA
- 2 Boy Scouts

This representative will be open to review every year with changes based only on

Total enrollment of the participating organizations.

- Total Fair participation from within the various organizations
- Numbers and types of departments within the Junior Fair.

Section III

Junior Fair Board members will be selected by a selection committee consisting of no more than 2 representatives from each department. Farm Bureau Youth and Girl Scouts representatives will be selected by their respective organizations. New members shall be selected at the September meeting.

Section IV

Prospective Jr. Fair Board members must be eligible to exhibit at the Jr. Fair for two more years and be at least 14 years old by September 1st. They must also submit applications to the Junior Fair Board by September 1 of that year.

Section V

Junior Fair Board members will serve a term of 2 years.

Section VI

One-half of the representatives in each department listed in Article III, Section II will be selected each year. Any vacancies may also be filled.

Section VII

Junior Fair Board members may choose superintendents to assist with their duties at the fair.

Article IV - Organization and Meetings

Section I

The Junior Fair Board officers shall be elected at the November meeting as follows: President, Vice President, Secretary, Community Service and Fundraiser. No members can serve in the same office for more than two consecutive years. President and Vice-President must have served on the Junior Fair Board for one year previously.

Section II

Meetings of the Junior Fair Board may be called by the President of the Junior Fair Board or the advisor. A minimum of 8 meetings shall be held. A 4-day notice shall be given before a meeting is called, unless an extreme emergency exists.

Section III

A vacancy occurring on the board shall be filled immediately, for the unexpired term, by appointment of the Junior Fair Board. It shall be filled by a majority vote of the board members present at the next meeting after the vacancy occurs. Anyone who misses three Junior Fair Board meetings from September 1 through July 31, (excused or unexcused) will be removed from the Junior

Fair Board. Member's position will be declared vacant upon the third absence. The Junior Fair Board shall have the right to fill said vacancy until the next Junior Fair Board election for that vacancy.

Section IV

The officers of the Junior Fair Board will constitute the Executive Committee. Should immediate action on issues need to be handled, the Executive Committee, along with the Junior Fair Board in charge of that department ,may take action to address the issue

Article V - Duties of Officers

- It shall be the duty of the President at the sessions of the Board to see that the rules of the organization are enforced.
- It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to assume the duties of the President in his/her absence, and be in charge of all committees.
- It shall be the duty of the Secretary to record the minutes of the meetings of the organization and to receive and conduct correspondence
- It shall be the duty of the Community Service Officer to plan and conduct service projects.
- It shall be the duty of the Fundraiser to plan and conduct fundraisers.

Article VI - Adult Advisors

Section I

Each department mentioned in Article III, Section II may choose adult advisors at the October meeting with approval of the Senior Fair Board. The adult advisor will serve a term of one year and must follow O.S.U. guidelines regarding volunteer selection process.

Section II

The adult advisors will help plan and assist the Junior Fair Board members as the situation requires.

Section III

Advisors shall serve as Ex-Officio members with no voting privileges.

Article VII - Quorum

A quorum shall consist of 1 over 50% of the Board Members. A quorum must be present for any motion to be voted upon.

Article VII - Amendments

Amendments shall be submitted to the members of the Junior Fair Board in writing at least one week prior to the meeting on which action is taken. A 2/3 vote of the Junior Fair Board must be in force for any amendments added to the Constitution by the members present.

Article VIII - Complaint Procedure

A complaint for an alleged violation of the Junior Fair General Rules, Junior Fair Exhibitor Rules, or any other laws, rules, regulations policies or decisions (here in after "Rule") of the Junior Fair Board, Senior Fair Board, Ohio Department of Agriculture, or State of Ohio may be presented to any Director of the Senior Fair Board or the Fair Manager. The complaint must be in writing; it must clearly state the nature of the alleged Rule violation and the Rule that has been violated; and it must be signed by the party alleging that a Rule violation has occurred. At the time the complaint is presented, a non-refundable protest fee in the amount of Two Hundred and 00/100 (\$200.00) Dollars shall also be paid to the Senior Fair Board; a Director or the Fair Manager is under no obligation to accept a written complaint without the protest fee first being paid. The written complaint must be presented by 12:00 Noon of the day immediately following the day in which the alleged Rule violation took place. Upon receipt of a complaint as set forth above, the following procedure shall be employed, to-wit:

- A hearing on the alleged Rule violation shall be held by a designated committee consisting of certain Directors of the Fair Board and/or other qualified persons, as appointed by the President of the Fair Board, or a quorum of the Fair Board itself; it shall be held at a date and time to be established at the sole discretion of the Fair Manager or President of the Fair Board.
- At the hearing, the Exhibitor, his/her immediate family, Parents/Guardian, by themselves or through their attorney, or any other interested party may submit his/her evidence or comments on the issue of whether or not a Rule violation has occurred.
- Upon hearing the comments and/or evidence, the designated committee or Fair Board shall decide by majority vote, in its sole discretion, whether or not a Rule violation has occurred.
- The Fair Board shall notify the Exhibitor, his/ her Parents/ Guardians and/or immediate family of its decision on whether or not a violation has occurred and the disciplinary action to be taken pursuant to Paragraph 4 of the Livestock Exhibitor Agreement.

Butler County Junior Fair- General Rules for Participants

1. All Junior Fair members with a project or exhibit in the fair are eligible to receive a Junior Fair Wristband. Only adult advisors recognized by their respective youth organization and provided on an approved list are eligible to receive a Junior Fair advisor's wristband. There will be a \$5.00 fee for initial wristband, payable in cash or check at the time of issuance. Only one wristband per eligible member or advisor, who must personally show up to have the wristband put on by Senior Fair Board staff or authorized agent. Wristbands will be for admission into the fairgrounds and for identification. Wristband must be worn at all times. Wristband must stay on for as long as you need admission to the fair. If wristband is cut, taped, stretched, pried or otherwise damaged, it will not be honored at the gate and admission fee will be charged. All replacement wristbands will cost \$20.00. Wristbands will available during days and times listed; all other times may have a cost of \$20.00 per wrist band.

Wristband Sale Schedule:

Monday, July 15, 2024, 9:00am-12pm Tuesday, July 16, 2024, 9:00am-12:00pm Friday, July 19, 2024, 9:00am - 5:00pm Saturday, July 20, 2024, 9:00am - 5:00pm

- 2. All persons participating in the Junior Fair shall be subject to the laws and regulations of the State of Ohio and the Ohio Department of Agriculture, and in particular, the rules, regulations, and policies of the Butler County Agriculture Society. The Butler County Agricultural Society, by and through any director or directors of its Board (also referred to as Senior Fair Board), reserves the right to have any person or property removed from the fairgrounds (including camping and parking areas) for any reason whatsoever and in its sole discretion.
- 3. Participants in the Butler County Junior Fair must belong to a youth organization described in the Junior Fair Constitution.
- 4. The Senior Fair Board and Junior Fair Board in Butler County and their authorized agents shall not be responsible for any person either over or under eighteen(18) years of age on the fairgrounds or in any barns at any time.
- 5. Drugs, drug-related substances and alcohol are strictly prohibited upon the fairgrounds (including parking and camping areas). Matters concerning drugs, drug-related substances and/or alcohol, or evidence or suspicion of any type or nature

of the same, shall be referred to a director or directors of the Agricultural Society or its duly authorized agents for disposition. Any action to be taken on the matter is within the sole discretion of the Directors of the Agricultural Society, and such actions may include, without limit, the following:

- Referral of the matter to law enforcement authorities.
- Notice to parents and/or guardians.
- Removal from the fairgrounds.
- Bar from participating in any manner in future fairs.
- Forfeiture of any awards and/or prize money.

(Continued)



Friday, July 26th

Ages 5 to 18

Approximate start Time- 10:00 AM

Held by the Small Animal Barn on the fairgrounds.

Look for the signs!

GAMES INCLUDE:

*Feed the Birds *Pen the Pig *Three-Legged Race *Sack Races
*Water Balloon Toss *Pin the Tall *Tic-Tac-Toe *Bucket Pong
*Stick Horse Races *Carry the Cob

Do not have to be a 4-H member to participate

ALL KIDS WELCOME!



At the Small Animal
Barn from 9:00am to
9:45am

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- 6.The duplication of projects by 4-H, FFA or FCCLA members is not permitted.
- 7. Members must be enrolled in their respective Junior Fair organizations (4-H, FFA, etc.) by April 1 of the current year. Enrollment must include the selection of projects. Members may not change projects after the April 1st deadline. All exhibiting livestock projects must be registered with both the Junior Fair organization (4-H, FFA, etc.) AND the Butler County Senior Fair Office at the Fairgrounds. 4-H enrollment must be completed through v2.4honline.com. If 4-H enrollment is not completed by 11:59p.m. on April 1st of the current year, there will be a late fee of \$50 to complete enrollment in the 4-H program. If April 1st falls on the weekend, enrollment will be accepted on the next business day. To exhibit at the Butler County Fair, late enrollment, with the late fee paid, must be completed by April 15th of the current year. All late fees are payable by check to Butler County 4-H Committee. All late fees must be delivered inperson to the Butler County Extension Office, 1802 Princeton Rd, Suite 400, Hamilton, Ohio, during business hours. Additional late fees may be assessed by the Butler County Senior Fair office. Contact the Butler County Senior Fair Office for more information regarding their enrollment process and fees.
- 8. No gambling of whatsoever type and nature including, without limit, card playing for money, shall be allowed or permitted on the fairgrounds.
- 9. Vandalism or any other potential criminal activity of any type or sort shall not be tolerated and any such activity shall be referred to proper authorities for prosecution.

- 10. If a Junior Fair member is staying in a camper, then, a parent or guardian must be present in the camper during that night.
- 11. Once the Exhibitor has entered upon the Fairgrounds and has "checked in" as determined that Department's procedures, said Exhibitor and his/her parents and guardians may only remove the Exhibit from the Fairgrounds prior to the scheduled times with a written release signed by both a Senior Fair Director and the Board President. Said written release shall only be granted upon a valid excuse being given by the Exhibitor as determined by the Senior Fair Director and the Fair Manager in his/her sole discretion. In accordance with General Rules, Senior Fair Board shall determine the penalties for violating this rule which shall include, without limit, expulsion of the Exhibitor, his or her parents, guardians, and other immediate family members from the Fairgrounds in the year of the occurrence or a prohibition from participating in the following year's fair.
- 12. All Junior Fair members must exhibit their own projects unless they have more than one per class or if they are at the Ohio State Fair showing a Junior Fair project on the same day. In this case the other project must be exhibited by another Butler County Junior Fair member.
- 13. Junior Fair exhibitors must follow all department and exhibitor rules and guidelines relating to their exhibits.
- 14. All Jr. Fair Exhibitors must not have passed their 19th birthday by January 1st, of the current year.
- 15. Dress codes are set by each department. See department sections of the fair book for current dress codes.

Junior Fair Livestock Exhibitor Rules

- A) All Junior Fair members must comply with all rules and regulations dealing with exhibitors and all terms and conditions of the Livestock Exhibitor Agreement and Drug Use Notification Form.
- B) Junior Fair Exhibitors will be permitted to show their exhibits in the open classes, provided entries are properly filed with the Senior Fair Office, prior to 3:00 P.M. Saturday, July 13th.
- C) Equipment for feeding and watering livestock must be furnished by Junior Fair members themselves. Each Junior Fair Exhibitor will be expected to care for his/her livestock regularly throughout the fair, keeping pens properly bedded and aisles cleared at all times for visitors.
- D) Health regulations must be met before livestock is allowed onto the fairgrounds.
- E) All livestock entries are to be made on official entry blanks and filed at the Senior Fair Office prior to 3:00 p.m. June 8. Entry forms are available in the fair book. Late entries will be accepted until July 1with a \$75 per entry late fee.
- F) All livestock projects must be owned and in possession by Junior Fair exhibitors prior to May 1, of the current year, except for market beef which must be owned and in possession by January 1, and market poultry on June 1. Exhibitors may not change animals after the possession date.
- G) Market animals cannot be exhibited in a breeding class.
- H) Straw, mulch and wood shavings or sawdust are the only type of bedding permitted in any of the livestock barns.
- I) All Junior Fair livestock Exhibits must be in place by 7:00 p.m. Saturday, the day before the fair, except for hogs which must be in place no later than 12:00 p.m.
- J) Junior Fair livestock exhibits will be released for removal at 7:00 p.m. on the last day of the Fair. Jr. Fair Horses will be released at 2:00 p.m. on the last day of the fair. Sale animals may be released to the packer upon sale of the animal.
- K) For any animals and/or livestock that are not properly cared for, the Senior Fair Board reserves the right to have the animal and/or exhibitor and/or Junior Fair member removed from the Fairgrounds.
- L) Market Livestock (beef, sheep, swine goats, dairy cows, poultry, and dairy goats) must submit a drug use notification form at the weigh-in on the Saturday before fair (move -in day).
- M) Members exhibiting beef, sheep, swine, goats, dairy, rabbit or poultry must attend a Butler County Quality Assurance Program (QA) along with a parent/guardian in or-

der to participate in the Jr. Fair livestock show and sale. The Butler County Agricultural Society will accept any Quality Assurance program which is approved by Ohio State University Extension, in person or online at least 45 days before the Butler County Fair. Exhibitors may attend a Quality Assurance out of county with prior approval from Ohio Extension Office. Contact the Extension office for a list of QA dates .

- N) All Jr. Fair beef, sheep, goat, swine, and dairy must be groomed by the Exhibitor, members of their immediate family (mother, father, legal guardian, brother, sister, aunt, uncle, grandparent), any Jr. Fair participant, or Butler County 4-H or FFA advisor.
- O) Precautions will be taken to prevent loss or injury to livestock or other exhibits during the Fair. The Junior and/or Senior Fair Board will not be responsible for loss or injury to exhibits.
- P) A violation of the above rules shall be handled by a director or directors of the Senior Fair Board, who in their sole discretion, may dispose of the matter as said director or directors deem appropriate along with any disciplinary actions deemed appropriate. The hearing required for a violation of the Junior Fair Livestock Exhibitor Agreement is not applicable to a violation of these General Rules.
- Q) If you plan to either not exhibit or, due to an emergency, may arrive late, please contact the fairgrounds.



HOT DOGS

Butler County Junior Fair Section

LIVESTOCK EXHIBITOR AGREEMENT

For: Market Beef, Sheep, Swine, Goats, Dairy, Rabbits & Poultry

Please Read All Rules Carefully:

This Agreement is entered into between the Butler County Agricultural Society and its Officers and Board of Directors (collectively, hereinafter "Fair Board") and the Exhibitor and his/her Parents/ Guardians. In consideration of Fair Board allowing Exhibitor to show his/her livestock and small animals at the Butler County Fair, and in consideration of Exhibitor showing livestock at the Butler County Fair, and for the mutual promises contained herein, Fair Board, Exhibitor and Parents/Guardians agree as follows:

- 1) Fair Board, Exhibitor and Parents/Guardians shall abide by and comply with the laws of the State of Ohio, regulations of the Ohio Department of Agriculture, the rules, regulations and decisions of the Fair Board as set forth in the Butler County Fair Program Book, this Agreement or otherwise established by Fair Board decision from time to time. Violations of any of the above, as determined by the Fair Board, in its sole discretion, shall subject Exhibitor, his/ her Parents/Guardians, and his/her immediate family to disciplinary action as set forth in Paragraph 4 below.
- 2) Tampering as defined in this paragraph is absolutely and unconditionally prohibited and shall result in disciplinary action as set forth below in Paragraph 4.
- Definition. Tampering is defined to mean any one of the following:
- misrepresentation as to breeding, age, ownership, custody and/or any other irregularity in showing; or
- the unethical fitting of livestock which 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 conformation and degree of firmness, by administration of fluids or air internally or externally in a liquid, solid or gaseous state; or
- the use of any "unlawful substance" as that term is defined in the regulations of the State of Ohio Department of Agriculture; or

 engaging in a "prohibited practice" as that term is defined in the regulations set forth in the Ohio Administrative Code for the State of Ohio Department of Agriculture.

b. Testing.

- Grand and Reserve Grand Champions in Beef, Sheep, Swine
 & Goats shall be tested immediately following show.
- Exhibitor hereby permits and authorizes examination or testing of his/her livestock, and Fair Board hereby reserves the right to select for testing for any tampering as defined herein, any animal appearing in a livestock show or sale conducted by or under the direction of the Senior Fair Board. The expense of any such examination or testing shall be borne the Senior Fair Board. However, if tampering or a violation(s) of any of the rules and regulations of the Ohio Department of Agriculture or the Fair Board is found to exist, then, Exhibitor and his/her Parents/Guardians hereby agree to reimburse the Senior Fair Board for the cost of the examination or testing, and shall also be subject to any other disciplinary action as set forth below in Paragraph 4.
- 3) In the event of an alleged violation of any law, rule, or regulation, or any term of this Agreement, by an Exhibitor, his/her Parents/Guardians and/or assistants,that is initiated by a Director of the Senior Fair Board, unless immediate action is required by any Director of the Senior Fair Board, the following procedure will be used:
- a. A hearing on the alleged violation shall be held by a designated committee consisting of certain Directors of the Fair Board and/or other qualified persons, as appointed by the President of the Fair Board, or a quorum of the Fair Board itself, at a date and time to be established at the sole discretion of the President of the Fair Board.
- b. At the hearing, the Exhibitor, his/her immediate family, his/her Parents/Guardians, by themselves or through their attorney, or any other interested party, may submit his/her evidence or comments on the issue of whether or not a violation occurred.
- c. Upon hearing the comments and/or evidence, the designated committee of Fair Board shall decide by majority vote, in its sole discretion, whetheror not a violation has occurred.

- d. The Senior Fair Board shall notify the Exhibitor, his/her Parents/ Guardians and/or immediate family of its decision on whether or not a violation has occurred and the disciplinary action to be taken pursuant to Paragraph4.
- e. In the event an alleged violation of the laws, rules, regulations, or this Agreement is initiated by an Exhibitor, his/her Parents/Guardians, or other interested party through the protest procedure as set forth in the constitution, and rules and regulations of the Butler County Agriculture Society, then, said protest shall follow the procedures set forth in this paragraph.
- 4) In the event there is a determination that there has been a rules violation pursuant to paragraph 3 above, then the Senior Fair Board, in its sole discretion, may subject the Exhibitor, his or her Parents/Guardians, any immediate family member, or any other person to any and all disciplinary action it deems appropriate, which may include, without limitation, any of the following:
- a. Reimbursement of costs and expenses.
- b. Disqualification from any exhibition.
- Disqualification of the exhibition livestock from any exhibition or sale.
- d. Continuing Education
- e. Public Advertisement
- f. Probation
- g. Reprimand
- h. Forfeiture or return of awards, prizes, premiums and proceeds.
- i. Prohibition from Exhibition
- 5) All market Animals must be drug residue free on the Saturday weigh-in date of the fair, and remain drug free throughout the remainder of the fair.
- 6) Swine Department. Slick clipping or body shaving of hair on market hogs, except ears, tails and underlines has created problems in the "dehairing process" at the packing plant. If, in the sole discretion of the packer, the carcass is removed from the line and hand scraped, which increases packer costs, Exhibitor and his/her Parents/Guardians shall pay any such additional costs of packer of whatsoever type or nature for "dehairing" due to the hair length. Failure to promptly pay said amounts shall constitute a violation of this Agreement and the rules and regulations of the Senior Fair Board. All pigs will be tattooed at

- weigh-in to maintain identification through the packing plant.
- 7) Any exhibitor participating in a championship class may not remove their entry from the championship class except for safety reasons, which must be approved by a Fair Director.
- 8) Exhibitor hereby understands and agrees that the Junior Fair Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Swine, Sheep, Market Beef, and Goats must go through the sale and shall be terminal at a place and time designated by the Fair Board.
- 9) Exhibitor and his/her Parents/Guardians, for themselves and on behalf of Exhibitor and their immediate family hereby release, acquit and discharge the Senior Fair Board, its officers, directors, agents, employees, volunteers, successors and assigns (collectively "Released Parties") from and against any and all liabilities, damages, claims, causes of action, losses, demands, costs and expenses of every kind and nature (including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees) arising in any manner out of or in any way connected with the their participation in the Butler County Fair, the livestock exhibition, this Agreement, or its enforcement. In addition, Parents/Guardians shall indemnify the Released Parties from any losses, liabilities and damages (including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees) arising in any manner out of or in anyway connected with their participation in the Butler County Fair, the livestock exhibition, this Agreement or its enforcement.
- 10) Not withstanding the procedures set forth in paragraph 3 above, the Senior Fair Board, in its sole discretion, may take whatever actions against any exhibitor, parent, guardian, immediate family member of an exhibitor or any other person that it deems necessary and appropriate to preserve and protect the fairness and integrity of any exhibition and the principles under which the Agricultural Society is founded.

JUNIOR FAIR ORGANIZATIONS

4-H



Ohio 4-H membership is based on a child's age and grade as of January 1 of the current year. Eligibility for Cloverbud participation begins when a child is enrolled in Kindergarten and is five years old. Eligibility for participation in 4-H projects and competitive events begin when a

child is age 8 and in 3rd grade. Any youth age 9 or above is eligible for project membership, regardless of grade level. Membership requires enrollment in an authorized Ohio 4-H club or group under the direction of an OSU Extension professional or an approved adult volunteer. A youth's 4-H eligibility ends December 31 the year he or she turns 19. Joining Ohio 4-H is a privilege and responsibility for individuals and is subject to the Ohio 4-H Code of Conduct and applicable polices of the Ohio State University.

NATIONAL FFA ORGANIZATION

Jr. Fair Board Members in Charge: Anna Moeller & Addy Schwegmann

Adult Advisor: Kari Roberts

FFA is a dynamic youth organization that changes lives and pre-

pares members for premier leadership, personal growth, and career success through agricultural education. The FFA is a National Organization of young people studying Agricultural Education in public schools. Today, there are over 945,988 FFA members, aged 12-21, in 8,612chapters in all 50 states and Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands, FFA members in grades 7 through 12 and college.

Locally, the FFA organization is for students enrolled in Agricultural Education courses in public schools in Butler County. The FFA has become well known as an integral part of the Career & technical Education in agricultural programs that exist in the American public school sys-

tem. Organized in November of 1928, it has served to motivate and vitalize the systematic instruction offered to students of Agricultural Education and to provide further training in ideas of leadership, responsibility, and citizenship.

FFA develops members' potential and helps them discover their talent through hands-on experiences, which gives members the tools to achieve real-world success. Members are future chemists, veterinarians, government officials, entrepreneurs, bankers, international business leaders, teachers and premier professionals in many career fields.

FFA is an intra-curricular student organization for those interested in agriculture and leadership. It is one of three components of agricultural education: Classroom Instruction, FFA and Supervised Agricultural Experience *SAE). The official name of the organization is the National FFA Organization. The Letters "FFA" stand for Future Farmers of America. These letters are a part of our history and our heritage that will never change. The FFA motto consists of only four lines, but these lines are filled with practical philosophy reflecting the spirit and sincerity that shows the true viewpont of rural youth, the "Backbone of the Nation": Learning to do, Doing to Learn, Earning to Live, Living to Serve.

FFA is structured by three levels: local chapter, state association and national. In Ohio over 29,123 young people are members of 239 chapters. Agricultural education and the FFA have been represented in Butler County from the very beginning of the organization. Talawanda received its charter in 1957, Ross received its charter in 1972, D. Russell Lee JVS received its charter in 1975, and Edgewood received its charter in 1981.

Agricultural Education (FFA)-4-H Youth Development Memorandum of Understanding

- **OVERVIEW:** It is important for young people to engage in positive activities that help them develop life skills and best practices. Ff A and 4-H youth programs use many successful learning laboratories to enhance youth development. These two youth organizations are strongly committed to continued member participation in such learning laboratories. The following memorandum of understanding is designed to facilitate the working relationships between FFA and 4-H, as well as other collaborators in joint learning activities.
- A. AGRICULTURAL EDUATION (FFA) 4-H YOUTH DEVELOPMENT RELATIONSHIPThe persons supervising 4-H and Agricultural Education (FFA) youth work are expected to plan projects and programs which will supplement each other and will provide for the broaddevelopment of the individual. Acknowledgements of individual development in both organizations shall be considered in the appraisal of youth accomplishments.

Eligible youth may be members of either 4-H or FFA, or members of both youth organizations. When a youth belongs to both organizations, projects carried, in all cases, must be separate and different in an effort to broaden the youth's experience and learning. Examples of allowable projects taken by youth who belong to both organizations include:

4-H	FFA
Breeding Guilt	Market Hog
Market Broilers	Exhibition Poultry
Dairy Cow	Dairy Heifer
Welding (Door Stop)	Welding (Boot Scraper)
Vegetable Gardening	Agronomic Crops

- When a member encounters a problem in selecting a project, a conference should be heldwith the member and his or her parent(s) or legal guardian(s), the member's FFA and/or 4-H advisor, and the county OSU Extension 4-H Educator to discuss the situation and resolve the problem.
- B. THE FOLLOWING UNDERSTANDINGS
 WILL GUIDE STATE AND LOCAL RELATIONSHIPS WHENEVER 4-H AND
 FFA PARTICIPATE IN JOINT PROGRAMMING:

- 1.The names and emblems of 4-H and FFA will only be used in association with educational experiences that:
 - Meet the educational philosophies of youth development advocated by 4-H and FFA.
 - b. Have written rules that are followed, including a conflict resolution process.
 - c. Meet the laws of the State of Ohio and the United States, including but not limited to, Civil Rights, the Americans with Disabilities Act, and IRS requirements, when applicable.
 - d. Are conducted in an ethical manner.
- Competitive programs with joint participation will be limited to 4-H and FFA memberswho are age-eligible: eight and in the third grade as of January I, through December 3 I the year of the youth's I 9 ^{1h} birthday. Cloverbud 4-H members will only participate in noncompetitive programs and activities.
- 3. Understandings related to 4-H and FFA participation in junior fairs:
 - Junior fairs are important educational laboratories that provide:
 - i. Vehicles for education:
 - 1 .Teaching that enhances the learning and skills-development experiences of the youth, advisors, and families involved.
 - 2..Evaluation, both non -competitive and competitive.
 - Experiential learning, applied demonstrations, exhibits, and other in situeducational activities.
 - ii. Recognition of youth involved in learning experiences:
 - 1. Showcase for youth exhibits, displays, demonstrations on display and viewed by the general public.
 - Presentation and public display of awards for youth participation and ex cellence.

- iii. Visibility of youth programs:
 - 1. Opportunity to demonstrate to the general public the value of Agriculture and Leadership Programming through 4-H and FFA.
 - 2. Several youth organizations may be involved in these activities.
- b. The Junior Fair is one of the major components of most county and independent fairs.
- c. Local Agricultural Society Senior Fair Boards are legally responsible for all activities conducted by their Junior Fair. This includes the singular re sponsibility for all financial management aspects, including livestock and any other youth project sales, which are part of the Junior Fair.
- d. 4-H and FFA personnel from both organizations serve as a resource for 4-H and FFA involvement in Junior Fairs, but are not the final enforcers of Junior Fair rules and policies.
- e. The Agricultural Societies and their Senior Fair Boards do not manage or conduct FFA or 4-H programs. They are valued educational program ming partners, however they do not make 4-H or FFA rules and policies.
- f. The Ohio State University Extension and the
 Ohio Department of Education do not manage the Agri
 cultural Society or its Junior Fair program.
- g. The Ohio Livestock Exhibition Laws and Rules
 (Ohio Revised Code §901.72 Administrative rules
 for livestock exhibitions; Ohio Administrative

 Code Chapter 90 I:1-18 Exhibition of Animals) provide
 three major resources for dealing with problems
 related to the Junior Fairs:
 - i. RULES, promulgated by the Ohio Department of Agriculture address many aspects of livestock exhibits. These are uniform in all Ohio shows and carry the weight of law. They are enforced by the State and can be found in the Ohio Administrative Code and Ohio Revised Code.
 - ii. AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY-JUNIOR FAIR RULES are adopted and enforced by the individual county and independent fair boards.
 - iii. THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDER STANDING between FFA and 4-H out lines criteria necessary for both organiza tions to participate in a joint activity. The

criteria addressed in this memorandum include educational philosophy, ethics, and community involvement in addition to the leadership our professional personnel will provide for professional development, research, educational design, and idea sharing.





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THURSDAY, JULY 25TH
2 - 3:30 PM (OPEN HOUSE STYLE)



FAMILY, CAREER, AND COMMUNITY LEADERS OF • apple pie. AMERICA (FCCLA)

Jr. Fair Board Members in Charge: Sara Petri

Adult Advisors: Sharon Gregory

FCCLA, is a career technical youth organization for junior and senior high school students studying Family & Consumer Sciences. It was founded in 1945, and its mission is to promote personal growth and leadership development through Family and Consumer Sciences education. Focusing on the multiple roles of family member, wage earner, and community leader, members develop skills for life through:

> character development creative and critical thinking interpersonal communication practical knowledge vocational preparation



GUIDELINES:

- All students who want to enter or exhibit at the Butler County Fair in FCCLA categories must be a member of the Jr. Fair through enrollment with your FCS teacher or by registering with Sharon Gregory, Supervisor by calling (513)273-3200 ext. 3164. Students may obtain wrist bands for \$5.00 to the fair, prior to the fair, but is not required to enter.
- · A list of participants must be sent to Senior Fair Board by June 10th 2023 to obtain wristbands.
- Entries may be school graded projects and culminating or service learning projects.
- There will be two divisions for students to enter in all events: Grades 7, 8, and 9 will be JUNIOR Grades 10,11, and 12 will be SEN-IOR .
- · Grade level is to be determined as of January 1st of current year.

Bake-O-Rama

Judging Thursday July 27th @ 10:00 am

Baking Contest Categories:

- · decorated cake.
- chocolate cake.

- cherry pie.
- · favorite candy.
- large decorated cookie.
- · favorite other dessert.
- drop cookie.
- bar cookie.

yeast breads & quick breads

A. Products should be in place by 10 am.

- B. Judging results to be given by 12 noon. Any items left after 12:30 p.m. will be disposed of by the Jr. Fair Board Members in charge .
- C. Ribbons to be given are 1-5th place in each category. Judges decision will be final.
- D. One "BEST OVERALL" product will be given in the Jr. and Sr. category.

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- E. Members are permitted to enter two categories. They must be two separate categories. You may not compete against yourself.
- F. A copy of the recipe should be in place by the product during judging. Name & School should be on reverse side.
- G. All entries must be made from "scratch" except Decorated Cake may use a mix. All cakes must be real.
- H. Decorated cakes and cookie to use mainly icing applied with decorating tips. Make sure to have the icing recipe with the cake.
- I. Pies must be a pastry two crust pie made from "scratch".
- J. Lattice top is considered 2 crust.
- K. Candy, drop cookies& barcookies:3 per plate.
- L. **NO nuts** in any of the products.
- M. All products can be tasted at the discretion of the judge.

****ALL FCCLA CHAPTERS ARE ENCOUR-AGED TO PUT IN A BOOTH.SEE GUIDELINES IN THE 4-H SECTION OF THEFAIR BOOK.****

Jr. Fair Sponsors 2024

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Scout Adventure Display: In Youth Exhibit Building

GIRL SCOUTS

Western Ohio

Jr. Fair Board Members in Charge: Ann Kim & Mary Elizabeth

Morgan

Adult Advisors: Donna Morgan & Jenni Kim

Butler County Girl Scouts will be eligible to participate at the fair this year. Troops and service units from all over the county will be displaying crafts and projects in booths in the Youth Exhibit Building. All levels of Girl Scouting will be represented. Questions email:

BCFGirlScouts@gmail.com

Guidelines For the Butler County Girl Scout Exhibit

Participation in the Butler County Fair will be looked upon as a privilege and an opportunity for girls to show their skills, accomplishments, interests and ideas they have or have developed in Girl Scouts. This shall be expressed through high quality effort, neatness, and originality by each participant. Every registered Girl Scout (Kindergarten through 12th grade) will be eligible to enter. Neither Butler County Fair nor Girl Scout Council will be liable for lost or damaged exhibits or equipment. All rules must be followed. Rules will change yearly. Entries will be determined by the level the girl is registered in as of October 1st 2023. Bring your exhibit to the Butler County Fairgrounds Youth Exhibit Building on Wednesday, July 17th or Thursday, July 18th between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. (noon). Each exhibitor will be permitted to submit a project in as many classes as desired. However, you may not enter into a class not in your age level. NO MORE THAN ONE ENTRY CAN BE MADE BY AN EXHIBITOR IN ANY ONE CLASS. Girl Scout members may obtain a wristband to enter the fair for \$5.00. Scout Leaders need to send a list of participants to the Senior Fair Board by June 8th. Each entry will be marked with a tag that will include name, program level, and category name when you turn in your entry.

Please Read All Rules Carefully:

A) A 3x5 card should include the following information: Program level, how and why the participant made the entry (materials used) Include if the project has multiple parts. For judging purposes: DO NOT include your name on this card. Names will be placed separately on items when they are delivered.

B) Multiple items of a project should each have the class number and age category of the exhibitor clearly marked on them. Each part of the project should also have a count of what part of the exhibit the part is. (i.e. 1 of 3, 2 of 3, 3

All parts together should not exceed size restriction- see Rule #4 below.

C) All exhibits must be made by the exhibitor and must not have previously been entered in any Ohio State Fair exhibit. School projects done by the exhibitor maybe entered, even if it has been graded, but the grade, name of the exhibitor, and teacher comments must be clearly cov-

D) Exhibits may not exceed the following size requirements: 22x28x22 inches with the exception of projects that may be folded.

E) All artwork, wall hangings, etc., must be within the stated size limitations. All art material must be matted or framed and ready to hang. Wires, cords, etc., must be securely attached. No taped on cords or wire and no pasted on hangers should be used. Valuable craft items will not be boxed under glass. Unframed material may be stapled to display panels.

JUDGING:

- Judging will be completed in a closed setting prior together start of the beginning of the fair. Judges may not include the adult advisor. According to fair guidelines, results will not be released until 12 p.m. (noon) on July 19th 2024.
- Projects will be judged on originality, creativity, workmanship, attractive appearance, honesty of material and construction durable enough for the designed projects.
- Ribbons will be awarded to each project. This ribbon may be a placing ribbon or a participation ribbon.
- · Any project may be disqualified if found to be entered into the wrong age categories, being of size over that which is previously mentioned, and/or any other rule or guideline that is not being followed by the exhibitor. Project can also be disqualified if they are found to be dangerous in any way.

BREAKDOWN DAY AT THE END OF THE FAIR

Projects must be picked up at the Youth Exhibit Building at the Butler County Fair between 5-7 p.m. on July 27th or between 12 p.m.-1:00 p.m. on July 28th.lf you are unable to pick up your project, other arrangements must be made with Jenni Kim. NO PROJECT MAYBE LEFT AT-THEYOUTH EXHIBIT BUILDING. If any projects are left in the building they will be disposed of as deemed necessary. *Categories and Rules or Guidelines resemble those of the Ohio State Fair Girl Scout categories and Rules or Guidelines used for the Exhibit at the Butler County Fair.*

Class ID # Class Description

Daisy Individual Categories (grades K-1) **Life Skills**

D-1 Miscellaneous sewing projects (i.e. doll clothes, toys)

D-2 New Sew projects (i.e. tie blankets, pillows, fabric care)

D-3 Health and Safety (i.e. First Aid, personal safety, exercise, nutrition

D-4 **Animal Care**

Customs and Traditions

D-5 Holiday crafts

D-6 Friendship projects (i.e. pen pal, world, national friendship activities)

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Science & Beyond

D-7 Science experiments or ecology (scrapbooks, posters and displays)

D-8 Recycling projects

D-9 Miscellaneous paper projects (i.e. collage, mobile, paper airplanes, origami)

The Arts

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D-10 Fine art (i.e. painting – oils, acrylic, or water color)

D-11 Art (i.e. pen, pencil, ink, crayon, liquid embroidery, chalks, markers)

D-12 Fiber art (i.e. macramé, weaving, knitting, crochet)

D-13 3-D art (i.e. sculpture, string, wire, clay, metal, dough)

D-14 Needlework (i.e. embroidery, cross stich, needlepoint, crewel)

D-15 Decorated clothing/accessories (i.e. tie dye, original screen-print, fabric paint, stencil)

D-16 Jewelry

Communications

D-17 Scrapbooking and storytelling

D-18 Visual communications, sun prints, photos

Out of Doors

D-19 Nature projects, weather, outdoor safety

Girl Scout Program

D-20 Demonstrating Promise and Law (i.e. service projects, helping others, sister to every Girl Scout)

D-21 Juliette Gordon Law and history of Girl Scouts (i.e. life and times, past uniforms, badges, songs)

Brownie Individual Categories (Grades 2-3) Life Skills

B-1 Nutrition (i.e. books or charts, food diary)

B-2 Sewing project (i.e. clothing)

B-3 Miscellaneous sewing (i.e. doll clothes, toys)

B-4 No Sew projects (i.e. tie blankets, pillows, fabric care)

B-5 Health and Safety (i.e. first aid, personal safety, exercise, nutrition)

B-6 Animal Care

Customs and Traditions

B-7 Heritage and heritage crafts (i.e. family tree, sayings, traditions, historical people)

B-8 Friendship projects (i.e. pen pal, world, national friendship activities)

B-9 Holiday Crafts

B-10 Collections

Science & Beyond

B-11 Science experiments, ecology, or energy awareness

B-12 Recycling projects

B-13 Miscellaneous paper projects (i.e. collage, mobile, paper airplanes, origami)

The Arts

B-14 Fine art (i.e. painting – oils, acrylic, or water color)

B-15 Art (i.e. pen, pencil, ink, crayon, liquid embroidery, chalks, markers)

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B-18 Needlework (i.e. embroidery, cross stich, needlepoint, crewel)

B-19 Decorated clothing/accessories (i.e. tie dye, origi-

nal screen-print, fabric paint, stencil)

B-20 Jewelry

Communications

B-21 Puppets (i.e. finger, hand, marionettes)

B-22 Scrapbooking

B-23 Creative writing (poetry with or without illustrations)

B-24 Creative writing (stories with or without illustrations)

B-25 Visual communications (i.e. sun prints, photo)

Out of Doors

B-26 Outdoors projects, nature crafts, weather (rain gauge, forecasting weather station)

B-27 Camp planning (i.e. trail signs, kaper charts, camp health and safety, fire safety, camp meal planning, dressing for camp)

Girl Scout Program

B-28 Community service projects/special population projects

B-29 Demonstrate promise and law (i.e. collage, poster, game)

B-30 Girl Scout tradition (i.e. Journey, badge work, programs)

B-31 Juliette Gordon Law and history of Girl Scouts (i.e. life and times; past uniforms, badges, songs)

Junior Individual Categories (Grades 4-6) <u>Life Skills</u>

J-1 Nutrition (i.e. recipe books, food diary, food tests)

J-2 Sewing projects - clothing

J-3 Miscellaneous sewing projects (i.e. doll clothes, toys)

J-4 Quilting project (i.e. quilt, wall hanging, table runner, place mats)

J-5 No Sew projects (i.e. tie blankets, pillows, fabric care)

J-6 Sportsmanship and sports skills

J-7 Health and safety (i.e. first aid, personal safety, substance abuse, child care, exercise)

J-8 Animal care

Customs and Traditions

J-9 Heritage and Heritage crafts (i.e. family tree, sayings, traditions, historical people)

J-10 Holiday crafts

J-11 Collections

J-12 Friendship projects (i.e. pen pals, world, national friendship) or sites and tours

Science & Beyond

J-13 Money management, budget, or financial literacy

J-14 Career exploration

J-15 Science projects, robots, weather, recycling, ecology, energy awareness

J-16 Carpentry projects (i.e. doll house, tool- use displays) refer to Entry Rules for size limits

J-17 Recycling, ecology, or energy awareness

The Arts

- J-18 Fine Art (i.e. paintings-oil, acrylic, or water color)
- J-19 Art (i.e. pen, pencil, ink, crayon, liquid embroidery, chalk, markers)
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- J-21 3-D art (i.e. sculpture, string, wire, clay, metal and dough art)
- J-22 Needlework (crewel, embroidery, needlepoint) counted cross-stitch
- J-23 Decorated clothing/accessories (i.e. tie dye, original screen print, fabric paint, stencil)

J-24 Jewelry

Communications

- J-25 Visual (i.e. video, photography, prints)
- J-26 Performing arts (i.e. drama, handmade instruments, costuming)
- J-27 Creative writing, poetry or stories (with or without illustrations)
- J-28 Scrapbooking

Out of Doors

- J-29 Outdoor projects and nature projects
- J-30 Outdoor safety and camp planning (i.e. compass usage, knots, trail signs) or account of outdoor experience (i.e. poster, journal, scrapbook)

Girl Scout Program

- J-31 National, council, troop, or junior aide activities
- J-32 Girl Scout tradition (i.e. Journey, badge work, programs)
- J-33 Community Service project / special population project
- J-34 Juliette Gordon Law and history of Girl Scouts (i.e. life and times; past uniforms, badges, songs)
 Cadette, Senior & Ambassador Categories (Grades 712)
 - Note: Use the Appropriate C,S, or A before your number Category
- CSA-1 Nutrition (i.e. recipe books, food diary, food tests)
- CSA-2 Sewing projects clothing
- CSA-3 Miscellaneous sewing projects (i.e. doll clothes, tovs)
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- CSA-5 No Sew projects (i.e. tie blankets, pillows, fabric care)
- CSA-6 Sportsmanship and sports skills
- CSA-7 Health and safety (i.e. first aid, personal safety, substance abuse, child care, exercise)
- CSA-8 Animal care

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Come Check Out

THE FARM ZONE

Open Sunday-Friday 11:00am-7:00pm Saturday 11:00am-5:00pm

Special Event Schedule

Day	Theme	Times
Sunday	Farm Bureau Day	12:00pm-5:00pm
Monday	Kids Activity Day	12:00pm-5:00pm
Tuesday	OSU Extension Butler County Day	12:00pm-5:00pm
Wednesday	Butler County Soil & Water Conservation District Day	12:00pm-5:00pm
Thursday	Natural Resource Day	12:00pm-5:00pm
Friday	Historical Day	12:00pm-5:00pm
Saturday	Farm Zone Day	12:00pm-5:00pm

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GOOD LUCK EXHIBITORS AT THE FAIR

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Farm Bureau Youth

Farm Bureau Youth is the youth council of Butler County Farm Bureau Federation. Membership is open to any Butler County youth, ages 6 to 19. Members conduct their own meetings and participate in county, regional, and statewide activities including square dancing, and summer leadership camp. There is no individual competition, just a chance to have fun, develop leadership and social skills, and manage a cooperative. Two active Farm Bureau Youth members will be nominated by election at the July youth council meeting preceding the Butler County Fair, to apply for a seat on the Junior Fair Board. This member must be 15 years of age as of July 1st of the election year and must follow all rules set by the Junior Fair Board for election (Constitution -Article III, Section IV) except that one of the advisors signing the application must be a Farm Bureau Youth Advisor. When confirmed by the Board, the elected youth will serve a two-year staggered term, with the second FBY Junior Fair Board member and assist the Junior Fair Board in their duties. This year during the Junior Butler County Fair on Friday, July 30th Butler County Farm Bureau will sponsor Barn Yard Rodeo Fun Day at the fair. Will provide lots of fun and excitement for ages 2-

2024 JUNIOR FAIR KING & QUEEN CONTEST

Judging June 10th @ 7:00pm @ OSU Extension Office

Qualifications:

- Each candidate must be a member of a youth organization participating in the Butler County Junior Fair.
- Each contestant must be 16-18 years old as of January 1ST and not married, nor have been married, nor borne a child.
- Entries must be made before June 1ST, of the current year at the OSU Extension.
- Details will be announced at a later date.

II. Code of Conduct:

 Code of conduct will be signed by the new King and Queen. If they are found at fault, then the King and Queen will lose title.

Department Queen Competition: Notice:

- Candidates must have a project in the department they represent.
- · Candidates must follow the same qualifications as the Junior Fair Queen candidates for Butler County.
- Applications for Department Queen are due on June Every

crowned Department Queen is required to compete in the Butler County Jr. Fair Queen contest.

- · Department Queens will present awards at their departments' judging events, and be present at the Showman of Showman program on Friday evening of Fair week..
- · Department Queens will dress appropriately when wearing their crown and sash.
- · Candidates can be selected as Department Queen in only one department in a given year.

III. Reigning Queen:

- The reigning Queen of the Butler County Junior Fair shall be eligible to compete in the State Junior Fair Queen contest representing Butler County. IV. Scoring:
- Scoring will be done on the following basis:

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Scoring	
Activities:************************************	
» Participation	
» Achievenment	
» Leadership	
» Community Service	

Poise & Personality	20%
Personal Apperance	20%
Submit One Letter of Reconmendation	10%



King: Ryland Becker

Queen: Alyssa Thomspson

King and Queen: Trophies, Crown** *Runner Up: Plaques*

Donated By: Lindenwald Kiwanis

Herdsman Award

Notice:

Awarded at Grand Showman of Showman Contest. The Herdsman contest is open to all Jr. Fair members, exhibiting livestock including Beef, Sheep, Swine, Dairy and Goats. Scoring criteria: done on the following basis in terms of %.

- Sportsmanship 30pts.
 - » In Showing
 - » Greeting Public
 - » With Jr. Fair Members
- Evidence of respect and courtesy to public and other members 10pts.
- Leadership ability 25pts.
- Cleanliness of project area and animals -20pts.
- Appearance of project Display- 15pts.
- *Jr. Fair Board members and superintendent are allowed to receive award.
- **Will be judged by Adult Advisor/Jr. Fair Board & Senior Fair Board

Premier Exhibitor Award

Sponsored By: Gordon Cornelius Family Rules:

- **A)** There will be one Premiere Exhibitor Award given to the highest point scorer from each of the following depts.: Beef, Sheep, Swine, Horse, Goat, Dairy Cattle, Rabbit, Poultry, Dog, Nutrition, Clothing, Small Engine, Gardening & Shooting Sports.
- **B)** The Premiere Exhibitor Award will only be given to senior exhibitors, those who are at least 14 years old as of January 1, of current year.
- **C)** The award scoring will be broken down into three categories for Beef, Sheep, Swine, Goat, Dairy Cattle, Rabbit, Poultry, Dog, and Horse. Two categories will be utilized for the Nutrition, Clothing, Small Engine, Gardening and Shooting Sports.
- **D)** The scoring using 3 categories will consist of Skillathon placing, Showmanship placing, and the exhibitor's top live animal placing. *Horses will use the exhibitor's largest 2 classes for points, plus Skillathon. Exhibitors market animal placing takes priority. If a member does not show a market animal, their largest non-market Jr. fair class

placing will be used.

- **E)** To earn premiere exhibitor points, the exhibitor must have a project in that species and be registered in the Premiere Exhibitor Program. This will not interfere with exhibitors wanting to participate in Skillathon's outside of their species area. Nor will it interfere with determining the 1st and 2nd place winners in the Skillathon. The points a participant will receive will be based on their placing among all participants in each Skillathon.
- **F)** For tie breaking an oral five-question quiz will be used. These tie-breaking measures will only be used between the two exhibitors who are tied.
- **G)** Once a person wins the Premiere Exhibitor Award in a specie area, they are not eligible to win again in the same area. Although they may win in a different species.
- **H)** The points will be awarded on the following system. For everything except FCS (5 places) 1^{ST} 25 PTS. 2^{ND} 23 PTS. 3^{RD} 21 PTS. 4^{TH} 19 PTS. 5^{TH} 17 PTS. 6^{TH} 15 PTS. 7^{TH} 13 PTS. 8^{TH} 11 PTS.
- *All participants will receive 10 pts. if they do not place.
- I) The award will be presented prior to the start of the Grand Showman of All Showmen Contest at approximately 6:30 p.m.
- **J)** Only points awarded to a participant are legal for that species. For example, beef participants do not have more of a chance for receiving points because their classes are smaller than those of swine. Beef compete against beef, swine against swine. The two species do not cross. To be eligible one must compete in all three categories.
- **K)** Exhibitors cannot win in more than one category in a given year.
- **L)** Premiere Exhibitor forms **MUST** be turned in on weigh-in day (Saturday) and is due no later than 9:00 pm in the Jr. Fair Office.

Junior Fair Skillathon Contest

2024 SKILLATHON DATES & LOCATIONS:

For all livestock departments (Beef, Goat, Swine, Sheep, Poultry, Rabbit, Dairy & Horse) Skillathon will be July 18, 2024 from 9am-noon & 1pm-5pm in the Event Center at the Fairgrounds. Nutrition department Skillathon will be during Nutrition Project judging from 9am-noon. Shooting Sports, FCS, and Special Interest contest dates TBD as of this book printing. Check for updated information at www.butler.osu.edu.

- I) Top scorers will receive a special recognition at the Fair's Award Ceremony. Contestants receiving said awards will be given notice by email to attend the ceremony to pick up their awards. Awards not picked up at the Fair Award Ceremony will be available from the OSU Extension Office after the fair.
- J) Skillathon kits may be used at educational meetings and workshops and may be checked out from the OSU Extension Office.
- A) Members need not be enrolled in a project in the Skillathon Contest category in order to participate. Those participating in any of the contests are asked to go to the registration table at the location of the contest to get entered.
- B) Participants needing reading assistance will be provided service if it is requested at contest check-in.
- C) Age levels: The age levels for the contest are as follows for all Skillathon Contests:

Juniors-3rd Grade and 8 years old thru 13 years old

Seniors-14 to 19 years old.

- D) The Skillathon Contests will have guestions from the skillathon kits, current project manuals, OSU Extension website, Ohio State University Extension Skillathon materials sources online from website or a combination of all.
- F) Each contest will have a series of 25 questions used for scoring the contestant. Contestants with tie scores will be asked to return to the contest test area to answer tiebreaker questions until the tie is broken.
- G) No contestants will be allowed to use cell phones or other communication devices in the testing area. All cell phones must be on silent or vibrate only.

Jr. Fair Skillathon Donors 2024

Agri Pet Veterinary Services Butler County Pork Producers Butler County Sheriff Mounted

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Butler County Junior Fair Showmanship

- **A)** Rules are for the Beef, Sheep, Swine, Dairy & Goat areas. Each individual species Jr Fairboard determines how their representative qualifies (see each department for details)
- **B)** The showmanship contest shall be open to any Junior Fair exhibitor in his or her area.
- **C)** Age groups will be broken down as designated in each area.
- **D)** Class winners must compete in their age group each year.
- E) Winners from all age classes may compete for "Showman of Showmen" in their area. (Current year's winners only)
- **F)** Exhibitors must show their own animals.
- **G)** Grand Showman of all Showmen Contestants will be the highest placing individual and must be 14 yr. 4-H age at minimum
- **H)** Exhibitors will participate in their age group as of January 1st.
- I) Exhibitors may decline their privilege of participation in the Showman of Showman Contest upon doing so, the next highest placing 14 year-old or older will be eligible.

Grand Showman of All Showmen
Coordinator: Amy Darner & Karen Hiltbrand

Show: Friday July 26th @ 6:30pm @ The Morris VanGorden Show Arena Sponsored By: "Lou Hoelle Hamilton Kiwanis Award"

Rules:

- **A)** The contest will be divided into six parts (beef, swine, sheep, dairy, horses & goats) with a different judge for each of the six livestock departments represented.
- **B)** Members will show six species using correct showmanship techniques. The showmanship winner from each species

- will demonstrate using own animal for the species. They will not be judged for that species.
- **C)** Five animals in each species will be shown in each class when available.
- **D)** Each judge will place the participants on a scale of one to five with one being first and five being the most improvement needed. Members with the fewest total points in the six departments will be the winner.
- **E)** At the end of the show all participants will be placed.
- **F)** In case of tie, all participants will be asked an industry-specific question on the mic. Judges will serve as a committee to rank participants from one to six.
- **G)** Grand Showman of Showmen participants must be 14 years of age or older
- **H)** A trophy will be presented to the first place winner donated by the Hamilton Kiwanis Club. Reserve-fifth place will receive a plaque.
- **I)** A participant may win Grand Showman of Showmen only once.
- **J)** Results and critiques will be posted for participants to view after show at the podium, afterward results will be posted in the Senior Fairbaord Office until the conclusion of the Jr Fair Livestock Sale.
- **K)** Participants should dress appropriately to reflect their species. The equine representative is not required to wear traditional equine attire they may wear jeans, a collared shirt/button-up with close-toed boots.

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Butler County Jr. Fair Livestock Sale Information:

»Livestock Sale will be split into two rings that will operate concurrently at the conclusion of the sale of champions

- »The order of the sale will be as follows:
- Sale of Champions will begin at 9:00 a.m.in the Open Class sheep barn.
- If necessary, take a 5-10 minute break to adjust for a second ring.
- Market Hogs will sell in the Junior swine barn.
- All other species will sell in the Open Class sheep barn on a yearly rotation
- * Multiple buyer numbers will be accepted at the time the animal is declared sold .
- No more than 4 different buyer numbers will be accepted on any one animal with the purchase price being distributed evenly across those buyers, i.e. 4 buyers purchase an animal for \$1000.00, each buyer will be charged \$250 equally.
- Buyers groups will be accepted and welcomed under the condition that a representative collecting the monies, present that under one number, if more than 4 buyers would like to contribute, or varying amounts of donations are desired i.e. 2 buyers purchase a project for \$400. Buyer 1 puts in \$300, and Buyer 2 wants to contribute \$100. Both will need to purchase the project under one buyer's number.
- ⇒ All buyer names will be recognized on all monies run through the ring -Add-ons will be allowed, however, that will occur at the cashier's station (sale office) and those names will not be recognized on the microphone or recognition board, yet will still factor in to the buyer's total contribution of the livestock sale. *All hogs will be loaded out sale day (Saturday) night at the conclusion of the fair activities.
 - Hogs will run through the sale ring, and at the responsibility of the Junior Fair exhibitor, be returned to their pen, and the care of the hogs will be under the responsibility of the exhibitors or their guardians until the packer truck arrives that evening (this is simply to maintain a group and community effort to keep the pigs' wellbeing as our primary inter-

est. Loading out in the middle of the day is very stressful on the pigs, and packers will pay more for the packer bid if we load out at night).

All Junior Fair Market projects are eligible to run through the sale ring on sale day Saturday.

• Every Junior Fair exhibitor is eligible to sell up to 2 animals per species. This includes the beef department where an exhibitor can sell 2 market animals, or 2 feeder calves, or 1 of

each.

- Projects will be automatically entered into the sale and it is the responsibility of the exhibitor and their guardian to pull them from the sale (if sold at the auction, projects are ineligible to show at any other junior shows).
- Exhibitors have 1^{1/2} hrs after completion of livestock show to pull animal from sale. Sale Represent-

atives will be at podium in show ring. If not pulled by 6:00, all remaining projects will be required to be sold through the Junior Fair Livestock Sale. Both the exhibitor and the parent/guardian must sign the Livestock Auction Removal Agreement.

- If for any reason a packer bid would not be obtained and there would be no Junior Fair Sale Auction, it will be the sole responsibility of the owners of all market livestock to remove their animals from the Butler County Fairgrounds at their expense by no later than 12:00 midnight Saturday, the last day of the fair.
- If there is no packer bid secured for a specific species, the Jr. Fair member will only receive the bid price at sale and will be responsible for removal of their animal by midnight, sale day.



Butler County Jr. Fair Livestock Sale

July 27th 2024 Sale of Champions: 9:00am Open Class Sheep Barn **Sale Rotation:**

- 1. Gallon of Milk
- 2. Turkeys
- 3. Goats
- 4. Sheep
- 5. Swine
- 6. Feeder Calves
- 7. Market Beef
- 8. Rabbits
- 9. Chickens

Following Sale of Champions:

Swine Barn:

1. Swine

Open Class Sheep Barn

- 1. Market Beef
- 2. Goats
- 3. Rabbits
- 4. Sheep
- 5. Chickens
- 6.Turkeys
- 7. Feeder Calves

*All Market Animals will be turned unless buyer indicates otherwise Rules:

- A) Junior Fair participants must sell their own animals at the Junior Fair Livestock sale unless participating at the Ohio State Fair on that day. In this case the market project must be sold by another Butler County Junior Fair Exhibitor.
- **B)** Junior Fair Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion goat, swine, sheep, and market beef must go through the sale and shall be terminal.
- C) Sale weight will be determined at the Saturday weigh in, with no re-weigh prior to the sale. Weights required to sell in the Jr. Fair sale are: Market Beef -1000 lbs., Dairy Steers -1100 lbs., Swine -220 lbs. -300 lbs., Lambs -85 lbs., Poultry Pens -no more than 24 lbs., Rabbits -9 lbs.-15 lbs., Turkeys -15 lbs., Goats -50 lbs., Feeder Calves must weigh a minimum of 200 pounds and have a top weight of 750lbs.Market animals weighed on Saturday, move-in day, will only be weighed once.
- D) All market animals that do not make the set weight

range must be removed from the fairgrounds by 10:00 p.m. on Saturday of move- in day.

- **E)** All market animals must be drug residue free on the Saturday weigh-in date of the fair and remain drug free through the remainder of the fair **F)** In the case of an animal being condemned at slaughter, the responsibility of said animal will be that of the seller. If the carcass is condemned at the packing plant for any reason shall be grounds for disqualification in the on-foot and carcass division of the show. Additionally, all premiums and sale money shall be forfeited and the loss of the animal be incurred by the exhibitor.
- G) The sale will be conducted using the Premium Bid If a buyer" system. turns" the animal over to the (s) New for 2024 packer the buy-**Scholarship Opportunity for** er any High School Senior that is graduating in 2024. **More Information coming** soon via our social media. pays the bid price. If the buyer

animal (s), buyer pays the bid price plus the packer price.

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- **H)** Gallon of Milk Sale:
- » Inscribed milk can, will be in the sale arena and the buyer will receive the milk can.
- » Dairy members must be present in front of the Sale Arena dressed in white, when the milk can is selling.
- » Proceeds generated from this sale will be evenly distributed among the members enrolled in the dairy project.
- » This does not include dairy feeder calves or dairy steers.
- I) Rabbits and poultry sold at the auction may be released from the fair as soon as the buyer shows his or her animal release slip to the barn superintendent.
- **J)** If sale animals are not in correct order and inline to sell, they will sell at the packer bid price at the appropriate time.
- **K)** Settlements of sale to exhibitors will occur only when total sale receipts are collected.
- L) Exhibitor must cash sale checks within 60 days.

Diamond Level \$10,000 - \$16,999

Platinum Level \$5,000 -**\$9,999**

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Butler County Junior Fair Section 2024 Butler County Fair

Department NO. 100: Beef Cattle

Jr. Fair Board in Charge: Adam Achterman, Jacob Allgier & Christine Bare

Adult Advisors: Jacob Schlichter, Kailey Schlicter & Aubrie Jordan

Rules Governing This Department:

Please Read All Rules Carefully

- Livestock entries are due to the Senior Fair Board Office by June 8th 2024.
- NO ONE is permitted in the Barn until Thursday (before Fair) @ 7:30pm
- Dress Code Beef: jeans, sleeved shirt; hard-soled shoes
- Exhibitors must furnish own bedding (straw, shavings or mulch).
- An optional Showmanship clinic will be held on Monday, July 22nd @ 6:00 p.m. in the beef show arena. All beef exhibitors (breeding, market beef, & feeder calves) may attend to learn more and practice showing their animal.
- F. Fans are allowed on South Side of Dairy Barn where none are located.
- Chutes will be located east of the dairy barn. All grooming chutes must be removed by 7:00 p.m., Thursday, July 26th.
- H. All animals must have bedding at tie-outs. Tie-outs must be removed by 7:00 p.m., Friday, July 25th
- All exhibitors must clean their animal pens daily.
- All animals must be fed & watered daily and be kept crosstied.
- All animals must be handled in a safe manner and so as to not endanger other members. If the animal is determined to be unruly, Sr. Fair Board has the authority to require that the animal leave the fairgrounds.
- All Jr. Fair beef animals must be groomed by the exhibitor, parents, legal guardian, siblings, aunt, uncle, grandparent, or any Butler Co. Jr. Fair participant.
- M. Clubs will be responsible and are required to keep barn aisles
- Exhibitors have 1^{1/2} hrs after completion of cattle show. Wednesday July 24th pull animal from sale. Sale Representatives will be at podium in show ring. If not pulled by 6:00pm, all remaining projects will be required to be sold through the Junior Fair Livestock Sale. Both the exhibitor and the parent/guardian must sign the Livestock Auction Removal Agreement.

Rules for Section 1

- Calves must be owned and in possession by May 1.
- Castration and dehorning must take place by May 1.
- Calves should be weaned at least two weeks prior to the beginning of the fair and eating dry feed, and broke to lead.
- Feeder Calves must weigh a minimum of 200 lbs. and cannot weigh more than 750 lbs.
- Feeder calves consist of all beef and dairy breeds.

- ⇒ Individual exhibitors may enter and show not more than two feeder calves.
- Dairy Feeders must be 100% dairy, or they will be placed in beef class.
- All dairy feeders must be steers. NO HEIFERS!
- There will not be a Championship drive that includes the Champion and Reserve Champion Beef Feeder competing against the Champion and Reserve Dairy Beef Feeder.
- Champion & Reserve Champion feeder calves are not termi-
- ⇒ Feeder Calves are not required to sell.

Section 1– Feeder Calf Classes:

- 1.Dairy Feeders
- 2. Beef Feeders & Feeder Calf Heifers

Feeder Calf Show:

Wednesday July 24th @ 9:00 am

**Dairy Feeder calves will show first. The feeder calf steers will be divided by weight into classes not to exceed 12 calves per class.

Rules for Section 2

- ⇒ Market beef must be in the possession of the exhibitor by January 1st of this year.
- All market beef must be without horns.
- An exhibitor may enter a maximum of two market beef and will be tagged at the fair
- Market beef will weigh in Saturday, July 20th @ 12:00 p.m. Shoulder height will be measured at that time also. No reweighs allowed. Market beef will be identified at the Saturday weigh-in.
- Market beef must be shown in the Jr. Fair Show in order to sell at the Jr. Fair Sale and must weigh a minimum of 1000 lbs. Dairy Steer must weigh 1100 lbs. to sell. Market beef that do not make weight must be removed from the fairgrounds by 10:00 p.m. on Saturday of move-in day
- Classes will be broken out according to registration and number of animals that show up, at the discretion of Sr. and Jr. Fair authorities.
- ⇒ There will not be any division. All 1st and 2nd place winners will compete for Grand and Reserve Campion Market Beef.
- Grand Champion Market Beef and Reserve Grand Champion Market Beef will be terminal.
- Dairy Steers must be 100% Dairy, or will be placed in Beef Class.

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Section 2- Market Beef Classes:

- 1.Dairy Steers
 - 2. Market Heifers
 - 3. Beef Steers

Market Beef Show:

Wednesday July 24th Following Feeder Calves

Rules for Section 3

⇒ Beef Showmanship will follow the General Rules and Rules designated for each respective section (breeding, market beef, and feeder calf.)

Section 3 – Market Beef Showmanship

Classes:

- 1.Ages 18-19
- 2. Age 17
- 3. Age 16
- 4. Age 15
- 5. Age 14
- 6. Age 13
- 7. Age 12 8. Age 11
- 9. Age 10
- 10. Ages 8-9

Market Beef Showmanship Show: *Sunday July 21st After Open Class Showmanship

Rules for Sections 4-13

- ⇒ Beef Projects must be purebred or crossbred for Jr. Fair classes. All animals that are registered must be in the member's name, joint partnership or lease agreement.
- ⇒ Any exhibitor may enter a maximum of two beef breeding animals per class.
- ⇒ Purebred animals must have proof of registration.
- ⇒ All Beef Breeding exhibitors must check-in animals on Saturday July 20th 2024 between 8amnoon in the breeding barn. Registration papers must be presented for registered animals or the animals will be shown as a crossbred. Paperwork will be checked during/after weigh ins. Exhibitors who do not check-in will be SCRATCHED FROM THE SHOW!
- ⇒ Any cattle registered in Sections 1 or 2 may NOT Beef Breeding Show: be exhibited in beef breeding classes.

Beef Breeding Sections 4-13

Section 4 - Angus

Section 5 - Charolais

Section 6 - Chianina

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7 - Hereford

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Classes for Beef Breeding-

Sections 4-13:

- 1. Junior Bull Calf calved after January 1, 2024.
- Junior Calf- calved after January1, 2024.
- 3. Senior Calf- calved Sept.01, 2023 Dec.31, 2023
- 4. Late Summer Yearling- calved July 01, 2023-Aug. 31, 2023.
- 5. Early Summer Yearling calved May 01, 2023 -June 30, 2023.
- 6. Late Junior Yearling calved March 01, 2023-Apr. 30, 2023.
- 7. Early Junior Yearling calved Jan. 01, 2023– Feb. 28, 2023.
- 8. Senior Yearling—calved Sept.01,2022- Dec. 31, 2022.
- 9. Two Year Old calved May 01, 2022- Aug. 31,
- 10. Aged Cows calved prior to May 01, 2022.
- 11. Cow and Calf calf born after Jan 01, 2024. Grand Champion & Reserve Champion Female will be chosen, as well as Grand Champion & Reserve Champion Bull

Wednesday July 24th Following Market Beef Show

^{*}Note Change in Date & Time

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- same weigh in as junior fair beef projects; date and time are listed in the Junior Fair Section.
- 4. Per Junior Fair rules, you cannot show the same heifer in the feeder calf and beef breeding show, or in the market animal show and beef breeding show. They have to also be entered the same way they are listed on Junior Fair entries, double entries are not allowed.
- The Born & Raised entry forms will be provided to the producer by the Butler County Cattlemen's Association when the herd is nominated.
- 6. Entry forms will be filled out by the producer and turned into the Association to be retained for show entry. The due date is indicated on each form, late forms will not be accepted.
- 7. The original breeder is required to tag all sold animals, by the dates indicated on the entry forms. Feeder calves and market beef will have orange tags, and beef breeding will have purple tags. Tags can be picked up from a Cattlemen's board member, or at any Cattlemen's meeting or event.
- 8. Please check the Born & Raised box by the animal on the Junior Fair entry form. All animals in the show must be born and raised in Butler County, or a county school district; and must be the progeny of a cow that resides in the county
- All Born & Raised animals must be purchased directly from a registered Butler County Cattlemen's breeder. No second party sales allowed.
- 10. If an animal was shown last year as a feeder calf, and is coming back as a market steer/heifer or breeding heifer, it will need to be entered again under the correct class and the original breeder will need to nominate their herd.
- 11. Market steers must be in the exhibitors possession by January 1st. Feeder calves and breeding animals must be in the exhibitors possession by May 1st.
- ⇒ If you have any questions about registration, entries, tagging information, membership, etc. please contact the Butler County Cattlemen's Association at butlercountycattlemens@yahoo.com

Born & Raised Beef Show Sponsored by: The Butler County Cattlemen's Association

Born & Raised Show Thursday, July 25th at 9:00am

Show Order:

Dairy Feeder Calves
Beef Feeder Calves
Market Steers & Market Heifers

Beef Breeding Heifers and Bulls

Please read and abide by all rules and policies below:

- The Born & Raised Show will follow all Junior Fair rules listed in the Junior Fair Beef Section of the Fairbook.
- 2. The exhibitor must be a Junior Fair member, and the animal must also be entered in the Junior Fair Show.
- 3. Check In for Born & Raised projects will be at the

Department NO. 200: Goats

Jr. Fair Board in Charge: Caroline Mignery, Olya Bonham,

Andrew Root & Erin Loewenstine

Adult Advisors: Mike Niederman, Will Vaughn

Rules Governing This Department:
Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Livestock entries are due to the Senior Fair Board Office by June 10th 2023.
- B. Dress Code: Dairy Goats : white pants, white shirts with sleeves, hard-soled shoes

 Market/Boer Goats: dark pants, shirt with sleeves; hard-soled shoes

Pygmy: dark or khaki pants, shirts with sleeves; hard-soled shoes

- C. NO ONE is permitted in the Barn until Thursday (before Fair) @ 7:30pm
- D. All market goats must have their milk teeth intact. Any market goat missing milk teeth will be disqualified.
- E. All animals for the goat project must be secured/owned and records started by May 1 of the current year.
- a. All Market Animals (Jr. Fair-Boer & Dairy) MUST be tagged in on Friday May 10th from 6:00-8:00pm OR on Saturday May 11th from 10:00am-12:00pm at the Fairgrounds. (Rate of Gain contest is an option for all markets at the Sunday weigh-in ONLY)

b. Exhibitor Does Not need to be present, however every market animal must be tagged in at one of the dates & times stated previously.

- c. Animals that are NOT tagged & weighed and on record WILL NOT be permitted to be exhibited & sold at the Butler County Fair.
- d. All market goats must have a scrapie tag prior to tag in.
- Exhibitors must furnish own bedding (straw, shavings or mulch).
- E. All pens must have 1"x 6"x 4'8" kick boards on aisle sides of pens.
- F. Each exhibitor is limited to showing a maximum of 1 entry per class in the Boer Doe Show, Dairy Show, Pygmy Doe Show, and Pygmy Wether Show. No more than 2 market animals per Jr. Fair Exhibitor.
- G. Animals entered in the market class cannot be entered in the breeding class.
- H. All entries in the Dairy & Pygmy classes must follow breed specific standards, including dress for show.
- Ideally all market goats should have been disbudded or have their horns cut back to approximately 1 inch in length. However, if market goats are shown without being disbudded they should have horn tips cut off in a blunt manner.
- J. All Breeding goats over 2 years of age must be or have been in milk . Determination at Judges Discretion.
- K. All animals must have a scrapie tag or tattoos with official registration papers, which match. Implants are acceptable but you must provide your own reader. All animals must be tagged, tattooed, or implanted by May 1st of the current year.
- L. All goats (Dairy, Boer, Pygmy & Market) that are not registered must have a USDA scrapie tag.

- M. Exhibitors have 11/2 hrs after completion of livestock show to pull animal from sale. Sale Representatives will be at podium in show ring. If not pulled by 6:00, all remaining projects will be required to be sold through the Junior Fair Livestock Sale. Both the exhibitor and the parent/guardian must sign the Livestock Auction Removal Agreement.
- N. Please have registration papers for all registered animals available at check-in and throughout the fair.
- O. Intact male goats will only be permitted on the fairgrounds if they are nursing on a doe entered in the fair and are under 3 months of age.
- P. Fresh water must be accessible to goats at all times.
- Q. Please call in scratches to the Sr. Fair Board Office at (513) 892-1423.
- R. Any animal showing signs of sore mouth, pinkeye, open abscesses or open sores may be removed from the fairgrounds upon the decision of the Senior Fair Board Director.
- S. Each member must show the animal on their entry form including the showmanship class. If there are 2 animals in the same class another 4-H'er may show the animal.
- T. Exhibitors are responsible for making sure their animal is in the correct class. If shown in the incorrect class. It will not be allowed back in the show ring.
- U. Dairy pre-show milk-out on Wednesday, July 24th 2024 at 9:00 p.m.
- V. All animals are released at 7:00 p.m., Saturday, July 27th 2024. Prior to 7:00 p.m., Saturday, July 27th 2024, a stall release must be obtained by the department's Senior Fair Board Director.
- W. Fairboard retains right to stall animals in other barns to accommodate overcrowding.

Rules for Section 1

- ⇒ All Market Animals (Jr. Fair-Boer & Dairy) MUST be tagged in on Friday May 10th from 6:00pm-8:00pm OR on Saturday May 11th from 10:00am-12:00pm at the Fairgrounds.
- ⇒ All animals will be weighed on Saturday, July 20th 2024 at approximately 1:00pm-3:00 p.m.
- ⇒ All market animals MUST be body shaved. Wethers must be castrated or banded by May 1 of current year.
- Market goats must weigh 50 lbs. in order to show in a market class and sell in the livestock sale.
- ⇒ Animals that do not make weight must be removed from the fairgrounds by 10:00 p.m. on weigh-in day, July 20th 2024, unless the Animal was previously entered in Open Class.
- ⇒ Market goats will be divided into 2 classifications:
 - Dairy
 - Boer—Goat with any percent of Boer or other meat goat bloodline.



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Section 1- Boer Market Goat Classes:

1.Market Boer

Section 2 Dairy Market Goat Classes:

1. Market Dairy

Market Goat Show:

Wednesday July 24th @ 9:00 am

Rules for Section 3

- ⇒ See Jr. Fair Dress Code.
- All Breeds Show Together

Section 3— Goat Showmanship Classes:

- 1. Age 18
- 2. Age 17
- 3. Age 16
- 4. Age 15
- 5. Age 14
- 6. Age 13
- 7. Age 12
- 8. Age 11
- 9. Age 10
- 10. Age 9
- 11. Age 8

Goat Showmanship Show:

Monday July 21st @ 1:00PM or Following

Sheep Show

Sections 4-7

Visit ABGA for help with selecting class.

Section 4– Dairy Goat

Classes:

*Determined Based on Date of Show

*All Animals in Senior Category Must have been in Milk *Dam & Daughter Class: Both animals MUST be registered for classes 1-4 and 7-10 AND under the same Jr. Fair member's name.

Junior Division

- 1. Junior Kids, under 4 months
- 2. Senior Kids, 4 months & under 8 months
- 3. Junior Yearlings,8 months & under 12 months
- 4. Senior Yearlings, 12 months & under 24 months (never in milk)

Champion Junior Division Reserve Champion Junior Division

Senior Division

- 7. Under 2 years, In Milk
- 2 years & under 3 years
- 3 years & under 5 years
- 10. 5 years & Over

Champion Senior Division Reserve Champion Senior Division Grand Champion Dairy Doe Reserve Grand Champion Dairy Doe

Dam & Daughter

<u>Dairy Show:</u> All Breeds Show Together Thursday July 25th After Open Class Market Show

Section 5- Pygmy Doe Goat Show

*Determined Based on Date of Show

Classes:

Junior Division

- 1. Junior Does, 0 to under 4 months
- Junior Does, 4 to under 8 months
- Junior Does, 8 to under 12 months
- Junior Does, 12 to under 18 months
- Junior Does, 18 to under 24 months Junior Doe Champion Junior Doe Reserve Champion

Senior Division

- Senior Does, 12 to 24 months (freshened)
- Senior Does, 2 years (freshened)
- 10. Senior Does, 3 years old (freshened)
- 11. Senior Does, 4 years old (freshened)
- 12. Senior Does, 5 years old (freshened) Senior Doe Champion Senior Doe Reserve Champion Grand Champion Pygmy Doe Reserve Champion Pygmy Doe

Pygmy Doe Show:

Thursday July 25th After Dairy Show

Section 6– Pygmy Wether Goat Show

- *Determined Based on Date of Show
- * Pygmy goats must be dehorned or disbudded.
- * Wethers must be castrated or banded by May 1 of current year.
- * Pygmy goats should either be shown with a neck chain or 18" lead, unless otherwise directed by Judge. NO harness will be permitted in classes. *Production Class: any age. All animals MUST be registered for doe classes 1-5 or 8–12and/or wether classes1-3 or 6-10 AND under the same Jr. Fair member's name.

Classes:

Junior Division

- 1. Junior Wether,0 to under 4 months
- 2. Junior Wether,4 to under 8 months
- 3. Junior Wether, 8 to under 12 months

Junior Wether Champion
Junior Wether Reserve Champion

Senior Division

- 6. Senior Wether, 12 to 24 months
- 7. Senior Wether, 2 years
- 8. Senior Wether, 3 years old
- 9. Senior Wether,4 years old
- Senior Wether,5 years old
 Senior Wether Champion
 Senior Wether Reserve Champion
 Grand Champion Pygmy Wether
 Reserve Champion Pygmy Wether
- 15. Production Class

<u>Pygmy Wether Show:</u> <u>Thursday July 25th After Pygmy Doe</u> <u>Show</u>

Section 7– Boer Breeding Doe Show

- *Determined Based on Date of Show
- * Mother Daughter Both animals MUST be registered for classes 1-4and 7-9 or 12-13 AND under the same Jr. Fair member's name.

Classes:

Junior Division

- 1. Doe Kids, 0 to under 3 months
- 2. Doe Kids, 3 to under 6 months
- 3. Doe Kids, 6 to under 9 months
- Doe Kids, 9 to under 12 months
 Junior Division Champion Percentage Doe
 Junior Division Reserve Champion Percentage Doe

Yearling Division

- 7. Yearling Does, 12 to under 16 months
- 8. Yearling Does, 16 to under 20 months
- 9. Yearling Does, 20 to under 24 months Yearling Division Champion Percentage Doe Yearling Division Reserve Champion Percentage Doe

Senior Division

- 12. 2 Year Olds Does, 24to under 36 months
- 13. Aged Does, 36 plus months Senior Division Champion Percentage Doe Senior Division Reserve Champion Percentage Doe Grand Champion Percentage Doe Reserve Grand Champion Percentage Doe
- 18. Mother Daughter

Boer Breeding Doe Show:
Wednesday July 24th After 4-H Market
Goat Show

Section -8 Pack Goat Show

- ⇒ Each exhibitor may only show one goat.
- ⇒ No currently lactating goats will be permitted in the pack goat show
- ⇒ No market goats that will be going to the sale will be permitted in the show.
- The exhibitor should be able to name the parts of a saddle pack.
- The exhibitor should be able to place a saddle/pack on their goat.
 - For kids the pack can be removed before starting the course. For goats over a year the pack should remain on the goat throughout the entire course. Points will be deducted if it slips or falls off.
 - Yearlings will not carry any weight
- The exhibitors must show their goats in a halter, a collar or a collar and a leash.

Obstacle Course:

- The course will consist of 5 obstacles which will test how well you and your goat work together to navigate through the obstacles. If a goat refuses an obstacle they will be given a second attempt. After the second attempt, the handler should proceed to the next obstacle.
- Goat and participant will be judged on how well they work as a team, whether they complete the course and the exhibitor's patience with his/her goat. If a tiebreaker is needed, the judge either will make each animal go around the course again or will choose an obstacle to be used as the tiebreaker. If the judge determines to use on obstacle, then this obstacle will be decided upon and announced at the beginning of the pack goat competition prior to any exhibitor starting the course.

Possible Obstacles:

- Plank —A board wide enough for the goat to walk across.
- Water An obstacle with water for the goat to walk through.
- Jump Some sort of jump to show the goat can maneuver a fallen object on a trail.
- Weave Weave poles the goat should follow the handler between.
- Teeter Totter— The goat should calmly cross the teeter totter without jumping off as it lowers.
- Balance Board A wide teeter totter where the handler and goat are required to stand on the board and balance with both ends off the ground.
- Backing Up The goat will have to maneuver an area while backing up.

- Distraction Some sort of distraction that the goat should accept calmly. Possibly a loud noise, approach by another animal, etc.
- Loading The handler will load the goat into a trailer.
- Tunnel The goat will maneuver through a tunnel from one end to the other.

Classes:

1. Pack Goat

Pack Goat Show:

Wednesday July 24th After Companion Goat Show

Section - 9 Fiber Goat Show

- ⇒ Goat shown by age
- ⇒ Goats should be in fleece with growth of 4-6 months.

Classes:

- 1. Under 12 Mos.
- 2. Over 12 Mos.

Fiber Goat Show:

Wednesday July 24th After Boer Doe Breeding Show

Section – 10 Companion Goat Show

⇒ An animal in the Companion-Pet Goats project can be any breed and any sex, but it is kept as a pet and not enrolled in <u>any</u> other project category.

Classes:

1. Companion Goat

Companion Goat Show:

Wednesday July 24th After Fiber Goat Show

Coat Trophy Donors 2024

A.E Concepts **Agri Pet Veterinary Services Baker Hardware Bob Niederman** Browns Farm Market, LLC. **Butler Co. Meat Goat** ASSOC. Casual Kids 4-H **Coombs Excavating & Drainage D & S Auto Parts** David & Ashely Bonham Diana & Charlie Ramsev **Fall Family Farm**

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Rules:

- A. All goats entered in the Butler County Born & Raised show must be the prodigy of a doe that resides in Butler County, Ohio. The goat kid must be born and raised in Butler County or a Butler County school district.
- B. The exhibitor must be a Butler County Junior fair exhibit
- C. The goat kid must be in the possession and care of the exhibitor by May 1st of the current year.
- D. The goat kid must be purchased directly from a Butler County Meat Goat Association born and raised breeder. No second sales.
- E. Eligible breeders shall be in good standing with the organization. (i.e. dues, fees)
- F. All Butler County Born & Raised goat show exhibitors must obey all of the Junior Fair rules concerning showing at the fair. All Born & Raised market goats must have an official USDA Scrapie tag intact at fair upon check in.

Born & Raised Market Goat Show Sponsored by: Butler County Meat Goat Association

Market Goat Born & Raised Show: Sunday July 21st @ 5:30PM

- Market Goats only (wether/doe). Entry forms will be completed by the Butler County Meat Goat Association approved breeder at the time the goat is purchased.
- The association will retain the paperwork to be compared at the Butler county Fair check in.
- It is the exhibitor's responsibility to check mark the Born and Raised box on the Fair Office Junior Fair Entry Form.
- . Please contact a board member of the Butler County Meat Goat Association with questions. Contact information can be found at www.bcbcmgaohio.com.

Department NO. 300: Swine

Jr. Fair Board in Charge: Lily Wolf, David Rumpler, Alyssa Rumpler & Sydney Schiff

Adult Advisors: Sam Darner, Holly Fritz & Natalie Darner

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Livestock entries are due to the Senior Fair Board Office by June 8th 2024.
- B. Dress Code Swine: black or blue jeans or pants; short or long sleeved-shirt, hard-soled shoes
- C. NO ONE is permitted in the Barn until Thursday (before Fair) @ 7:30pm
- D. All hogs must be castrated by May 1st.
- E. Each exhibitor may show only three market hogs, as long as one is a registered purebred.
- F. Exhibitors must furnish own bedding (shavings) It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to keep the pen(s) clean the entire week.
- G. Exhibitors that have 2 pigs will have 1 pen, 3 pigs will have 2 pens.
- H. Exhibitors must furnish 1"x6"x4'8" kickboards on all pens along aisles.
- I. Market hogs will be weighed and tagged Saturday, July 20th from 7:30 a.m. to 12:00p.m. Each exhibitor must be with his/her own animals at this time. Hogs must weigh between 220 300 lbs to show and sell in Jr. Fair Sale.
- J. Any hog not making weight must be removed from the fairgrounds by 10:00 p.m. on the Saturday of weigh-in.
- K. No ice water or oil based products may be used on hog projects.
- L. Exhibitors have 1^{1/2} hrs after completion of livestock show to pull animal from sale. Sale Representatives will be at podium in show ring. If not pulled by 6:00, all remaining projects will be required to be sold through the Junior Fair Livestock Sale. Both the exhibitor and the parent/ guardian must sign the Livestock Auction Re-

moval Agreement.

- M. Cross bred hogs will be divided evenly into 4 Divisions. A Champion & Reserve Champion will be selected from each Division.
- N. The top 5 purebreds will return to show with the 4 crossbred Division Champions and Reserves f or the top 5 overall market hog.
- O. Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Hogs must sell at livestock sale on Saturday. These hogs are terminal.
- P. All hogs not going though the Jr. Fair sale need to be removed from the fairgrounds
 Tuesday night, after the Jr. Fair Show. All pigs remaining on the grounds will go to the packer.

<u>Section 1– Market Hog</u> Classes:

1.Market Hog

Market Hog Show: Tuesday July 23rd @ 9:00 am

Rules for Section 2

- A. Registration Certificates for all Purebred Market Hogs are REQUIRED from respective Breed Assn. To be shown at weigh-in.
- B. Registration certificates must be in Exhibitors name or family as owner, transferred by entry due date.
- C. All purebred market hogs to be ear notched. (Universal System)
- D. Breed Purity Verification by Sr./Jr. Fair Board.
- E. All market hog entries not meeting the purebred requirement will be permitted to enter as a crossbred, unless it is the exhibitors 3rd pig, at which time it is disqualified, as exhibitors are limited to a maximum of 2 crossbred entries. Animal will need to be removed from the fairgrounds by Saturday night of weigh-in.
- F. A minimum of 3 entries is required per breed or they will show crossbred. (Section 1)
- G. Purebred or composite breeds not recognized by the Ohio State Fair Breeds will not be eligible for AOB classification.
- H. Class 12 is for those who are undecided on breed.
- Purebred hogs will show per breed. A Champion and Reserve Champion will be selected. Each breed Champion and Reserve Champion will be eligible to show for top 5 purebred, at the conclusion of the breed shows.
- J. The top 5 Purebreeds will return to show with the 4 Crossbred Division Champion and Reserve Champion for the top 5 overall market hog.

Section 2- Purebred Market Hog Show

Class:

- 1. Berkshire ABA
- 2. Chester Whites CPS
- 3. Duroc NSR
- 4. Hampshire NSR
- 5. Hereford CPS
- 6. Landrace NSR
- 7. Poland China CPS
- 8. Spotted (Spots) CPS
- 9. Tamworth TSA
- 10. Yorkshire NSR
- 11. All Other Breeds
- 12. Undecided

<u>Purebred Market Hog Show:</u> <u>Tuesday July 23rd before Market Hog</u>

Show

Section 3– Swine Showmanship Classes:

- 1.Ages 18-19
- 2. Age 17
- 3. Age 16
- 4. Age 15
- 5. Age 14
- 6. Age 13
- 7. Age 12
- 8. Age 11 9. Age 10
- 10. Ages 8-9

Swine Showmanship Show: Sunday July 21st @ 9:00AM

Born & Raised Swine Show

Sponsored by: Butler County Pork Producers Swine Born & Raised Show: Sunday July 21st @ 2:30PM

- Born and Raised: Entry forms will be provided by the Butler County Born & Raised Swine Producers at the time of purchase and retained by that group for show entry.
- Check mark next to the animal entered in born and raised on the Fair Office Junior Fair entry form
- Born and Raised Show Chairman, Mark Korb

Rules for Market Show:

- A. All market hogs entered into the Butler County Born & Raised hog show must be the progeny of a sow that resides in the county. The hog must be born and raised in Butler County or a county school district.
- The exhibitor must be a Butler County Junior Fair member.
- C. The hog must be in the possession of and in the care of the Agri Pet Veterinary Services exhibitor by May1of the current year.
- D. The hog must be purchased directly from a Butler County swine breeder, no second party sales.
- E. All Butler County Born & Raised hog show exhibitors will follow the same rules listed in the Jr. Fair Market Hog Show.
- F. Premiums will be determined by number of entries and will be prorated by class.

Rules for Purebred Market Hog Show:

- A. Registration Certificates for all Purebred Market Hogs are required from respective Breed Assn. To be shown at weigh-in.
- B. Certificates will be presented to the BCBR Show Manager or appointed Assistants at check-in time on Saturday Morning of the Butler County Fair.
- C. Registration Certificates must be in Exhibitors name or family as owner or co-owner, transferred be entry due date.
- D. All Purebred Market Hogs to be ear- notched (Universal System)
- E. Breed Purity Verification by BCBR members
- F. All Market Hog entries not meeting the purebred requirement will be permitted to show as crossbreds. Unless this makes the exhibitors 3rd crossbred hog.
- G. A Minimum of 5 entries is required per breed or they will show as an AOB class.
- Premiums will be offered for AOB Division
 - The champion of the AOB Division will be eligible for Overall l.

Champion.

Purebred or composite breed not recognized by the Ohio State Fair Recognized Breeds will not be eligible for AOB classification.

Recognized Breeds:

Hampshire-NSR Landrace-NSR

Yorkshire-NSR **Duroc-NSR**

Berkshire-ABA Hereford-CPS

Chester Whites-CPS Tamworth-TSA

Poland China-CPS

Spotted (Spots)-

CPS

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Brown's Family Farm Market

Butler County Meat Goat Asso-

ciation

Butler County Pork Producers Camden Locker, LLC

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Gillespie Feed & Farm Supply

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Hiltbrand Trucking, LLC

Hoerst Farm

Jack Jacquemin Family

John & Maria Moorehead II

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L&G Contracting

Mary Jo Little

Matt & Jessica Wurzelbacher-Milford Mini Farmers 4H Club

Rebecca Lee

Rich Excavating, Inc.

Richard & Mary Tharp Family

Rita Beiser

Russ & Margy Beckner

Schwab Family Farm

Talawanda FFA Alumni

The Steve Miller Family Tony & Amy Dsuban

Watson Gravel, Inc

Department NO. 400: Sheep

Jr. Fair Board in Charge: Bryson Hamilton, Riley Bonham, Brayden Kidd & Remi Hamilton Superintendents: Bryson Hamilton, & Bennett Bonham

Adult Advisors: Linda Bonham, Dan Burkholder & Robbie Casey

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Livestock entries are due to the Senior Fair Board Office by June 8th 2024.
- B. Dress Code Sheep: jeans, sleeved shirt, hard-soled shoes
- C. NO ONE is permitted in the Barn until Thursday (before Fair) @ 7:30pm
- D. Market lambs must be born after January 1st, 2024.
- E. All lambs must have a USDA approved scrapie tag.
- F. All lambs must be docked and tagged. All male market lambs must be castrated by May 1st of current vear.
- G. Mandatory Weigh-In May 10th 6pm-8pm and May 11th 10am-12pm at the Fairgrounds. Market lambs will be weighed from 5:00-6:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 20th and will only be weighed once.
- H. Market lambs must weigh at least 85 lbs.to sell.
- I. All exhibitors must put their lambs on the packer truck after they sell.
- J. All Market Lambs <u>must</u> be slick shorn uniform in cover, washed and trimmed before entering fairgrounds. Touch up shearing is permitted in the sheep barn. The owner is responsible for cleanup.
- K. Altering or enhancing the natural color of a lamb shall be considered fraud and deception. Neutral coloring (clear) only may be used. Painting of hoofs is prohibited. All animals giving evidence of such treatment will be barred from competition at the Butler County Jr. Fair
- L. Exhibitors must furnish own bedding (straw, shavings or mulch).
- M. Exhibitors have 11/2 hrs after completion of livestock show to pull animal from sale. Sale Representatives will be at podium in show ring. If not pulled by 6:00, all remaining projects will be required to be sold through the Junior Fair Livestock Sale. Both the exhibitor and the parent/guardian must sign the Livestock Auction Removal Agreement.

- N. Retention boards MUST be placed on aisle panels so that bedding stay in pens.1"x 6"x 4'8" kickboards are required on all pens along aisle.
- O. Pens may be no larger than 10 foot by 10 foot.
- P. Due to the safety of animals, pen decorations are discouraged and may be subject to removal based on the discretion of the Jr. & Sr. Fair Board members.
- Q. All Jr. Fair sheep must be penned in the Jr. Fair sheep barn.
- R. A 2-gal.and no larger than 5 gal. bucket container of fresh water must be accessible to sheep at all times.
- S. No muzzles are allowed.
- No feeding with syringes and bottles or drench gear allowed.
- U. Jr. Fair Sheep must stay within a restricted walking area. Animals are prohibited on the midway, campground areas and in-field.
- V. A member may exhibit a maximum of two market lambs, as a pen of two, and/or as individuals.
- W. All market lambs entered in Pen of 2 should have a suggested spread of not more than 10 lbs. between lambs. Lambs in the Pen of 2 Show will be divided into two equal weight classes.
- X. Weight class for market lambs will be divided evenly into classes with approximately 8-15 lambs per class. All First and Second Place lambs will go into the final champion drive. First place winners will receive a trophy. <u>Light weight class</u>- total of 2 lambs weigh 135lbs or lower. <u>Heavy weight class</u>- total of 2 lambs weigh 136lbs or higher.
- Y. In the Jr. Fair Market lamb show there will be only ONE person per sheep in the showring. Exception: if exhibitor is handicapped in any way.
- Z. Pens are assigned to exhibitors by the Jr. Fair Board in charge of the Sheep Barn. It is prohibited to change pen assignments without permission from this Jr. Fair Board.
- AA. Professional groomers are **Prohibited** to fit and/or groom Jr. Fair Sheep. Only 4-H club members, family members, 4-H advisors are permitted to help groom and/or fit Jr. Fair Sheep.
- BB. Showmanship winner must declare or decline participation in Grand Showman of Showmen within 24 hours of being named Sheep Showmanship Winner.
- ⇒ Sheep Skillathon will be Thursday July 18th 9am-12pm & 1pm-5pm at the Fairgrounds.

Section 1- Market Lamb Classes:

1. Single Market Lamb

Market Lamb Show:

Monday July 22nd @ 9:00 am

<u>Section 2 – Pen of Two Market Lamb</u> Classes:

1.Pen of Two Market Lamb

Market Lamb Pen of Two Show: Monday July 22nd Following Market

Lamb Show

Sheep Showmanship Show:

Monday July 22nd Following Pen of Two Show

<u>Section 3– Sheep Showmanship</u> Classes:

- 1.Ages 18-19
- 2. Ages 17
- 3. Ages 16
- 4. Ages 15
- 5. Ages 14
- 6. Ages 13
- 7. Ages 12
- 8. Ages 11
- 9. Ages 10
- 10. Ages 8-9

Rules for Sections 4-19

- ⇒ All breeding sheep must be registered, except Commercial Class.
- ⇒ A member may exhibit a maximum of two in any one class.
- ⇒ All breeding sheep owners must show proper registration papers to Jr. Fair Board by 6:00 p.m. Sunday.
- ⇒ Breeding sheep must be presented and in show condition or they will be dismissed from the show.
- ⇒ All breeding sheep must have a USDA approved scrapie tag.
- ⇒ Exhibitor may be allowed help in the show ring by another Jr. Fair exhibitor (Breeding only.)
- ⇒ Market lambs may not be shown in breeding classes.

Sheep Breeding Show: Monday July 22nd Approximately @ 1:00pm

Sheep Breeding Sections

Section 4 - Columbia - Wool

Section 5 - Corriedale - Wool

Section 6 - Dorper

Section 7 - Dorset- Meat

Section 8 - Hampshire- Meat

Section 9 - Katahdin-Meat

Section 10 - Kurakul-Wool

Section 11 - Montadale-Meat

Section 12 - Romney-Wool

Section 13 - Shropshire-Meat

Section 14 - South Down-Meat

Section 15 - Suffolk-Meat

Section 16 - Tunis-Meat

Section 17 - Baby Doll

Section 18 - All Other Breeds

Section 19 - Commercial

Classes for Sheep Breeding-Sections 4-19:

- *All Classes are According to respective Breed Associations
- * Breeder's Flock Exhibits must consist of two ewes and one ram bred and raised by Jr. Fair member.

Ewes:

- 1. Spring Ewe Lamb Lambs after January 1, 2024
- 2. Fall Ewe Lamb Lambs after September 1,2023 to December 31, 2023
- 3. Pair of Ewe Lambs
- 4. Aged Ewe 2 years or older.
- 5. Yearling Ewe Ewe one year old and under two years.
- 6. Pair of Yearling Ewes

Rams:

- 7. Spring Ram Lamb Lambs after January 1, 2024.
- 8. Fall Ram Lamb– Lambs from September 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023.

Flock:

- 9. Breeder's Flock
- 10. Commercial Breeder Flock

Sheep Award Donors 2024

vices **Anna Korb Baker Hardware Bill & Becky Kennel Bob Niederman Butler County Meat Goat Association Collinsville Livestock Protection Assn. Coombs Excavating & Drainage D&S Auto Parts David & Ashlev Bonham Doug Fritz Eisele Farms- Bill &** Lynn **Gayle Weber** Gillespie Feed & Farm

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Born & Raised Sheep Show Sponsored by: Butler County Lamb & Wool Sheep Born & Raised Show: Thursday July 25th @ 6:00PM

- Notice:
- Entry Forms will be provided by the Sheep Improvement Association producer at the time of purchase and retained by the association for show entry.
- ⇒ Checkmark next to animal entered in born and raised on the Fair Office Junior Fair Entry Form.

Rules for Born & Raised Show:

- A. All lambs entered in the Butler County Born and Raised Lamb show must be the progeny of a ewe that resides in the county. The lamb must be born and raised in Butler County.
- B. The exhibitor must be a Butler County Junior Fair member.
- C. The lamb must be owned and in the possession of and in the care of the exhibitor by May1 of the current year.
- D. The lamb must be purchased directly from a Butler County Sheep Associa-

- tion breeder, no second party sales.
- E. All Butler County Born and Raised Lamb show exhibitors must obey all of the Junior Fair rules concerning showing at the fair.
- F. All Born and Raised lambs (including wethers) must have an official USDA Scrapie tag.
- G. All exhibitors showina will receive awards.
- H. The Born and Raised Yearling Ewe must have been shown in the Jr. Fair Sheep Breeding Yearling Ewe class on Monday.

Department NO. 500: Poultry

Jr. Fair Board in Charge: Lacey Sprinkles, Sarah Watkins, Paige Williams, Paige Schomaker Rebekah Runge & Allie Scott,

Superintends: Zeke Locke-Bible, Cali Locke-

Bible, Natalie Schuh & Rita Zelser Adult Advisors: Melanie Bible.

John Schomaker & Brian Schomaker

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Livestock entries are due to the Senior Fair Board Office by June 18th 2024.
- B. Dress Code Poultry: pants or Capri's, long-sleeved shirt and/or lab coat; closed toe shoes
- C. NO ONE is permitted in the Barn until Thursday (before Fair) @ 7:30pm
- D. Entry times will be from 8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, before Fair Week. No exceptions.
- E. Each exhibitor shall provide his/her own food. Cages must be cleaned by exhibitor daily.
- F. Any member's animal not properly cared for will be removed upon the recommendation of Jr. Fairboard to the Senior Fairboard and the responsible exhibitor will not be permitted to show any small animal project the following year.
- G. No locks permitted on cages.
- H. Each exhibitor is responsible for keeping all aisles swept and clear at all times for visitors.
- Feeding time in the small animal barn shall be 7:00 a.m. thru 10:00 p.m.
- Tack Boxes-must be 20"w x 36" or smaller and must be kept under the exhibitors cages at all times. No boxes in the aisle.
- K. No selling of animals other than at the Livestock Sale.
- Any Small Animal Jr. Fairboard member or Barn Superintendent must have an entry in the department.
- M. Market pens of poultry, if not within the required weight range will be disqualified & must go home on Saturday night of weigh-in day.
- N. Exhibitors have 11/2 hrs after completion of livestock show to pull animal from sale. Sale Representatives will be at podium in show ring. If not pulled by 6:00, all remaining projects will be required to be sold through the Junior Fair Livestock Sale. Both the exhibitor and the parent/guardian must sign the Livestock Auction Removal Agreement.
- O. Dismissal will be Saturday night after 5:00 p.m. at conclusion of sale (No cars allowed by building) All animals must be out on Saturday.
- P. Any participant with any small animal projects re-

- moved before the dismissal time without prior arrangements, will not be permitted to participate the following year in the Butler County Fair with any small animal project.
- Q. Each exhibitor will be responsible for showing his animals at the fair on Wednesday of fair week unless he/ she has more than one per class. In this case the other project must be exhibited by another Butler County Junior Fair member.
- R. If you are unable to be at the Poultry Show, due to other duties at Fair, you will need to find another 4-H member from your club to take your prospect to the table. The Jr. Fair Board members and superintendents will no longer take project to the table
- There will be two calls to bring project to table, second call will be the last call. If no show at the last call, the Judging will start without project

Section 1-9 Rules:

- ⇒ Each participant may enter a maximum of 3 pens of poultry regardless whether or not they are 4-H or FFA. Members may only enter one meat pen.
- Members are responsible for cleaning cages and aisles daily and providing feed and water at least once
- All meat pens must be hatched and owned by June 1 of the current year. All market pens will be sold at the Junior Fair Livestock Sale
- Members are allowed to enter one pen of market chickens and one pen of market turkey.
- ⇒ All meat pen poultry will be weighed between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Saturday at the small animal building. Only one weigh-in will be permitted. Those not making weight will be sent home.
- ⇒ Each exhibitor must have their chickens pullorum tested before the fair and must have official proof either from the hatchery or the tester. Papers must be presented at the time of check-in.
- Turkeys must be blood tested by a veterinarian and tests sent to Dept. of Agriculture in Reynoldsburg (unless purchased at a hatchery). This must be done 4 weeks prior to fair.
- ⇒ Each exhibitor will be responsible for showing his/her animals at the fair on Monday of fair week unless he/ she has more than one per class. In this case the other project must be shown by another Butler County Junior Fair member.
- Any animal showing visible injury, illness, or parasite infestation will not be permitted.
- In common courtesy, please notify the Fair Office of any scratches (withdrawal from competition) by the Wednesday preceding the fair.

Section 1- Market Chicken

- ⇒ Meat Pen: Pen of 3 commercial chickens, same breed, variety and sex. Must be Cornish Cross.
- ⇒ Maximum weight of meat pens is 24lbs
- ⇒ Minimum weight of meat pens is 15lbs.

Classes:

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1.Meat Pen

Market Chicken Show:

Monday July 22nd @ 9:00 am

Section 2- Market Turkey

- ⇒ Market Turkey, Tom or Hen, minimum weight of 20 pounds.
- ⇒ Hens shown separate from Toms
- ⇒ Top 2 Hens & Top 2 Toms will go for Grand and Reserve Champion

Classes:

1.Market Turkey (Tom)-Single 2.Market Turkey (Hen)-Single

Market Turkey Show:

Monday July 22nd @ 9:00 am

Section 3- Poultry Showmanship

Classes:

1.Senior

2. Junior

Poultry Showmanship Show:

Monday July 22nd

Poultry Showmen of Showmen Show:

Monday July 22nd

Small Animal Showman of Showmen

Wednesday July 24th

Awards Program

Wednesday July 24th @ 4:00PM

Section 4- Chickens

Classes:

- 1.Pen of 2: Same breed standard (male & female)
- 2. Bantam (male & female)
- 3. Egg Production (2 females)

Chicken Show:

Monday July 22nd

Section 5- Geese

Classes:

1.Pen of 2 (male & female)

Geese Show:

Monday July 22nd

Section 6- Ducks

Classes:

1.Ducks Pen of 2 (male & female)

Duck Show:

Monday July 22nd

Section 7- Turkey

Classes:

1.Turkeys Pen of 2 (male & female) Fancy

Turkey Show:

Monday July 22nd

Section 8- Pigeons and Doves

Classes:

1.Pigeons & Doves Pen of 2 (male & female)

Pigeon & Doves Show:

Monday July 22nd

Section 9– All Other Poultry

⇒ Quail, Pheasant, etc.

Classes:

1.Pen of 2 (male & female)

All Other Poultry Show:

Monday July 22nd

Department NO. 600: Rabbits

Jr. Fair Board in Charge: Lacey Sprinkles, Sarah Watkins, Paige Williams, Paige Schomaker & Rebekah Runge

Superintends: Zeke Locke-Bible, Cali Locke-

Bible & Natalie Schuh

Adult Advisors: Rita Zeiser, Melanie Bible John Schomaker & Brian Schomaker

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Livestock entries are due to the Senior Fair Board Office by June 8th 2024.
- B. Dress Code Rabbits: pants or Capri's, long-sleeved shirt and/or lab coat; closed toe shoes
- C. NO ONE is permitted in the Barn until Thursday (before Fair) @ 7:30pm
- D. #225 Breeding Rabbit Project & Record Book/#226 Market Rabbit Project & Record Book, Complete the Member Project guide Listed in the Project Book
- E. Each participant may enter a maximum of 3 projects regardless whether or not they are 4-H or FFA. Members may only enter one meat pen.
- F. All exhibitors must have their rabbits in their possession, with the exception of the three meat pen rabbits. At check-in the Saturday before the fair, the rabbit entered must be the one described on the entry form or it will be disqualified. Exceptions will be made for the sex of Junior rabbits provided that all other information on the form is correct.
- G. Pen of three rabbits must be 8-10 weeks old during the fair. All meat pens will be sold at the livestock sale only if they make weight. They must have a minimum weight of 10.5 lbs. and a maximum weight 16.5 lbs. Those not making weight will be sent home. Each fryer must be over 3.5 pounds and / or under 5.5 pounds.
- H. Rabbits must be legibly tattooed. PLACE TATTOO IN LEFT EAR.
- Any animal showing visible injury, illness, or parasite infestation will not be permitted.
- Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning cages and aisles daily and providing feed and water once a day.
- K. Double pens will only be permitted for largest rabbit breeds if Jr. Fair Board feels it necessary and space permits.
- L. In common courtesy, please notify the Fair Office of any scratches (withdrawal from competition) before Wednesday, preceding the fair.
- M. Entry times will be from 8:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, no exceptions.
- N. Exhibitors have 11/2 hrs after completion of livestock show to pull animal from sale. Sale Representatives will be at podium in show ring. If not pulled by 6:00, all remaining projects will be required to be sold through the Junior Fair Livestock Sale. Both the exhibitor and the parent/guardian

- must sign the Livestock Auction Removal Agreement.
- O. All meat pen rabbits will be weighed between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Saturday at the small animal building. Only one weigh-in will be permitted.
- P. Market Pens of rabbits, if not within the required weight range, will be disqualified and must go home on Saturday during weigh-ins.
- Q. Each exhibitor will be responsible for showing his animals at the fair on Monday of fair week unless he/she has more than one per class. In this case the other project must be exhibited by another Butler County Junior Fair member.
- R. If you are unable to be at the Rabbit Show, due to other duties at Fair, you will need to find another 4-H member from your club to take your prospect to the table. The Jr. Fair Board members and superintendents will no longer take project to the table
- S. Rabbits will be shown by breed, sex, and age–Not variety (ex. New Zealand Sr Bucks)
- T. There will be two calls to bring project to table, second call will be the last call. If no show at the last call, the Judging will start without project.
- U. Premiere Exhibitor Award will be awarded to those eligible.
- V. On Sale Day Fair Member Must check sale time, the Project owner will be in Charge of taking Market Animal to the Sale Barn. If not there, project will not sell. It is up to the parent or Advisor to be sure the Owner of the Project is at the Arena.

Section 1- Rabbit

Classes:

1.Meat Pen of 3 (Same breed and variety

Market Rabbit Show:

Wednesday July 24th @ 9:00 am

Section 2- N/A

Section 3- Showmanship

- ⇒ The showmanship contest is open to any Junior Fair exhibitor in rabbits or poultry.
- ⇒ Rabbit Showmanship will be an oral interview with the judge. Participants must have an animal present during judging.
- ⇒ Winner of age class will compete for Showman of Showmen (current year's winners only).
- An exhibitor can only win a showmanship class once. If a younger member wins his class this year, he/she will compete in the next age class next year, unless he/she is a Showman of Showmen winner.
- ⇒ Each year, Showman of Showmen judging will alternate between the rabbit judge and poultry judge. Therefore, judging will be held on either Monday or Wednesday of fair.
- ⇒ An exhibitor can only win Showman of Showmen once.

Classes:

- 1. Junior
- 2. Senior

Rabbit Showmanship Show: Sunday July 21st after Open Class Show

Rabbit Breeding Sections 4-57

4. American (6 Class)

5. American Fuzzy Lops

(4 Class)

6. American Sable

(4 Class)

7. Angora, English

(4 Class)

8. Angora, French

(4 Class)

9. Angora, Giant

(6 Class)

10. Angora, Satin

(4 Class)

11. Belgian Hare

(4 Class) 12. Beveren (6 Class)

13. Blanc de Hotot

(6 Class)

14. Britannia Petite

(4 Class) 15. Californian (6 Class)

16. Champagne D'Argent

(6 Class)

17. Checkered Giant

(6 Class)

18. Chinchilla, American

(6 Class)

19. Chinchilla, Giant

(6 Class)

20. Chinchilla, Standard

(4 Class) 21. Cinnamon (6 Class)

22. Crème D'Argent

(6 Class) 23. Dutch (4 Class) 24. Dwarf Hotot (4 Class) 25. English Spot (4 Class)

26. Flemish Giant

(6 Class)

27. Florida White

(4 Class) 28. Harlequin (4 Class) 29. Havana (4 Class)

30. Himalayan (4 Class)

31. Holland Lop

(4 Class)

32. Jersey Wooly

(4 Class) 33. Lilac (4 Class) 34. Lop, English (6 Class)

35. Lop, French

(6 Class) 36. Lop. Mini (4 Class) 37. Mini Rex (4 Class)

38. Netherland Dwarf

(4 Class)

39. New Zealand (6 Class)

40. Palomino (6 Class) 41. Polish (4 Class)

42. Rex (4 Class) 43. Rhinelander

(4 Class) 44. Satin (6 Class) 45. Silver (4 Class) 46.Silver Fox (6 Class)

47. Silver Marten

(4 Class) 48. Tan (4 Class) 49. Thrianta (4 Class)

50. Mixed Commercial

(6 Class) 51. Mixed Fancy (4 Class) 52. Mini Satin (4 Class) 53. Lionhead (4 Class) 54. Argente Brun

(6 Class)

55. Dwarf Papillon (4 Class) 56. Blue Holicer

(4 Class) 57. Czech Frosty (4 Class)

Classes:

1.Senior Buck: Over 6 Mos. 2. Senior Doe: Over 6 Mos. 3. Junior Buck: Under 6 Mos. 4. Junior Doe: Under 6 Mos. 5. 6-8 Buck (Commercial) 6. 6-8 Doe (Commercial)

Rabbit Show:

Wednesday July 24th @ 9:00 am

Poster Contest:

⇒ An optional Small Animal Poster Contest will be held during the fair and is open to all small animal exhibitors.

⇒ Judging will be held on Sunday and the posters will be displayed throughout the barn the entire week.

⇒ Posters must be made solely for the contest and may not be the one made for any project.

⇒ Posters must be brought to the small animal barn no later than 7:00 p.m. Saturday of check-in and picked up after 6:00 p.m. on Saturday (end of fair) or between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. Sunday.

⇒ Posters must include on the BACK: exhibitor's name, age, and club. Exhibitor's names will not be permitted on poster fronts.

Posters will be divided into two classes: junior, ages 13 and younger, and senior, ages 14 and older. They will be judged on creativity, originality and

Ribbons will be awarded to each exhibitor.

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Department NO. 650: Pocket Pets Pet Rabbits/Cats/ Guinea Pigs/ Hamsters/Gerbils/Mice/Rats/ Poultry/Rabbits/Self-Determined Animals

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

A. Fair Dress Code:

 Pants or Capri's; long- sleeved shirt and/or lab coat (shirts must be collared and buttoned appropriately); closed toe shoes.

B. Pre-Fair Dress Code:

- Long pants (jeans or dress pants), skirt or dress, and collared shirts, buttoned appropriately.
 - 5 Points will be deducted if dress code is not met.

Cats: 9 Years & Older

*Awards will be on Sunday July 21st, 2024 @ the Awards Ceremony Located in the Event Center

- ⇒ All exhibitors must be enrolled in the 4-H Cat Project.
- ⇒ Cats must show at the pre-judging unless they are in season. Cats will not be on display at the fair.
- ⇒ Cats must have certification of rabies and distemper inoculation.
- Exhibitors must make something to go along with their cat project or a poster and exhibit this item in the Small Animal Building in a booth during the fair. Bring project book and be able to answer questions about the project.
- ⇒ Cats must be on a harness or collar and leash or in a cage at all times on the Fairgrounds.

#216 Cat 1 - Purrfect Pals - beginning level #217 Cat 2 - Climbing Up - intermediate levels #218 Cat 3 - Leaping Forward - advanced #214R - Small Animal Record Book - Please order this book to keep records of your cat project. Description:

Learn about the history of cats, feeding, watering, and caring for an animal. Make a carrying case, scratching post or some other toy for your pet.

Hamsters, Guinea Pigs, Reptiles & Amphibians Pocket Pets-Mouse, Rat, Gerbils, Pet Rabbits * Show: Tuesday July 16th 2024 9:00 a.m. in the Event Center

Members will bring their project in for judging and leave only the exhibit item for display during the week of the fair.

- ⇒ All animals must be owned by May 1st of the current year.
- All exhibitors are responsible for their animals at the judging and must be prepared to present their animals to the judge on the table.
- ⇒ Members must exhibit a poster about their project to leave on display in the Youth Exhibit Building
- ⇒ Awards will be given on Sunday, July 21st 2024 at the Award Ceremony Multipurpose

#215 – Guinea Pig I (9 years and older) Description:

Start with one animal. Learn to feed, care and manage guinea pigs. Raise one litter if possible. Complete member project guide. Bring an exhibit or poster from one area.

Requirements:

Bring one or two guinea pigs to judging; exhibit fair poster.

#227 Pet Rabbit

*Members will participate in judging on Tuesday July 16th, one week prior to the fair at the Small Animal-judging contest. Participants must bring a rabbit(s) and a poster to judging. Pet rabbits must be healthy and show no signs of aggression. Pet rabbits are not exhibited at the fair. Small Animal Record Book (214R) and Small Animal Resource Book (220R) recommended.

Requirements:

Bring small animal to judging; exhibit a poster during fair week

#230 Pet Pals

* For judging, members can bring in your pet (must be on a leash or in a cage). Please bring in your PetPals activities and accom plishments records along with a poster or a scrapbook.

Department NO. 700: Dairy Cattle

Jr. Fair Board in Charge: Carley Betz

Adult Advisors: David Vollmer

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Livestock entries are due to the Senior Fair Board Office by June 8th 2024.
- B. Dress Code Dairy: white pants, white shirts with sleeves, hard-soled shoes
- C. NO ONE is permitted in the Barn until Thursday (before Fair) @ 7:30pm
- D. Animals may be registered or grade dairy cattle.
- E. All animals must be owned, leased and in possession by May 1.
- F. No Bulls may be exhibited.
- G. Lactating animals brought to fair as Jr. Fair exhibits may be released after the completion of the show with all proper stall release paperwork. Lactating animals that are the exhibitor's sole project must remain at the fair the entire week.
- H. Animals must have proof of birthday.
- I. All animals must be fed and watered daily.
- J. All animals must be cross tied.

K. Gallon of Milk Sale:

- Inscribed milk can, will be in the sale arena and the buyer will receive the milk can, unless he/she chooses to donate it back to the Dairy Department.
- Dairy members are required to be present in front of the Arena dressed in clean show whites when the milk can is selling in order to receive their sale check.
- Proceeds generated from the sale will be evenly distributed among the members enrolled in the dairy project, shown in the Jr. Fair Show, and gone through the sale. This does not include dairy feeder calves or dairy steers.

Section 1- Gallon of Milk

Section 2-N/A

Section 3— Dairy Showmanship

Classes:

- 1.Ages 16 & Older
- 2. Ages 13-15
- 3. Ages 10-12
- 4. Ages 8-9

Dairy Showmanship Show:

Monday July 24th Following Open Class Show

Dairy Breed Sections:

Section 4: Ayrshire

Section 5: Brown Swiss

Section 6: Guernsey

Section 7: Holstein

Section 8: Jersey

Section 9: Milking Shorthorn

Classes for Dairy Breeding-Sections 4-9:

- 1. Junior Calf born March 01, 2024 Apr. 30, 2024.
- Intermediate Calf born Dec 01, 2023 Feb. 28, 2024.
- 3. Senior Calf born Sept. 01, 2023 Nov 30, 2024.
- 4. Summer Yearling born June 01, 2022 Aug 31, 2023
- Junior Yearling born March 01, 2023 May 31, 2023.
- 6. Intermediate Sr. Yearling–born Dec 01, 2022 Feb 29, 2023.
- 7. Senior Yearling born Sept. 01, 2021 Nov. 30, 2021.
- 8. Junior 2 Yr Old born March 01, 2022 Aug. 31, 2022.
- Senior 2 year Old born Sept. 01, 2021 Feb. 28, 2022.
- 10. 3 Year Old born Sept. 01, 2020 Aug. 31, 2021.
- 11. 4 Year Old and Over born before Sept. 01.

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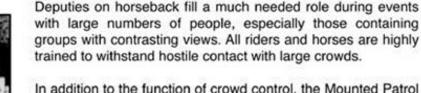
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Members of the Butler County Sheriff's Mounted Patrol are primarily "Honorary Special Deputies" serving entirely as volunteers. These Deputies must meet the same qualifications as any other employees of the Butler County Sheriff's Office. They must pass a thorough criminal background check, financial background check, drug screen and also a horsemanship test, before being placed on the Mounted Patrol.

Each horse and deputy goes through training and certification and can only be used for the Mounted Patrol upon completion of this training.



In addition to the function of crowd control, the Mounted Patrol Unit is also used during searches when someone flees from a crime scene or when an inmate or criminal escapes custody. They are also used for security purposes at major events, such as the Butler County Fair. Additionally, they are present at a large number of parades and other public appearances.



Mounted Patrol is always a parade favorite.



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Butler County Junior Fair Section

Department NO. 800: Horse

Jr. Fair Board in Charge: Kiersten Franke, Elle Moeller, Makayla Krazl, & Ally Dennett

Superintends: Kimber Spaulding & Lily Swigert Adult Advisors: Tena Collier & Cindy Schwab

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- NO SMOKING IN OR AROUND THE BARNS
- All Fair Class entries are due to the Senior Fair Board Office by June 8th 2024. This includes
 Horseless Horse Entries.
- NO ONE is permitted in the Barn until Thursday (before Fair) @ 7:30pm
- At the discretion of the Sr and Jr Fair Board, they reserve the right to make changes to benefit the integrity of the show.
- HEALTH REQUIREMENTS: A veterinarian, or horse advisor with an attached receipt, must sign the Junior Fair vaccination form (influenza and rhino), in ink, when the animals are vaccinated. All advisors must turn in vaccination forms at the June Horse Advisor Meeting.
- Copies of all Jr Fair Entry Form (Fair Classes) must be submitted to Jr Fair Board Advisor no later than June Advisor Meeting. The earlier the better for computer purposes.
- A Jr. Fair member may only show one horse at the fair. Switching of horses is prohibited and may result in suspension from fair.
- A horse carried as a project may be shown by only one member in any one year.
- Stallions cannot be used as a Horse project.
- Those wanting to participate in the Premier Exhibitor Award Program must turn in their registration at Skillathon.
- Horses shown by Jr. Fair members in Jr. Fair classes must be owned by the member, be in partnership with
 his or her immediate family, or on lease with a lease agreement turned in to the Extension Agent on or
 before May 1 of the current year. Included in the lease form, there must be an identification page. This page
 will also include photos of the horse, minimum 3"x5" clear and color photos. Photos must current, and of the
 front view (head on), right side, and left side. There will also be noted any markings i.e. star, stripe, snip,
 right rear sock, etc.
- All members are to be under adult supervision in the barns or in campsites by 12 midnight and the lights out at that time. If no adult is present, parents will be notified.
- Stalled horses must be haltered at all times with a lead on the door.
- No horse may be left unattended in wash racks for any reason.
- No free style lunging in round pen. Horses must be on a lunge line.
- There will be no parking around barns from 10:00am to 10:00pm Sunday thru Saturday. Cars will be towed away at the owner's expense. All fire lanes must be kept open at all times.
- Each club will be permitted to keep one horse trailer at the fair if necessary. All other trailers need to be removed by 10:00am Sunday.
- No yearling horses are to be shown in pony classes. Ponies may be shown in either all pony classes or in age group classes against horses, but not both. The member must choose between the divisions. Only exceptions are classes that do not offer pony division.
- Dress Code Horses: proper Western or English attire

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- Junior Fair Board will inspect stalls daily. A warning notice will be given if stalls need to be cleaned or if there is no drinking water present. Upon second notice, 5 club points will be deducted per day when not in compliance with the notice. Each club will be responsible for maintaining clean and safe aisles in their section of the barn during the fair. Daily stall cleaning is mandatory. Stalls must be stripped and barns left in their original condition before departure from the fairgrounds. Any stall partition which is destroyed must be replaced. This includes all stalls assigned, whether they are used for tack, horses, or anything else. Failure to comply with the above could disqualify a clubs member(s) from Butler County Fair competitions.
- Tack Boxes must be within the size regulations of 24" wide, 35" high, and 48" long. Tack boxes will be measured at the discretion of the Junior Fair Board or 4H Advisors and must be in place by 1:00pm Sunday.
- Each member enrolled in a Horse Project as of April 1st, including Horseless Horse, is required to pay a Horse Participation Fee of \$10. This fee is to be turned in to your Advisor and they will submit their total Club Amount no later than the May Advisor Meeting.

Moving into Fair

- A General meeting for all Club members will be held in the Grandstands on Saturday (Move-In Day) at 6:00pm. Immediately following the meeting, there will be a horse test for all Test Levels. Make-up test must be completed on Sunday, at either 11:30 a.m. or 6:30 p.m. Please make necessary arrangements with the Test Committee.
- Horses are to be stalled by 6:00pm Saturday. Horses are not to be removed from the Fairgrounds until after the awards ceremony the following Saturday. Any exceptions must be approved by the Senior Fair Board.
- Each member showing a project at the Fair must provide his or her own transportation for their project to and from the fair.
- Ponies will be measured after the test session on Saturday at the end of the Production Barn on blacktop. Ponies are to be 58" and under. Minis do not need to be measured.

Riding Guidelines

- While Riding, all Youth are required to wear an approved helmet, boots, and their back number.
- Anytime a horse is out of its stall, the handler must have their number displayed and wearing boots or hard toe shoes.
- No one will be permitted to ride a member's horse except their immediate family and advisors, and they must abide by the rules set up for the members.
- There will be no riding around the Fairgrounds without the proper saddle and bridle.
- Members entered in the Bareback class are permitted to practice only the evening before their scheduled class.
- No riding doubles.
- No riding in the barn aisles.
- All horses must be ridden in the designated areas and at the designated times.
- There will be no racing in the exercise areas.
- Horses may not go faster than a walk on the way to or from the exercise areas.
- When a horse is out of the stall, they must be under saddle or on a lead at all times.
- Contest riders may only practice their classes only at the designated times.

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Show Days

- All bits are subject for a bit check at the judge's discretion.
- All horses in the ring must be handled by the Jr Fair member.
- A member may show in no more than 5 classes. The advisor has final authority to decide in which competition classes a member is qualified to enter.
- If a member shows an animal that is unruly, the judge may dismiss that member from the class if he/she feels it is necessary. If dismissed, the member will still receive 10 points for the class.
- Unsportsmanlike conduct toward judges, show personnel, or other exhibitors will not be tolerated. Violators will be dismissed from the show by the Jr Fair Board or the Sr Fair Board Director.
- Club members are responsible for their equipment, projects, and attendance in the show ring when their classes begin.
- Junior Fair classes will be set up depending on the number of entries and at the discretion of the Jr. Fair Board. Members signed up for classes with under 5 participants at the enrollment deadline may switch to another class or remain in the class of less than 5.
- Classes may be combined or divided at the discretion of the Jr. Fair Board.
- A Jr Fair member may opt to change or scratch their class(es). These changes and or scratches must be presented on the form supplied to your Advisor. Your Advisor must sign the form and turn in to a Junior Fair Board Member or JFB Advisor prior to the scheduled class(es).
- All first and second place winners of all classes (excluding walk-trot, halter, ground roping, and driving classes) will be eligible for the Championship Classes. The patterns for these classes will be made up by a committee of adult advisors and/or the Judges suitable for all styles of showing. There is no limit to how many times a member can compete in a Championship Class, however a member may only compete in Grand Showman every other year. In the event, the Showman of Showmen Champion is not eligible to compete in the Grand Showman Event, the Reserve Champion will have the opportunity to represent the Horse Department in the Grand Showman Competition.

Show Schedule:

Western & Ranch Monday, July 22nd, 9:30am, July 23rd, 9:00am, English, Gaited, Jumping, & Dressage Tuesday, Wednesday, July 24th, 8:00am. Contestina

Code of Conduct

- 4H horse club reserves the right to dismiss any member from its membership if the member does not adhere to the 4-H membership requirements. The procedure is as follows:
 - The advisor of the club must write a letter to the member in question and submit copies to his/her parents and the 4-H Educator detailing the reasons for the intended dismissal.
 - The member in question may appeal the action by presenting his or her case to the 4-H Educator. If the decision the member is upheld, the member may complete the year's club work by rejoining another 4-H horse club, providing that club will accept him or her.
- The Sr. Fair Board director may refuse a member the right to participate in any event at the Fair if they see fit to do so for the betterment of the Jr. Fair program. Example: unfit or unhealthy animal, conduct unbecoming to a Jr. Fair Exhibitor, etc.
- Procedures for handling horse show complaints will follow the procedures as published in the *Uniform* Rules for 4H Horse Shows book.

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EquiSTEP (Equine Safety, Training, and Education Program)

EquiSTEP is an annual statewide requirement for all youth participating in Ohio 4-H Horse Program activities. EquiSTEP replaces the statewide requirement of reading the Horses, Safety, and You (191R) resource and viewing the Every Time, Every Ride and Horses, Kids, and Ethics videos for youth and their families who are new to the 4-H horse program.

The EquiSTEP curriculum focuses on helmet safety, equine safety & handling, equine health & nutrition, and sportsmanship. It is designed to rotate topics every year.

STEP 1: Head (Helmet Safety Video)

Every Year

STEP 2: Hands (Equine Safety & Handling)

- YR 1 Equine Behavior
- YR 2 Safety & Handling
- YR 3 Tack & Equipment

STEP 3: Health (Equine Health & Nutrition)

- YR 1 Assessing Horse Health
- YR 2 Preventative Health
- YR 3 Nutrition

STEP 4: Heart (Sportsmanship)

- YR 1 Winning & Losing
- YR 2 Discipline vs. Punishment
- YR 3 Handling Adversity

EquiSTEP is designed to be completed online by each participant individually through Scarlet Canvas or administered in a group setting by a county 4-H educator to their participants, similar to QA for livestock market projects. This must be completed by May 1st by All Horse Members Every Year.

To complete EquiSTEP individually, a participant must enroll using their own unique email address. (Participants should not use their school email addresses as the course enrollment invitation will be blocked by the school's email system.) Participants must view all five videos (Introduction and STEPS 1-4) which last approximately one hour in total. Once the videos are completed, participants will be able to access the 10-question quiz. Participants must complete the quiz associated with the training and achieve a minimum score of 7 (out of 10) in order to pass the training. Once the quiz is successfully completed, participants will need to complete the course survey to trigger a certificate of completion. The certificate will be emailed to the participant's email address as well as their county's 4-H Extension Agent. The participant must select their correct county to trigger the email to the correct email address and they must click on the submit button at the end of the survey to trigger the email.

Horseless Horse Project Guidelines

It is recommended and encouraged for members taking this project to read the Beginning Horse Management Project Book (#174). A Horseless Horse Project Book (#173) is available for your reference, however that book will not be used as part of Judging.

Fair Judging will take place in the Event Center, Friday before Fair. An online sign-up program will be used to schedule your interview time. An email will be sent to you explaining the sign-up process. Project Topics may be any Horse Related topic of your choice. Projects must be on Standard Size Poster Board, 22" x 28". Interviews should be 5 to 7 minutes in length. Part of the judging process is Dress Code. Proper English or Western Attire must be worn. This includes Hat/Helmet, Long Sleeve Collared Button-up Shirt, Jeans/Breeches, and Boots. (*Belts are optional*.) Projects will be disqualified if members are not in appropriate attire. At the completion of your interview, Junior Fair Board Members will collect your poster and place it in the Youth Exhibitor Building for display. The awards ceremony will be held Sunday in conjunction with Special Interest & Shooting Sports in the Event Center.

An optional 25-Question Multiple Choice & True/False Test will be available following the Interview for those interested in completing it. This test has no effect on your judging, scoring, or results. Test Questions are derived from the recommended Beginning Horse Management Project Book. (Youth taking the Horseless Horse Project that are members of a Horse Club, your test is Mandatory. You will take your test on Saturday in the Grandstands with your Club Members.)

Judging will be separated into Junior (8 - 13) and Senior (14 - 18) Divisions. Project & Interview will be placed separately awarding 1st – 8th Place for each category.

High Point Club

- A Clubs enrollment for the High Point Award would be the clubs official enrollment number at the time of the Fair Class Entry Deadline. This includes:
 - o 5 Member minimum is required.
 - Any member who decides not to exhibit or show at the Fair.
 - Any member excused from exhibiting or showing at the Fair through a veterinarian or doctor excuse.
- A Clubs total points will be accumulated and computed in the following way:
 - Each member's Top 3 placing classes plus their test score will be added together for a total. All members' scores will then be totaled and divided by the number of members enrolled resulting in a Club Average.
- Clubs will be placed based on their overall point average and receive ribbons 1st thru 8th.
- · Class Point System

1 st: 25 Points 2nd.: 24 Points 3rd: 23 Points 4th: 22 Points 5th: 21 Points 6th: 20 Points 7th: 19 Points 8th. 18 Points

Classes with 5 or less entries, all participants will receive 10 points. Members showing in a class but not placing will receive 10 points. Scratching a class will result in 10 points for that class. Total overall Fair competition points consists of: Top 3 Classes and Test.

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Test Level Guidelines

All 4H horse members (including Horseless Horse) must take a test each year. Each member will need to purchase the appropriate test book and safety book (Horses, Safety, and You) from the extension office. Advisors have an order form in the binder that you received from the extension office. Additionally, each member should purchase a Uniform Rules of 4-H Horse Shows book to know the rules for their show classes at the fair.

Members should begin with Beginning Horse Management (Project 174). This book is divided into five test levels as follows:

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174 – Test Level 1
                   (pages 17-50)
174 – Test Level 2
                   (pages 51-64)
174 – Test Level 3
                   (pages 65-80)
174 – Test Level 4
                   (pages 81-94)
174 – Test Level 5
                   (pages 95-146)
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New members start with Level 1 regardless of age. Members must complete Levels 1-5 in order and then they move on to Letter Levels.

The letter levels may be done in any order and members are tested over the entire book. They are:

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Level A – 175 Light Horse Selection
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Level C - 188 Trail Riding

Level E - 177 Horse Training

Level F - 180 Learning To Jump

Level G - 184 Standardbred Horses

Level H - 181 Draft Horses

Level I - 189 Dressage

Level M - 182 Small Equine

Level N - 186 Gymkhana

Level R - 187 Roping

A member may stay in a level for a second year if they scored less than a 22 on the test. Any score of 22 and up automatically moves up to the next level. After a second time of taking a test level the member moves up to the next level regardless of the score.

Any member needing a reader will be provided one by someone not in their own club. Please discreetly notify the test committee which members need one.

Test Level Trophies

- All members with a perfect score of 25 will be given an award medallion at the Awards Program Saturday morning.
- Test Level Trophies will be determined by the highest score within that Level by someone not receiving 1st Place in one of their horse classes. If there is only 1 person in a given quiz level, they will receive the quiz level trophy.

Butler Co. 4-H Program State Fair Selection PAS Guidelines

- The Butler County PAS show is June 22, 2024 to be held at Warren County Fairgrounds.
- 4H member must qualify in a minimum of 2 classes at PAS show. You will be required to show in the same classes at the State Fair.
- Participants will be required to pay a registration fee for PAS.
- Pre-Registration of classes is recommended and preferred. However, you may enter the day of the show with a late fee being added.
- You are permitted to compete in a total of 4 classes (plus Ground Roping). You must qualify in 2 of these classes in order to compete at State Fair. If you qualify in 4 classes you may show all 4 classes at State Fair, plus Ground Roping. These cannot be changed for any reason. If you wish, you may choose only to show in 2 or 3 of your qualified classes.
- You must use your fair project horse for the PAS Show. No exceptions or changes.
- Judge's decision is final in all classes.
- Gymkhana Classes -If exhibitor does not qualify on 1st run they will not be given a second run. Helmets are required.
- All horsemanship and equitation classes will include a pattern to qualify a youth for State Fair.
- Pony measurements 58" & under (54-58" Large Pony, 50-54" Medium Pony, 50" & under Small Pony). Ponies will be measured at designated time.
- 4-H youth must participate at the Butler County Fair the previous year to be eligible for the State Fair PAS
 Qualification Show. First year members are eligible for PAS competition.
- Members may qualify at another county PAS show with approval of both County 4H Educators in writing. An
 official form is available and must be completed prior to competing across county lines at another County's
 PAS Show. A maximum of 2 PAS Shows may be shown in order to qualify for the State Fair.
- To compete in Dressage at State Fair, a member must be enrolled in the Dressage Project.
- To compete in the Competitive Trail Ride, a member must be enrolled in the Trail Riding Project.
- Youth wanting to show in Ground Roping ONLY at State Fair are required to qualify in Ground Roping at a PAS qualifying show but are NOT required to qualify in any other PAS horse class.
 - All exhibitors wanting to show in Ground Roping at State Fair are required to be enrolled in the Roping project book and must submit their completed project book to the State show office the morning of the Ground Roping class for scoring which will count towards their overall class placing.

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Injured Animal or Unable to Compete

- To receive fair competition points, a member must exhibit his or her animal or have a veterinarian's certificate stating the animal cannot be exhibited at the fair.
 - A member may complete his or her project without showing in classes, but must turn in a class dismissal slip signed by the judge to receive any points for that class.
 - The Junior Fair Board or Sr. Fair Board Director will rule on any special cases. These may include theft, inability of the 4-H member to handle animal, the proper care of the animal at the fair, illness/diseases, etc.
 - If a horse dies, is permanently disabled, is injured, becomes ill, is too unruly for the member to handle, etc., a member may change to a horseless project. A Member requesting to change their project, must turn in the following three letters by the July Horse Advisor's Meeting to the Jr. Fair Board for review. Any replacement animal must still meet all health requirements. A decision will be made by Jr. Fair Board in conjunction with the Sr. Fair Board regarding the project change request:
 - A veterinarian's statement describing the nature and extent of the horse's debility. In the case of death, the statement must describe the cause and reason for the death.
 - A statement from the 4-H member to the Jr. Fair Board detailing the horse's debility. In the case of death, the cause and reason for the death.
 - A statement from the 4-H member's advisor detailing the problem and whether he or she would recommend a replacement or not.
 - In any case a member may drop down to a horseless horse project at any time.

Club Camping Spaces

Camping selections will take place at the May Advisor Meeting at the Fairgrounds. All Paperwork and Payments will be due at the time of selection. Selling or Transferring Camper Spaces is Prohibited. If a space is no longer needed, the Senior Fair Office must be informed ASAP.

The Order of the Camping Selection Process will go as follows:

- 1. Advisor Board Officers will select in the Order of President, Vice President, Secretary, then Treasurer.
- 2. Jr. Fair Board Advisor(s)
- 3. Jr. Fair Board Members (excluding Barn Superintendents). Order will be based on the following criteria:
 - a. Seniority
 - b. Meeting Attendance
 - c. Participation in Fundraisers & Community Service Projects
- 4. Committee Chairpersons/Advisors
- 5. Club Advisors, with preference to the Advisors based on the following criteria:
 - a. Working at Horse Events
 - b. Attendance at the 4H Advisor Meetings from June of one year through May of the following year.
 - c. Horse Participation Fee of \$10 per member enrolled as of April 1st, including Horseless Horse. This fee is to be turned in no later than the May Advisor Meeting.

NO SLEEPING IN ANY VEHICLES OTHER THAN THOSE IN RENTED CAMPER SPOTS

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Class List Horse (800)

Section	Class	Class Description
Section 1, HORSELESS	1	Horseless Horse 8-13
	2	Horseless Horse 14-18
Section 2, WESTERN	1	Western Halter Horse 8-18
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	2	Western Showmanship 8-13
*No Cross Entry to	3	Western Showmanship 14-18
Section 7	4	Western Horsemanship 8-13
Gooden' '	5	Western Horsemanship 14-18
	6	Western Pleasure 8-13
	7	Western Pleasure 14-18
Section 3, ENGLISH	1	English Type Halter 8-18
, 2, 1, 2, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1,	2	Hunt Seat Showmanship 8-13
	3	Hunt Seat Showmanship 14-18
	4	Hunt Seat Equitation 8-13
	5	Hunt Seat Equitation 14-18
	6	Hunt Seat Pleasure 8-13
	7	Hunt Seat Pleasure 14-18
	8	Working Hunter Under Saddle 8-13
	9	Working Hunter Under Saddle 14-18
Section 4, JUMPING	1	Hunt Seat Equitation Over Fences 2'-2'9" 8-18
.,	2	Hunt Seat Equitation Over Fences 18" 8-18
	3	Working Hunter Over Fences 2'-2'9" 8-18
	4	Working Hunter Over Fences 18" 8-18
	5	Hunter Hack 2' 8-18
*If these W/T classes are entered, you are	6	Walk Trot Ground Pole Jumping 8-18
permitted to enter a class with a canter on the flat	7	Walk Trot Cross Rail Jumping 8-18
Section 5, GAITED	1	Easy Gaited Showmanship 8-18
	2	Easy Gaited Equitation 8-18
	3	Easy Gaited Pleasure 8-18
*For Halter Classes,	4	Easy Gaited Bareback Pleasure 8-18
See Section 3	5	Walking Horse/Saddle Seat Showmanship 8-18
	6	Walking Horse/Saddle Seat Pleasure 8-18
	7	Walking Horse/Saddle Seat Equitation 8-18
Section 6, DRESSAGE	1	Dressage Introductory C 8-18
	2	Dressage Training Level 1 8-18
	3	Dressage Training Level 2 8-18
	4	Dressage Training Level 3 8-18
	5	Dressage Equitation 8-18
	6	Western Dressage Basic Level Test 1 8-18
Section 7, RANCH	1	Ranch Halter 8-18
	2	Ranch Showmanship 8-13
*No Cross Entry to	3	Ranch Showmanship 14-18
Section 2	4	Ranch Pleasure 8-13
	5	Ranch Pleasure 14-18
	6	Ranch Riding 8-13
	7	Ranch Riding 14-18
	8	Ranch Horsemanship 8-13
Occident O. TDAII	9	Ranch Horsemanship 14-18
Section 8, TRAIL	1	Trail 8-13
	2	Trail 14-18
	3	Trail In-Hand 8-13
	4	Trail In-Hand 14-18

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Class List Horse (800)

Section	Class	Class Description
Section 9, WALK TROT	1	Walk Trot Western Horsemanship 8-18
	2	Walk Trot Western Pleasure 8-18
*No Cross Entry to	3	Walk Trot Hunt Seat Equitation 8-18
Canter Classes	4	Walk Trot Hunt Seat Pleasure 8-18
	5	Walk Trot Ranch Riding 8-18
*No Cross Entry	6	Walk Trot Ranch Pleasure 8-18
between	7	Walk Trot Ranch Horsemanship 8-18
Classes 1,2 and 5,6,7	8	Walk Trot Trail 8-18
(Western & Ranch)	9	Walk Trot Dressage Introductory A 8-18
,	10	Walk Trot Dressage Introductory B 8-18
	11	Walk Trot Western Dressage Introductory Level Test 1 8-18
Section 10, MINI/PONY	1	Mini/Pony Open Halter 8-18
	2	Mini/Pony Western Showmanship 8-18
	3	Mini/Pony Hunt Seat Showmanship 8-18
	4	Mini/Pony Ground Poles In-Hand 8-18
	5	Mini/Pony Cross Rail In-Hand 8-18
Section 11, DRIVING	1	Ground Driving Reinsmanship 8-18 (no cart)
	2	Pleasure Driving 8-18
Section 12, GYMKHANA	1	Barrel Racing 8-10
	2	Barrel Racing 11-13
	3	Barrel Racing 14-15
	4	Barrel Racing 16-18
	5	Pole Bending 8-10
	6	Pole Bending 11-13
	7	Pole Bending 14-15
	8	Pole Bending 16-18
	9	Flag Race 8-13
	10	Flag Race 14-18
	11	Texas Keyhole 8-10
	12	Texas Keyhole 11-13
	13	Texas Keyhole 14-15
	14	Texas Keyhole 16-18
	15	Cones & Barrels 8-13
	16	Cones & Barrels 14-18
	17	Stakes Race 8-10
	18	Stakes Race 11-13
	19	Stakes Race 14-15
	20	Stakes Race 16-18
	21	Speed & Control 8-13
	22	Speed & Control 14-18
Section 13, MULE/DRAFT	1	Mule & Draft Horse Showmanship 8-18
	2	Mule Horsemanship 8-18
	3	Mule Pleasure 8-18
	4	Mule & Draft Horse Driving 8-18
Section 14, OTHER	1	Bareback Pleasure 8-18
,	2	Western Riding 8-18
	3	Reining 8-18
	4	Ground Roping 8-18
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Show Dates:

<u>Saturday June 1st Buter County Fairgrounds Art Hall:</u> 4-H Show (Showmanship, Obedience, Rally, You and Your Dog with Dog, All About Dogs, Assistance Dog, You and Your Dog without Dog).

Registration: 8:30am Show: 9am

Sunday July 14th @ Hamilton Dog Training Club: Agility

Registration: 8:30am Show: 9am

Placings-Judges, show staff and 4H Dog Committee reserve the right to withhold class placements.

<u>Tuesday July 23rd:</u> Cloverbud, CGC & Trickdog, Demo **Registration 5:30pm Show 6:00pm**

Registration 5.50pm Snow 6.00pm

<u>Thursday July 27th:</u> Fun Day (Weather Permitting): **Registration 5:30pm 6pm**

IMPORTANT: Each member enrolled in the Butler County 4-H/FFA Dog Project <u>MUST</u> have a copy of the dog resource book. Members taking dog projects must have on file a Permission to Participate form by April 1st.

Rules Governing This Department: Please Read All Rules Carefully

- A. Entries Due May 1st to Jr Fair Dog Department
- All rules based on OSU Dog Department Rules, with the exception of limited sharing of a dog between siblings. Rules
- C. Dogs Grooming & Handling: girls skirts, dresses, dress shorts, or similar attire and boys– dress shirts, ties and dress slacks Obedience classes, colored dress jeans and dress shorts are appropriate

D. PROJECT ELEGIBILTY:

- Dogs entered in the Butler County 4-H and FFA Dog activities must be enrolled in the Butler County 4-H and FFA Dog Project.
- Youth must be enrolled in the correct dog project to show in classes at the Fair as follows:
 You and Your Dog, Project No. 201D to show in You and Your Dog classes
 Obedience, Project No. 2010 to show in Beginner Novice, Pre-Novice, Novice, Graduate Novice, Open, Graduate Open, Utility, Brace, Team, and Rally classes
 Showmanship, Project No. 201S to show in Showmanship classes
 Performance Dog, Project No. 201P to show in Agility.
 Working Dog, Project No. 201W to show in the Assistance Dog classes
 PetPALS, Project No. 230 to show in the 4-H PetPALS class.
- Winning Plan: Exhibitors with a Winning Plan are required to submit that plan at least two weeks prior

- to the first day of the dog show. The sooner the Winning Plan is received the more time we have to work with the parent to develop a plan to help the exhibitor succeed. With advance preparation we can ensure that winning will be attached to score sheet prior to the show. Please email Erin for more information.
- Members taking a dog project must have on file at the Butler County Extension Office a "Permission to Participate" form by April 1st. This form can be found www.go.osu.edu/dog and www.go.osu.edu/osfdogs

C. HEALTH REQUIREMENTS:

- All exhibitors must have the current year "Ohio State 4-H Certificate of Vaccination" for ALL dog project activities. Found at https://ohio4h.org/statewide-programs/animal-sciences/dog/dog-ohio-state-fair. The required vaccinations must be given after August 1, 2023 and before May 31, 2024 by a licensed accredited veterinarian. This must be in the handlers hands when doing the check in on the day of their show, for every dog for show prior to fair and during.
- Upon exhibitors arriving at dog show area, your "Ohio State 4-H Certificate of Vaccination" will be checked. Incomplete or falsified information is grounds for dismissal.
- Health Check at the OSF: Reminder: only the paper copy of the County Dog Project Identification Form & Vaccination Certificate will be accepted at Health Check. Please know that we will not accept electronic or digital copies.
- Any dogs exhibiting abnormalities or symptoms of sickness or diseases, as determined by a veterinarian, will be eliminated from the show and must be removed from the fairgrounds. If a dog is under veterinary care for a health condition that is not infectious or contagious, the exhibitor must bring a health certificate from the attending veterinarian verifying the condition and treatment.

D. LICENSE REQUIREMENT:

All dogs participating in Butler County 4-H and FFA Dog Project must be licensed in its county of residence. Junior Fair exhibitors must list their dog's license tag numbers on the 2024 Ohio State Fair Dog Project Identification Form and Vaccination Certificate. Exception: Assistance Dogs licensed through their respective organizations.

E. DOG ELIGIBILITY:

- Only domestic dogs can be shown. Wolf and wolf hybrids are not permitted.
- All dogs exhibited must be six months of age by the date of the show. This includes Pilot Dog puppies and other assistance dogs. Dogs exhibited in Agility must be 18 months or older on or before July 1, 2024. Proof of age is the burden of the exhibitor or exhibitor's immediate family. Dogs not meeting this age requirement cannot be shown.
- Youth may show multiple project dogs but no more than 1 dog per class, unless stated otherwise under division.

Siblings may share a family dog, but may not show within the same project with the same dog. This rule does not apply to the Ohio State Fair. (Sharing a dog at the county level is not permitted for State Fair Dog Show participation. If two youth share a dog at the county level, neither youth is eligible to show that dog at the State Fair, including 4-H Agility competition and 4-H PetPALS.) ex: one shows in you & your dog and the other in rally.

F. OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS

- Dogs participating must either be owned by the junior fair exhibitor or the exhibitor's immediate family as defined by General Dog Show Rules for Ohio 4-H.
- Ownership of Assistance Dogs is respective of each applicable organization.
- One of the junior fair exhibitor for the duration of the project.
- The date of ownership must be no later than April 1, 2024. Proof of ownership is the burden of the exhibitor and exhibitor's family.

G. RECOMMENDATION FOR DEFINITION OF OW-ENERSHIP

Definition of Ownership

- If the dog is registered by AKC, UKC, individual breed registries, herding dog registries, etc. the exhibitor's name, or a member of their immediate family's name, must appear on the registration certificate. Co-Ownership of a dog is permitted provided the exhibitor's name or a member of their immediate family's name is listed on the registration certificate. It is recommended that a copy of the registration certificate to be on file in the County Extension Office.
- If non-registered dog was purchased by a private owner, pet shop, humane society, dog rescue, etc., the exhibitor's name or a member of their immediate family must appear on the bill of sale.
- If a dog was given to the exhibitor or immediate family, or found by the exhibitor or immediate family, the exhibitor or a member of their family receiving or finding the dog should verify the date received or found by use of veterinary records, dogs licenses, and other forms of records, and write a statement as to the definite or approximate date the dog was received as a gift or found.

H. TRAINING

Lessons, instruction and advice for the exhibitor are encouraged. As long as the exhibitor is present in the learning situation, and handles

- or trains the dog the majority of the time present, such assistance can include occasional handling or training by another person.
- Only the exhibitor can train the dog at any type of training class on or after April 1, 2024.
- The judge will not permit an exhibitor to train or practice any exercise in the show ring at any time.

I. SHOWING

- No one other than the junior fair exhibitor is permitted to show the project dog(s) at any type of dog show, including agility, field trials, rally trials, etc., as well as fun matches, on or after April 1, 2024.
- No one other than the junior fair exhibitor is permitted to take the project dog(s) on animal assisted activities (pet therapy) visits, on or after April 1, 2024.
- Eligibility for showing in an "A" class is defined as "no training or showing experience for the handler and/or dog prior to the county's current project year." Handlers and/or dogs not meeting this requirement MUST show in a "B" class. Refer to "A" class information in the rules for each show discipline.
- Exhibitors showing their dogs at any Licensed or Member Obedience Trial or at a Sanctioned Match must show their dogs at the same or higher level than they are showing in AKC, UKC, or other titling shows. Fun matches do not apply.
- ONLY dogs shown by junior fair exhibitors are permitted on the Fairgrounds.
- Class may be cancelled or regrouped if less than 5 people are signed up for that class. If you are the only exhibitor in your class, you are able to repeat the class the following year.

J. MISBEHAVIOR AND EXCUSALS FOR DOGS ON THE FAIRGROUNDS OR SHOW RING.

- Any dog exhibiting unsafe or threatening behavior at any time before, during, or after exhibition MUST be removed from the fairgrounds and will not be permitted to return at any time throughout the Dog Show. Determination of the show committee and/or judge will be final.
- The judge or show officials will immediately excuse from the ring any dog exhibiting unsafe or threatening behavior.
 - The judge will immediately excuse any dog that appears dangerous to other dogs or exhibitors.
 - Any dog that snaps, bites, or attempts to bite any person or dog while in the

- Any uncontrolled behavior such as barking, running away from its handler, etc., will be penalized according to the seriousness of the misbehavior, whether it occurs during or between exercises, or before or after judging.
- Any dog not under its handler's control may be excused from competition.
- ANY dog that needs more space should wear a yellow ribbon or collar to let others know to keep an appropriate distance. Dogs wearing a yellow collar may be crated in a separate space.

UNSPORTSMANLIKE CONDUCT

- Any exhibitor or other person(s) abusing a dog will be removed from the fairgrounds.
- Judges have the right to deduct points from the Sportsmanship category on the exhibitor's score sheet if unsportsmanlike conduct is displayed at any time throughout the 4-H dog show prior to or during judging.
- Judges and/or show officials have the right to disqualify any participant exhibiting poor sportsmanship at any time throughout the 4-H Dog Show from showing, participating in activities, or from receiving any awards.
- Any handler who willfully interferes with another competitor or that competitor's dog will be excused from competition.
- Exhibitors, parents, volunteers, and other individuals verbally and/or physically abusive or threatening to show personnel will be removed from the Fairgrounds, and exhibitors will be disqualified.
- Show officials have the right to order the removal from the Fairgrounds anyone showing unsportsmanlike conduct.
- Exhibitors must check in at their show ring within 15 minutes after being called to their ring. Exhibitors who do not check in at their show ring within 15 minutes after being called will have sportsmanship points deducted on their score sheets.

OTHER

- An exhibitor disciplining a dog in the show ring will be excused from further competition in that M. DOG WALK PASS class.
- The judge will not permit any handler to use excessive verbal commands or to move toward the dog to correct it.
- Exhibitors are totally responsible for their dogs while on the Fairgrounds.
 - Dogs must be kept on leash while on the Fairgrounds, except when participating in the ring during judging.

- Dogs must be attended to at all times by exhibitor or exhibitors family members.
- Dogs must be kenneled in designated areas.
- Exhibitors must clean up after their dogs.
- Dogs are not permitted outside show
- Exhibitors or exhibitors family members are not permitted to tie up the
- Dogs must not be left unattended.
- Females dogs showing ANY signs of heat are not permitted on the Fairgrounds, They are NOT permitted to show. Each do must go through a health check each day of showing, where all females will be checked for signs of heat. If a female shows any signs of heat, she will be eliminated from the show and must be removed from the Fairgrounds. DECISION OF THE HEALTH CHECK OFFICIALS IS FINAL. (This is a State Rule.)
- Dogs are not permitted to wear any type of muzzle, prong/pinch collar, or electronic collar while on the fairgrounds. Exhibitors will be disqualified if their dogs are seen wearing muzzles, prong/pinch collars, or electronic collars.
- Only the exhibitor's dog, exhibitor, and show officials are permitted in the show ring area at any time throughout the show.
- Judges' decisions are final. Exhibitors, parents, volunteers, and other individuals are not permitted to talk with judges at any time during the Dog Show, except during Agility or Rally briefings and walkthroughs.
- Any violation of these set of rules will result in a deduction of points from an exhibitor's high point achievement award or class score sheet.
- No handler, parent, advisor or otherwise is permitted to sell livestock, products, services, etc at 4-H related events. These events are NOT to be used to promote personal businesses or other non 4-H related organization at any show, training or other 4-H related events.

A Dog Walk Pass must be presented to enter a dog onto the fairgrounds during fair week, of current year. Passes will be given to advisors to be passed out to members.

N. DOG'S APPEARANCE

- Dye & Coloring: Dogs are not permitted to be dyed or colored in any way. If coat or nails show any evidence of dye or coloring, the score sheet will reflect a major point deduction. This applies to all disciplines of the Ohio 4H Dog program and the Ohio State Fair Dog Show.
- ♦ It is not necessary that a 4-H dog be shown in a show clip; however, Dogs must be clean, well brushed and in good physical condition appropriate for the dog's age. The coat must be free from mats and loose hairs. Ears must be clean, but it is not required that all hair be removed from the ear canal. The eyes must be free from matter. Any dog whose hair surrounding the eyes, ears, or beard interferes with its performance may have its hair tied back with elastic bands or small plain barrettes. Ribbons or bows are not permitted. The teeth should not have tarter buildup. Some staining on the teeth of older dogs is permissible. The toenails must be proper length. Hair between the pads should be trimmed to prevent matting, as well as from collecting dirt and ice. It is not required that whiskers be trimmed; but if the dog's face is shaved, the stubble should be removed.

COLLARS

- Acceptable collars while in the show ring for all classes except showmanship:
 - Well-fitting plain buckle or quick release collars, martingales, or a slip collars of an appropriate single length of leather, fabric or chain with two rings, one on each end. Nothing may be hanging from the dog's collar.
- Acceptable collars while in the show ring for Showmanship:
 - Nylon or very small chain link slip collars, or combination lead and collar, such as martingale. Nothing may be hanging from dog's collar.

- Acceptable collars while outside the show ring:
 - Well-fitting plain buckle or quick release collars, martingales, or slip collars of an appropriate single length of leather, fabric or chain with two rings, one on each end. Head halters, fancy collars, and harnesses are permitted on dogs.
- Dogs Must NOT wear the following anywhere on the Fairgrounds:
 - Pinch Collars, collars with prongs or spikes on inside or outside, electric collars, or any other special training collars, or muzzles, glitter, paint, hair dye, or nail color, different/un-normal hairstyles or shaves. Youth are subject to disqualification from showing and removal from Fairgounds if their dogs are seen wearing these collars or devices.

♦ Leads:

• Leads may be of fabric or leather and must be 6ft in length. Slip leads are not permitted unless in agility levels 1-5 provided they are removed before the run begins. Chain leads are not acceptable. Showmanship leads may be of fabric or leather and should be long enough to allow for easy handling. Dogs are shown on a lead that is appropriate to their size. All dogs must be kept on leash except when in the show ring performing an off lead exercise, and must be brought into taken out of the ring on leash. Dogs must be kept on leash in the ring when brought in to receive awards.

♦ Use of Bait:

 Using bait in Showmanship and You and Your dog classes are up to the discretion of the judge. During obedience classes, food, treats, or toys are not permitted in the show ring, or show ring areas.

♦ Appearance and Conduct:

the ring to gain the judge's attention is inappropriate and should be faulted accordingly. Handlers are expected to handle their dogs without distracting the dogs of other competitors. A handler who crowds or disturbs other dogs should be faulted. Handlers who exhibit impatience or heavy-handedness with their dogs should be penalized

Dumbbells:

• Must be made of one or more solid pieces or one of the heavy hardwoods, or of rigid or semi rigid firm, nontoxic, no wooden material, similar in size, shape, color, and weight to a wooden dumbbell. Metal dumbbells are not permitted. Dumbbells shall not be hollowed out. It shall have no decorations or attachments, but may bear an inconspicuous mark for identification. The size of the dumbbell shall be proportionate to the size of the dog.

O. HANDLER'S APPEARANCE

Exhibitors should be neat, clean, and well-groomed in appearance, their appearance should resemble as if you're going to a job interview. They should wear clothing that is comfortable to handle, is appropriate for dog shows, and complements their dog. Clothing should not distract, limit hinder the judge's view or the presentation of the dog. Youth with long hair should tie it back to keep it from interfering with handling or the judge's view.

Acceptable Clothing:

 Includes dresses with sleeves, skirts, dress slacks, dressy shorts, skorts, dressy capris or crop pants, colored dress jeans (not for showmanship), collared blouses

- and shirts, dress shirts, ties, polo shirts, or similar attire. Sports jackets may be worn, but are not necessary, especially in hot weather. When wearing a tie, secure it with a tie tack; footwear: closed-toe shoes, rubber soled shoes, flats and similar type footwear (Hint: Wear something you would normally wear to an interview). For Agility, Exhibition Classes Fun Day Only: Club shirts, blue jeans, and shorts are acceptable. Inappropriate Clothing:
- Includes clothing that is too tight or too revealing, such as short skirts, short shorts, tank tops, halter tops, spaghetti straps, low cut blouses or shirts, shorts hanging to low on the waist, clothing with holes or tears in the fabric, faded or torn jeans of any kind, bare midriff, bare belly, bare chest or other similar types of clothing. All tops should be worn along with collar bone (no cleavage) and straps should be at the width of a dollar bill or three fingers wide. Do not wear clothing with lettering, distracting, offensive or sexually suggestive wording or designs. Do not wear hats. Do not wear sandals, open toed shoes, high heeled shoes, clogs, or similar types of footwear. Please avoid any jewelry or accessories that may get in the way of handling your dog. Exhibitors dressed inappropriately will have points deducted or may be excused from the show ring.

Section 1-Obedience:

- The figure 8 exercise will be performed using cones as posts. People will no longer be used as posts in the figure 8 exercise.
- Obedience Classes demonstrate the dog's ability to follow specified routines in the obedience ring and emphasize the usefulness of the dog as a companion to humankind. The objective of obedience class is to recognize dogs that have been trained to behave in the home, in public places, and in the presence of other dogs in a manner that will reflect credit on the sport of obedience at all times and under all conditions. Each level of obedience competition requires mastering a specific skill set, which increase in difficulty, before advancing to the next level.
- Rules and requirements for 4-H Dog Obedience including classes, Handler's Appearance, Dog's Appearance, Acceptable Collars & Leads. Any dog holding an AKC Companion Dog Obedience Title may not compete in the Beginner-Novice A or B class Pre-Novice or Novice A or B.
- Members MUST move to the next level if they win a class with competition. Members may move forward in the obedience class progression if he or she choose, but may not drop back to a lower level class with the same dog. Exhibitors showing their dogs at any Licensed or Member Obedience Trial or at a Sanctioned Match must show their dogs at the same or higher level B classes than they are showing in AKC, UKC, or other titling shows. Dogs completing their Companion Dog (CD) title (or UKC, or other titling equivalents) prior to July 1, 2023, must show in Graduate Novice classes. Dogs completing their Companion Dog Excellent (CDX) title (or UKC, or other titling equivalents) prior to July 1, 2023, must show in Open or Graduate Open classes. Any dog receiving one or more legs toward a title anytime during the project year must then move into the appropriate B class at the time the first leg was earned. Fun matches do not apply.
- An Exhibitor may compete with no more than 3 dogs in same class.

Classes:

- <u>J-1 Beginner-Novice A</u> For first-year youth and dogs with no prior experience in obedience before April 1. Show one year then move either to Beginner Novice B or Pre-Novice.
- J-2 Beginner-Novice B For youth and/or dogs already shown in Beginner Novice A or have had experience at Beginner Novice or Pre-Novice level before April 1. Can move back and forth between Beginner Novice B and Pre-Novice unless winning first place. If Winning first place in Beginner Novice B, exhibitor can still show in Pre-Novice until winning first place or experience at the Novice level. J-3 Pre-Novice For youth and/or dogs already shown in Beginner Novice A or have had experience at Beginner Novice or Pre-Novice level before April 1. Can move back and forth between Beginner Novice B and Pre-Novice unless winning first place -If winning first place in Pre-Novice, exhibitor can still show in Beginner Novice B until winning first place or experience at the Novice level.

- <u>J-4 Novice A</u> In this class, neither the handler nor dog have had any prior experience at the Novice level before their county's current 4-H or FFA enrollment deadline. Once a member shows in this class, he/she must move to Novice B at the very minimum.
- <u>J-5 Novice B</u> This class is for the 4-H member or dog that has shown in Novice A or has had experience at the Novice level prior to their county's current enrollment deadline. They have not yet progressed to Graduate Novice A level or higher. If an exhibitor wins the Novice B class with competition, he/she must move to Graduate Novice A or higher the next year with the same dog.
- <u>J-6 Graduated Novice A</u> In this class neither the handler nor the dog have had any prior experience at the graduated novice level before their county's current 4-H or FFA enrollment deadline. Once a member shows in this class, he/she must move to Graduated Novice B at the very minimum.
- <u>J-7 Graduate Novice B</u> This class is for the exhibitor or dog that has shown in Graduate Novice A or has had prior experience at the Graduate Novice level. They have also not progressed to the Open level or higher. If an exhibitor wins the Graduate Novice B class with competition, he/ she must move to Open A or higher the next year with the same dog.
- <u>J-8 Open A</u> In this class neither the exhibitor nor dog has had any prior experience at the Open level before the county's current enrollment deadline. Once a member shows in this class, he/ she must move to Open B at the very minimum.
- <u>J-9 Open B</u> This class is for the exhibitor or dog which has shown in Open A or has had prior experience at the Open level. They have also not progressed to the Graduate Open level or higher. If an exhibitor wins the Open B class with competition, he/she must move to Graduate Open the next year with the same dog.
- <u>J-10 Graduate Open</u> In this class neither the exhibitor nor dog has had any prior experience in a higher level of dog obedience before the county's deadline.
- J-11 Brace-Details from State website.

Section 2-Showmanship:

*Bait Allowed

- The judging order for showmanship at the fair will change. Dog and handlers will be judged in the following order, dog exam, handling & interview questions.
- Rules and requirements for 4-H Showmanship classes, Handler's Appearance, Dog's Appearance, Acceptable Collars & Leads.
- The Showmanship Classes have been divided into Junior, Intermediate, and Senior. Please read the age divisions and descriptions. Winners of the "B" classes may return every year with the same dog, provided they meet the age requirements

Class A: 1st Year ONLY

<u>J-11 Junior Showmanship</u> A - This class is for the 4-H member 9-11 years of age as of January 1, current year. Neither the 4-H member nor the dog has had any prior experience in Showmanship, AKC Jr. Handling or like experiences or a champion title before their county's current enrollment deadline. Once an exhibitor and dog show in this class, he/ she must move to Junior Showmanship B provided he/she is still within the age requirements. If the exhibitor will be 12 years of age as of January 1 the next year, then he/she will move to Intermediate Showmanship B

<u>J-13 Intermediate Showmanship A</u> - This class is for the 4-H member 12-14 years of age as of January 1, current year. Neither the exhibitor nor the dog has had any prior experience in Showmanship, AKC Jr. Handling or like experiences or a champion title before the county's current enrollment deadline. Once an exhibitor and dog show in this class, he/ she must move to Intermediate Showmanship B provided he/ she is still within the age requirements. If the exhibitor will be 15 years of age as of January 1 the next year, then he/she will move to Senior Showmanship B.

<u>J-15 Senior Showmanship A</u> - This class is for the 4-H or FFA member 15-18 years of age as of January 1, current year. Neither the 4-H or FFA member nor the dog has had any prior experience in Showmanship, AKC Jr. Handling or like experiences or a champion title before the county's current enrollment deadline. Once an exhibitor and dog show in this class, he/she must move to Senior Showmanship B.

Class B: 2 Years or More

<u>J-12 Junior Showmanship B</u> - This class is for the 4-H member or dog who has shown in Junior Showmanship A or has had prior experience in Showmanship, AKC Jr. Handling or like experiences, or champion title before the county's current enrollment deadline. The exhibitor must meet the age requirements of 9-11 years of age as of January 1, current year.

<u>J-14 Intermediate Showmanship B</u>-This class is for the 4-H member or dog who has shown in Intermediate Showmanship A or has had prior experience in Showmanship, AKC Jr. handling or like experiences, or a champion title before the county's current enrollment deadline. The exhibitor must meet the age requirements of 12- 14 years of age as of January 1, current year.

<u>J-16 Senior Showmanship B</u>-This class is for the 4-H or FFA member or dog who has shown in Senior Showmanship A or has had prior experience in Showmanship, AKC Jr. Handling or like experiences, or a champion title before the county's current enrollment deadline. The exhibitor must meet the age requirements of 15-18 as of January 1, current year.

Section 3-You and Your Dog Class:

»You and Your Dog Care class shall be divided into three sections -Junior 9 to 11 years old, Intermediate 12 to 14 yrs. old and Senior 15 -18 years old. If you are bringing in a poster as your exhibit it must be a full size poster of 22x28. No foam boards or tri-folds. It will be displayed in the Youth Exhibit Building for the duration of the fair.

J-17 - You and your Dog - Junior Class

J-18- You and Your Dog - Intermediate Class

J-19 - You and Your Dog - Senior Class

Section 5-Rally

»Every effort will be made to post Rally maps in advance of the walk though. If the map cannot be posted the handler may write or photograph sign information during the walk through.

»Rally is a sport that follows a course from one sign to the next, with the handler and dog performing the skill listed on each sign before proceeding to the next sign. Rally differs from obedience in that the exhibitor may communicate with the dog using multiple commands.

»Rules and requirements for Rally Classes including Handler's Appearance, Dog's Appearance, Acceptable Collars & Leads

»An Exhibitor may compete with no more than 3 dogs in same class.

»Members MUST move to the next level if they win a class with competition. Members may move forward in the Rally class progression if he or she choose, but may not drop back to a lower level class with the same dog. Exhibitors showing their dogs at any Licensed or Member Rally Obedience Trial or at a Sanctioned Match must show their dogs at the same or higher level B classes than they are showing in AKC, UKC, or other titling shows. Dogs completing their Rally Novice (RN) title (or UKC or other titling equivalents) prior to July 1, 2023, must show in Rally Intermediate classes. Dogs completing their Rally Intermediate (RI) Title (or UKC or other titling equivalents) must show in Rally Advanced classes. Dogs completing their Rally Advanced (RA) title (or UKC, or other titling equivalents) prior to July 1, 2023, must show in the Rally Excellent class. Any dog receiving one or more legs toward a title anytime during the project year must then move into the appropriate B class at the time the first leg was earned. Fun matches do not apply.

Classes:

J-20 Novice A -

J-21 Novice B -

J-22 Intermediate A -

J-23 Intermediate B -

J-24 Advanced A -

J-25 Advanced B -

J-26 Excellent A -

J-27 Excellent B -.

Section 6-Agility:

- 1.Dogs must be a minimum of 18 months old to compete in teh 4-H dog agility.
- 2. 4-H members and their families should consult with their veterinarian before beginning agility training. Dog with health or other physical limitations should not be trained or show in agility without consulting a veterinarian. County and/or State show officials and/or judges have the authority to stop the performance of any dog whose soundness they question.
- 3. To participate in classes, shows and demonstrations, exhibitors must have been trained on all pieces of agility equipment for their particular class level. Exhibitors must agree they will not attempt any piece of equipment on which they have not been trained.
- The 4-Paw rule for contact equipment will be eliminated. In the event the dog comes off the up-contact handler may choose to allow the dog to retry the obstacle.
- •Dog agility is a competitive sport in which dler directs his or her dog over a timed obstacle course. The level of the dog and handler teams determines the obstacles. For the Beginners class, dogs may compete on leash using a buckle collar.
- The dog must have 1 year of obedience in order to participate in agility.
- An exhibitor may compete with no more than 3 dogs in same class. The agility classes will follow State Fair Rules . The course will be determined day of show.
- Scoring will be based on the State rules as follows.

Classes:

J-29 Level 1 (lead optional) J-30Level 2 (off lead)

Section 8-Cloverbud Classes:

For registered Cloverbud members ages 5 and in kindergarten up to second grade, must bring your own stuffed animal dog. Stuffed dog must be between 8 and 16 inches at the withers to show. Sign up day of show.

- · Showmanship -ring work only -must provide proper showmanship equipment.
- Poster Parade short interview with "judge" to explain poster - will proceed to ring to display to crowd - same rules for posters as "You and Your Dog".

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Outstanding Dog Member:

Complete the form (the advisors have) to receive recognition on Fun Day. Forms will be due on Tuesday July 23rd 2024.

<u>Department NO. 1000:</u> <u>Special Interest</u>

Jr. Fair Board in Charge: Aimee Mikulich, Ashton Withrow, Lucy Smith, Matt Vitellil, Daniela Gomes, Emily Steinke & Xavier Parras

Superintends: Audrey Withrow, Kaleb Green, Ann Marie Davis & Elizabth Waldron Adult Advisors: Wendy Phair, & Kristen Withrow

Dress Code:

Participants must follow the following dress code for judging:

<u>SHOES</u>: Dress Shoes, sandals, or boots <u>BOTTOMS</u>: Dress Pants, capris, skirt (to fingertips or longer) or shorts (ex: golf shorts fingertips length) dressy jean with NO holes.

<u>DRESS</u>: Knee length or longer dress. Cleavage back and shoulders must be covered. Spaghetti strap dress much have something to cover the shoulders (sweater, jacket etc.)

<u>TOPS</u>: Blouse or Shirt with or without collar; no cleavage, no bareback, or midriff should be showing. **NO 4-H T-SHIRTS OR CLUB SHIRTS SHOULD BE WORN TO JUDGING.**

*Remember when you are getting ready for judging be thinking about your total look. Remember to dress to impress.

<u>SCHEDULE</u>

July 1

»Submission deadline for writing projects. Includes Project 588 The Writer in You and Project 587 Writing & Reporting for Teenagers. Projects must be turned in at the OSU Extension Office for preliminary grading by 4:30pm on July 1. Judging interviews for writing projects are on July 16, 2024.

July 18 & July 19

»Judging interviews for The Writer in You (588) and Writing & Reporting for Teenagers (587) projects in the Multipurpose Building. Interviews start at 9am.

»Project judging online sign-up will be in July newsletter sent by email.

Skilllathon contests for Shooting Sports, Lawn
 Garden, Small Engines, and Horticulture, 9am
 Noon in the Multipurpose Building.

July 19

- » Booth set-up and decorating, 9:00am-4:00pm in the Youth Exhibit Building. Building closes promptly at 4pm.
- » Shop & Crop exhibits accepted from 9:00am-4:00pm in the Youth Exhibit Building.

July 20

- » Booth set-up and decorating, 9:00am-4:00pm in the Youth Exhibit Building. Booth Must be completed by 4pm.
- » Shop & Crop exhibits accepted from 9:00am-4:00pm in the Youth Exhibit Building.

July 21

»Special Interest Award Ceremony, 4:00pm, Event Center.

July 27

»Project removal from Youth Exhibit Building,4:30-7:00pm

»Booth tear down from Youth Exhibit Building, 4:30-7:00pm.

July 28

»Project removal from Youth Exhibit Building, 12:00-1:00pm

»Booth tear down from Youth Exhibit Building, 12:00-1:00pm

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Please Read General <u>Guidelines:</u>

- A. All 4-H project requirements for 4-H Special Interest can be found online at www.butler.osu.edu
- B. Special Interest projects include all projects other than those in Livestock, Family & Consumer Sciences or Small Animals.
- C. All 4-H Special Interest projects must be made for a 4-H project only. Duplication of projects in FFA, Shop, FCCLA, Family & Consumer Science classes, Scouts, or other youth organizations is not permitted.
- D. All projects must be displayed during the entire county fair week in order for exhibitor to receive his/her award. Pro- L. The following Outstanding Awards will jects removed before dismissal or without special permission will result in the inability to participate in the Jr. Fair the following year.
- E. All Special Interest projects shall be judged prior to the Fair.
- F. All judging requirements will include:
 - Judge's interview
 - · Completed Project per requirements listed in project section below
 - Completed Project Book
 - Poster- No tri-fold board, foam board or cardboard posters.
 - One item to exhibit. The project book cannot be considered the exhibit item must remain at the fair for exhibit.
- G. The same poster used at judging is to be displayed at the Fair.
- H. Judge's interview will focus on member's development and knowledge of

project area.

- I. All State Fair competitors will be decided by the judge. Please read State Fair packet before attending State Fair Judging.
- J. Required project poster size is 22" by 28". NO foam board or tri-fold posters will be permitted. Posters that don't meet the restrictions will have 5 points deducted during judging and may NOT be displayed in the Youth Exhibit Building.
- K. Awards will be provided for all projects where members meet project requirements and judge's standards. Type of awards provided will depend upon funding available and type of project competition.
- be given in addition to individual project awards:
 - Creative Arts, Junior & Senior
 - Photography, Junior & Senior
 - Woodworking, Junior & Senior
 - Conservation, Junior & Senior
 - Creative Writing, Junior & Senior
 - Small Engine, Junior & Senior
 - Gardening, Junior & Senior
 - Aerospace, Junior & Senior
- M. Project exhibits are to be taken to the Youth Exhibit Building immediately after judging so that they can be displayed. All items displayed are to be identified with a tag provided by the Jr Fair.

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- N. Project removal is on Saturday, July 27 between 4:30pm-7:00pm and Sunday, July 28 between Noon and 1pm. No vehicles are allowed near the building on Saturday.
- O. Items not picked up by 1pm on Sunday may be discarded.
- P. Special Interest and FCS projects selected for State Fair may be removed before the specified project removal times only if they are going to State Fair judging and are listed on the approved list.
- Q. Projects not otherwise designated will be grouped for judging where Juniors are age 8-13 and Seniors are age 14 and above. Age is determined as of January 1 of the current year.
- R. All combustible fuel needs to be removed from tractor or small engine projects before entering any fairgrounds building.
- S. 4-H Special Interest competitors must be present at judging in order to win their class. Exceptions are made only for 4-H sponsored trips or camps.
- T. Projects not judged at Special Interest Judging must have their projects in the Youth Exhibit Building by 4:00 p.m. on the Saturday before the Fair.

Special Interest Project List:

- All projects require that the participant complete project guidelines as listed in the project book.
- ⇒ Participants must bring the completed project book, one exhibit from an interest area and a 22" X 28" poster to display
- ⇒ Some projects may have additional requirements as listed. Refer to the 2024 Family Guide to 4-H for information about which projects are eligible to go to the State Fair.
- 091 Discovering 4-H: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster
- 092 4H Around The Globe: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster
- 244 From Airedales to Zebras: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit

AND a poster

- 245 All Systems Go: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster
- 246 On the Cutting Edge: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster.
- 300 You're the Athlete: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster
- 343-Superhero You: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster
- 351 Staying Healthy: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster
- 352 Keeping Fit: Follow general quidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster
- 353 First Aid in Action: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster
- 357 Alcohol & Drug Abuse: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster
- 358 The Truth About Tobacco: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster
- 359 Your Thoughts Matter: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster
- 360- Your Feelings Matter: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

365 - Self-Determined Projects:

*Self-determined projects must be related to Spe- 370 – Mentoring Leadership in Action: Follow cial Interest project categories. Members must submit a plan to their 4-H Advisor on what he/she plans to do with the project and must also submit the plans to the Extension Office by July 1. Print and complete one Self-Determined Project Guide (plan) for each self-determined project. Copies of the Self-Determined Project Guide can be found here: https://ohio4h.org/selfdetermined

*Participants must complete project guidelines as listed in the plans, bring the plan, one exhibit from an interest area, and a poster.

*Only one 1st place trophy will be awarded for the Self-Determined Junior Division and one trophy will be awarded for the Self-Determined Senior Division.

General Self-Determined Projects: The following is a list of topics which have printable Self-Determined Starter Guides available at www.ohio4h.org/selfdetermined.

For topics not listed below use the Use the Self-Determined Project Guide to describe your project, set goals, and record your activities.

> * Note: Self-Determined Animal Projects Complete general project guidelines. Bring and exhibit a poster for judging. Please leave ALL animals at home in a safe place.

365.00 - 3D Printing, Amateur Radio, ASL, Clowning, Computer Science, Digital Media, Genetics, Local Foods, Modela Railroading, Music, Skateboarding, Viruses

365.00 - Disability Advocacy & Awareness 365.00 - PhysBot - Your 4-H Fitness Tracker 365.01 – Companion Animal Chinchillas Ferrets **Hedgehogs Pigeons Reptiles and Amphibians** 365.02 - Creative Arts Miniature Gardens-Fairies with Fake Plants, etc. Paper Craft String Art

365.03 - Family Life Babysitting 365.04 - Natural Resources: Astronomy, Bats, Climate Change, Get Started with Composting* Crop Production, Field to Faucet: What Determines Water Quality, Flower Gardening, Miniature Gardens—live plants Native American Artifacts: Arrowheads, Paddle Water Sports* Shale Gas Extraction, Ways of **Knowing Water Weather**

365.04 - Going Green - Learning to Lead a Sustainable Life.

365.05 - Quilt

365.06 – Workforce Prep Counseling The

World of Work is Calling.. Are You Ready? general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

371 – Club Leadership 1: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster 372 – Diversity: The Source of our Strength: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

373 - My Hands to Larger Service: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

374 – Teens on Board: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster 375 - Leadership Road Trip: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

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376 – Pantry Panic: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster 377 – Find Your Voice: Public Speaking Made **Easy:** Follow general guidelines. **Bring one** exhibit AND a poster 386- You're Hired: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster 387- Here, There, Ag Careers Are Every-

where: NEW Career opportunities in agriculture are everywhere, including in places you may not know about. Explore your interests and talents to find your best fit in the working world outside of traditional production farming. There is a rewarding ag career for you. **Bring one exhibit**

AND a poster

378M – Leadership Master: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

382 – Am I Ready for Work?: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

383 – Club Leadership 2: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

434 - Superhero You: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

442 – Family History Treasure Hunt: Each participant will be interviewed and evaluated on their knowledge of genealogy and what they learned in the project, their abilities in conducting genealogy, their abilities in conducting genealogical searches, specifically documentation or reference, organization, certificates, personal research, and overall appearance and presentation of their work. Bring completed project book, correspondence log, your research journal, pedigree charts, family group sheets with documentation of your research as outlined on pages 3-4 of your project book. DO NOT bring any of the following: BIG display/ exhibit, poster board, computer, videos, tape recorder, photo albums, framed photos, reference books, family heirlooms, or knick-knacks. Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

490 – Science Fun with Dairy Foods: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

492 – Cake Decorating Project & Record Book: For Cake Decorating, participants are judged according to age groups and skill levels.

492B- Cake Decorating Beginning **492I**- Cake Decorating Intermediate **492A**- Cake Decorating Advanced Description: Cake decorating is a

personal enjoyment that is self-r ewarding and enjoyed by others. You will learn the proper way to bake and frost, to create a design, develop decorating techniques and color techniques.

PLEASE NOTE: No real (edible) cakes! Description:

Cake decorating is a personal enjoyment that is self-rewarding and enjoyed by others. You will learn the proper way to bake and frost, to create a design, develop decorating techniques and color techniques.

Judging Requirements:

Judging is on decorating technique only. Therefore, you can use Styrofoam forms to decorate. All cakes will be on display in the Youth Exhibit Building

- Album or photos of cakes of your learning experiences.
- Judged on authentic colors, uniform size, spacing and shapes.
- No smaller than 8" round size and no larger than 12" X 18" sheet cake size.
- Cake must be on heavy cardboard with foil or some suitable tray. Cake must not be decorated in a pan.
- **Must complete level area in the "Skills and Techniques Record book" and bring to judging. (Project book #492B)

493 - Science Fun with Kitchen Chem-

istry: Follow general guidelines

496 – My Favorite Things: Follow general guidelines Exhibit samples of your collection in addition to other project requirements.

497 – Scrapbooking, A 4-H Guide to Preserving Memories: Follow general guidelines Exhibit item is to be a completed scrapbook.

498 – Quilting the Best Better: Follow general guidelines. **Bring one exhibit AND a poster**

499 - You Can Quilt: Follow general quidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster 500 - Science Fun with Physics: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

501 - Rockets Away: Complete planning section and activities in project interest area. Build and launch a 2 liter bottle-rocket. AND a poster Rockets will be launched following interviews. Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

502 - Fun with Flight: Build one (1) airplane with ability to fly. Kits are permitted. Complete project guidelines in member project guide in the front of the manual and bring completed airplane (launched after interviews). Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

Complete planning section and activities in project interest area. Build and launch an "Estes" type rocket. Rockets will be launched following interviews. Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

503 – Rockets (Estes type Rockets):

503M - Solid Fuel Rocketry Master-This project is for members who have completed 503 Rockets Away! Members of any age may complete this project. Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

509 - Robotics Essentials: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

512m – Robotics Master: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster 517 - Bicycling for Fun: Follow general guidelines and bring your bicycle to judging. Judging day will include a bicycle inspection. All participants will be required to provide their own bicycle. Bring one exhibit

Age as of January 1 of current year: State Fair Categories:

9 through 11 years 12 through 14 years 15 years and over

518 – Wheels in Motion: Follow general guidelines and bring your bicycle to judging. Judging day will include a bicycle inspection. All participants will be required to provide their own bicycle. Bring one exhibit AND a post-

Age as of January 1 of current year: State Fair Categories:

9 through 11 years 12 through 14 years 15 years and over

527 – Magic of Electricity: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster 528 - Investigating Electricity: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

531 – Science Fun with Electricity:

Members will have an interview based on their project. The judge may ask for a demonstration of the project. Complete the general project guidelines in the member project guide for electricity. Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

540 – Not Just Knots: Follow general guidelines. **Bring one exhibit AND a poster**

541 – Crank It Up: Follow general guidelines. **Bring one exhibit AND a poster**

542 – Warm It Up: Follow general guide-

lines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

543 – Tune It Up: Follow general guide-

lines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

544 – Ready, Set, Mow: Follow general guidelines. **Bring one exhibit AND a poster**

550 – Youth Engineers in Solar Energy: ject of simi Follow general guidelines. **Bring one exhibit** other plan.

AND a poster

551 – Tractor 1 – Starting Up: Follow general guidelines. **Bring one exhibit AND a poster**

552 – Tractor 2 – Gearing Up for Safety: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

553 – Tractor 3 – Moving Out: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

554 – Tractor 4 – Learning More: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

555 – ATV Safety: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

556 – Measuring Up: Project Requirements: The project may be based on plans from the 4-H project book or a project of similar size and scope from any other plan. Allowable Tools:

- -The "designated adult helper" may dimension lumber to correct width. They may also advise and assist so long as the member does at least 90% of the project work.
- -The following power tools may be used only with proper safety instruction and un-

der direct supervision of the "designated helper:

*Power sanders, *Power drills, *Saber saws, *Scroll saws.

Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

557 – Making the Cut: <u>Project Requirements:</u> The project may be based on plans from the 4-H project book or a project of similar size and scope from any other plan.

Allowable Tools:

- -The "designated adult helper" may advise & demonstrate so long as the member does 100% of the project work.
- -All tools permitted in #556 & 557 may be used.
- -The following additional power tools may be used only with proper safety instruction and under direct supervision of the "designated helper"
- *Miter saw, *Table saw, *Drill press, *Band saw, *Thickness planer, *Cordless trim saw, *Power nailing devices.
- -Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

558 Nailing It Together: Project Requirements: Complete and exhibit one constructed project. The project may be based on plans from the 4-H project book or a project of similar size and scope from any other plan. Allowable Tools:

- -The "designated adult helper" may advise & demonstrate so long as the member does 100% of the project work.
- -All tools permitted in #556, #557 & #558 may be used.
- -The following additional power tools may be used only with proper safety instruction and under direct supervision of the "designated helper"
- *Radial arm saw, *Router, *Shaper, * Lathe, * Power circular saw.
- -Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

559 – Finishing Up

The project may be based on plans from the 4-H project book or a project of similar size and scope from any other plan.

Allowable Tools:

- -The "designated adult helper" may advise & demonstrate so long as the member does 100% of the project work.
- -A member may use all power tools if they have safety instructions and supervision by a knowledgeable adult.
- -Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

560m – Woodworking Master

Members who want to make a woodworking project in a category that is different from other 4-H woodworking project categories. Members must have completed the other 4 levels. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

573 – Arcs & Sparks: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a

poster

584 - Focus on Photography Level I

Each participant is required to bring one of the following three items for exhibit:

1) a single print of any size mounted at the discretion of the participant; or 2) a collection of prints illustrating a "Photo Story," consisting of at least five and not more than 10 photographs mounted at the discretion of the exhibitor; or 3) a collection of prints illustrating one of the "activities" the participant completed for the project, consisting of at least five and not more than 10 photographs, mounted at the discretion of the participant. Each participant may also bring any other materials they feel might demonstrate their learning experiences of the current project year (although participants are not required to do so). Photochemical developing and printing may be done by the participant, but is not required. Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

585 – Focus on Photography Level II Each participant is required to bring one of the following four items for exhibit:

1) a single print of any size mounted at the discretion of the participant; or 2) a single print illustrating an "enlargement," which shall consist of an enlargement print, accompanied by the original print, mounted at the discretion of the participant; or 3) a collection of prints illustrating one of the "activities" the participant completed of the project, consisting of at least five and not more than 10 photographs mounted at the discretion of the exhibitor; or 4) a single original print illustrating a

"News Story," which shall be an original photo mounted at the discretion

of the exhibitor and accompanied by the published article. Each participant may also bring any extra materials they feel might demonstrate their learning experiences of the current project year, but participants are not required to do so. Photochemical developing and printing may be done by the participant, but is not required. Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

586 – Mastering Photography Level III

Each participant is required to bring one of the following four items for exhibit:

- 1) one print of any size mounted at the discretion of the participant; or 2) a single print illustrating an
- "Enlargement," which shall consist of an enlargement print mounted at the discretion of the participant and be accompanied by the original print; or
- 3) a collection of prints illustrating one of the "activities" the exhibitor completed for the project, consisting of at least five and not more than 10 pictures mounted at the discretion of the exhibitor; or
- 4) a single original print illustrating a "News Story," which shall be an original photo mounted at the discretion of the participant and be accompanied by the published article. Each participant may also bring any extra materials they feel might demonstrate their learning experiences of the current project year, but participants are not

required to do so. Photochemical developing and printing may be done by the participant, but is not required. Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

#365 Self Determined (Advanced Photography)

Each participant is required to bring one of the following six items for exhibit:

- 1) one print mounted at the discretion of exhibitor; or
- 2) a collection of prints illustrating a "Picture Story" or a "Documentary," which shall consist of at least five and not more than ten mounted prints; or
- 3) a single original print illustrating a "News Story," which shall consist of an original photo mounted at the discretion of the exhibitor and be accompanied by the published article; or
- 4) a single print illustrating an "Enlargement," which shall consist of the enlargement print mounted at the discretion of the exhibitor and be accompanied by the original print; or
- 5) a series of slides illustrating a "Slide Story," which shall consist of at least five and not more than ten slides which shall be exhibited in a Kodak carousel tray, or 6) a collection of digital images illustrating a "Picture Story" or a "Documentary" which shall consist of at least five and not more than 10 digital images that can be viewed on a laptop computer brought by the participant and accompanied by a "hard copy" version of the photos. Each participant may also bring any extra materials they feel might be of interest to the judge (participants are not required to do so). Exhibitors in this class are encouraged to bring their Self-Determined project manual (4-H 365) showing involvement in and progress made toward completing their Self-Determined project.

It is not necessary for exhibitor to have competed in classes #584, #585 & #586 prior to entering this class. Developing and printing should be done professionally or by the exhibitor. Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

588 - The Writer in You

Writing must be turned into the Extension on July 1st for preliminary review. Project Judging will be done on same day as other Special Interest Projects provided the writing was submitted to the Extension office by July 1.

Project Subcategories:

- J-1 RHYMED POETRY Junior: An interpretation of a subject in rhymed verse. Submit a collection of three poems.
- •J-2 RHYMED POETRY Senior: An interpretation of a subject in rhymed verse. Submit a collection of three poems.
- •J-3 FREE STYLE POETRY Junior: An interpretation of a subject in unrhymed verse. Submit a collection of three poems.
- •J-4 FREE STYLE POETRY Senior: An interpretation of a subject in unrhymed verse. Submit a collection of three poems.
- •J-5 SHORT STORY Junior (formerly Fiction Writing): A fiction piece comprised of three basic elements: a theme, a plot and characters. Sub mit one story, maximum length – 2,000 words.
- •J-6 SHORT STORY Senior (formerly Fiction Writing): A fiction piece comprised of three basic elements: a theme, a plot and characters. Submit one story, maximum length –

- 2,000 words.
- •J-7 ESSAY Junior: A short nonfiction composition in which a theme is developed or an idea is ex pressed. Submit one essay, maximum length 500 words.
- •J-8 ESSAY Senior: A short nonfiction composition in which a theme is developed or an idea is expressed. Submit one essay, maximum length
 - 500words.
 - *Must be typed or printed on 8 ½ X 11 paper.
 - *Stories must be double spaced poems may be single spaced.
 *Entrants name, class, county and club must be on cover page.
 Class means: Ex: Jr. or Sr. & J-1
 *Entrant's last name with page number must be on each page.
 *Paper clip or staple pages together.
 - *Please submit 3 copies of your entry in a 9" X 12" envelope with your Name, Club, Class, Jr. or SR. to our office by July 1. Do not use any type of folder.
 - *You must follow these guidelines or risk disqualification.
- **589M Photography Master:** For members who want to make a photography project in a category that is different from other 4-H'ers photography project. Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.
- **592 Get Started in Art:** Complete all eleven activities under project guidelines and the "More Challenges" activities are optional. Bring an exhibit from an interest area AND a poster. Description:
- -Emphasize experimentation with variety of creative projects.

-School projects or other youth projects are not permissible. Age groups as of January 1 of current year.

Junior Division – Age 9 through 13 Senior Division – Age 14 through 19

-Evaluation criteria include knowledge of elements, principles and techniques used in creative arts; skills and abilities as evidenced in the exhibit; and understanding and knowledge developed through project work.

593 – Graphic Design: Follow general guidelines

611 – Explore the Outdoors: Follow general guidelines

612 - Geology: Can you did it?: Follow general guidelines

613 - Exploring Polar Science: Follow general guidelines

617 – Exploring Ponds: Follow general guidelines

620 – Why Trees Matter: Follow general guidelines

621 – Ohio Birds: Follow general guidelines

622 - Trapping Muskrats in Ohio

Level I (Intermediate)

*This is for a participant who may NOT want to set an actual trap line.

*A participant will display a poster, complete "year one" in project book and complete at least one activity in project book.

*Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

Level II (Advanced)

-A participant will actually set a trap line in an ethical and humane way.

-Display poster, complete project book and do 2 activities found in project book.

-Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

623 – Outdoor Adventurer: Beginning Fishing: Follow general guidelines

624 – Outdoor Adventurer

(Intermediate): Follow general guidelines 630 – Safe Use of Guns: This project is designed for younger members who have little or no experience with guns. Complete project guidelines as listed in the

project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

631 – Basic Archery: Follow general quidelines

641 – Beekeeping Project & Record Book: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

644 – Insect Adventures 1: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

645 – Insect Adventures 2: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

646 – Insect Adventures 3: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

670 – Canning & Freezing: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

671 – How Does Your Garden Grow?: Follow general guidelines. **Bring one exhibit AND a poster**

673– Edible Landscapes NEW: Beginning -level youth of any age can learn to grow edible plants. Add edibles to the current landscape, swap existing plants for edible plants, create a new garden, or do all three! The activities guide you as you complete a site evaluation, plan which edible plants to use, plant and nurture them, and then enjoy the fruits and vegetables as they ripen. Bring one exhibit AND a poster 691 – Grow Your Own Vegetables: Follow general guidelines. Bring one exhibit AND a poster

692 – Growing with the Seasons: Take a progression of pictures (beginning the project, midway and ending; display on poster) of your garden project. On a poster, chart some of the different seeds used and display with some vegetables from the garden. Complete project guidelines in member project guide. Complete project guidelines as listed in the project book. Bring one exhibit from an interest area AND a poster.

750 – Shooting Sports-Rifle Member Record Book:4-H members taking shooting sports projects must be in a shooting sports club with a Certified Instructor. Instructors must be certified teachers who completed a Shooting Sports training program. Contact the Extension office for details. Poster must be exhibited.

751 – Shooting Sports-Archery Record Book: 4-H members taking shooting sports projects must be in a shooting sports club with a Certified Instructor. Instructors must be certified teachers who completed a Shooting Sports training program. Contact the Extension office for details. Poster must be exhibited. Sports projects must be in a shooting sports club with a Certified Instructor. Instructors must be certified teachers who completed a Shooting Sports training program. Contact the Extension office for details. Poster must be exhibited.

752 – Shooting Sports-Shotgun: 4-H members taking shooting sports projects must be in a shooting sports club with a Certified Instructor. Instructors must be certified teachers who completed a Shooting Sports Training program. Contact the extension office for details. Poster must be exhibited.

753 – Pistol Member Record Book:4-H members taking shooting sports projects must be in a shooting sports club with a Certified Instructor. Instructors must be certified teachers who completed a Shooting Sports training program. Contact the Extension office for details. Poster must be exhibited.

completed a Shooting Sports training program. Contact the Extension office for details. Poster must be exhibited.

754 – Shooting Sports-Hunting Wildlife:4-H members taking shooting sports projects must be in a shooting sports club with a Certified Instructor. Instructors must be certified teachers

755 – Shooting Sports-Muzzle Load- ing:4-H members taking shooting sports projects must be in a shooting sports club with a Certified Instructor. Instructors

must be certified teachers who completed a Shooting Sports training program. Contact the Extension office for details. Poster must be exhibited.

756 – Living History: This is considered a Shooting Sports Project.:4-H members taking shooting sports projects must be in a shooting sports club with a Certified Instructor. Instructors must be certified teachers who completed a Shooting Sports training program. Contact the Extension office for details. Poster must be exhibited.

757 – Crossbow: 4-H members taking shooting sports projects must be in a shooting sports club with a Certified Instructor. Instructors must be certified teachers who completed a Shooting Sports training program. Contact the Extension office for details. Poster must be exhibited.

758- Western Heritage Project: This is considered a Shooting Sports Project. 4-H members taking shooting sports projects must be in a shooting sports club with a Certified Instructor. Instructors must be certified teachers who completed a Shooting Sports training program. Contact the Extension Office for details. Poster Must be exhibited. Available from Montana State University.

Fair Booth Contest Guidelines:

- A. Booth set-up and decorating schedule in the Youth Exhibit Building will be:
 - Friday, July 19, 2024, 9:00am-4:00pm, building will close at 4:00pm
 - Saturday, July 20, 2024, 9:00am-4:00pm. Booth must be in place by 4:00pm.
- B. Booth dividers cannot be moved.
- C. Junior Fair booths will focus on informative or promotional information about your organization.

- D. Fair booths must list names of members and advisors, identify club officers, and name of club.
- E. A fair booth is a club project. Every member should participate in the creation of the booth.
- F. Booth fronts may not be covered with any type of material. This severely hampers entrance/exit to booths.
- G. Booths will be the same size; approximately 8' by 5'.
- H. Non-flammable items should be used.
- Do not put perishable food items in booth.
- Commercial trademarks or logos are not allowed.
- K. Staples may be used on wood dividers, but must be removed at take down.
- L. Keep security in mind when setting up booth. Arrange projects so they will not be too close to the aisles. Check the booth closely and carefully when completed for articles that may tempt a passerby.
- M. Ribbons will be given to the top 5 booths. One Premier Booth Award will be presented at the 4-H Special Interest awards ceremony on Sunday beginning of fair week.
- N. Each club will be responsible for a three hour building watch. Details will be provided to advisors.
- O. Booth tear down and removal will be on Saturday, July 27th, 202 from 4:30pm-7:00pm.

FFA Booth Contest Guidelines:

- A. The display booth will be about 6' wide in front tapering to 4' wide in the back with a depth of 4'.
- B. Exhibits shall feature educational values and accomplishments of the FFA for the benefit of the general public.
- C. The exhibit may present areas of the FFA Chapters' activities. Areas of activities are: Leadership, Cooperation, Community Service, Conservation, Earnings & Savings, Scholarships, Supervised Occupational Experiences, Conduct of Meetings, Social & Recreational Activities, State & National Activities, & Alumni Relations.
- D. The exhibit may feature values & accomplishments of: Production Agriculture, Horticulture, Agri-business, Forestry, Environmental Management, Agri-Mechanics, Natural Resources, Small Animal Care, & Products Processing.
- E. Use of LIVE animals in booths is not permitted.
- F. Judging of exhibits will be on the following basis:
 - *Power to attract attention/catches the eye
 - *Power to arouse and hold interest *Adequate development of the message of theme
- G. The chapter name shall be placed at the top and front of the booth using 6" lettering.

Junior Fair Shop, Crop & Arts Class Exhibits

Shop & Crop exhibits accepted on July 19 and July 20

- A. All entries must be brought in between 9:00am-4:00pm on Friday, July 19 2024 or 9:00am-4:00pm on Saturday, July 20, 2024.
- B. Junior Fair participation is open to any Junior Fair member, Boy Scout, Girl Scout, FFA member, 4-H member, or FCCLA member (8 and in 3rd grade or up).
- C. There will be a maximum of two entries per class per exhibitor.
- D. Awards of 1-8 ribbons will be given.
- E. Judge's decisions are final.
- F. All crops exhibited must have been grown in the current year unless otherwise designated.
- G. All grain will be exhibited in quart jars.
- H. All small grains exhibited must be on the Ohio Recommended Seed List.
- I. Hay will be exhibited by slices securely tied.
- J. All garden products must be displayed on heavy paper plates.
- K. Judging criteria for garden produce, crops, houseplants, and flowers: Uniformity, freedom from defects, maturity, size, true to variety name, and cleanliness.
- Judging criteria for arts and crafts: Originality, creativeness, workmanship, attractive appearance, and durable construction.

Garden Produce Classes:

Class 1100 – Tomatoes, 2 uniform Class 1101 – Potatoes, 5 uniform

Class 1102 - Corn, 5 uniform

Class 1103 - Green Beans, 5 uniform

Class 1104 - Cabbage, 1 head

Class 1105 – Squash, 2 uniform

Class 1106 - Pumpkin, best 1

Class 1107 - Cucumbers, 3 uniform

Class 1108 - Onion, 5 uniform

Class 1109 - Red Onion, 5 uniform

Class 1110 - Carrots, 5 uniform

Class 1111 – Beets, 5 uniform

Class 1112 - Banana Peppers, 5 uniform

Class 1113 – Sweet Peppers, 5 uniform

Class 1114 – Any other vegetable

Field Crop Classes:

Class 1115 – Old Corn, 2022, 5 uniform ears

Class 1116 – New Corn, 5 uniform ears

Class 1117 - Best Stalk of Corn

Class 1118 - Shelled Corn, 2023, quart

Class 1119 – Soybean Stalks, 2023

Class 1120 - Old Soybeans, 2022, quart

Class 1121 - Wheat, 2023, quart

Class 1122 - Oats, 2023, quart

Class 1123 – Best Hay, any variety

Class 1124 – Best Sunflower

Shop Classes:

Class 1125 - Wood: Small Projects

Class 1126 - Wood: Large Projects

Class 1127 - Small Wall Shelf

Class 1128 – Book Shelves

Class 1129 – Nail Boxes

Class 1130 – Tool boxes

Class 1131 - Wood Bench

Class 1133 – Metal: Small Projects; feed scoop, hay hook, pins, small welded projects, etc.

Class 1134 – Welding Panels Brazing

Class 1135 - Welding Panels Arc

Class 1136 - Welding Panel, MIG

Class 1137 – Metal: Medium Projects; frame sign and bracket, jack stand, wheel garden, tractor trailer, etc.

Class 1138 – Metal: Large Projects; wagon running gear, large trailers, farm machinery repaired and reconditioned, etc.

Class 1139A – Electrical Skills Panel

Class 1140A – Plumbing Skills Panel

Class 1141A - Shaker Style Wood Stool

Flower Classes: Please put flowers in small

Class 1161 – Photography, Butler County scene

Class 1162 – Photography, 8 x 10 or larger

Class 1163 – Scrapbook, one page in plastic

Class 1164 – Natural Art (any all-natural material)

Class 1165 – Miscellaneous Crafts

Class 1166 – Jewelry

Class 1167 - Model Farm Scene

Class 1168 – FFA Project Photo Displays

vase or jar with water

Class 1140 – Zinnia

Class 1141 – Marigold

Class 1143 – Any other flower, 1 stem

Class 1144 – Rose, 1 bloom, any variety,

any color

Class 1145 – Min-Rose, any variety, any color

Class 1146 - Gladioli

Class 1147 – Silk Flower Arrangements

Class 1148 – Snapdragons

Class 1149 – Live Flower Arrangements Arts & Crafts Classes: Please cover all

photos and artwork with plastic or place in frame

Class 1150 Handmade Tie-Dye Shirts

Class 1151 – Drawing, any medium 12 and under

Class 1152 – Drawing, pencil or ink, 13 and older

Class 1153 - Drawing, any medium 13 and older

Class 1154 – Painting, 12 and under

Class 1155 – Painting, 13 and older

Class 1156 - Lego build or scene small

Class 1157 - Lego build or scene large

Class 1158 - Drawing, Any Medium 12 and

under

Class 1159 - Ceramics or Clay

Class 1160 – Photography Class, 5 x 7 or

smaller

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RULES GOVERNING THIS DEPARTMENT; PLEASE READ ALL RULES CAREFULLY

The FCS Department and all participants will be required to follow all guidelines advised by the CDC regarding COVID-19, at the time of the fair and judging.

Family and Consumer Science Projects (FCS) are categorized as either:

- Clothing Project
- Nutrition Project
- FCS Related Project

Clothing Project: FCS Guidelines:

A. Participants must follow the following dress code for judging:

SHOES: Dress Shoes, sandals, or boots

BOTTOMS: Dress pants, capris, knee length skirt (to fingertips or longer) or shorts (ex: golf shorts fingertip length), dressy jeans with **NO** holes

<u>DRESS</u>: Knee length or longer dress. Cleavage, back and shoulders must be covered. Spaghetti strap dresses must have something to cover the shoulders (sweater, jacket, etc)

<u>TOPS</u>: Blouse or Shirt with or without collar; no cleavage, no bare back, or midriff should be showing.

NO 4-H t-Shirts or club 4-H T-shirts should be worn to judging

Remember when you are getting ready for judging be thinking about your total look. Remember to dress to impress.

- B. the Family and Consumer Sciences age class breakdown for the county Junior Fair project competition is as follows:
 - \Rightarrow As of January 1 of the current year
 - ⇒ Seniors 14 years and up
 - ⇒ Juniors 13 years and under

- C. To become eligible to participate in the County Fair, members must follow these guidelines and complete the requirements in the project book.
- D. All projects have judging and display requirements. Items to be displayed are based on the project book and these guidelines.
- E. Members do not automatically receive a copy of these requirements. County guidelines for judging and judging schedule can be found at https://butler.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-

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- F. All 4-H FCS competitors must be present during their judging to be eligible to win awards. Clothing project competitors must also participate in the Style Review to be eligible to win awards. Exceptions will be made only if the competitor is absent due to a 4-H related event such as County Fair judging, 4-H camps, State Fair judging, etc. G. All display items are to be identified with a tag provided by the FCS department.
- H. Posters are not required for clothing projects.
- I. Members may take more than one project per
- J. If not noted otherwise in the Family Guide to 4-H, members may repeat a project as often as desired provided that new skills are learned each time.
- K. Project skill levels are listed in the Family Guide to 4-H.
- L. All projects must be made as a 4-H project only. M. No food or drink is allowed in the judging, dressing, or preparation areas.
- N. During all events, only participants and program volunteers are allowed in the judging, dressing, and preparation areas.
- O. Awards will be provided for all projects where members meet project requirements and judge's standards.
- P. A schedule of specific project titles and judging times will be provided.
- Q. Display items may be removed from the Youth exhibit Building on Saturday, July 27, 2024 from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Sunday, July 28, 2024 from 12:00pm to 1:00pm. Exceptions will be made only for items needed for State Fair competitions. R. Booths may be disassembled on Saturday, July 27, 2024 from 4:30pm to 7:00pm. Guidelines for Club Booth Contest are in the Special Interest Department Guidelines.
- S. Any items left in the Youth Exhibit Building after 1pm on Sunday, July 28, 2024 will be DISCARDED.

FCS Clothing Important Dates

Clothing Project Judging Date: Monday, July 15, 2024; Multipurpose Building; Beginning at 9am Clothing Skillathon Contest: Monday, July 15, 2024; Multipurpose Building; 9am to 12 pm Clothing Project Style Review: Sunday, July 21, 2024; Multipurpose Building; beginning at 1:00 pm Clothing Project Award Date: Sunday, July 21, 2024; Multipurpose Building; during the Style Review.

Fashion Show Clothing Project Removal: Saturday, July 27, 2024; 4:30-7pm & Sunday, July 28, 2024; 12:00-1:00pm; Youth Exhibit Building

Clothing Project: Judging Guidelines:

- A. Members must adhere to all FCS clothing project general, judging, style review, and award guidelines as listed in this document.
- B. Clothing projects will be judged prior to the fair on Monday, July 15, 2024.
- C. Judging will be in the Multipurpose Building at the County Fairgrounds.
- D. A Clothing Skillathon Contest will be held during the Clothing Project judging on Monday, July 15, 2024. The Skillathon Contest will be held 9 am to 12 pm.
- E. Members who take more than one clothing project must complete separate learning experiences related to each.
- F. Members can knit or crochet any clothing project.
- G. Bring pattern used, if applicable, to the judging.H. Bring completed project book to the judging.
- I. Garment/item to be judged must be appropriate for the project as determined by the project book.'
- J. Garment/item to be judged must be brought to the judging on a hanger that is provided by the member.
- K. Upon arrival, garment/item to be judged must be tagged for identification. Tags are provided by FCS department. Once tagged, member should change into the garment/accessories before joining their judging circle.
- L. Accessories and non-project clothing needed to complete the "total look" of the outfit are required for judging and modeling.
- M. Only garments/items required in the project book will be judged and displayed. Extra garments/items may be used for modeling but cannot be judged or displayed.

- N. The project judging will include construction judging and an individual style review where the garment/item being judged is modeled.
- O. The garment/item will be judged both on and off the person.
- P. Only participants will be allowed in the dressing rooms.
- Q. As part of the judging, 4-H members will be interviewed on project knowledge and the "total look" of the outfit.
- R. Style Review Narration Sheets will be written by
- 4- H competitors at project judging and must be turned in to the FCS Junior Fair Board members on judging day.
- S. The judge will complete the entire judging sheet and add the score. Supervisors will double-check the score. Total scores will determine class winners.
- T. Following clothing judging, all clothing projects are to be placed on a member-provided hanger and left on the clothing rack in the Multipurpose Building. Garments/items will be held for competitors to model during the Style Review.

 U. To be eligible for awards, all clothing project participants must be in the Style Review. The only exceptions are for 4-H sponsored award trips, award camps, or conflicts with judging in other departments in which case another 4-H member may model the garment.

Clothing Project: Style Review Guidelines:

- A. A Style Review (Fashion Show) of all clothing projects will be held Sunday, July 21, 2024 in the Multipurpose Building.
- B. Style Review begins immediately after the FCS Related Award presentation that begins at 1:00 pm in the Multipurpose Building.
- C. Participants must arrive for the Style Review with time to change in to their project outfit and find their assigned seat.
- D. Following the Style Review, garments/items to be displayed must be placed on a hanger and left on the clothing rack in the Multipurpose Building. Items must be identified with an FCS tag. Only garments/items required in the project book will be displayed. Extra garments/items may be constructed for modeling but cannot be judged or displayed.
- E. Items for display will be transported to the Youth Exhibit Building by the Jr. Fair Board

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F. In order to place and go to State Fair, members must participate in the Style Review. The only exceptions are for 4-H sponsored award trips, award camps, or conflicts with judging in other Departments. In which case another 4-H member may model the garment.

<u>Clothing Project: County Award & State Fair</u> Guidelines:

A. Member must display project garments/items for the entire duration of the Butler County Junior Fair

- B. Removal of garments/items prior to the conclusion of the County Fair can only be done with permission of FCS Department personnel. Permission for garment/ items removal will be granted only in cases where the garment/item is needed for a State Fair judging.
- C. Premier Exhibitor Award One member from the senior age division will be selected based on the highest scores received from Project Judging and project area Skillathon score. A Nutrition Premier Exhibitor Award and a Clothing Premier Exhibitor Award will be presented. Participants may win each award one time only.
- D. Advanced Construction Award Judges will select one Junior and one Senior Advanced Construction Award winner that will be announced during the Style Review. Winners of this award are not eligible to win the Rookie Clover Construction Award.
- E. Rookie Construction Award Judges will select one Junior Rookie Construction Award winner from participants taking a 1st year clothing project (for Junior ages, 13 and under). Award based on knowledge of project, use of proper construction techniques, and appropriate fit. Winners will be announced during the Style Review.
- F. Participant projects are chosen to go to the State Fair if:
- \Rightarrow Project is eligible for State Fair competition as listed in the Family Guide to 4-H
- \Rightarrow Participant receives highest score at County Fair of eligible participants
- ⇒ Participant is eligible to compete at the State Fair as defined by the State Fair 4-H Non-Livestock Guidebook. Information found here: By Clicking Here

- ⇒ Please review State Fair Packet and Non-Livestock Guidebook before attending the State Fair to be sure participant is eligible for judging at the state level. State Fair packets are available after awards are issued.
- G. In case of a tie, selection for State Fair is determined by the Judge.
- H. If one participant wins more than one State Fair eligible first place award, scheduling conflicts can occur which requires the member to choose which project to take to State Fair.

<u>Clothing Project List with Butler Co.</u> <u>Requirements</u>:

- A. Members must adhere to all FCS Clothing project, general, judging, style review, and award guidelines as listed in this document.
- B. All clothing projects can be taken by all members at the county level. Participants should select projects based on their current skill level. State requirements must be met in order to be eligible for State Fair competition.
- C. See the current Family Guide to 4-H for information regarding assigned skill levels. At the end of each project description below is the skill level as assigned by the state.

#406 Clothes for High School and College – Complete the project book and construct an outfit with a minimum of 2 pieces or construct a one-piece outfit with sleeves that also has another style detail not tried before. (Advanced)

#407 Accessories for Teens – Complete the project book and make at least one accessory from the project book. Choose one item which has been made to be judged and displayed. (Beginning) #408 Creative Costumes – Complete the project book and make a costume in one of four categories; historical, ethnic/ cultural, theatrical, or special interest. Authenticity and knowledge of costume history will be judged. (Advanced) #409 Sew Fun – Complete project book and construct one elastic waistline shorts, skirt or pants. Member must bring a 6" X 12" sample of material with one 12" side hand hemmed. Select an easy or beginner pattern. (Beginning) #410 Designed by Me – Complete project book

#411 em-bel-lish A 4-H Guide to Wearable Art-Complete project book and embellish at least one garment for an outfit. One item will be judged and

and create a top using at least two embellish

techniques. (Beginning)

displayed. Bring three samples of embellishment techniques you tried including the technique used for the garment being judged. (Intermediate)
#412 Sew for Others – Complete project book and construct one complete outfit for the person of your choice or adapt three different garments for a disabled or handicapped person. (Intermediate)
#413 Sundresses and Jumpers – Complete project book and construct a sleeveless, collarless one piece dress. Jumpers may include a top worn under the jumper. Choose another project if you want to make a split-skirt jumper, "skort", jumpsuit or pantsuit. (Beginning)

#415 Ready, Set, Sew Active! – Complete project book and construct at least one garment for an active sportswear outfit. (Intermediate) #417 Dress Up Outfit – Complete project book and construct a complete outfit in one category: Category 1 – Day Wear; Category 2 – Formal Wear. (Advanced)

#418 Loungewear – Complete project book and construct an outer layer of an outfit for lounging such as a cotton robe, a fleece shawl, or a terry cloth cover-up. Other garments and accessories, such as sleepwear, undergarments, slippers, or shoes may be purchased or made to complete your lounging outfit. Outer layer only will be judged and may not be removed during style review. (All skill levels)

#419 Terrific Tops – Complete project book and construct a shirt, blouse, vest, tank top, poncho, Tshirt, or sweater. (Beginning)

#420 Outer Wear for Anywhere – Complete project book and construct a coat, jacket, cape or other outer garment. (Advanced)

#424 Clothing for Middle School – Complete project book and construct a maximum of two pieces. If you only make one garment it must have sleeves. If you choose to make two garments it must be a top and bottom. Top can be with or without sleeves. Bottom can be skirt or pants. (Intermediate)

#425 Look Great for Less assemble an inexpensive outfit. This is a consumer project. Sewing skills are not involved. (Advanced)

#426 Clothing for Your Career and construct and evaluate an outfit with a minimum of two pieces. (Advanced)

#430 Shopping Savvy – Complete project book and assemble an outfit. It may be made, purchased, or

put together from your current wardrobe. (Intermediate)

4-H Nutrition Project Information

FCS Nutrition Project Important Dates:

Nutrition Project Judging Date: Tuesday, July 23, 2024; Multipurpose Building beginning at 9:00 a.m.; specific times assigned per project title Nutrition Project Award Date: Tuesday, July 23, 2024; Multipurpose Building. Awards presented at the end of judging per project title.

Nutrition Skillathon Contest: Tuesday, July 23, 2024; Multipurpose Building beginning at 9am.

Nutrition Project: FCS Guidelines:

A. Participants must follow the following dress code for judging:

SHOES: Dress Shoes, sandals, or boots

BOTTOMS: Dress pants, capris, knee length skirt (to fingertips) or shorts (ex: golf shorts fingertip length), dressy jean with **NO** holes

<u>DRESS</u>: Knee length or longer dress. Cleavage, back and shoulders must be covered. Spaghetti strap dresses must have something to cover the shoulders (sweater, jacket, etc)

TOPS: Blouse or Shirt with or without collar; no cleavage, no bare back, or midriff should be showing.

NO 4-H t-Shirts or club 4-H T-shirts should be worn to judging

Remember when you are getting ready for judging be thinking about your total look. Remember to dress to impress.

B. The Family and Consumer Sciences breakdown for the county Junior Fair competition is as follows: As of January 1 of the current year:

- \Rightarrow Seniors 14 years and up
- ⇒ Juniors 13 years and under
- C. Members do not automatically receive a copy of these requirements. It is the responsibility of the club advisor to inform members of the State and County project requirements.
- D. All 4-H FCS competitors must be present during their judging to be eligible to win awards. Exceptions will be made only if the competitor is absent due to a 4-H related event such as County Fair judging, 4-H camps, State Fair judging, etc.

F. Members may take more than one project per area.

G. If not noted otherwise in the Family Guide to 4-H, members may repeat a project as often as desired provided that new skills are learned each time.

H. Project skill levels are listed in the Family Guide to 4-H.

I. All projects must be made as a 4-H project only.

J. During all events, only participants and program volunteers are allowed in the judging or preparation areas.

K. Awards will be provided for all projects where members meet project requirements and judge's standards.

L. A schedule of specific project titles and judging times will be provided in county newsletter and on county website at https://butler.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development

M. Display items may be removed from the Youth Exhibit Building on Saturday, July 27, 2024 from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Sunday, July 28, 2024 from 12:00pm to 1:00pm. Exceptions will be made only for items needed for State Fair competitions. N. Booths may be disassembled on Saturday, July 27, 2024 from 4:30pm to 7:00pm. Guidelines for Club Booth Contest are in the Special Interest Department Guidelines.

O. Any items left in the Youth Exhibit Building after 1pm on Sunday, July 28, 2024 will be DISCARDED.

Nutrition Project - Judging Guidelines:

A. Members must adhere to all FCS Nutritional Project General, Judging, Portfolio and Award Guidelines as listed in this document.

B. Project judging requirements for all Nutrition Projects are:

- ⇒ Completed project book.
- \Rightarrow One food suitable for project.
- \Rightarrow All food prepared for judging should be suitable for serving a family of four.
- ⇒ Recipe of food item must be typed on 8 ½" x 11" sheet of paper with name, age, club name and project name included.
- \Rightarrow A menu for a complete meal must be typed on 8 ½" x 11" sheet of paper. Menu must include the dish prepared for judging. Menu is to be balanced and nutritious.

 \Rightarrow A place setting for the meal planned on your menu that would include the food item you made for judging.

In 2024, **Portfolios** are optional for county level judging (no points are awarded or deducted) but are mandatory for State Fair judging. Each member is required to display a full menu, a recipe for the item judged, and a head shot photo for the week of the fair. These must be in place in the Youth Exhibit building by Saturday, July 22, 2024, by 4:00 p.m.

The displayed items will be brought to the Multipurpose Building for project judging by the FCS department. After judging the items should be returned to the check in table. These will be returned to the Youth Exhibit Building following judging by the Junior Fair Members.

C. For all nutrition projects, the member may use a recipe other than the ones in their project book. The food prepared for judging should be one that is similar in skill level and food category as those in the project book.

D. Centerpieces are optional in all food displays. E. A nutrition Skillathon Contest will be held during nutrition judging. The Skillathon Contest may end

<u>Nutrition Project: Portfolio Guidelines for State</u> <u>Fair Judging:</u>

before the end of the judging times.

A. Portfolios are optional for Nutrition Judging at the 2024 Butler County Fair. However they are mandatory if the member is selected and goes to the State Fair for judging.

B. The participant will be responsible for a portfolio that is comprised of a 3-pronged folder that includes 8 ½" x 11" pages.

C. The participants will create a maximum of one page (one-sided only) per "activity area" or "interest area" as designated in the front of their project books.

D. These pages could be in collage, journaling, timeline, photo, or any other format that would illustrate the work and knowledge of the participant.

E. Each page could be different or could be a combination of styles providing the 4-H'er to reflect on their learning experience.

<u>Nutrition Project: County Award & State Fair</u> Guidelines:

A. Portfolios are optional for Buter County Fair Judging but are still mandatory for State Fair Judging. Member must display a menu, a recipe for item presented to the judge, and a head shot photo for the entire duration of the Butler County Junior Fair in order to compete in that project's competition for Junior Fair Awards.

B. Removal of project display items prior to the conclusion of the County Fair can only be done with permission of FCS Department personnel. Permission for project removal will be granted only in cases where the item is needed for a State Fair judging.

C. Premier Exhibitor Award – One member from the Nutrition senior age division will be selected based on the highest scores received from Project Judging and project area Skillathon score. Awards will be presented on Friday, July 26, 2024 at 6:00 pm in the Morris VanGorden show arena.

Participants may win the award one time only.

D. Participant projects are chosen to go to the
State Fair if

- \Rightarrow Project is eligible for State Fair competition as listed in the Family Guide to 4-H
- ⇒ Participant receives highest score at County Fair of eligible participants
- ⇒ Participants are eligible to compete at the State Fair as defined by the State Fair 4-H Non-Livestock Guidebook. Information found here: By Clicking Here
- ⇒ Please review State Fair Packet and Non-Livestock Guidebook before attending the State Fair to be sure participant is eligible for judging at the state level. State Fair packets are available after awards are issued.
- E. In case of a tie, selection for State Fair is determined by the Judge.
- F. If participant wins more than one State Fair eligible first place award, scheduling conflicts can occur which requires the member to choose which project to take to State Fair.

<u>Nutrition Project List</u> (See Guideline Section for Requirements)

#459 Let's Start Cooking (Beginning)

#461 Let's Bake Quick Breads (Intermediate)

#462 Yeast Breads on the Rise (Advanced)

#463 Sports Nutrition: Ready, Set, Go

(Intermediate)

#467 Cooking On My Own (Advanced)

#469 Global Gourmet (Advanced)

#472 Grill Master (Intermediate)

#474 Beyond the Grill (Advanced)

#475 Star Spangled Foods (Intermediate)

#476 Kitchen Boss (Advanced)

#477 Party Planner: A 4-H Guide to Quantity

Cooking (Intermediate)

#481 Everyday Food and Fitness (Beginning)

#484 Snack Attack! (Beginning)

#485 Racing the Clock to Awesome Meals (Intermediate)

#487 Take a Break for Breakfast (Beginning)

Nutrition Bake-In Contest Information:

*This contest involves completely preparing and baking an assigned recipe in front of judges.

Bake-In Contest Entry Deadline: July 1st, 2024 **Bake-In Contest Date:** Thursday, July 25, 2024 in the Multipurpose Building. Contest begins at 9am. Start time for each age division will be provided to every contestant.

Bake-In Contest Awards: Thursday, July 25, 2024 following contest

Bake-In Contest Guidelines:

A. Contestants must be enrolled in 4-H as of April 1 of the current year.

- B. Contestants do not need to participate in a Nutrition Project to be eligible to participate in the Bake-In Contest.
- C. Bake-In Contest will start at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, July 25, 2024 with specific time slots for the divisions to be announced to registered contestants by email.
- D. Bake-In Contest Age Groups Three Classes
- ⇒ Beginner Class 8 to 10 years old as of January 1st of the current calendar year
- \Rightarrow Intermediate Class 11 to 13 years old as of January 1st of the current calendar year
- ⇒ Senior Class 14 years old and over as of January 1st of the current calendar year
- E. Recipes for each age class will be provided by the OSU Extension Office. Recipes will be posted at www.butler.osu.edu

F. Members will provide all of the required ingredients, equipment, display dish, and place setting.

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H. Ingredients are to be prepared in front of judge. DO NOT pre-measure, peel, sift, etc. ingredients except if specifically directed on recipe.

- I. Contestants will be provided the use of a table and an oven. All other supplies and equipment must be provided by the contestant.
- J. Contestants must follow FCS Dress Code including wearing closed toe shoes.
- K. Aprons should be worn to protect clothing.
- L. Hands should be washed as the first step in preparation. Hand sanitizer is recommended.
- M. Recipe is to be followed as given.
- N. Preparation time is 45 minutes. Preparation time is to be used to prepare the recipe, place it in the oven for baking, and cleaning of work station.
- O. Cooking time is in addition to preparation time
- P. The baked product will be displayed for the judge.
- Q. Review the Bake-In Contest Score Sheet for information on how the contest is judged.
- R. Garnishes appropriate for the prepared dish are allowed when displayed.
- S. Pans used may not exceed 12.5" X 16".

Related Family & Consumer Science Information: FCS Related Project Important Dates:

FCS Related Project Judging Date: Monday, July 15, 2024; Multipurpose Building. Judging starts at 9am; specific times for project areas will be assigned

FCS Related Project Award Date: Sunday, July 21, 2024; Multipurpose Building. Awards for FCS Related projects starting at 1:30pm followed by Style Review

FCS Related Project Guidelines

A. Participants must follow the following dress code for judging:

SHOES: Dress Shoes, sandals, or boots

BOTTOMS: Dress pants, capris, knee length skirt (to fingertips) or shorts (ex: golf shorts fingertip length), dressy jean with **NO** holes

<u>DRESS</u>: Knee length or longer dress. Cleavage, back and shoulders must be covered. Spaghetti strap dresses must have something to cover the shoulders (sweater, jacket, etc)

TOPS: Blouse or Shirt with or without collar; no cleavage, no bare back, or midriff should be showing.

NO 4-H t-Shirts or club 4-H T-shirts should be worn to judging

Remember when you are getting ready for judging be thinking about your total look. Remember to dress to impress.

B. The Family and Consumer Sciences age class breakdown for the county Junior Fair project competition is as follows:

As of January 1 of the current year

- ⇒ Seniors 14 years and up
- \Rightarrow Juniors 13 years and under
- C. To become eligible to participate in the County Fair, members must follow these guidelines and complete the requirements in the project book.
- D. All projects have judging and display requirements. Items to be displayed are based on the project book and these guidelines.
- E. Guidelines and judging schedule are available at https://butler.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development
- F. All 4-H FCS competitors must be present during their judging to be eligible to win awards. Clothing project competitors must also participate in the Style Review to be eligible to win awards. Exceptions will be made only if the competitor is absent due to a 4-H related event such as County Fair judging, 4-H camps, State Fair judging, etc. G. All display items are to be identified with a tag provided by the FCS department.
- H. If a poster is required for the project it must be 22" x 28" on standard poster board. NO trifold or foam board posters are allowed.
- I. All posters that don't meet regulations will have5 points deducted during judging.
- J. Members may take more than one project per area for 4-H credit.
- K. If not noted otherwise in the Family Guide to 4-H, members may repeat a project as often as desired provided that new skills are learned each
- L. Project skill levels are listed in the Family Guide to 4-H.
- M. All projects must be made as a 4-H project only. N. During all events, only participants and program volunteers are allowed in the judging, dressing, and preparation areas.

- O. Awards will be provided for all projects where members meet project requirements and judge's standards.
- P. A schedule of specific project titles and judging times will be provided and can be found at https://butler.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development.
- Q. Display items may be removed from the Youth Exhibit Building on Saturday, July 27, 2024 from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Sunday, July 28, 2024 from 12:00pm to 1:00pm. Exceptions will be made only for items needed for State Fair competitions. R. Booths may be disassembled on Saturday, July 27, 2024 from 4:30pm to 7:00pm. Guidelines for Club Booth Contest are in the Special Interest Department Guidelines.
- S. Any items left in the Youth Exhibit Building after 1pm on Sunday, July 28, 2024 will be DISCARDED.

FCS Related Project: Judging Guidelines:

- A. Members must adhere to all FCS Related General, Judging, and Award Guidelines as listed in this document.
- B. FCS Related Projects will be judged on Monday, July 15, 2024.
- C. FCS Related projects include all Family and Consumer Sciences projects not classified as Nutrition or Clothing projects.
- D. All FCS Related project display items must be taken to the Youth Exhibit Building immediately following judging.
- E. All FCS Related Projects require a completed project book, poster and an exhibit item.
- F. Displays may be photos or a poster of the item if the item prepared for judging cannot be placed in a booth.

FCS Related Projects: County Award & State Fair Guidelines:

- A. Member must display project items for the entire duration of the Butler County Junior Fair in order to compete in that project's competition for Junior Fair Awards.
- B. Removal of project display items prior to the conclusion of the County Fair can only be done with permission of FCS Department personnel. Permission for project removal will be granted only in cases where the garment/item is needed for a State Fair judging.
- C. Participant projects are chosen to go to the State Fair if:

- ⇒ Project is eligible for State Fair competition as listed in the Family Guide to 4-H
- ⇒ Participant receiving highest score at County Fair is eligible for State fair.
- ⇒ Participant eligible to compete at the State Fair as defined by the State Fair 4-H Non-Livestock Guidebook. Information found here: By Clicking Here
- ⇒ Please review State Fair Packet and Non-Livestock Guidebook before attending the State Fair to be sure participant is eligible for judging at the state level. State Fair packets are available after awards are issued.
- D. In case of a tie, selection for State Fair is determined by the Judge.
- E. If one participant wins more than one State Fair eligible first place award, scheduling conflicts can occur which requires the member to choose which project to take to State Fair.

Related FCS Project List With County Project Requirements:

#405 The Laundry Project - Bring completed project book, poster and item to exhibit. (Beginning)

#432M Sewing & Textiles (non-clothing) FCS Related 4-H member of any age can complete this project, but should have previous clothing construction experience. Construct a non-clothing item that exhibits specialized or professional level skills. Bring completed book, poster, and item to exhibit. (Advanced)

#445 Becoming Money Wise - Meant be taken 2 years. Bring completed project book, poster and item to exhibit. (Beginning)

#448 Teens On the Road to Financial Success Meant be taken 2 years. Bring completed project
book, poster and item to exhibit. (Advanced)
#491 It's My Home - Bring completed project book,
poster and one item that was constructed
according to the project book guidelines and
visuals to show how the item fits into the home.
(Beginning)

#494 Makeover My Space - Bring completed project book, poster, item to exhibit, and visuals of arranged and decorated room. (Intermediate) #495 Your First Home Away From Home - Bring completed project book, poster, item to exhibit, and visuals of arrangements. (Advanced)

4-H Shopping Bag Contest Information:

Shopping Bag Contest Important Dates:

Shopping Bag Contest Registration Deadline: July 1, 2024

Shopping Bag Contest Date: Monday, July 22, 2024; Multipurpose Building. The contest will begin at 9am

Shopping Bag Contest Awards: Monday, July 22, 2024 following contest

Shopping Bag Contest Guidelines:

- A. Contestants must be enrolled in 4-H as of April 1 of the current year.
- B. Shopping Bag Contest Age Groups Three Classes
- \Rightarrow Beginner Class 8 to 10 years old as of January 1st of the current calendar year
- ⇒ Intermediate Class 11 to 13 years old as of January 1st of the current calendar year
- ⇒ Senior Class 14 years old and over as of January 1st of the current calendar year
- C. A maximum of ten minutes will be allowed for finishing each contest station.
- D. Reading assistance will be provided upon request.
- E. Participants are not allowed to talk to each other after the contest begins.
- F. Score cards will be evaluated by 4-H advisors and Junior Fair Board members.
- G. A theme for the contest is selected by the FCS department.
- H. Once the contest begins, no late contestants will be permitted to participate.
- I. Participants must register by July 1.
- J. Registered contestants will be notified by email with information about contest start times for their age category.

FCS Award Donors 2024

Bob & Sally Ruskaup **Browns Farm Market, LLC Butler Rural Electric Coop**erative, Inc. **Caleb Young Collinsville Grange 2264 Collinsville Homemakers D&S Auto Parts** James & Ruth Ann Young **Karen & James Martino** L & E Microscope **Leon & Sandy Simpson** LG Contracting, Inc. **Mary Jo Little**

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Butler County Junior Fair Section

4-H Demonstrations or Illustrated Talks Wednesday, July 24, 2024 – 9 am – Multi-purpose **Building**

Illustrated Talk or Demonstration (without use of computer technology) Junior Individual – (Age 8-11 and in the third grade) Intermediate Individual (Age 12-13) Junior Team (Age 8-11) Intermediate Team (Age 12-13)

The presenter uses appropriate props and other visual aides to teach others about a subject or how to do something. May use charts, posters, or pictures to deliver their illustrated talk or to stress points with their demonstration. No PowerPoint or computer generated messages. Presenters are evaluated on their ability to present a speech. A demonstration should last between 6-9 minutes.

Illustrated Talks or Demonstrations (with the addition of computer technology) Intermediate Individual (Age 12-13) Senior Individual (Age 14 and up)

The presenter uses appropriate props and computer generated visual aides to teach others about a subject or how to do something. Examples: A **Demonstration** may be delivered in this category. Prezi or PowerPoint type slides may be added in addition to other props to help present their message. An Illustrated Talk may be delivered in this category, with the member using PowerPoint or Prezi type technology to present their entire visual message; accompanied by their live narration. Requires live speech delivered along with PowerPoint, Prezi or poster message, (NO pre-recorded narration). Member is evaluated on their communication skills and their ability to effectively use technology, poster or other props within their Illustrated Talk or Demonstration. Illustrated Talks/Demonstrations should be 9-12 minutes in length with 4 points deducted for time over or under.

4-H Multi-Media Presentations (J-7)

Senior Individual (Age 14 and up)

The Multi-Media presentations should share a message related to 4-H experiences or 4-H project work. This is a fully-automated, stand-alone presentation using video, pictures, slides, PowerPoint or other home/office computer

generated programs along with sound/narration to convey a message. The program is free standing and only requires an introduction by the participant. It should include recorded visual, sound, and narration to convey a message. Evaluation is based upon the creative and professional use of technology, as well as the ability to communicate a message, with a clear opening, body, and conclusion. Presenters will introduce themselves and the title of their topic. At the conclusion of their recording, they may address questions from the audience, followed by an interview with the judge. Presenters are required to furnish their own equipment for this presentation. Audio

Visual Presentations should be 6-7 minutes in length. Four points will be deducted for over and under times. Timing of the presentation is from the time the pre-recorded presentation begins and ends. The introduction and questions and answers are not included in the timing.

General Guidelines:

A team demonstration consists of two people sharing the speaking and teaching roles. When members of a team fall into different age categories, they will participate in the older class.

Due to the limitations of the building, no large animals (i.e., Horse, Beef, Sheep, Goat, Dairy, or Hogs over 20 pounds) may be used in a 4-H Demonstration. Members should use models, photographs, or illustrations to make their point when giving a talk about large animals.

Any small animals (under 20 pounds) can be used in a 4-H Demonstration (provided that the animals do not place the public at risk and that they meet all of the health requirements established by the Ohio Department of Agriculture Livestock Health Requirements found in the Ohio State Fair Livestock Exhibitor Handbook.) Current health and shot records must be carried with the animal. Animals must remain caged or leashed before and after the presentation.

Members who use PowerPoint with an Illustrated Talk or Demonstration should use the technology to supplement their delivery. The Illustrated Talk may not be pre-recorded narration. The member is required to provide a live delivery of the topic.

HELP SHEET FOR JUNIOR FAIR ENTRY FORMS

Fill out top section of form completely. Only 4-H & FFA animals being shown during the fair are to be entered on this form.

Beef Department – 100

Fill in page #, Department #, Section #, Class # & Description. Place an x in Born and Raised box if you entered animal with producer at time of purchase.

Goat Department – 200

Fill in page #, Department #, Section #, Class #, Description, Butler County Tag & Scrapie. Place an x in Born and Raised box if you entered animal with producer at time of purchase.

Swine Department - 300

Fill in page #, Department #, Section #, Class # & Description. Place an x in Born and Raised box if you entered animal with producer at time of purchase.

Sheep Department - 400

Fill in page #, Department #, Section #, Class, Description, Butler County Tag & Scrapie. Place an x in Born and Raised box if you entered animal with producer at time of purchase.

Poultry Department – 500

Fill in page #, Department #, Section #, Class # & Description.

Rabbit Department – 600

Fill in page #, Department #, Section #, Class # & Variety and color under Description.

Dairy Department – 700

Fill in page #, Department #, Section #, Class # & Description.

Horse Department – 800

Fill in page #, Department #, Section #, Class # & name of horse under Description.

MAKE SURE FORMS ARE SIGNED AND DATED. FORMS ARE DUE TO THE SENIOR FAIR BOARD OFFICE NO LATER THAN 3:00P.M. ON SATURDAY, JUNE 8 2024

2024 Butler County Jr. Fair Livestock Entry Form

Projects Confirmed

By:

Office Use Only

Entry Deadline is 3:00 p.m. - June 8, 2024 at Senior Fair Board Office - 1715 Fairgrove Ave. Hamilton, Ohio 45011 or online at Butlercountyohfair.org

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respective livestock and/or exhibits from any cause whatsoever. The aforesaid indemnification shall include injuries to the person or property of third parties resulting from the aforesaid livestock and/or shown upon the Butler County Fairgrounds. The undersigned, Exhibitor/Entrant/Member and the Parent/Guardian specifically acknowledges and understands that livestock and exhibition Entrant/Exhibitor/Member and the Parent/Guardian agree to hold the Fair Board harmless from any and all claims, losses and damages, including reasonable attorney fees, resulting from their articles are placed upon and maintained upon the Butler County Fairgrounds by them at their sole risk and responsibility. Further, in consideration of the opportunity to exhibit, and/or exhibition articles. Fair Board assumes no responsibility for errors or omissions in the foregoing booklet.

Required: The undersigned have also read and understand the Livestock Exhibitor Agreement in the Butler County Fair Book and hereby agree to be bound by all terms and conditions

Date:		Date:
Member Signature:	Parent/Guardian Printed Name:	Parent/Guardian Signature:

	Born & Raised Entry											
2024 Butler County Jr. Fair Livestock Entry Form	Description/Variety/Ear Tag/Notches/Scrapie Tag/Butler County Tag (Scrapie and B.C. Tag Required for Mkt Goats & Mkt Sheep)											
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2024 Butler County Fair Open Class Entry Form

Please read all rules for your department before filling out entry form.

All entry blanks for **livestock** must be received by the Senior Fair Board Office by

3:00 pm, Saturday, June 29, 2024

All entry blanks for Farm/Garden, Culinary, Grange, Flowers, Arts & Crafts, and Fine Arts must be received by the Senior Fair Board Office between

June 27, 2024 at 11:00am through Saturday, July 13, 2024 at 3:00 pm,

Mailing Address for entries: Butler County Fair

1715 Fairgrove Ave. Hamilton, Ohio 45011 Phone: (513)892-1423

ONLY ONE EXHIBITOR PER FORM - Please fill out all boxes for each entry.

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The Butler County Agricultural Society including its individual Officers and Directors (hereinafter collectively, "Fair Board") assume no responsibility for livestock and/or exhibit articles entered and/or shown upon the Butler County Fairgrounds. The undersigned Exhibitor/Entrant/Member and the Parent/Guardian specifically acknowledge and understand that livestock and exhibition articles are placed upon and maintained upon the Butler County Fairgrounds by them at their sole risk and responsibility. Further, in consideration of the opportunity to exhibit, Exhibitor/Entrant/Member and the Parent/Guardian agree to hold the Fair Board harmless from any and all claims, losses and damages, including reasonable attorney fees, resulting from their respective livestock and/or exhibits from any cause whatsoever. The aforesaid indemnification shall include injuries to the person or property of third parties resulting from the aforesaid livestock and/or exhibition articles. Fair Board assumes no responsibility for errors or omissions in the foregoing booklet.

The undersigned have also read and understand the Livestock Exhibitor Agreement in the Butler County Fairbook and hereby agree to be bound by all terms and conditions contained herein:

Exhibitor Signature	Date	
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Parent/Guardian Signature	Date	

☐ Credit Card	☐ Check/M.O.
Invoice – email	Made Payable to Butler Co
required above	Agricultural Society

	QTY:	TOTAL:
Membership:	x \$40	
7 Day Pass:	x \$35	
4 Day Pass:	x \$25	
Jr. Art Hall Entry Only:	x \$5	
Art Hall > 50 Entries	x \$.25	
Entry Fees:On All Animals/En	ntries(even Jr. Fai	r animals)

 Goats:
 x \$8

 Sheep:
 x \$8

 Sheep Decorator/Lead:
 x \$5

 Fleece:
 x \$5

 Swine:
 x \$8

 Dairy Cattle:
 x \$8

 Stall/Pen Fees – On All Open Class ONLY Animals

 Beef/Steers:
 x \$5

 Goats:
 x \$5

 Sheep:
 x \$5

 Swine:
 x \$5

 Dairy Cattle:
 x \$5

Total: \$_____

2024 Butler County Fair Open Class Entry Form

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Butler County Fair Benches

The Butler County Fair is taking orders for custom engraved benches for the fairgrounds.

Sponsor a bench and personalize it with your own message!

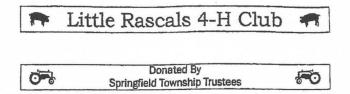
Please return by May 1st for use during this year's Fair. Cost: \$300

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Examples of Personalized Top Board for Benches



Don't forget to complete the following option choices to personalize your bench.

Step 2 Options - Decorative Ends - Circle one

1 Rose	lvy	Pig	Rooste
Acoms	Grapes	Tractor	Beef
Wheat	Barn	Horse	Dairy Dairy

No Decorative End

Name	
Address	
Phone Number	
F-mail Address	

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PREFERRED PARKING REGISTRATION 2024 - ALL AREAS 1 - 5

Butler	County	Fair	July 21	- 27	2024

	Butler Co	ounty Fair	: July 21	-27,	2024
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Area #	
Space Assigned	d:
Gp 3.00 / 100.g. 100	

Office Use Only Date Received:

\$35.00/SPACE – 1 FORM REQUIRED FOR EACH SPACE **LIMIT OF 2 SPACES PER HOUSEHOLD** PREFFERED PARKING PRIVILEGES BEGIN SUNDAY, JULY 21th AT 12 AM.

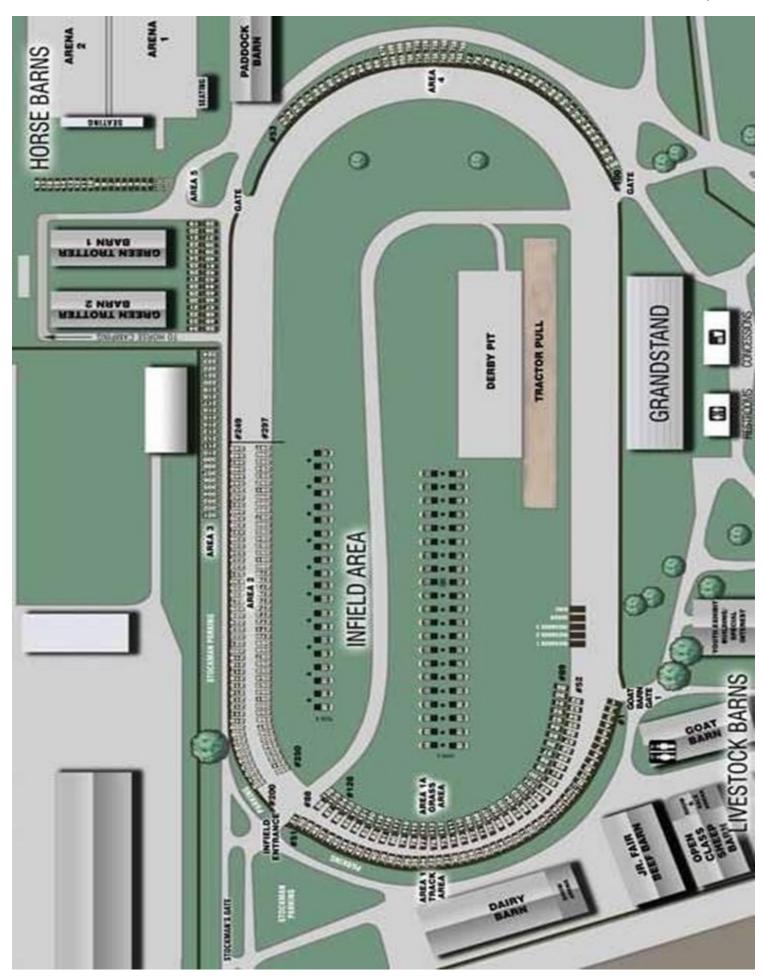
Deadline to renew last year's space is the same as Jr. Fair Animal Enrollment Deadline.

- 1. FOR PASSENGER VEHICLES ONLY NOT TO BE USED AS A CAMPING AREA ANYONE CAUGHT SLEEPING IN VEHICLE WILL BE TOWED AND LOSE ALL PRIVILEGES.
- 2. Preferred Parking will be available on the racetrack in areas 1 & 2, behind the track in area 3, and in horse areas 4 & 5. There are also some spots in Area G, at the end of the Dairy barn that will start 7/22/24.
- 3. Preferred Parking spots will be assigned, and a corresponding number will be issued. Lost numbers will not be replaced.
- 4. Number must be attached to rearview mirror at all times or vehicle will be towed at owner's expense. Only one vehicle per space unless otherwise specified.
- 5. Anyone not parking in his or her assigned spot will be towed at the owner's expense.

THIS IS NOT A CAMPER OR INFIELD PARKING PERMIT – VIOLATORS WILL BE TOWED

- 6. Parking will be head in parking towards the racetrack fence or towards infield.
- 7. Spaces will be issued on a first come first serve basis; a limited number of spaces are available. You may reserve same space you had in 2023 in ALL AREAS up until 3:00 P.M. on June 8, 2024.
- 8. Completed application must accompany fee. Only 2 spaces may be purchased per individual/ household.
- 9. Parking spaces cannot be sold or traded.
- 10. Preferred Parking does not include gate admission for occupants.
- 11. Preferred Parking privilege pass can be picked up at Fair Office beginning Wednesday, July 17th during normal office hours.
- 12. Must fill out a form for each spot purchased.

	NAME:		PHONE	#:
	ADDRESS:		zı	P:
	EMAIL:			
	Area Requested:		_ Same as 2023	Space?
-	I have read the rules of this reagree to comply with the said Signed: If mailing application,	rules or be subject to e	eviction. REQUIRE Date:	
	Method of Payment:	MasterCard [□ Visa	☐ Check/M.O.
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2024 CAMPER FEES AND RULES

Butler County Fair July 21st - 27th 2024

Horse Camping - Member in Charge: Chad Idle

Livestock Camping - Members in Charge: Doug Turner & David Vollmer

Curfew in camp grounds is 12:00 midnight.

Camping fee for the week of the fair is:

\$300.00 (Infield Camping)

\$225.00 (Fence Camping)

\$250.00 (Horse Camping 1) \$300.00 (Horse Camping 2)

Do not include with any other fees. Fee must accompany application.

- Absolutely no motorized vehicles (ATV,RTV,golf carts) permitted on fair grounds.
- Fee does not include Fair entry. Everyone staying in camper must have and hold a ticket for the week. Tickets must be 4-day, 7-day, Membership, Jr. Fair, or Jr. Fair Advisor Pass. Must be Fair Partici-
- 2024 Campers requesting same location should have application & payment to the Fair Office by the Jr. Fair Entry Deadline. If you do not reserve your space by the deadline, it will be made available to others. If size or type of camper is different than previous year, same location, or space cannot be guaranteed.
- New Applicants: New camping applications will be accepted at the fair office, either in person, by Postal Mail or emailed (butlercountyohfair@gmail.com). No faxed applications will be accepted. This will add your name to the waiting list. Camper spaces will be awarded based on camper size, space, availability and date application
- Horse Area ONLY: Club Camping Spaces During the Fair. Camping Selections will take place at the May Advisor Meeting at the Fairgrounds. All Paperwork and Payments will be due at the time of selection. The Order of the Camping Selection Process will go as fol-
- 1.Advisor Board Officers will select in the Order of President, Vice President, Secretary, then Treasurer.
 - 2. Jr. Fairboard Advisor(s)
- 3. Jr. Fairboard Members (Excluding Barn Superintendents). Order will be based on the following criteria:
 - a. Seniority
 - b. Meeting Attendance
 - c. Participation in Fundraisers & Community Service Projects
- 4. Committee Chairpersons/Advisors
- 5. Club Advisors, with preference to the Advisors based on the following criteria:
 - a. Working at Horse Events
 - b. Attendance at the 4H Advisor Meetings from June of one year through May of the following year
- c. Horse Participant Fee of \$10 per member enrolled as of April 1st, including Horseless Horse. This fee is to be turned in on later than May Advisor Meeting.

NO SLEEPING IN ANY VEHCILES OTHER THAN THOSE IN RENTED CAMPER SPOTS.

- Campers MAY move in Friday before the start of Fair, You may NOT move in prior to this, unless you are Authorized Fair Per-
- All fire lanes must be kept open at all times.
- No pets are allowed in camping area.
- 10. Quiet hours begin at 12:00 midnight.
- Drugs, drug-related substances and alcohol are strictly prohibited upon the fairgrounds (including parking and camping areas). Matters concerning drugs, drug-related substances and/or alcohol, or evidence or suspicion of any type or nature of the same, shall be referred to a director or directors of the Agricultural Society or its duly authorized agents for disposition. Any action to be taken on the mat-

ter is within the sole discretion of the Directors of the Agricultural Society, and such actions may include, without limit, the following:

- Referral of the matter to law enforcement authorities.
- b) Notice to parents and/or guardians.
- Removal from the fairgrounds. c)
- Bar from participating in any manner in future fairs..
- Forfeiture of any awards and/or prize money.
- 12. Air conditioners will be permitted.
- 13. Electric hook-ups are to be proper receptacles only, and only one camping unit per extension cord. Use only UL approve extension cord. NO Generators allowed unless authorized by Fairboard.
- Premises around camping area are to be kept clean and sanitary. Trash can be placed in proper containers. No dumping of holding tanks will be permitted.
- 15. No open fires permitted.
- 16. Room for slide-outs and awnings is not guaranteed. Only if space is available.
- 17. No person staying in a camper may cause a disturbance, nuisance or annoyance as determined by the sole discretion of any members of the Board of Directors of the Agricultural Society or their duly authorized agents.
- The Butler County Agricultural Society is not liable in any way for any actions, losses, damages, or claims of any type which might arise as a result of a person using the Fairground facilities for camping
- 19. No subletting of camper space is permitted. Cannot give space to someone else.
- 20. Space is for camper only. No other vehicles.
- 21. Sitting on top of campers is prohibited due to safety/liability issues.
- 22. DO NOT unplug someone else's camper. If you have a problem, please contact a Fairboard Member.
- 23. The above rules will be enforced by the Directors of the Butler County Agricultural Society and/or its authorized agents. The Society reserves the right to take whatever action it deems appropriate, in its sole discretion, to remedy any concern in the camping area which shall include, without limit, the following: to immediately terminate or cancel the rental arrangement, to have the applicant or camper removed from the premises, to reject or refuse camper rental privileges to any applicant.

2024 APPLICATION FOR CAMPER PERMIT



This form MUST be completed by the site occupant, who is responsible for the camping unit. All those wanting to camp MUST complete this form.

Horse Participants will turn in this application at the May Horse Advisors Meeting.

For All Departments: Move in Friday after 5:00PM before Fair, Unless Authorized Fair Personnel!

Name:				Phone #:	
Address	(City, State & Zip) :			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Number Choice	Camping Area	Price \$	Did you have to	his space	Camper Type: RV
	Infield Camping	\$300	Yes	No	Truck Camper
	Fence Camping	\$225	Yes	No	Camping Trailer
	Horse Camping 1 (Original)	\$250	Yes	No	
	Horse Camping 2 (New)	\$300	Yes	No	
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# of Youth _	r Represented: Are you an advis	Name		bit Livestock Pro	
	Rules of this application concerni				ply with Said Rules or be subject to Eviction.
Butler Coun Application *If Part of	nit application and payment to ty Agricultural Society 1715 f ns due by: Horse Department, due at camping sites, due by Juni	Fairgrove Ave	isors Meeting in May	ne.	Office Use Only Payment Amt.\$: Receipt #: Date Received:

2024 OHIO AGRICULTURAL FAIR SCHEDULE

Ohio State Fair(Columbus) July 24 – August 4

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County Fair (Location)	Dates	County Fair (Location)	Dates
ADAMS (West Union)	July 6 -July 13	MAHONING (Canfield)	August 28-Sept 2
ALLEN (Lima)	August 16-August 24	MARION (Marion)	July 1-July 6
ASHLAND (Ashland)	Sept 15 -Sept 21	MEDINA (Medina)	July 29-August 4
ASHTABULA (Jefferson)	August 6- August 11	MEIGS (Pomeroy)	August 12-August 17
ATHENS (Athens)	August 2- August 10	MERCER (Celina)	August 8-August 14
AUGLAIZE (Wapakoneta)	July 28-August 3	MIAMI (Troy)	August 9-August 15
BELMONT (St. Clairsville)	Sept 2-Sept 8	MONROE (Woodsfield)	August 19-August 24
BROWN (Georgetown)	Sept 23-Sept 28	MONTGOMERY (Dayton)	July 7-July 13
BUTLER (Hamilton)	July 21-July 27	MORGAN (McConnelsville)	Sept 3-Sept 7
CARROLL (Carrollton)	July 15-July 21	MORROW (Mt. Gilead)	August 26-Sept 2
CHAMPAIGN (Urbana)	August 2-August 9	MUSKINGUM (Zanesville)	August 11-August 17
CLARK (Springfield)	July 19-July 26	NOBLE (Caldwell)	August 26-August 31
CLERMONT (Owensville)	July 21-July 27	OTTAWA (Oak Harbor)	July 15-July 21
CLINTON (Wilmington)	July 6-July 13	PAULDING (Paulding)	June 8-June 15
COLUMBIANA (Lisbon)	July 29-August 4	PERRY (New Lexington)	July 15-July 20
COSHOCTON (Coshocton)	Sept 27-October 3	PICKAWAY (Circleville)	June 15-June 22
CRAWFORD (Bucyrus)	July 15-July 20	PIKE (Piketon)	July 26-August 3
CUYAHOGA (Berea)	August 6-August 11	PORTAGE (Randolph)	August 20-August 25
DARKE (Greenville)	August 16-August 24	PREBLE (Eaton)	July 27-August 3
DEFIANCE (Hicksville)	August 17-August 24	PUTNAM (Ottawa)	June 24-June 29
DELAWARE (Delaware)	Sept 14-Sept 21	RICHLAND (Mansfield)	August 4-August 10
ERIE (Sandusky)	August 5-August 11	ROSS (Chillicothe)	August 3-August 10
FAIRFIELD (Lancaster)	October 6-October 12	SANDUSKY (Fremont)	August 19-August 25
FAYETTE (Wash. C.H.)	July 15-July 20	SCIOTO (Lucasville)	August 5-August 10
FRANKLIN (Hilliard)	July 15-July 21	SENECA (Tiffin)	July 21-July 28
FULTON (Wauseon)	August 30-Sept 5	SHELBY (Sidney)	July 21-July 27
GALLIA (Gallipolis)	July 29-August 3	STARK (Canton)	August 27-Sept 2
GEAUGA (Burton)	August 29-Sept 2	SUMMIT (Tallmadge)	July 23-July 28
GREENE (Xenia)	July 28-August 3	TRUMBULL (Cortland)	July 9-July 14
GUERNSEY (Old Wash.)	Sept 9-Sept 15	TUSCARAWAS (Dover)	Sept 16-Sept 22
HAMILTON (Carthage)	June 27-June 30	UNION (Marysville)	July 21-July 27
HANCOCK (Findlay)	August 27-Sept 2	VAN WERT (Van Wert)	August 27-Sept 2
HARDIN (Kenton)	Sept 3-Sept 8	VINTON (McArthur)	July 22-July 27
HARRISON (Cadiz)	June 24-June 29	WARREN (Lebanon)	July 15-July 20
HENRY (Napoleon)	August 8-August 15	WASHINGTON (Marietta)	August 31-Sept 3
HIGHLAND (Hillsboro)	Sept 1-Sept 7	WAYNE (Wooster)	Sept 7-Sept 12
HOCKING (Logan)	Sept 9-Sept 14	WILLIAMS (Montpelier)	Sept 7-Sept 14
HOLMES (Millersburg)	August 5-August 10	WOOD (Bowling Green)	July 28-August 4
HURON (Norwalk)	August 12-August 17	WYANDOT (Up. Sandusky)	Sept 9-Sept 14
JACKSON (Wellston)	July 12-July 20		
JEFFERSON (Smithfield)	August 12-August 18	INDEPENDENT FAIRS:	DATES:
KNOX (Mt. Vernon)	July 20-July 27	ALBANY (Athens Co.)	Sept 18-Sept 22
LAKE (Painesville)	July 23-July 28	ATTICA (Seneca Co.)	August 6-August 10
LAWRENCE (Proctorville)	July 6-July 13	BARLOW (Washington Co.)	Sept 26-Sept 29
LOGAN (Bellefontaine)	July 7-July 13	BELLVILLE (Richland Co.)	Sept 11-Sept 14
LORAIN (Wellington)	August 18-August 25	HARTFORD (Licking Co.)	August 4-August 10
LUCAS (Maumee)	July 8-July 14	LOUDONVILLE (Ashland Co.)	October 1-October 5
MADISON (London	July 6-July 13	RICHWOOD (Union Co.)	August 28-Sept 2
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