4-H CLUBS

4-H EXHIBIT, DEMONSTRATION & CONTEST GUIDELINES

The Missouri 4-H Center for Youth Development is under the direction of University of Missouri Extension

“Learning By Doing” is the basic of 4-H work, and each year thousands of youth learn these four basic skills. The 4-H members make the items displayed in the Missouri State Fair 4-H Building. The Missouri State Fair provides a showcase for the skills and knowledge that members have gained through their 4-H experiences.

Besides developing practical skills and knowledge, 4-H members are developing “life skills”. Under the leadership of adult volunteers, 4-H members learn to make sound decisions, work cooperatively in groups and develop a sense of self-worth and accomplishment. Missouri 4-H also fosters leadership, as older youth share their talents with younger 4-H members.

The Missouri State Fair does not guarantee premium money, merchandise, prizes or special awards. Because the State Fair Commission is without constitutional or statutory authority to borrow money for its operation, it reserves the right to prorate premium money because of state budget restraints.

4-H BUILDING GUIDELINES

1. Items made by 4-H members should reflect the skills they have learned in their 4-H project, the needs and interests of the 4-H’er, and quality workmanship. Use the 4-H project literature and “Clover” for ideas and criteria.

2. 4-H members may display only in projects in which they are enrolled and working in the 4-H. Under the leadership of adult volunteers, 4-H members work cooperatively in groups and develop a sense of self-worth and accomplishment.

3. Items are displayed at the risk of the 4-H member. The 4-H staff, Extension Centers and Missouri State Fair are not responsible for loss or damage to items. Building staff do make ongoing efforts to protect all items, and mail one copy separately to: 4-H Superintendent, 4-H Building, Sedalia, MO 65301. Use the 4-H project literature and “Clover” for ideas and criteria.

4. Items are displayed at the risk of the 4-H member. The 4-H staff, Extens-

5. A member is limited to two items in the 4-H Building and one demon-

6. All 4-H Building items must be registered either on the Missouri State Fair voucher computer program or on Fair computer program report. Special instructions for the preparation of these vouchers will be provided to 4-H staff.

7. The following items will be displayed in special areas that allow fairgoers to handle the exhibits. The 4-H member’s region, county and name should be permanently affixed to items. These items will be accepted from any project.

a. Notebook - use a three-ring binder with region, county and name on spine.

b. Posters - no larger than 14”x22”, flat only, do not fasten 3D items to the poster - name and address on back. See additional poster information in Rule #9.

8. All exhibits may be “any item made”, unless stated otherwise. The 4-H member may display any item made in that project. This includes notebooks, file cards, photo displays, posters, or educational displays. Be sure to mark the exhibit tag with Project number and description. Size restrictions may apply. See additional information in Rule #9.

9. The Missouri State Fair provides a showcase for the skills and knowledge that members have gained through their 4-H experiences.

10. Perishable items such as food, vegetables, crops and home grown items will not be returned after the Fair. Vegetables will be donated to a charitable organization. These items are displayed as a group without individual tags. Perishable items such as food, vegetable and crops should have exhibits tags in an envelope.

11. Fire Hazard Prevention: Any exhibits using batteries, such as circuit boards or robots should not connect the wires to the battery; rather the wires should be taped behind the battery. Another option: Do not attach a battery, but indicate “battery goes here”.

12. All 4-H Building items must be checked in and out of the 4-H Building by the 4-H member during established times. (No exceptions will be made.) No early removal or checkout of items is permitted. Items which are not properly checked in or out of the 4-H Building will not be awarded ribbons.

13. No outdoor exhibit space is available. You must contact the State 4-H office at 573-882-1441 prior to 8/11/17 for approval of large, oversized exhibits. Determination of items to be showcased will be left to the discretion of the 4-H Building Superintendent, based on available space, prior approval and the safety of fairgoers. Submitting a photograph of the exhibit is encouraged.

14. Photographs of items too large or fragile: This is restricted only to large items such as welding projects or large woodworking items like furniture, fragile items such as delicate ceramic work. It is not intended as a substitute category for bringing no larger than 4 pieces. Any photo of projects should not exceed 4 x 6 inches and should not have multiple photos. Counties should send photos individually, rather than making a poster board of all the photos. The tag should be attached. Indicate on the voucher that this project is too large or fragile to come and drop project/item. These photographs will not be returned. Do not send posts of items that would be disqualified if sent to the fair.

15. All items must have a Missouri State Fair tag securely fastened in a place visible to fairgoers. Remove all county or regional ribbons. Two identification labels should be securely attached, sewn or safely pinned to each item, 1 on the outside/front of the item and a second one behind, underneath or inside (e.g., textile items such as clothing or knitted items). Multiple piece exhibits should be fully labeled and connected (Examples: jacket and skirt; rocket and rocket launcher).

16. Counties who mail or ship their items to the State Fair should enclose one printed copy of the State Fair Exhibit List and a digital file on a storage device (e.g., flash drive) with the voucher in the box with the items, and mail one copy separately to: 4-H Superintendent, 4-H Building, Missouri State Fair, 2503 W. 16th St., Sedalia, MO 65301. Use sturdy boxes.

PROJECT LIST

All exhibits may be any item made, unless stated otherwise. Check specific projects for exhibit guidelines.

Class

AEROSPACE

AG806 AEROSPACE 1
AG807 AEROSPACE 2
AG808 AEROSPACE 3
AG809 AEROSPACE 4
Display on a launch pad not more than 18” square in an upright position.

AGRONOMY

AG982 FIELD CROPS 1
AG983 FIELD CROPS 2
AG984 FIELD CROPS 3

AMPHIBIANS AND REPTILES

AR611 AMPHIBIANS AND REPTILES: no live animals

ARTS AND CRAFTS

Scrapbooking exhibits should be a 1 page/1 side representative of the complete scrapbook.

1. Size not to exceed 12”x12”.

2. All pages should be in clear protective sleeve or clear zipper bag.

3. Do not frame scrapbook page.

4. If more than one page is submitted for an exhibit, the exhibit will be disqualified.

AC311 ARTS AND CRAFTS
AC312 ADVANCED VISUAL ARTS 1
AC313 ADVANCED VISUAL ARTS 2
4-H CLUBS

AC314 ARTS AND COMPUTERS
AC315 SCRAPBOOKING (No more than four per county)

BEEF
BF121 BEEF
BC135 BUCKET CALF

BEEKEEPING
BK924 BEE KEEPING 1
BK925 BEE KEEPING 2
BK926 BEE KEEPING 3

BICYCLE
BY731 BICYCLE 1
BY732 BICYCLE 2

BUTTERFLY WINGS
BW927 BUTTERFLY WINGS

CAKE DECORATING
Decorated Cakes - Cakes should not exceed 13" in height or at the base. Cake boards should not exceed 1" margin on each side of cake form and is considered in the 13" base requirements. Cake boards should be sturdy, especially if using a cake pan. The use of styrofoam forms is recommended. Must only use Royal Icing, Rolled Fondant or commercial product that will harden and preserve the decorated cake. (No real cakes, butter creme icing or tube/gel icing - displays containing these items will be considered ineligible and will be rejected.) Adding Tylose powder to fondant will help it hold its shape in humidity. Cakes with candy decorations are allowed; however, avoid using candy that melts (e.g., M & Ms, candy canes, etc.). Cakes that have melting items will be removed from display. No more than six (6) per county total - all levels.
CD361 CAKE DECORATING 1
CD362 CAKE DECORATING 2
CD363 CAKE DECORATING 3

CATS
CA177 CAT CARE 1
CA178 CAT CARE 2
CA179 CAT CARE 3

CHILD DEVELOPMENT
CH411 CHILD DEVELOPMENT 1
CH412 CHILD DEVELOPMENT 2
CH413 CHILD DEVELOPMENT 3

CLOTHING
CL521 SEWING 1
CL522 SEWING 2
CL523 SEWING 3
CL524 BUYING CLOTHES 1: any item bought or made
CL525 BUYING CLOTHES 2: any item bought or made

CLOWNING
CW231 CLOWNING

COMMUNICATIONS
CM237 COMMUNICATIONS 1
CM238 COMMUNICATIONS 2
CM239 COMMUNICATIONS 3

COMPUTERS and PROGRAMMING
CP891 COMPUTERS 1
CP892 COMPUTERS 2
CP893 COMPUTERS 3
CP894 COMPUTERS 4
CP895 SCRATCH
CP896 ALICE
CP897 OTHER PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES or COMPUTER PROGRAMS

CONSUMER SAVVY
CS431 CONSUMER 1
CS432 CONSUMER 2
CS433 CONSUMER 3

CROCHET
CR321 CROCHET

DAIRY (Also see Goats)
DA131 DAIRY 1
DA132 DAIRY 2

DA133 DAIRY 3
DA134 JUDGING DAIRY CATTLE
BC135 BUCKET CALF

DG171 DOG 1
DG172 DOG 2
DG173 DOG 3

DOGS

ELECTRICITY
Items should be made in accordance with the National Electrical Code. Consult power suppliers or electricians for code requirements. Battery-operated items are also eligible items. Batteries should be disconnected or have a piece of black electrician tape placed on the ends.
EL831 ELECTRICITY 1
EL832 ELECTRICITY 2
EL833 ELECTRICITY 3
EL834 ELECTRICITY 4

ENERGY

ENTOMOLOGY
Boxes must be no larger than 18" long x 24" wide x 3 1/2" deep to fit into the display racks. The insects should be named, labeled and mounted so the boxes can be displayed horizontally. Securely fasten display cover with tape or screws. If a member’s entomology collection is displayed in more than one box, the member may send only one box for display.
EN921 ENTOMOLOGY 1
EN922 ENTOMOLOGY 2
EN923 ENTOMOLOGY 3

ENTREPRENEURSHIP
EP442 ENTREPRENEURSHIP 1
EP443 ENTREPRENEURSHIP 2
EP444 ENTREPRENEURSHIP 3

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE
EE914 EXPLORING ENVIRONMENT (ECOSYSTEM SERVICES)
EE915 EXPLORING ENVIRONMENT (EARTH’S CAPACITY)

EXPLORING 4-H
EX261 EXPLORING THE TREASURES OF 4-H

FILMMAKING
FM270 FILMMAKING 

FINANCIAL CHAMPIONS
FC421 FINANCIAL CHAMPIONS 1
FC422 FINANCIAL CHAMPIONS 2

FOODS/NUTRITION/PRESERVATION
1. Food must be of reasonable quality to keep more than a week. Do not send food items which will spoil quickly such as casseroles, pizza, cream or fruit pies, items made with cream cheese, etc.
2. Submit food items on paper or disposable plates. Plastic wrap will be removed so drying of the food will extend display life of the product, and food items will be removed from plates and displayed as part of a bakery display. Individual tags will be displayed separately. Please do not send expensive or keepsake containers!
3. No samples or recipes are needed with any food items.
4. Perishable food items do not need a second identification label. All tags will be displayed separately.
5. Biscuits, cookies, muffins and other small items should be four per plate.
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GARDENING (fruits & vegetables) - see HORTICULTURE

GEOLoGY

Boxes must be no larger than 18" long x 24" wide x 3 ½ “ deep to fit into the display racks. The rocks should be named, labeled and mounted so the boxes can be displayed horizontally. Securely fasten display cover with tape or screws. If a member’s geology collection is displayed in more than one box, the member may send only one box for display.

GG941 GEOLOGY: any item made

GOATS

GA125 MEAT GOATS 1
GA126 MEAT GOATS 2
GA127 MEAT GOATS 3
GA136 DAIRY GOATS 1
GA137 DAIRY GOATS 2
GA138 DAIRY GOATS 3

HOME ENVIRONMENT

HE471 HOME ENVIRONMENT 1
HE472 HOME ENVIRONMENT 2
HE473 HOME ENVIRONMENT 3
HE474 HOME ENVIRONMENT 4
HE475 HOME ENVIRONMENT 5
HE476 HOME ENVIRONMENT 6
HE477 HOME ENVIRONMENT 7
HE478 DESIGN A SPACE OF MY OWN

HORSE

HS140 HORSELESS HORSE & HORSE KNOWLEDGE
HS141 HORSE RIDING

HORTICULTURE

FLOWERS - Live plants or cut specimens must be displayed in a container no larger than 8" in diameter. May be fresh or dried.

HO961 FLORICULTURE 1: any item grown or made
HO962 FLORICULTURE 2: any item grown or made
HO963 FLORICULTURE 3: any item grown or made
HO964 FLORICULTURE 4: any item grown or made

GARDENING (fruits & vegetables) The number in parentheses is the number of items displayed. The 4-H’er must have grown the vegetables. Vegetables in edible condition after the Fair will be donated to a charitable organization. The following guidelines should be followed:

1. Vegetables must be of reasonable quality to keep more than a week.
2. Use disposable containers to transport the items.
3. Vegetables will be displayed as a large farmer's market display. Tags will be displayed separately.

- Beets (4)
- Cantaloupe (1)
- Cucumbers (slicing) (4)
- Egg Plant (2)
- Onions - dry (4)
- Peppers (4)
- Potatoes (4)
- Pumpkin (1)
- Summer Squash (2)
- Tomatoes (4)
- Watermelon (1)
- Winter Squash (1)

Other Vegetables (1 for larger and 4 for smaller produce)

HO971 GARDENING 1: any item grown or made

HO972 GARDENING 2: any item grown or made
HO973 GARDENING 3: any item grown or made
HO974 GARDENING 4: any item grown or made

KNITTING

KN331 KNITTING 1
KN332 KNITTING 2

LANDSCAPE DESIGN

LD975 LANDSCAPE DESIGN 1
LD976 LANDSCAPE DESIGN 2
LD977 LANDSCAPE DESIGN 3

LEADERSHIP

LD271 STEP UP TO LEADERSHIP 1
LD272 STEP UP TO LEADERSHIP 2
LD273 STEP UP TO LEADERSHIP 3

LIVESTOCK JUDGING

LJ117 LIVESTOCK JUDGING

MEATS

Only those hams and bacons selected at county fair as State Fair 4-H exhibits should be checked in at the 4-H Building. Hams and bacons will be dually enrolled in the Youth Class of the Country Ham and Bacon Show and may become eligible for sale if selected as Champion. The 4-H member is required to complete all open division entry forms available in the Premium Guide at www.mostatefair.com, which should accompany the project at check-in and pay the $1.00 entry fee and $2.00 processing fee which is required in the Agriculture Building. Checks must be made payable to “Missouri State Fair”. Only 4-H hams and bacons should be checked in and out of the 4-H Building. Hams checked in through the 4-H Building will be displayed in the 4-H Building. Exception - Grand or Reserve Champion Hams. Per open division rules, ham weights accepted are a minimum of 12 pounds and maximum of 30 pounds. 4-H bacon will be displayed in the Agriculture Building.

ME114 COUNTRY CURED BACON
ME115 COUNTRY CURED HAM
ME116 MEAT EVALUATION PROJECT

OUTDOOR ADVENTURES

OA761 OUTDOOR 1 (HIKING)
OA762 OUTDOOR 2 (CAMPING)
OA763 OUTDOOR 3 (BACKPACKING EXPEDITIONS)
OA764 OUTDOOR 4 (CONSERVATION)

PETS

PE101 PETS 1
PE102 PETS 2
PE103 PETS 3
PE104 GUINEA PIGS (Cavies)

PHOTOGRAPHy

REQUIREMENTS:
1. Photos must be mounted on an 8” x 10” solid mat board.
2. The mat board can be in a color of the photographer’s choice.
3. Photographs must be 8” x 10” or smaller, with no more than four photos per mat board.

PLEASE NOTE:
**“Solid” requires that there are no cutouts or other holes in the mat board, either around or behind the photo. Mount photos on the smoothest side of the mat board.

**“Mat board” is a specific material, intended to keep the photo from getting bent or destroyed. It is not cardboard, foam core, poster board, etc. If local sources are not available, 8” x 10” mat board and exhibit bags may be ordered from University of Missouri Extension Publications at http://extension.missouri.edu/shop/.

SELECT 4-H MEMBERS, PROJECT LITERATURE, THEN PHOTOGRAPHY. See item #Y3500 8x10 matte board.

DIGITAL CONSIDERATIONS AT THE STATE FAIR 4-H BUILDING

Techniques that can be performed in-camera, in a photo editing software program, or in a film darkroom are permissible. At State Fair, the line is drawn between "enhancing" and "altering" a photo:

1) Altering (editing to change the contents of a photo) is not permitted for State Fair exhibits.
   a. Examples include adding a sunset or object, removing someone from the shot, airbrushing to cover a bad complexion, etc.
2) Enhancing (editing to enhance the existing qualities of a photo) is permitted. Examples include cropping, dodging, burning, brightness/contrast adjustments and red eye reduction.

SENDING STATE 4-H PHOTO EXHIBITS TO STATE FAIR

*Photo exhibits should arrive in a bag that fits the photo, to protect it from dust, humidity, and handling. The bag should not be oversized and folded, as this makes it difficult to display on the rack. Photo bags may be ordered in bulk, from Missouri Extension Publications at http://extension.missouri.edu/explore/shop/.

Select 4-H members, project literature, then photography. See item #Y3501 8x10 display sleeve.
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**DEMONSTRATIONS**

General and working demonstrations are not judged at the State Fair.

1. Demonstrations must have earned a blue ribbon at a county achievement event and have been selected for the State Fair.
2. 4-H Staff must approve general and working demonstration in 4HOnline by August 1st.
3. A member is limited to ONE DEMONSTRATION in the 4-H Building.
4. Team Demonstrations may consist of no more than three (3) members. An exception is made for skits presented in Theatre Arts project. Theatre Arts may consist of no more than seven (7) members. Please refer to specialty contests which may have stricter rules.
5. Demonstrations involving firearms, live animals, open flames or other unusual circumstances must call Patty at 573-882-1441 in the State 4-H Office for pre-approval.
6. Each 4-H member eligible to demonstrate will need to select date preference in 4HOnline. The demonstration schedule is posted on the Missouri 4-H website (http://mo4h.missouri.edu) after August 1.
7. Demonstrators must provide their own ingredients, equipment, extension cords and props. A three-prong electric outlet, demonstration table and easel will be provided by the State Fair 4-H Building staff.
8. The Missouri Sheep Producers will provide special monetary recognition for demonstrators presenting a general or working demonstration about lambs, wool or sheep. The title of the demonstration must include the word sheep to qualify. May be enrolled in any project.

**SPECIALTY CONTESTS**

**Missouri Grown Foods Contest**

- **4-H Poultry**: PO151 POULTRY 1, PO152 POULTRY 2, PO153 POULTRY 3
- **4-H Public Speaking**: PS242 PUBLIC SPEAKING
- **4-H Quilting**: QU341 QUILTING
- **4-H Rabbits**: RB111 RABBITS 1, RB112 RABBITS 2, RB113 RABBITS 3
- **4-H Robotics**: RO881 GIVE ROBOTS A HAND, RO882 ROBOTS ON THE MOVE, RO883 MECHATRONICS, RO884 ROBOTICS 1 - with EV3, RO885 ROBOTICS 2 - EV3N More, RO886 ADDITIONAL ROBOTICS PLATFORMS
- **4-H Self-Determined**: SD950 SELF-DETERMINED - Citizenship, SD951 SELF-DETERMINED - Healthy Living, SD952 SELF-DETERMINED - Science
- **4-H Sheep**: SH161 SHEEP
- **4-H Shooting Sports**: No live ammunition and arrow points should be removed.
- **4-H Small Engines**: SE851 SMALL ENGINES 1, SE852 SMALL ENGINES 2, SE853 SMALL ENGINES 3
- **4-H Soil and Water Science**: SW916 SOIL AND WATER SCIENCE 1, SW917 SOIL AND WATER SCIENCE 2, SW918 SOIL AND WATER SCIENCE 3
- **4-H Sport Fishing**: SF725 SPORT FISHING 1, SF726 SPORT FISHING 2, SF727 SPORT FISHING 3
- **4-H Swine**: SW181 SWINE
- **4-H Theatre Arts**: TA251 THEATRE ARTS 1, TA252 THEATRE ARTS 2, TA253 THEATRE ARTS 3
- **4-H Tractor**: AT820 TRACTOR 1, AT821 TRACTOR 2, AT822 TRACTOR 3, AT823 TRACTOR 4
- **4-H Veterinary Science**: VS191 VETERINARY SCIENCE 1, VS192 VETERINARY SCIENCE 2, VS193 VETERINARY SCIENCE 3
- **4-H Weather and Climate Science**: WC934 WEATHER AND CLIMATE SCIENCE 1, WC935 WEATHER AND CLIMATE SCIENCE 2, WC936 WEATHER AND CLIMATE SCIENCE 3
- **4-H Welding**: WE846 WELDING
- **4-H Wildlife**: WT720 WILDLIFE CONSERVATION 1, WT721 WILDLIFE CONSERVATION 2, WT722 WILDLIFE CONSERVATION 3
- **4-H Woodworking**: WO871 WOODWORKING 1, WO872 WOODWORKING 2, WO873 WOODWORKING 3, WO874 WOODWORKING 4

Due to lack of outdoor exhibit space, large welded items may not be accepted.

Agreement must be read and signed by the 4-H member, parent/guardian, and members of the 4-H Club. No more than seven (7) entries per county total.

Fair 4-H photography exhibit guidelines will be posted at http://4h.missouri.edu/statefair/main. Include name, address and county on the back of each photo. No more than seven (7) entries per county total.
Cooking with Honey Contest

- Sponsor: Missouri State Beekeepers Association
- Date: August 18, 2017
- Number of entries per county: 3 per county (1 from each age division: 8-10, 11-13 and 14 and older)

Judging criteria: The demonstrator must use honey grown or made by a Missouri honey producer or company; provide the honey producer or company’s name; give nutrition information; the health benefits of honey and the benefits of pollinators. The demonstrator must present a finished product for judges’ sampling and a recipe handout for the judges.

Age: Any age 4-H member (8-10, 11-13, 14 and older)
Length of time: 20 minutes, including prep, demo and clean up

Project enrollment: Any project
Sample required: A sample of the food and a copy of the recipe should be given to judges.

Other: 1st-3rd place will receive Missouri State Bee Keepers products. Awards will be presented in the Electric Theater 30 minutes after the last demonstration. The Missouri Beekeeper’s website http://mostatebeekpers.org includes a list of regional beekeeper associations.

International Topic Demonstrations

- Sponsor: Missouri 4-H Global Education Program - Saturday, August 12
- Number of entries per county: Three (3) demonstrations, with one from ages 8-10 and one from ages 11-13 and one from ages 14 and 15

Judging Criteria: The best demonstration will include a lot of information about the place where the item originates and the people who use the item.

Age: Any age 4-H member (see age brackets above)
Length of time: 7-10 minutes

Project enrollment: May be enrolled in any 4-H project.
Sample required: If the item made is a food item, a copy of the recipe, nutrition information and a sample of the food should be given to judges.

Team: Team demonstrations are allowed.

Other: Members must earn a blue ribbon at the county level on any demonstration that relates to an international topic. Demonstrations can be about an item that is made in another country, used in another country, or originates from another country. Winners from previous years may compete again.

Pork Contest

- Sponsor: Missouri Pork Association - Thursday, August 10
- Number of entries per county: Six (6) demonstrations per county, with two from age 8-10, two from age 11-13, and two from age 14 or older

Three places are awarded in each age category.

Judging Criteria: Demonstration may be on any facet of pork, including food, nutrition, production practices, or by-products. Demonstration topics should be challenging and exhibit contestant’s knowledge as well as presentation skills.

Age: Any age 4-H member (8-10, 11-13, 14 and older)
Length of time: 20 minutes, including preparation, demonstration and clean up.

Project enrollment: Members must be enrolled in Foods/Nutrition or Swine projects.
Sample required: A sample of the food and a copy of the recipe should be given to judges.

Team: Teams of two are allowed only in the 8-10 year division.
Other: Animals may not be used. First-place winners may not enter in the same age category two years in a row. Three places are awarded in each age category.

OTHER SPECIAL EVENTS

August 10-14, 2017
Show-Me 4-H Wares

Saturday, August 12, 2017
International Day

Sunday, August 13, 2017
Clover Kid Day

Monday, August 14, 2017
State 4-HFFA Dog Show

Thursday, August 17, 2017
Missouri After School Network

August 17 and 19, 2017
Show-Me 4-H Wares

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