



BREMER COUNTY FAIR



7 Days of Fun

July 31 to August 6, 2011



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And each family gets a printed copy

2012 the Fair Book will only be available online or you can buy a printed copy.

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Fair General Information - Contacts & Numbers

Bremer County Extension Office at (319) 882-4275, 720 7th Avenue SW Tripoli, IA 50676

For information regarding the rental of the 4-H building and schedule information, contact: Nylene Geerts at (319) 984-5082

For information regarding cold storage in the Dairy Barn during the winter, contact: Roy Peterson at (319) 352-6021.

We store campers, boats, cars and personal water craft. Alcoholic beverages are not allowed on the fairgrounds except in the entertainment pavilion .

Entry Fees

Entry fee is \$2.00 per entry

Premiums paid will be: Blue \$3.00; Red \$2.00; White \$0.50

See specific Departments for more information. Bottle/ Bucket has no entry fee and no premium paid.

Clover Kids do not pay entry fee or receive premium

Communications - No Entry Fee - No Premiums

Fair Board Officers and Directors

President -- Kevin Rasing, Fredericksburg
Vice-President -- Scott Buss, Denver
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Treasurer -- Danny Buls, Sumner

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Bremer County Extension Staff

Bremer Extension Education Coordinator -- Ron Lenth
Youth & Families Coordinator -- Sarah Hoeft
Office Manager -- Tammy Curley
ISU Extension Youth Field Specialist -- Connie Cunningham

Bremer County 4-H and Youth Committee

Chris Pries, Waverly
Donna Zell, Sumner
Wendy Bienemann, Clarksville;
Katie & Dave Schwartz, Waverly;
Diane Cornick, Waverly
Valerie Gaede, Sumner
Brittany Lentz, Plainfield

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Sumner/Fredericksburg -- Megan Crilly
Wapsie Valley Community School -- Ellen Doese
Waverly-Shell Rock Community School -- Dave Carlson
Nashua-Plainfield Community School -- Ron Zelle
Tripoli/Denver Community School -- Jennifer Dillon

Fair Veterinarian

Readlyn Veterinarian Associates

Bremer County 4-H Leaders

Biz-E-Bees -- Nancy Foelske, Amy Bergmann
B-Square -- Betty Arns, Lindsay Zelle
Bremer Ranchers -- Heidi & Galan Kramer
Cedar Chums -- Lori Sharp, Barb Peters, Jen Woodman
Dayton Dodgers -- Marie Fober, Amy Brandt, Shari Davis,
Do-R-Best -- Kay Pagel, Kathy Hennings
Douglas Rockets -- Loren Liddle, Justine Liddle
Jefferson Superiors -- Austin Swanson
Polk Hustlers -- Karin Thacker, Bev Bahlmann,
Wendy Beinemann
Rainbow Clovers -- Glenda Kleitsch, Brenda Hagenow
Shooting Sports -- Galan Kramer, R .J . Hennings,
Chip Flory
Sumner Goal Getters -- Stacy Nuss, Elaine Davis
Sumner Ranchers -- Donna Zell, Al Wheling
Super Stars -- Rheannon Carlson
Townline -- Randy Bergmann, Dawn Bergmann
Tri-Rivers Trendsetters -- Janeen Stewart, Leslie Potter
Clover Explorers -- Christy Snyder, Leann Foelske
Lucky Clovers--Bev Bahlmann, Sue Knapp

Open Show Superintendents

Dairy Show -- Terry & Kelly Eick, 319-275-4719
Beef Show -- Todd Neil, 319-635-2456
Fine Arts --Renee Neil, 319-276-4740
Commercial Exhibits -- Chris Dix, 319-415-7767
Tickets and Gate Receipts -- Danny Buls

4-H and FFA Superintendents

Ag and Natural Resources -- Bill Formwalt
Beef -- Eric Lohmann & Julie Buss
Bottle/Bucket Calf -- Neil Jaschen
Clothing/Child Development -- Trista Calonder
Clover Kids -- Randy Bergmann
Dairy -- Mark Gitch
Dairy Goat -- Rebecca Shaw-Bond
& Lindsey Baskett
Dog -- Lisa Nelson
Field Crops -- Chris Pries
Food and Nutrition -- Kathy Hennings
Home Improvement -- Katie Schwartz

Horse -- Noel Nass
Horticulture -- Gayle Rector
Pets -- Rebecca Shaw-Bond
Personal Development/Issues -- Kathleen Petersen
Photography -- Patsy Buls
Poultry -- Dave Foelske
Rabbit -- Randy Bergmann
Science/Mechanics/Engineering -- Bill Formwalt
Sheep -- Tim Woodman
State Fair -- Dawn Bergmann
Swine -- Galan Kramer
Visual Arts -- Patsy Buls

2011 Bremer County Fair Schedule
Order of Events
All animals to be checked by the official fair veterinarian

Tuesday, June 14

4:00 PM – Communications Day, Tripoli High School

Date to be Determined in July

Field Crop Judging

Thursday, July 19

8:30 AM – Fashion Revue/Clothing Selection Judging - Droste Hall

7:30 PM – Clothing Event Style Show – 4-H Building

Sunday, July 24

Queen Program sponsored by Bremer County Bankers Association

TBA – Queen Interviews- Zion Lutheran Church – Readlyn

5:30 PM – Queen Banquet Social – Readlyn Center Inn

6:00 PM – Queen Banquet Meal – Readlyn Center Inn

7:00 PM – Candidates ready themselves for the “Coronation Ceremony”

7:30 PM – Coronation of the 2010 Fair Queen – Readlyn Center Inn

Friday, July 29

1:00 – 6:00 PM – Fair Grounds Setup

Saturday, July 30

9:00 AM – 5:00 PM – Fair Grounds Setup

Sunday, July 31

Chad Heim Excavating & Buss' Beef Barn Day

10:30 AM – Farm Tractor and Truck Pull – Track

12:00 – 6:00 PM – Commercial Exhibits Setup – Droste Hall

1:00 – 5:30 PM – 4-H & FFA Non Livestock Judging - 4-H Building (Food and Nutrition, Clothing, Home Improvement, Child Development, Consumer and Management, Clover Kids, Personal Development, Mechanical and Engineering, Ag and Natural Resources, Issues, Photography, Visual Art, 4-H Poster, 4-H Historical/Family Heritage)

4:00 – 10:00 PM – Enter Open Dairy

6:00 PM – 4-H Exhibit Building Closes

Monday, August 1

Liddle - Ebert Drainage & Toby's Dirt Work Day

8:00 - 9:00 AM - Enter Open Dairy

8:00 - 10:00 AM - Breakfast Served in Snak Shak

8:00 AM - 4-H Exhibit Building Opens

8:00 AM – 4-H & FFA Horse Show – Track

10:30 AM – Open Dairy Show – Show Arena

1:00 – 3:00 PM – youth bean bag tournament – entertainment Pavilion

3:00 PM – Commercial Exhibits Open – Droste Hall

3:00 - 6:00 PM - Enter Fine Arts - East Door of 4-H Building

4:00 - 6:00 PM - Enter and Weigh-in 4-H & FFA Swine

4:30 – 7:30 PM – Graduating Summer & Beyond the Silence – Entertainment Pavilion

5:00 – 7:00 PM – chicken barbecue – Pork Promoter's stand

6:00 - 9:00 PM - Fine Arts Judging - 4-H Building

7:00 PM – circle c rodeo – track

8:00 PM – Commercial Exhibits Close – Droste Hall

8:00 PM - 4-H Exhibit Building Closes

9:30 PM - Street Dance – Wichita – Entertainment Pavilion

Tuesday, August 2

Day sponsored by Bremer County Farm Bureau - Kids day

6:00 - 10:00 AM - Enter 4-H & FFA Beef, Bottle/ Bucket Calf, Dairy, Poultry, Rabbit (No lactating animals)

6:00 – 10:00 AM - Weigh-In Market Beef

8:00 - 10:00 AM – Breakfast Served in Snak Shak

8:00 AM - 4-H Exhibit Building Opens

9:00 AM - Bubblemania Day Camp - County Council

10:00 AM - 4-H & FFA Swine Show - Show Arena

12:00 – 4:00 PM - 4-H & FFA Horticulture Judging – 4-H Building

2:00 - 5:00 PM - Weigh In Open Beef

3:00 PM - Commercial Exhibits Open – Droste Hall

3:00 PM – Eric Extraordinaire Magic Show – Fair Board building shelter

4:00 – 6:00 PM – Bugs at Fair with Bob Hauer – 4-H Building

6:00 PM – Kiddie Tractor Pull – 7th street north of 4-H building

6:00 - 8:00 PM – 4-H Carnival

6:00 - 10:00 PM - Carnival Wristband Special

6:30 PM – Open Heifer and Steer Show and Feeder Calf Classic – Grandstand

7:30 – 9:30 PM – Square Dancing – Fair Board Building Shelter

8:00 PM – Y99.3 Karaoke contest – Entertainment Pavilion

8:00 PM – Free Watermelon sponsored by Bremer County Farm Bureau

8:00 PM – 4-H Exhibit Building Closes

8:15 - 10:15 PM - 4-H Splish-Splash Bash, Waverly Pool

9:00 PM – Commercial Exhibits Close – Droste Hall

Wednesday, August 3

Ulrich Sales/Midwest Buildings Day/Monsanto Brands Day Dekalb - Asgrow - Round Up Weather Max - Harness Extra

7:00 – 9:00 AM – Enter and Weigh-In 4-H & FFA Goats and Sheep

7:00 – 9:30 AM – Bremer County Corn and Soybean Association Exhibitor Breakfast – Cattlemen's Stand

8:00 AM - 4-H Exhibit Building Opens

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM - Enter 4-H & FFA Crops – Crops Tent

9:30 AM – 4-H & FFA Poultry Show – Poultry Tent

11:00 AM – 4-H & FFA Beef Carcass Scanning

1:00 PM – 4-H & FFA Crop Show – Crop Tent

2:00 PM - 4-H & FFA Pet Show – Fair Board Building Shelter

3:00 PM - Commercial Exhibits Open – Droste Hall

5:00 - 6:30 Pm - Sheltered Reality - Teen Drum Line - Fair Board Building Shelter

4:30 Pm – 1,000 Grilled Hamburgers Give-Away – sponsored by Bremer County Cattlemen

4:30 – 7:30 PM – Standard Grove – Entertainment Pavilion

5:00 - 9:00 PM - Chrome Cruisers Car Club Show and Shine

7:00 PM – Combine Demolition Derby - Track

8:00 PM – Commercial Exhibits Close – Droste Hall

8:00 PM – 4-H Exhibit Building Closes

9:30 PM - Street Dance – Crackin' Wise – Entertainment Pavilion

Thursday, August 4

John Deere - Waverly Implement Day

8:00 - 10:00 AM – Breakfast Served in Snak Shak
8:00 AM - 4-H Exhibit Building Opens
8:30 AM – 4-H & FFA Beef Show – Show Arena
12:00 PM - Pella Wildlife Company in log cabin “Aroma Therapy - Iowa’s Stinky Wildlife” - shows at noon, 2:00 PM, 4:00 PM, and 6:00 PM
2:00 PM – 4-H & FFA Rabbit Show – Rabbit Tent
3:00 PM - Commercial Exhibits Open – Droste Hall
3:00 PM - 4-H Shooting Demonstration - Archery - Track Area
3:00 - 3:45 PM - Working Exhibits/Make & Take - 4-H Building
4:00 PM – Share the Fun – 4-H Building
4:30 PM - Educational Presentations – 4-H Building
4:30 - 7:30 PM – Cedar Valley Bluegrass – Entertainment Pavilion
5:00 PM - Boneless Pork Chop Dinner by Bremer Co. Pork Producers
5:00 - 7:00 PM - Master Gardeners Club, Demonstration – 4-H Building
5:00 PM – Eric Extraordinaire Magic Show – Fair Board Building Shelter
5:00 – 9:00 PM – Balloon Man
6:00 PM – Dean of Juggling – Dean Franzen – Fair Board Building Shelter
7:00 PM – Grand Champion Market Beef selection - track
7:30 PM – Rabbit, Chicken, Calf, Pig Scrambles & Pie Auction - track
8:00 PM – Commercial Exhibits Close – Droste Hall
8:00 PM - 4-H Exhibit Building Closes
9:00 PM - Street Dance – Cori Jo and Outlaw Junkies – Entertainment Pavilion

Friday, August 5

97.7 KCRR Day

8:00 - 10:00 AM – Breakfast Served in Snak Shak
8:00 AM - 4-H Exhibit Building Opens
9:00 AM – 4-H & FFA Dairy Goat Show – Show Arena
9:00 AM – Bremer County Youth Cook-Off Contest – Entertainment Pavilion
9:00 am – Bremer County Communication Day – 4-H building
10:00 AM – Bottle/Bucket Calf Judging – Show Arena
10:00 AM - Youth Committee Meeting - Fair Board Office
10:30 AM – 4-H & FFA Dairy Show – Show Arena
12:00 PM – Pella Wildlife company in log cabin “Family of Foxes” - shows at noon, 2:00 PM, 4:00 PM, and 6:00 PM
3:00 PM - Commercial Exhibits Open – Droste Hall
3:00 - 7:00 PM - “Caricatures by Kira” Artist, Kira Layli
4:30 – 7:30 PM - Beaver Creek Band – Entertainment Pavilion
5:00 – 9:00 PM – Carnival 2 for 1 Buddy Night
6:30 PM - gates open for .38 special concert
7:30 PM - .38 Special with special guest Seven Bridges Road (Eagles Tribute Band)
8:00 PM - 4-H Exhibit Building Closes
9:00 PM – Commercial Exhibits Close – Droste Hall
10:30 PM – Street Dance – Bar Flyz – Entertainment Pavilion

Saturday, August 6

Harrison Truck Centers Day

8:00 AM - 4-H Exhibit Building Opens
8:00 AM - 4-H and FFA Meat Goat Show – Show Arena
8:30 AM - 4-H & FFA Sheep Show - Show Arena
9:00 AM – 4-H & FFA Dog Show – Grandstand
9:00 AM – 5K Run/Walk (Cedar Valley Friends of the Family Benefit)
10:00 AM - Skateboarding Demonstration - Skate Park by Kids Kingdom
10:00 - 11:00 AM - Enter Bean Bag Tournament 32 (2 person) teams – Entertainment Pavilion
10:00 AM – Cute Baby Contest - Fair Board Building Shelter
10:00 AM - Commercial Exhibits Open – Droste Hall
10:00 AM – Entertainment Pavilion Opens
11:00 AM – Sheep Scramble (immediately following sheep show) – Show Arena
11:00 AM – 1:00 PM – Lamb Burgers – Snak Shak
11:00 AM – Horseshoe Pitching Tournament – Entertainment Pavilion
11:30 AM – Bean Bag Tournament – Entertainment Pavilion
12:00 PM – Pella Wildlife company in log cabin “unbroken - Survival, Instinct, Spirit of the Wolf” - shows at noon, 2:00 PM, 4:00 PM, and 6:00 PM
1:00 PM – Arm Wrestling Tournament – Entertainment Pavilion
1:00 PM – Bovine Obstacle Course - Show Arena
1:00 PM – Cow Chip Bingo – southeast of Snak Shak – Squares on Sale Friday & Saturday
2:00 PM – Enter Chili Cook-Off Contest - Watch the website for details
3:00 PM – 4-H and FFA Parade of Champions – Show Arena
3:00 - 4:00 PM – Chili Cook-off taste and vote – Entertainment Pavilion
3:00 – 4:00 PM – Release 4-H & FFA Horses
4:30 PM – Chili Cook-Off Judging and Awards – Entertainment Pavilion
4:30 PM – Steak Barbecue - Sponsored by the Bremer County Cattlemen
5:00 – 9:00 PM – Balloon Man
6:00 - 10:00 PM - Carnival Wristband Special
6:30 PM – NTPA Sanctioned Truck and Tractor Pull - no coolers allowed
7:00 PM – Commercial Exhibits Close – Droste Hall
7:00 PM – Release Commercial Exhibits – must be out by Sunday at 1:00 PM
7:00 PM – 4-H Exhibit Building Closes
10:00 PM – Street Dance – Chocolate Crackers – Entertainment Pavilion

Sunday, August 7

7:00 – 9:00 AM – Release of all Livestock
7:00 – 9:00 AM – Release of all 4-H Building Exhibits
7:00 - 9:00 AM – Release of all Fine Arts Exhibits
Early removal of exhibits will result in forfeit of all premiums, trophies and ribbons!
9:00 AM – 7:00 PM – Fair grounds clean up

Monday, August 8

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM - Fair Grounds clean up (volunteers, fair board only)

Iowa Youth Code of Ethics

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

Youth agree to follow these guidelines:

- 1 . I will do my own work, appropriate for my age and physical and mental development . This includes research and writing of exhibit explanations, preparing exhibits (such as sewing, cooking, refinishing, etc .), care and grooming of animals, etc . Adult assistance should help guide and support me, not do it for me .
- 2 . All exhibits will be a true representation of my work . Any attempt to take credit for other's work, alter the conformation of animals, or alter their performance is prohibited . Copyright violation or allowing others to complete your exhibit is considered misrepresentation and is prohibited .
- 3 . I will treat all people and animals with respect . I will provide appropriate care for animals .
- 4 . I will present exhibits that are safe for consumption . All food exhibits will be safe to exhibit and for judges to evaluate . Other exhibits will be safe for judges to evaluate and for exhibition .
- 5 . All food animals that may be harvested immediately following the show shall be safe for consumers, and shall have met all withdrawal times for all medications, and be free of violative drug residue .
- 6 . If any animal requires medical treatment while at the fair or exhibition, only a licensed veterinarian may administer the treatment . All medications that are administered shall be done according to the label instructions of the medication used .
- 7 . My animal's appearance or performance shall not be altered by any means, including medications, external applications and surgical procedures . Any animal that is found to have changed its appearance or its performance shall be disqualified from the show, and have penalties assessed against the exhibitor, parent and/or guardian, by the management of the fair or exhibition .
- 8 . I will follow all ownership and possession rules and, if requested, will provide the necessary documentation .
- 9 . I will follow all livestock health requirements for this fair or exhibition, according to the state health requirements as printed in the premium book of the fair exhibition, I will provide animal health certificates from a licensed veterinarian upon request from the management of the fair or exhibition .
- 10 . By my entering an animal in this fair or exhibition, I am giving consent to the management of the fair or exhibition to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood, or other substances from the animal to be used in testing . If the laboratory report on the analysis of any sample indicates a presence of forbidden drugs, this shall be evidence such substance has been administered to the animal either internally or externally . It is presumed that the sample tested by the laboratory to which it is sent is the one taken from the animal in question, its integrity is preserved and all procedures of said collection and preservation, transfer to the laboratory and analysis of the sample are correct and accurate and the report received from the laboratory pertains to the sample taken from the animal in question and correctly reflects the condition of the animal at the time the sample was taken, with the burden on the exhibitor, parent and/or guardian to prove otherwise .
- 11 . I am responsible for my exhibit and I will not allow others to violate this code on my behalf . By my entering an exhibit in this fair or exhibition I will accept any disciplinary action taken by the management of this fair or exhibition for any violation of this code of ethics and any other rules of competition of the fair or exhibition without recourse against the fair or exhibition .
- 12 . I want my exhibit to be an example of how to accept what life has to offer, both good and not so good, and how to live with and learn from the outcome .
- 13 . I will not be involved in any illegal activities while participating in 4-H and FFA events, including but not limited to alcohol, tobacco or drug use . I agree to conduct myself in an honest, ethical, and upstanding manner and I understand that disciplinary actions will result if these rules are violated . I understand that I am expected to represent the program in a positive manner . I have read, understand and agree to follow this code of ethics, and any other rules of competition of the fair or exhibition as printed in its fair book .
- 14 . Ownership – All animals and birds must be owned by the 4-H'er, or in partnership with a family member, and identified to an individual 4-H'er . When registration papers are involved (e .g ., purebred beef heifer) the papers must be in the 4-H'er's name or show a logical family relationship . In classes where the primary emphasis of evaluation is the skill level of the 4-H'er, ownership of the animal is not required; however, the 4-H'er should take an active role in the care of the animal (e .g ., horse classes, and the dog obedience classes when the 4-H'er is the trainer) . Animals in this category still must be identified on the appropriate form . If a family includes more 4-H'ers than horses, more than one 4-H'er may identify a horse; however, in this situation a 4-H'er cannot identify more than one horse .
- 15 . All exhibitors, (Livestock) parents/guardians must read and sign the Code of Ethics and turn in form with Bremer County Fair entry form by July 1 in order to exhibit at 2011 fairs. Non-Livestock exhibitors must read and sign the Code of Ethics and turn in the form with the Bremer County Fair Entry form due July 31st, Non Livestock Judging day.
- 16 . Failure to abide by the Code of Ethics at the Bremer County Fair will result in a 2-year suspension from showing livestock in Bremer County, AND, the violation will be reported to the IAFE and the Association of Iowa Fairs which will result in exhibitor being prohibited from all livestock shows in the U .S . and Canada .

General Rules

- 1 . Grade for exhibiting at the Bremer County Fair (these are based on the 2010-2011 school year) is:
Junior - 4, 5 & 6th grade
Intermediate - 7 & 8th grade
Senior - 9, 10, 11 & 12th grade
Clover Kids are youth who have been exposed to the 4-H experience in grades K-3 .
- 2 . In order to enter an exhibit an animal or crop project at the Bremer County Fair, a 4-Her/FFA must be enrolled in that general project by May 15, 2011 . All livestock must be identified on a Livestock Identification form by May 15, 2011, at the Extension Office . FFA eligibility for enrollment and other non livestock project identification is determined by the vocational agriculture instructor of the respective chapters . There will be no exceptions .
- 3 . No advance entries will be required for non-livestock projects such as foods, clothing, science and engineering, etc. A computer generated form will be given to each 4-H'er . This form is to be completed and brought with you to judging on Sunday, July, 31 . Entry fees will be paid when you check in . The only exception to the "no advanced entries" is crops, communication, and fashion review/clothing selection . All animal and crop must complete an advanced entry . This Includes beef, dairy, swine, sheep, goats, dogs, pets, poultry, and rabbits, crop . A special entry form will be distributed with fair books . These entries with entry fees are due July 1 in the Bremer County Extension Office .Communication and Fashion Revue entry process will remain as it has in the past .
- 4 . 4-H and FFA entries should be listed on separate entry blanks . Each entry should be listed separately . Do not enter more than one entry per line .
- 5 . There will be a limit of two entries per lot by any exhibitor unless there is an exception stated under Department rules .
- 6 . Conference judging is used for all judging with the exception of dog, sheep, dairy, goat, beef, horse, rabbit, poultry and swine . Exhibitors have the opportunity to talk with the judge regarding their exhibit . Parents are welcome to listen but are asked not to participate in the discussion . **The conference is to be between the youth and the judge only .**
- 7 . 4-H exhibiting eligibility at the 2011 Iowa State Fair will include: 4-Hers who have completed 4th grade through 12th grade (or that equivalent) .
- 8 . 4-H and FFA exhibits must be the result of project work carried out during the current 4-H and FFA year .
- 9 . Stalls, pens, or exhibition space will be assigned to all exhibitors .
- 10 . All entries should be on the grounds when designated and must be in place until the designated release time. Entries removed early forfeit the premiums, ribbons, and trophies. Exhibitors who remove entries before the designated release will not be eligible to show in the next year's fair unless specifically authorized by the Bremer county 4-H/youth committee and the Bremer county fair board.
- 11 . The Fair Board reserves the right to pro-rate premiums .
- 12 . The decisions of the judges will be final in every instance .
- 13 . All exhibits are on public display and are to be kept in a neat and orderly manner at all times . The Fair Board reserves the right to release any exhibit to other fairs or exhibitions provided the exhibitor gives 30 days notice .
- 14 . Any project entered in the Bremer County Fair shall not have been shown in any other 4-H or FFA county show, excluding open shows .
- 15 . The Extension Service is not responsible for lost, stolen or damaged exhibits .
- 16 . Youth exhibitors are expected to complete their own project work, which includes fitting and grooming . If assistance is needed, before fair, it should be aimed at helping the 4-H/FFA member learn new skills and be done by a family member, another Bremer County 4-H/FFA member, or an Iowa 4-H club leader/superintendent/resource leader/FFA instructor .
- 17 . On the fairgrounds during the Bremer county fair, animals must be cared for and groomed by the 4-her, family member, and/or another Bremer county 4-H/FFA member. No outside help will be allowed. this will be enforced. FFA members beyond fair after their graduation year can no longer exhibit at the fair or help fit other 4-H/FFA members animals unless they are an immediate family member.
- 18 . Any artificial means of removing or remedying physical defects of conformation in animals exhibited will be considered as fraud and deception . No unnatural means of providing an animal feed, water or other fluid (i.e. stomach pump, iv) will be allowed. Painting, dyeing and use of color agents on animals is not allowed. Projects which show evidence of this will not be permitted into the show ring . If a color or coloring agent rubs off an animal rubbed with either a towel or hand, that animal will be disqualified . Transparent grooming material may only be used, including on hooves . All animals giving evidence of such treatment will be barred from exhibition at the Bremer County Fair .
- 19 . No drugs or medication of any kind may be administered except by the order of a licensed veterinarian . All animals are subject to drug testing . All animals giving evidence of being medicated without prior approval will be barred from exhibition .
- 20 . The Bremer County Fair Board will not consider a protest, complaint or appeal based upon the statement that judge or judges are incompetent. When a protest is made as to the eligibility of an animal or article to compete in any class, it must be made in writing and filed with the Fair Board President before noon of the day following the one on which the class was shown or in the case of drug testing within 24 hours following receipt of the results, accompanied by a \$100 cash deposit . The deposit will be forfeited if the protest is not sustained . All expenses of proof must be paid by the party filing the pro- test . This money will not be refunded. **TAMPERING AND/OR MISREPRESENTATION** as to breeding, age, owner- ship and any other irregularity in showing will be considered fraud and deception . for more information about the process for filing a protest, see the fair board president. To maintain a high degree of confidence and integrity in the livestock shows, the Bremer County Fair Board reserves the right to disqualify any animal fitted in an unethical manner and the exhibitor and the exhibitors' assistants who fitted the animal involved. Unethical fitting 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 internally or externally in a liquid or solid state . Transparent grooming material only may be used .

The Use of Clenbuterol and other illegal drugs is Prohibited. All exhibitors, their immediate family and any other parties involved in the unethical fitting and showing of an animal will be barred from exhibiting or showing at the Bremer County Fair according to the Code of Ethics .

Livestock and Agriculture Department General Livestock Rules

- 1 . All exhibits must meet state health requirements as stated elsewhere in this booklet . A veterinarian will check animals at the fair .
- 2 . Animals that have become injured or sick on the Fair Grounds during the fair must have the Superintendent of that department and Fair Manager permission to be removed from Fair Grounds . The Superintendent and Fair Manager may require a veterinary inspection.
- 3 . Each youth must show his/her own exhibits except in the case of sickness or injury, military service, or if more than one entry is made in the same class, when he/she may substitute another 4-H or FFA member, holding membership in a Bremer County 4-H or FFA club, to show his/her animal. The substitute must be approved by the superintendent before the show.
- 4 . While exhibiting animals, exhibitors should appear clean and presentable at all times . The dress should be a clean white or light colored shirt or blouse or 4-H/FFA T-shirt and dark colored jeans or slacks. Sturdy leather shoes or boots are preferred . The exception is: All dairy exhibitors must wear white pants and white shirt. Proper dress is considered to be part of the showmanship judging criteria.
- 5 . Hay may not be stored above alleys or animals. Arrangements should be made to bring additional hay during the fair . Limited tack space will be provided .
- 6 . The superintendent may divide or combine any class he/she feels is too large or small for proper judging. Breeding classes are to be divided by age and market classes by weight .
- 7 . All classes within each division will be judged in numerical order by class number, except when the superintendent deems it necessary to change.
- 8 . See also "General Rules" and specific rules listed under each department.
- 9 . For public safety: all fans must have protective screen and safe wiring; no fans allowed in aisles; NO BUTT FANS, only overhead hanging fans allowed in front half of stalling area; one fan per exhibit.
- 10 . Only livestock projects which have been enrolled by the exhibitor and listed by the exhibitor on a Livestock Identification Report Form (Livestock ID), filed in the Bremer County Extension Office on or before May 15, may be entered .
- 11 . Exhibitors must be prepared to have Livestock ID checked by superintendent at time of check in.
- 12 . On the fairgrounds during the Bremer county fair, animals must be cared for and groomed by the 4-her, immediate family member*, and/or another Bremer county 4-H/FFA member. no outside help will be allowed. This will be enforced. FFA members beyond fair after their graduation year can no longer exhibit at the fair or help fit other 4-H/FFA members animals unless they are an immediate family member.
- 13 . Livestock may not be removed before Sunday, August 7 . This also means no tear down of stalls and signs or the following penalty will be enforced . Early removal will result in forfeiture of premiums, ribbons and trophies . Livestock sent home early because of extenuating circumstances after being shown, will retain premiums, ribbons and trophies .
- 14 . Common bedding material will be used in beef, swine, horse, sheep, goat, and dairy barns in an effort to minimize manure removal expense . Wood product bedding material will be used in the barns and straw is not allowed.
- 15 . All livestock exhibitors must perform barn duty and are responsible for prompt removal of manure from the stalls during and at the end of the fair.
- 16 . Any artificial means of removing or remedying physical defects of conformation in animals exhibited will be considered as fraud and deception. No unnatural means of providing an animal feed, water, or other fluid (e .i . stomach pump, IV) will be allowed. All animals giving evidence of such treatment will be barred from exhibition at the Bremer County Fair . Painting, dyeing and use of color agents on animals is not allowed . Projects which show evidence of this will not be permitted into the show ring. If a color or coloring agent rubs off an animal rubbed with either a towel or hand, that animal will be disqualified. Transparent grooming material may only be used, including on hooves.
- 17 . All decisions of The Fair Board are final.

*Immediate family members include guardian, siblings, parents, grandparents, and/or step parents.

General Rules for Exhibits (Other than Livestock and Horticulture)

1. Exhibit classes are broad categories. To plan exhibits, 4-Hers are encouraged to use project guides and manuals and program materials to determine goals and learning experiences. Some project manuals include specific exhibit suggestions and procedures. An exhibit can represent a part of or all that has been learned in a project or program. The County Extension Office has more information on exhibiting.
2. Eligible exhibits are an outgrowth of 4-Hers participation in the selected project or program. Exhibits can be done by an individual or group. Exhibits might be, but are not limited to, an actual product, poster, display box, report, notebook, model, video tape, audio cassette, etc. (note: If video tape is to be part of exhibit, notify extension office.)
The 4-Hers goal and applicable exhibit standards will form the basis for the evaluation process. Evaluation criteria will include demonstrated learning, quality of work and techniques and general appearance and design.
4. A written explanation, an audio cassette, or video tape is to be included as part of each exhibit. The exhibitor should respond briefly to the following questions about the exhibit:
 - a. What was your exhibit goal(s)?
 - b. How did you go about working towards your goal(s)?
 - c. What were the most important things you learned as you worked towards your goal(s)?Also include in write-up steps used to make exhibit, where purchased, where you got ideas for exhibit from, etc. Judges have a short amount of time to evaluate the total exhibit. The information requested should be well organized and brief.
5. The exhibit is to be an outgrowth of work done to accomplish a goal(s) determined by the member or group during the current 4-H year.
6. Each item in an exhibit must be securely labeled, including the name of the county, club name, class number, and exhibitor's name. Labels should be placed on the back of posters, note books, and/or cards, on the bottom of jars, and in an inconspicuous place on all other items. A completed entry tag should be securely fastened to the main item in each exhibit on or near the upper right corner or in an easily seen location.
7. Due to security, we discourage 4-Hers from sending items that have special meaning and historical value as the exhibit or part of an exhibit. The Bremer County Fair and Bremer County Extension will use diligence to ensure the safety of articles entered for exhibition after their arrival and placement but will not be responsible for damage or loss by fire, theft, etc.
8. Exhibits done in school or partly in school are acceptable. A 4-Her should set a goal(s) that can be accomplished by both a classroom assignment and an outgrowth of a 4-H project goal. The intent is that a pre-determined goal has been set. The 4-Her must realize that the evaluation criteria and exhibit guide lines for each opportunity will be different and should prepare accordingly.
9. If the exhibitor chooses a display to illustrate what was learned, the following maximum size guidelines apply:
 - Posters and banners are not to exceed 22" x 28" or foam core board size of 22" x 30". exception: see rule #3 in 4-H Poster Communications, Department 13.
 - Chart or graph boards, project presentation boards, and model displays, etc., are not to exceed 4' x 4' in size. Maximum size is determined by measuring the flat (unfolded) dimensions.
 - Display boxes are not to exceed 28" x 22" in height or width and 12" in depth. exception: see rule #7 in Food and Nutrition Department.
10. Endangered and threatened plants and animals (includes insects) should NOT be used in any exhibit. Wild flowers taken from parks should NOT be used. It is illegal to possess songbird feathers or nests. Game animals "legally taken", such as pheasant, goose, duck, or quail are acceptable. Purple loosestrife (*Lythrum salicaria*) is a plant that should not be planted in gardens. It has the potential of becoming noxious in Iowa. Other dried established noxious weeds are acceptable to use in exhibits.
11. Duplication of copyright material or design should not be used in a 4-H exhibit that is presented as original artwork by the exhibitor. A copyright design cannot be displayed in a public setting (fair) without the permission being granted from the owner of the copyright. When permission has been granted by the owner of the copyright, the exhibit will be displayed and labeled appropriately. Those without permission cannot be displayed.
12. All exhibits, activities and programs must represent safety procedures in the development of the exhibit and during the evaluation process.

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13. Entries should be brought to the fair for conference judging on Sunday, July 31. Judging will take place from 1 - 5:30 p.m. Clubs are assigned times for judging. Leaders and parents are welcome to observe the conference; however, the conference is between the judge and the exhibitor only.
14. All items will be displayed in the 4-H building in the club booths.
15. Release time for exhibits in the blue building is Sunday, August 7, from 7-9:00 a.m. exhibits may not be removed before hand. Early removal will result in the forfeiture of premiums and ribbons and trophies.
16. For projects exhibited by a group, each member should pay the entry fee and will receive the designated premium.
17. Each youth must show his/her own exhibits except in the case of sickness, injury, or military service. In case of a conflict, notify the Extension Office prior to the fair. Members not present for conference judging can not receive higher ribbon rating than Honorable Mention.
18. There is a limit of five entries per class by each exhibitor.
19. A maximum of one (1) Best of Show rosette ribbon will be awarded in each of the following exhibit categories:
 - Ag & Natural Resources
 - Child Development/Consumer Management
 - Clothing
 - Home Improvement
 - Food & Nutrition
 - Personal Development/Issues
 - Photography
 - Mechanics & Engineering
 - Visual Art

The selection will be made from 4-H/FFA State Fair exhibits. The judges within each of the exhibit categories will collectively determine the winner in their respective areas. The Best of Show ribbon will signify the highest quality. In the event that there is no exhibit in a given category which meets this standard, the judges may decline to grant an award in that category. The judges' decision will be final. Best of Show ribbons are sponsored by Tri-Rivers Trendsetters 4-H Club.
20. All exhibitors selected to advance to State Fair should check with Extension personnel before Friday, August 5, to receive information on preparing the exhibit for State Fair.
21. The Extension Office reserves the right not to provide transportation of State Fair exhibits to the State Fair grounds if dimensions are greater than 16" x 16" x 32" and/or transportation is limited.
22. Exhibits selected for State Fair must be brought to the Extension Office by Monday, August 8, at noon. Food and Nutrition exhibits may be brought to the Extension Office between 8 and 9 a.m. on Tuesday, August 9. Extension staff will be bringing exhibits back to the office on Monday, August 22, and will be available for pick-up after Tuesday, August 23.
23. 4-H exhibiting eligibility at the 2011 Iowa State Fair will include: 4-H'ers who have completed 4th - 12th grade (or that equivalent).

State Fair entries will be chosen from 4-H projects. All FFA entries participating at state fair must be made prior to July 1st through the chapters FFA Advisor. Best of Show will be chosen from both FFA and 4-H entries.

"A Fair 5K" Fun Run/Walk & Kids Fun Run

BREMER COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS (EXHIBIT BUILDING) SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 2011 8:00 AM RACE TIME

Course

The course starts and ends near the blue exhibit building. It runs along the health center, high school and loops into a residential area south of the school before following back to the fairgrounds. One and two miles will be marked.

Water station

Water will be available on the course.

Packet Pick-Up & Late Registration

Saturday, August 6th

7:00 - 7:45

Race will begin promptly at 8:00.

Awards

Medals given to top overall male/female and
1st - 3rd in each age group.

Age Groups

13 & Under

14-19

20-29

30-39

40-49

50-59

60+

Cost:

Pre-registration \$15 before July 1

Performance shirt upgrade +\$5

After July 1st - No Shirt Guarantee

Race Day Registration \$20

Kids Fun Run

Approximately 9:00 AM or after the 5K. Kids run free and receive a finishers medal. If a shirt is desired, the cost is \$10.

Registration Fee is Non-Refundable

2011 Health Requirements for Exhibition of Livestock, Poultry and Birds at a County 4H/FFA Fair

Any evidence of Warts, Ringworm, Foot Rot, Pink Eye, Draining Abscesses or any other contagious or infectious condition Will eliminate the animal from the show. No individual Certificate of Veterinary Inspection will be required on animals or poultry exhibited at County 4-H/FFA Fair, but the animals must be inspected when unloaded or shortly thereafter by an accredited veterinarian. Each show must have an official veterinarian. Quarantined animals or animals from quarantined herds cannot be exhibited.

Swine

Swine exhibitors at county fairs that do not require a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, must sign and present an owner affidavit that the animals being exhibited did not originate from a quarantined herd and to the best of their knowledge, swine dysentery has not been in evidence in their herd for the past 12 months. No testing is required for swine at a fair that involves only market classes, provided all swine are consigned to slaughter from the fair. The site the swine originate from must have a current monitored status in order for the swine to be transported to the fair- grounds (statistical testing completed within the last twelve months or originate from a site in Stage III or higher area). Swine leaving the fair from a market class must be consigned and moved direct to a slaughtering establishment.

Poultry and Birds

All poultry exhibited must come from U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid clean or equivalent flocks, or have had a negative Pullorum-Typhoid test within 90 days of public exhibition and the test must have been performed by an authorized tester. However, "Market Classes" of poultry consigned to a slaughter establishment are exempt from the Salmonella testing requirements. "Market Classes" of poultry must be separated from all other poultry by a distance of ten or more feet and/or an eight-foot high solid partition.

Dogs and Cats

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

Sheep and Goats

All sexually intact sheep must have an individual Scrapie Flock of Origin identification tag. All sexually intact goats must be identified with an individual Scrapie Flock of Origin identification tag or by an official registered tattoo. Call IDALS at 515-281-8601.

THE DECISION OF THE OFFICIAL SHOW VETERINARIAN WILL BE FINAL.

Herdsmanship Contest

Qualified judges will inspect the club exhibits in each club. Species included in the Herdsmanship Contest are: **Beef, Dairy, Horse and Sheep**. This contest will start when a species is entered, and end when they are released. Exhibits will be scored on the following basis:

Condition and cleanliness of all exhibits	25 points
Neatness, cleanliness, courtesy and actions by club members	25 points
Cleanliness of stalls and alleys	25 points
Methods of keeping feed and equipment	25 points
TOTAL	100 points

Certificates will be awarded at the annual 4-H Banquet to the 4-H Club or FFA Chapter with outstanding herdsmanship at the fair. The names will be added to the plaques to be displayed in the Bremer County Extension Office.

Showmanship Contest

1. Beef, dairy, dairy goats, swine, sheep, horse, rabbits and poultry exhibitors will be considered in showmanship contests in their respective divisions.
2. Contestants may exhibit the animal of their choice in the contest, but it must be their own animal and have been shown in regular classes at the 2011 Bremer County Fair.
3. While exhibiting animals, exhibitors should appear clean and presentable at all times. The dress should be a clean white or light colored shirt or blouse or 4-H/FFA T-shirt and dark colored jeans or slacks. Sturdy leather shoes or boots are preferred. **Exception: dairy exhibitors are required to wear white pants and white shirt.**
4. In each project (sheep, beef, etc.) there will be 3 divisions
Junior: 4, 5, 6th Grade Intermediate: 7, 8th Grade Senior: 9, 10, 11, 12th Grade
5. Members must participate in their respective division. Seniors will show first, Intermediates, second and Juniors, last.
6. Prizes will be awarded to winners in each division. Awards will be judged according to the following scorecard:

The Exhibitor --10 points
Appearance - Attitude - Interest	
The Animal --40 points
Condition, Grooming, Clipping, Cleanliness	
Presentation of Animal --50 points
Leading, posing, response to direction of ring master and use of necessary equipment.	
Total100 points

Pie Auction

Thursday, August 4 – during scrambles
Greg Porath, Janesville, Superintendent

The Bremer County Fair will provide each queen candidate with a Bremer County Fair 9" ceramic pie plate. Each contestant will then bake a pie and the plate and pie will be auctioned off during the scrambles on Thursday evening. Other celebrities will be baking pies and they will be auctioned off as well. These celebrities may include the Readlyn Grump, city honorees and a Fair Board and/or Youth Committee member. All proceeds will benefit the Bremer County Fair.

Cute Baby Contest

Saturday, August 6

Registration begins at 9:00 am; Contest begins at 10:00 am.. Age groups: newborn all the way to and including 24 months old. No entry fee. . There are various categories to enter . Ex: prettiest eyes, chubbiest cheeks, etc . The boys and girls are judged together. The overall girl winner and the boy winner will each receive a \$50 Savings Bond. Contact Nancy Foelske at 319-882-3488.

Fine Arts Department

Monday, August 1, 2011
Renee Neil - Superintendent

Entry Monday, August 1st between 3:00-6:00pm

Judging Monday, August 1st from 6:00-9:00pm Closed to the public and exhibitors

Release of Exhibits: Sunday August 7th from 7:00- 9:00am. We will not deliver!

Exhibits should arrive at the east door of the (blue) 4-H building at the fairgrounds between 3:00-6:00pm on Monday, August 1st, 2011. **NO LATER!**

No pre-entry is required.

Classes in this division are open to anyone who wishes to exhibit with one exception: 4-H'ers cannot enter the same exhibit in both 4-H classes and open classes. Example: if a 4-H'er enters a plate of cookies in the 4-H food class, he or she cannot enter a plate of the same in the open class division.

Entries will be accepted from **residents of Bremer County and its school district area.**

There will be a \$1.00 per item entry fee, which goes toward the purchase of prizes and ribbons.

There is not a separate division for children under 13 years of age.

No more than 2 items per category, but can enter in a number of classes.

Exhibits entered in previous years are not eligible for exhibit.

Items must have been made with in the last 5 years.

Exhibit area will be closed during judging!

Class 1 – Open Fine Arts

If the item is larger than 8x10, the exhibitor must include a method to mount or display with a firm back or support.

- Oil Painting
- Acrylic Painting
- Water Color Painting
- Fabric Painting
- Drawings (charcoal, pencil and colored pencil) please limit the size of these items
- Creative Writing
- Scrap booking (must have a page protector, no more than 2 pages per entry)
- Holiday novelties
- Wreaths
- Silk or dried floral arrangements
- Ceramics
- Small creative items (such as beading)
- Other

Class 2 – Open Photography

Entries must be at least 5"x 7" in size and mounted or framed and no larger than an 8x10. No more than 2 per category

Must indicate if picture is 35 mm or digital

- Color
- Black and White
- Digitally Enhanced

Class 3 – Open Woodworking

- Turning
- Carving
- Toys
- Scroll work
- Furniture
- Outdoor
- Other

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Class 4 – Open Textiles

- A. Pillows/Pillowcases
- B. Afghan
- C. Tablecloths/Runners
- D. Embroidery
- E. Counted Cross Stitch Embroidery
- F. Needlework
- G. Needlepoint
- H. Quilts
- I. Quilt Squares/Quilted items
- J. Holiday Sewing
- K. Knitting/Crocheting/Tatting
- L. Weaving
- M. Fabric crafts
- N. Serger sewing
- O. Rugs
- P. Other

Class 5 – Open Clothing - Toddlers, Children, Men's, Women's

Open Horticulture Exhibits

Class 6 - Vegetable Classes

All exhibits must be brought on a sturdy paper plate or cardboard and covered with a plastic bag. **Limit of one exhibit of each kind of vegetable.**

- Apples – 3 specimens
- Melon – 1 specimen
- Asparagus – 10 spears
- Snap Beans – 6 pods
- Beets – 3 specimens
- Broccoli – 3" head
- Cabbage – 1 head
- Carrots – 3 specimens
- Cauliflower – 1 head
- Celery – 1 bunch
- Cucumber – 5 pickling or 3 slicing
- Dill – 2 heads tied together
- Eggplant – 1 specimen
- Fruit – Cherries, raspberries, strawberries - exhibit 1 Cup
- Garlic – 3 specimens
- Herbs – 3 different kinds, 1 sprig of each in a clear bottle
- Kohlrabi – 2 specimens
- Leafy Greens – 1 plant in clear bottle
- Leeks – 2 specimens
- Lettuce – 1 plant
- Dried Onions – 3 specimens
- Green Onions–3 tied together
- Okra – 3
- Parsley–5 sprigs/clear bottle
- Parsnips – 3
- Peas – 6 pods
- Peppers – 2 specimens
- Potatoes – 3
- Pumpkin – 1 or 3 mini
- Rhubarb – 3 stalks, ends cut
- Spinach – 1 plant
- Squash – 1 plant
- Squash – 2 summer
- Squash – 1 winter
- Sweet corn – 2 ears
- Tomatoes– 3 or 10 cherries
- Turnips – 3 specimens
- Watermelon – 1

Class 7 - Vegetable basket display

It must include 5 or more vegetables attractively displayed in a basket not larger than one-half bushel size.

Class 8 – Fresh Flowers and Flower Arrangements

Garden flower specimen – Use a glass vase, no plastic.

- A. Spike
- B. Stem
- C. Spray
- D. Kitchen Sunshine - Any kind of fresh flowers in a kitchen container.
- E. House plants
- F. Patio Plants
- G. Home grown dried arrangement
- H. Other

Open Home and Family Exhibits

Each item of baked goods will be judged on taste, texture, and presentation. After judging, the items will be displayed and browsers may have a chance to taste items.

All jars must be displayed without rings. No Cream Cheese.

Class 9 – Foods

Ingredients, recipe must be included with the entry

- Yeast bread – 1 loaf/ rolls – sponsored in part by Red Star Yeast Company
- Quick breads/fruit and nut breads – 1 loaf, muffins – plate of 7
- Cookies a plate of 7
- Candy, 3 or more to be displayed nicely on small plate
- Jams/Jellies (1 clear sealed jar, not paraffin, labeled with method)
- Canned Vegetables/fruits (1 clear sealed jar, labeled with method)
- Canned pickles/Relishes (1 clear sealed jar, with method)
- Pie (no cream pies)
- Cakes/Cupcakes (1 cake or 4 cupcakes)
- Themed Cakes – “7 Days of Fun” Bremer County 2011
- No limits or requirements for themed cakes.

OPEN DAIRY SHOW

Monday, August 1, 2011; 10:30 a.m. - Show Arena

Terry & Kelly Eick, Superintendents

1105 Ivory Avenue, Plainfield; 319-275-4719

Entry: Sunday, July 31 - 4:00-10:00 pm, Monday, August 1 - 8:00-9:00 am

Judging begins promptly at 10:30 a.m.

Assistant Superintendent: Roger Kerns

1. Entry Fee is \$6.00 per head payable at time of entry. All animals housed in 4-H Dairy Barn.
2. Animals must be registered or identified grade to be eligible to show. Grades may be shown in the aged cow class.
3. Where only one animal is shown in a class, the judge will decide the placing the animal deserves.
4. Fresh senior yearlings will be shown as Two Year Olds.
5. All animals must be healthy and free of contagious diseases -- ringworm, warts, etc. A veterinarian will be on the grounds to inspect all animals.
6. novice showmanship classes: (Child's age is age on the day of the show) novice 1 -- Age 6 and under (suggest showing Junior and Spring Calves) novice 2-- Ages 7-8-9 (Note: Child does not have to own the animal but be able to handle animal without fear of injury.)
7. Best three head classes -- no entry fee. Note: All animals in Best Three Classes must be shown in individual classes. Registration papers must be brought to the ring. The Bremer-Butler Holstein Club will supplement the Best Three Holstein Group Classes premiums as follows:

Jr. Best Three \$50 - \$35 - \$20 - \$10 - \$10

Sr. Best Three \$75 - \$50 - \$35 - \$20 - \$10

Color Breeds Premiums as follows: Jr. Best Three \$7 - \$5 - \$3

Sr. Best Three \$7 - \$5 - \$3

8. Premiums:

4 or less \$10 - \$7 - \$5

5 thru 8 \$10 - \$7 - \$5 - \$4 - \$3 - \$3

9 thru 12 \$10 - \$7 - \$5 - \$5 - \$4 - \$4 - \$3 - \$3 - \$3

over 12 \$10 - \$7 - \$5 - \$5 - \$4 - \$4 - \$4 - \$3 - \$3 - \$3

Classes

1	A B G H J M	Junior Calf	3-1-11 to 5-31-11	8	A B G H J M	Jr. Best 3 Head & Owned by Exhibitor
2	A B G H J M	Winter Calf	12-1-10 to 2-28-11	9	A B G H J M	Dry Cow
3	A B G H J M	Senior Calf	9-1-10 to 11-30-10	10	A B G H J M	2 Yr. Old 9-1-08 to 8-31-09
4	A B G H J M	Summer Yrlg	6-1-10 to 8-31-10	11	A B G H J M	3 Yr. Old 9-1-07 to 8-31-08
5	A B G H J M	Junior Yrlg	3-1-10 to 5-31-10	12	A B G H J M	4 Yr. Old 8-31-07 or before
6	A B G H J M	Winter Yrlg	12-1-09 to 2-29-10	13	A B G H J M	Sr. Best 3 - All Bred by Exhibitor and at least one owned by Exhibitor
7	A B G H J M	Senior Yrlg	9-1-09 to 11-3-09			

Open Heifer and Steer Show and Feeder Calf Classic

Grandstand, Tuesday, August 2, 6:30 pm

Todd Neil, Superintendent

Prize Money Class Money Grand Champions

Prize money to be announced.

Class money will be pro-rated according to number of entries.

Rules

1. Entry fee: \$25 per head to be paid at time of entry. No refunds.
2. Open to any beef in the world. Beef must be trained to lead and will show at halter.
3. Breed classifications and weight divisions will be according to Iowa Junior Beef Breed Council rules.
4. Beef must be weighed in between 2:00 and 5:00 pm, with only one weigh allowed.
5. Judging will begin at 6:30 pm. Beef will be released immediately after the show.
6. Feeder Steers and Heifers will be shown by weight.

For more information contact: Todd Neil, 319-635-2456.

Bovine Obstacle Course

Saturday, August 6, 1:00 p.m.

Superintendents: Chris Pries, Caleb Bergmann

Calf Scramble

Eligibility:

- The Calf Scramble Contest will be held Thursday evening, August 4, 2011, at the Bremer County Fairgrounds in Waverly.
- Any member currently enrolled in a Bremer County 4-H or FFA Chapter who will be in 9, 10, 11 or 12th grade this fall is eligible, with parents' permission to enter.
- Members who won calves the previous year are not eligible to compete unless approved by the Bremer County Fair Assn. prior to the event.

Sign Up:

- Contestants entering the contest will have their names drawn to participate in the contest.
- The fair will take all possible safety precautions in conducting the contest, however, each entrant must have written permission of both parents to enter the contest.
- An official entry form must be on file with the Fair Board Secretary by noon, Thursday, August 4, 2011.

Rules of Participation:

- At no time may a contestant restrain a calf by the tail only, nor choke the calf with the rope.
- Contestant must have his or her rope halter with them to claim possession of a calf during the contest.
- Calves must be tied to a post at the side of the grandstand area.
- When a contestant has possession of a calf, the contestant will have 5 minutes to halter and get the calf tied to the fence. If the calf is not haltered in 5 minutes the contestant must let the calf go.
- When a contestant has possession of a calf, other contestants must remain behind the judge. The decision of the judge is final.
- The fair will provide a rope halter.
- If a calf is caught and the person's halter is not within reach, the person must let the calf go.
- When the calf has had enough chasing, as determined by the veterinarian in charge, the calf will not be eligible to be caught. A drawing will be held for that particular calf.

Expectations of winners:

- Winners will be required to exhibit their calves in regular market steer classes at the 2012 fair.
- Winners in the contest will be required to pay the Fair Board 50% of the original cost at the time of fair weigh-in at the 2012 Bremer County Fair.
- The winner must pay full purchase price in the event the calf is not exhibited in class at the 2012 fair. This payment must be received at the time of fair weigh-in. The Fair Association reserves the right to amend this rule with extenuating circumstances. The Fair Association needs to be contacted prior to fair if you believe such circumstances exist.
- The Bremer County Fair Association is the owner of the calf until it is paid for at the 2012 fair. The calf is not to be sold under any condition prior to fair without the Fair Association's approval.
- Winners will be required to pay \$50.00 to the Fair Association when the calf is picked up in December. This money will be used for mortality coverage. The amount will NOT be deducted from the price of the animal when payment is due at the 2012 fair. This money will NOT be refunded.
- The fair board will pay fair market value at the time of death minus the full cost of the calf because it didn't show at fair.
- Winners will sign a contract when the calf is picked up that will specify the amount owed to the Bremer County Fair. One parent is required to sign this contract.
- Winners will be required to attend a Fair Board sponsored calf care and fitting workshop at a date to be determined.

Greased Pig Contest

- The Greased Pig Contest will be held Thursday evening, August 4, 2011 at the Bremer County Fairgrounds in Waverly.
- Any member, currently enrolled in a Bremer County 4-H Club or FFA Chapter, who has just completed 3, 4, 5, 6, or 7th grade is eligible, with parents' permission, to enter. If 3rd grade, must have been a Clover member.
- Members who have won a pig previously are eligible to compete.
- Winners of the pigs will take possession at the fair and may do as they choose with the pigs. Winner will not be required to provide pigs for the next year's contest nor pay toward the purchase of the pig.
- Sacks for catching pigs will be provided by the fair. Contestant must have his sack with him to claim possession of a pig during the scramble.
- Animals caught are to be removed from the grounds the evening of the contest.
- An official entry form must be on file with the Fair Board Secretary, by noon, Thursday, August 4, 2011.

Sheep Scramble

- The sheep scramble will be held Saturday, August 6 at the Show Arena following the sheep show.
- Any member currently enrolled in Bremer County 4-H who has just completed or going into 4th grade is eligible, with parents' permission, to enter.
- Winners of sheep will win a lamb to show at the 2012 Bremer County Fair through the Show A Seep program or will the option to participate in the fair board Sheep Scramble program.
- An official entry form must be on file at the 4-H Office by noon, Friday August 5, 2011.
- At no time may a contestant restrain a sheep by pulling the wool.
- Contestants will be provided a halter and must have them haltered to claim possession of the sheep during the contest.
- When a contestant has possession of the sheep, the contestant will have 5 minutes to halter. If the sheep is not haltered they must let the sheep go.
- When a contestant has possession of the sheep, other contestants must remain behind the judge. Judges decision is final.
- When the sheep has enough chasing, as determined by the veterinarian in charge, the sheep will not be eligible to be caught.
- Entry form is located in the back of the fair book.

Pig Scramble Entry Form Please print and use a pen!

Name: _____
Address: _____
City, ST & ZIP _____
Phone: _____ Grade in school this fall: _____ Club/Chapter: _____

I certify the above information to be true and wish to enter the Pig Scramble Contest . I have read the Pig Scramble rules as printed in the fair book and I understand my obligations should I win a pig .

Contestants Signature Date

We hereby release the Bremer County Fair Association of any responsibility during our son or daughter's participation in the Pig Scramble Contest . I/we have read the Pig Scramble rules as printed in the fair book and understand our child's obligations should they win a pig .

Parent or Guardian Signature Date

Parent or Guardian Signature Date

(This Area For Office Use Only) Due at fair board secretary's office by noon, August 4, 2011

Received in office by: Date & Time:

Calf Scramble Entry Form Please print and use a pen!

Name: _____
Address: _____
City, ST & ZIP _____
Phone: _____ Grade in school this fall: _____ Club/Chapter: _____

I certify the above information to be true and wish to enter the Calf Scramble Contest . I have read the Calf Scramble rules as printed in the fair book and I understand my obligations should I win a calf .

Contestants Signature Date

We hereby release the Bremer County Fair Association of any responsibility during our son or daughter's participation in the Pig Scramble Contest . I/we have read the Pig Scramble rules as printed in the fair book and understand our child's obligations should they win a pig .

Parent or Guardian Signature Date

Parent or Guardian Signature Date

(This Area For Office Use Only) Due at fair board secretary's office by noon, August 4, 2010

Received in office by: Date & Time:

Sheep Scramble Entry Form Please print and use a pen!

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City, St & ZIP _____
 Phone: _____ Grade in school this fall: _____ Club/Chapter: _____

I certify the above information to be true and wish to enter the Pig Scramble Contest . I have read the Pig Scramble rules as printed in the fair book and I understand my obligations should I win a pig .

 Contestants Signature Date

We hereby release the Bremer County Fair Association of any responsibility during our son or daughter's participation in the Pig Scramble Contest . I/we have read the Pig Scramble rules as printed in the fair book and understand our child's obligations should they win a pig .

 Parent or Guardian Signature Date

 Parent or Guardian Signature Date

(This Area For Office Use Only) Due at fair board secretary's office by noon, August 5, 2011

 Received in office by: Date & Time:

**BREMER COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS (EXHIBIT BUILDING)
 SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 2011 8:00 AM RACE TIME**

"A Fair 5K" Fun Run/Walk & Kids Fun Run Registration
 (One entry form per person)

Name _____	Registration Fee: _____
Address _____	Performance Shirt(+\$5): _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____	Kids Run T-shirt (\$10): _____
Email _____	Total Enclosed: _____

**Entry Fee: Before July 1 \$15 for a cotton shirt (Optional +\$5 for Performance Shirt)
 After July 1 \$20 (No Shirt Guaranteed)**

Shirt Size (check one) Adult S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ Youth (Check one) S _____ M _____ L _____
 Performance shirt upgrade \$5 Y / N _____
 Sex: Male _____ Female _____ Age: (As of August 6, 2011) _____ 5K Entry _____ Kids Run Entry _____

Waiver: In consideration of acceptance of this entry I, intending to be legally bound hereby for myself and administrators, waive and release any and all right and claim for damages I may have or that may hereafter occur to me against all sponsors, contributors, supporters, and officials associated with the 2011 "A Fair 5K Fun Run/Walk", their representatives, successors, and assigns for injuries incurred by me during, because of, in travel to or from, the 2010 "A Fair 5K Fun Run/Walk.

Signature _____ (Parent/Guardian signature required if applicant is under 18.)

Make checks payable and send to "A Fair 5K Fun Run/Walk" ISU Bremer County Extension, 720 7th Ave SW Tripoli, IA 50676.
Questions?

**Contact Dean Schwickerath
 (319) 939-3192 or AFair5K@gmail.com**

Department 1 - Beef

Eric Lohmann, Co-Superintendent, 319-415-8790

Julie Buss, Co-Superintendent, 319-240-8189

Jake Lohmann, Assistant Superintendent

Judging, Thursday, August 4, 2011, 8:30 a.m. - Show Arena

Entry Fee \$2.00 per entry

1. Insurance **must be** carried out by the exhibitors for liability purposes in order to exhibit at the Bremer County Fair
2. Exhibitors **must be FSQA** Certified by July 1, 2011 to exhibit beef at the 2011 Bremer County Fair
3. Breeding Beef Identification Forms must be filled out and on file in the Extension Office by May 15, 2011. Market Beef forms need to be on file by January 15, 2011.
4. When weighing in for the fair, if you want a re-weigh you must **immediately** turn around and weigh again within in five minutes.
5. The beef classes will be shown in numerical order unless Beef Supt. Deems it necessary to change
6. Each exhibitor will be **limited** to a total of **eight beef entries**, excluding suckling calf, with a 2 head per lot limit in the breeding lots.
7. An exhibitor is limited to three market beef entries
8. Only purebred and crossbred steers or heifers, not to be used for future breeding purposes, may be shown in the market classes
9. Market classes will be divided by weight as the superintendent deems necessary
10. Only polled or dehorned cattle may be exhibited, except for breeding beef heifers
11. Market calves must have weighed at an official designated Bremer County weigh station by December 18 to be eligible to show and must have approved 4-H ear tags. Any evidence of tampering with the ear tag shall constitute a violation of the Code of Ethics. If a tag becomes lost, notify the Extension Office immediately. The animal must be retagged before the Bremer County Fair by Extension Staff or the Beef Superintendent.
12. In the 4-H and FFA beef show, grooming aids such as oils and adhesive may be used BUT materials foreign to the animal's own body may not be added to build up the appearance of the animal's body conformation or bone structure. False tails, heads and legs altered with the use of graphite powder, hair not belonging to the animal shown, hemp or other material, dyeing or coloring hair are prohibited. If these materials are used, the exhibitor will be barred from the show and premiums forfeited. In compliance with state fair rules, painting, dyeing and use of color agents on beef animals is not allowed. Beef projects which show evidence of this will not be permitted into the show ring. If a color or coloring agent rubs off an animal rubbed with either a towel or hand, that animal will be disqualified. Transparent grooming material may only be used, including on hooves.
13. All animals will be toweled by a designated toweler.
14. Each market animal will be entered in regular live classes and in addition will participate in the rate-of-gain contest using weigh in weights
15. Any calf that receives first or second place are subject to re-weigh and need to be within in 5% of the original weigh in weight.
16. Premiums offered-
Live Judging: Blue 1.50; Red 1.00; White .25
Rate-of-Gain: Blue 1.50; Red 1.00; White .25
17. Cow Calf pairs should be stalled by 12:00 pm Thursday, August 4th

** Note to exhibitors for the 2012 Bremer County Fair. To show in the breed steer classes/breed heifer class, steers/heifers must be registered with their breed association. Registered steers/heifers must present the original registration papers at check in time (no copies). Steers without necessary registration papers will be shown in the crossbred division.

***The breed that is listed on the market beef I.D. form is the class the calf will participate in unless registration papers from a different breed association are brought on the day of weigh in, August 2nd.



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Beef Heifer Age Groups, Enter by Breed

JUNIOR HEIFER -- Calved 1-1-11 to 4-30-11
SENIOR HEIFER -- Calved 9-1-10 to 12-31-10
SUMMER YEARLING -- Calved 5-1-10 to 8-31-10
JUNIOR YEARLING -- Calved 1-1-10 to 4-30-10
SENIOR YEARLING -- 7-1-09 to 12-31-09
COW-CALF CLASS -- Any cow with calf at side

Class A -- Beef Heifers

Junior Heifer of the breed	Lot 1	Senior Yearling of the breed	Lot 5
Senior Heifer of the breed	Lot 2	Two Year Old of the breed	Lot 6
Summer Yearling of the breed	Lot 3	Bremer County Born & Raised Breeding Heifer	Lot 7
Junior Yearling of the breed	Lot 4	Cow-Calf Class of the breed	Lot 8

Class B -- Market Beef

Market Beef Heifer -- all breeds	Lot 9
Breed Market Steers	Lot 10
Crossbred Market Steers	Lot 11
Dairy Beef	Lot 12
Bremer County Born and Raised Steers	Lot 13

The exhibitor must have knowledge of the name of the Sire and the dam. All breeds must meet Iowa Junior Beef Breeds standards for that breed. All other breeds must be 3/4 blood or above. Steers must be sired by a registered bull of that breed and show sufficient characteristics to indicate it being out of a purebred or straight bred cow of that breed.

Dairy Beef Steers must be from a purebred or straight bred Dairy Breed (Hol., B.S., Jr., Gr., Ayr., M.S.) Bull and straight bred or purebred Dairy Breed Cow.

All market animals wishing to show in the Bremer County Born and Raised Class must have the form signed by the producer and the exhibitor returned to the Bremer County Extension Office by January 31, 2011. If the form is not filed, the animal will not be allowed in the Bremer County class. No exceptions will be made!

Beef Carcass Class

Open to any and all youth member beef projects exhibited at the Bremer County Fair. Participation is voluntary with a cost of \$5 per head. This is an opportunity to learn more about commercial beef production and how your animal(s) carcass ranks. This will be done live via ultrasound, and results will be announced at the show. Exhibitors must sign up at or by beef weigh-in day at the fair. Carcasses will be judged in two divisions, high yield and USDA standards

Rate of Gain

Rate of Gain will be calculated using the following formula: $\text{Fair Wt.} + (\text{Fair Wt.} \times 0.03) - \text{Beginning Wt.}$ divided by days on test. Steers must have an ADG of 2.40 or greater pounds rounded to the thousandth and heifers must have an ADG of 2.20 or greater pounds rounded to the thousandth to be eligible for Champion or Reserve designations.

Premier Beef Exhibitor

Requirements:

1. ESSAY (one page standard font size double spaced) on "Sell me your Beef". (Hint: tell us about the breed of beef you raise, your feeding methods, care taking, and why you think your breed is best.) Due: Postmarked or turned into County Extension Office by July 25, 2011.
2. Enter 1 or more Beef animals (including Dairy Beef) at the Bremer County Fair.
3. Follow the Iowa Youth Code of Ethics, all rules, and have fun!

Judging:

1. 40% on Essay
2. 60% on time at the fair (behavior, care taking of animals, feeding and barn duties, presentation of your animals, showing your animals.

Awarded during the Grand Champion Beef Selection. Sponsored by: Buss' Beef Barn - Scott and Julie Buss

Department 2 - Bottle/ Bucket Calf
Neil Jaschen, Superintendent • 319-882-4709
Judging, Friday, August 5, 2011, 10:00 a.m. - Show Arena
(Before Dairy Show)
No entry fee, no premium, ribbon only.



Exhibitors will receive a halter from Bremer Co. Dairy Promoters Bottle/ Bucket Calf exhibitors in 4-6 grade must be FSQA certified by July 1 to exhibit at the 2011 Bremer County Fair.

Project requirements:

1. Project open to 4-H members in grades K-6.
 2. Member must be enrolled in Bottle/ Bucket Calf project by May 15.
 3. Class is open to any newborn or orphan calf, steer or heifer; dairy, beef or crossbred.
 4. Class must be born between February 1 and May 1 of the current year. The calf must be owned and fed on a bottle/ bucket before the calf is two weeks of age.
 5. The calf/calves must be properly identified by May 15 on a Bottle/ Bucket Calf ID Report Form. Two calves may be identified on the report form but only one calf per exhibitor can be shown at the fair.
 6. Members are responsible for the care of the calf. Care is to include feeding, training the calf to lead, keeping track of expenses, and looking after the calf's health.
 7. Project worksheets need to be filled out and given to the superintendent at entry on Tuesday, August 2.
 8. Calves will be shown at halter.
 9. Calves will be entered on Tuesday, August 2 and will stay on the fair grounds the duration of the fair. The following criteria will be used for judging:
 - a. What has member learned about the care and raising of the calf?
 - b. The fitting and showing of the calf with emphasis on what has member learned - only washing and brushing of the calf, no clipping.
 - c. Exhibitors knowledge of the calf: general health, age, breed, feed (cost, amount fed, what, when, how much, etc.).
 - d. Calves must meet the same health requirements as all other beef and dairy animals.
- Calves may be sold after fair or kept as a second year project and shown as a dairy heifer or beef animal.

Class will be divided according to age of exhibitor rather than age or weight of calf.

Class A

Lot 1 - 1st Year in project

Lot 2 - 2 or more years in project

The Bottle/ Bucket Calf class is for fun, is educational, and for the experience of being in the showing.

Bremer County Corn Growers/Soybean Association



We are proud to support the Bremer County Fair

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Iowa On-Farm Network



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Department 3 -- Dairy

Superintendent: Mark Gitch • 319-275-4728
 Assistant Superintendent: Mike Meyer • 563-578-8333
 Judging, Friday, August 5, 2011, 10:30 a.m. - show arena
 Entry fee \$2.00 per entry (except no fee for dairy herd)



Exhibitors must be FSQA certified by July 1 to exhibit at the 2011 Bremer County Fair or the Iowa State Fair. All judging will be numerically by classes as much as possible.

1. Dairy Identification Form must be filled out and on file in the Extension Office by May 15, 2011.
2. A copy of the registration paper should be included with the Dairy Identification form if showing at the Iowa State Fair.
3. Champion and Reserve Champion rosettes will be awarded in each breed, selected from first and second place individuals in each class. Only blue ribbon animals will be eligible for Champion or Reserve Champion.
4. Each exhibitor is limited to two entries per lot, and limited to a total of **8 dairy animals**.
5. Only female dairy animals may be shown.
6. 4-H exhibitors may exhibit only one purchased heifer calf and one purchased yearling. **No 2-year-old, purchased as a 2-year-old in milk and no cow, purchased as a cow, may be shown.** A purchased animal is one that is not the off spring of that member's previously or presently owned animal.
7. Dairy Herd -- Three best animals exhibited and owned by one exhibitor. All animals must be shown in another class. One animal must be the off spring of a present or former project and one animal must have calved. Limit of one entry per exhibitor.
8. All animals in classes other than Junior or Winter Calves must be dehorned to be eligible for showing.
9. **Senior yearlings, that have calved, show in the 2-year-old class.**
10. Dry Cow Class -- Animal has completed a lactation. (Dry cows should be brought the morning of dairy show and be taken home after the show).
11. Lactating dairy cows should be brought the morning of dairy show and be taken home after the show.
12. Clubs cannot set up in Dairy Barn until after the Open Dairy Show is over.

	↓	Classes	Ayrshire Lot	Brown Swiss Lot	Guernsey Lot	Holstein Lot	Jersey Lot	Milk Sh. Lot
Junior Calf: Born 3-1-11 to 4-30-11		(JC)	Lot 1	Lot 2	Lot 3	Lot 4	Lot 5	Lot 6
Intermediate Calf: Born 12-1-10 to 2-29-11		(IC)	Lot 11	Lot 12	Lot 13	Lot 14	Lot 15	Lot 16
Senior Calf: Born 9-1-10 to 11-30-10		(SC)	Lot 21	Lot 22	Lot 23	Lot 24	Lot 25	Lot 26
Summer Yearling: Born 6-1-10 to 8-31-10		(SMY)	Lot 31	Lot 32	Lot 33	Lot 34	Lot 35	Lot 36
Junior Yearling: Born 3-1-10 to 5-31-10		(JY)	Lot 41	Lot 42	Lot 43	Lot 44	Lot 45	Lot 46
Winter Yearling: Born 12-1-09 to 2-28-10		(WTY)	Lot 51	Lot 52	Lot 53	Lot 54	Lot 55	Lot 56
Senior Yearling: Born 9-1-09 to 11-30-10		(SY)	Lot 61	Lot 62	Lot 63	Lot 64	Lot 65	Lot 66
2 Year Old Cow:: Born 9-1-08 to 8-31-09		(2OC)	Lot 71	Lot 72	Lot 73	Lot 74	Lot 75	Lot 76
3 Year Old Cow: Born 9-1-07 to 8-31-08		(3OC)	Lot 81	Lot 82	Lot 83	Lot 84	Lot 85	Lot 86
4 Year Old Cow & Over: Born Before 9-1-07		(4OC)	Lot 91	Lot 92	Lot 93	Lot 94	Lot 95	Lot 96
Dry Cow		(DC)	Lot 101	Lot 102	Lot 103	Lot 104	Lot 105	Lot 106
Dairy Herd Group:		(DHC)	Lot 111	Lot 112	Lot 113	Lot 114	Lot 115	Lot 116

Department 4 - Dogs

Superintendent: Lisa Nelson

Judging, Saturday, August 6, 2011; 9:30 a.m. - Grandstand

Entry Fee: \$2.00 for each entry in each lot.



1. Dog Obedience Classes are not required, however highly recommended, in order to learn necessary skills in order to complete the exercises for various lots for judging at the fair.
2. Dog Identification form must be filled out and on file in the Extension Office by May 15, 2011.
3. Dogs must be leashed and kept away from other animals and buildings at all times.
4. All dog exhibitors must present a current rabies certificate at time of judging or they will not be able to compete.
5. Classes will be divided by weight if large numbers of entries in class.
6. Exhibitor Conduct - exhibitors shall not strike dogs nor use any other unnecessarily harsh physical means of disciplining dogs. The exhibitor must be ready when the lot # is called.
7. Dress Code: Exhibitor must wear a white 4-H/FFA shirt or plain white shirt or blouse with No caps or hats allowed and no athletic shorts or short shorts. It is recommended that exhibitors wear tie shoes, no sandals or slip on shoes.
8. Any bitch in season or nursing may not be shown.
9. Dogs are to be shown by 4-H member.
10. Exhibitors may have only one entry in each lot.
11. Exhibitor and dog experience determine class/lot level. Show scores from the previous year's fair will be used to determine class/lot along with experience of exhibitor and dog. A qualifying score is achieved when an exhibitor earns 170 points or more and achieves 50% of the points or better for each exercise in his/her lot. When an exhibitor achieves this standard he/she must advance to the next lot with the exception of Novice B and Graduate Novice B. However, an exhibitor may advance to the next level without a qualifying score. An exhibitor who does not achieve a qualifying score may remain in the same lot for the following year; the only exception to this is for Pre-Novice A exhibitors who must advance to Pre-Novice B the next year.
12. All dogs must be six months of age as of June 1st to show at the Bremer County Fair.
13. Ribbons will be awarded in Lots 1 thru 9 as follows: Purple: 190-200 points
Blue: 170-189 points Red: 150-169 points White: 149 or lower points
14. This is not an AKC sanctioned show. However, AKC rules have been used as guidelines.

Class A -- Family Dog

Lot 1 -- Clovers (3rd grade only) Dog will be shown on leash. Clover must have some knowledge of care of dog. Clovers do not pay entry fee and receive no premiums.

Lot 2 -- For first year Dog Project Members who have not attended dog obedience training. Dog will be shown on leash a should lead easily. Member should have knowledge of the care of dog. Dogs entered in this class cannot be entered in any other class in the same year. Point system not used for this class.

Class B -- Obedience

Entries in the class are open to purebred or mixed breed dogs. In all cases, the dog is to have been trained, cared for, and managed by the exhibitor according to the Code of Ethics.

Lot 1 --Pre-Novice "A" Obedience

For dog and exhibitor in their first year of dog obedience training. Dogs will heel, stand for examination and do the figure 8 all on leash. They will recall on leash and do sits for one minute and downs for three minutes on leash. Dog must not have completed any leg toward CD degree.

Lot 2 -- Pre-Novice "B" - Obedience

For exhibitors who are in their second year or greater of dog obedience or for exhibitors who have not achieved a qualifying score in Pre-Novice A at the previous year's Bremer County Fair Dog Show or for first year project exhibitors who have achieved a qualifying score in a non 4-H dog obedience show or have a dog with previous experience. Dogs will heel, stand for examination and do figure 8 all on leash. They will recall on leash and do long sits for one minute and long downs for three minutes on leash. Dogs must not have finished any leg towards any CD degree.

Lot 3 -- Sub Novice - Obedience

For dogs and handlers with two years or less of obedience training. Exercises: heel on leash, figure 8 on leash, recall OFF leash, stand for examination OFF leash, sit/stay (1 minute) and down stay (3 minutes) OFF leash. Dogs may not have any CD degree to show in this lot.

Lot 4 -- Novice A - Obedience

For exhibitors with three years or less of dog obedience training who have achieved a qualifying score in a dog show in Pre-Novice A or Pre-Novice B at the previous years Bremer County Fair Dog show. A qualifying score is not required to advance to this class and dogs entered in this class may not be entered in Lots 1, 2, or 3. Dogs will heel and do figure 8 on leash, and heel off leash, stand for examination off leash, recall off leash, do long sits for one minute and long downs for three minutes off leash. This lot is open to dogs that have completed their third leg toward any CD degree.

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Lot 6 -- Graduate Novice A - Obedience

This lot is open to project exhibitors of three or more years who have achieved a qualifying score in a dog obedience show in the Novice A or B at the previous year's Bremer County Fair Dog Show. However, a qualifying score is not required to enter this lot. Dogs will open heel free, figure 8 exercise, moving stand and examination, moving drop on recall, dumbbell recall, recall over broad jump OFF leash and long down with handler out of sight for three minutes. Dogs entered in this lot cannot be entered in lots 1,2,3, or 4. Open to dogs that do not have any CDX degree.

Lot 7 -- Graduate Novice B - Obedience

For exhibitors who have achieved a qualifying score in Graduate Novice A at the previous year's Bremer County Fair Dog Show. Dogs will open heel free, figure 8 exercise, moving stand and examination, moving drop and recall, dumbbell recall, recall over broad jump, OFF leash, and long down with handlers out of sight for three minutes. Open to dogs who do not have any CDX degree. Dogs entered in this lot may not be entered in lots 1,2,3,4,5. or 6.

Lot 8 -- Open - Obedience

This lot is open to project exhibitors of three or more years who have achieved a qualifying score in the graduate Novice lot at the previous year's Bremer County Fair Dog Show. However, a qualifying score in Pre- Novice, Novice or Graduate Novice is not required to enter this lot. Dogs will heel and figure 8 off leash, drop on recall, retrieve on flat, over the high jump and broad jump and do three minute sits and five minute downs off leash and with exhibitor out of sight. Dogs entered in this lot may not enter lots 1 thru 6.

Class C Handling (Showmanship)

One entry per exhibitor

Lot 1 -- Junior Novice Handling (Showmanship)

For 4-H'ers 13 years and under (as of January 1). It is judged entirely on the member's ability to groom and show the dog by breed standards. A crossbred dog should be shown and groomed by the breed standard it resembles. Conformation of the dog is not evaluated.

Lot 2 -- Junior Open Handling (Showmanship)

For the 4-H/FFA member who has achieved a blue ribbon in Junior Novice.

Lot 3 -- Senior Novice Handling (Showmanship)

For the 4-H/FFA member 14 years and over (as of January 1). It is judged entirely on the member's ability to groom and show the dog by breed standards. A crossbred dog should be shown and groomed by the breed standard it resembles. Conformation of the dog is not evaluated.

Lot 4 -- Senior Open Handling (Showmanship)

For the 4-H/FFA member who has achieved a blue ribbon in Senior Novice.

Class D -- Agility

Lot 1 -- Novice Agility

For the 4-H/FFA member and dog who have had at least 1 year of obedience training. Must attend project meetings to be eligible.

Lot 2 -- Open Agility

For the 4-H/FFA member and dog receiving a blue ribbon in the Novice Agility Class.

Department 5 - Goats -- Dairy and Meat

Lindsey Baskett 319-231-4696 and Rebecca Shaw-Bond 319-231-2584

Entry fee \$2.00 per entry

Entry is Wednesday, August 3, 7:00-9:00 a.m.

Dairy Goat and Meat Goat Identification Form must be filled out and on file in Extension Office by May 15, 2011.

All sexually intact goats must have an official scrapies ID or an official tattoo registered with the USDA (515-281-8601) Follow all Health

Requirements for Exhibition of Livestock found in the Fair Book.

Class A -- Dairy Goat

Judging, Friday, August 5, 2011 9:00 a.m.

1. If clipping animals before showing, keep aisles clean. Contact Lindsey or Rebecca if you have any questions.
2. Dairy Goats with horns will not be allowed to be exhibited.
3. Limit of two entries per lot.

lot 123 -- Junior Doe -- less than 6 months old

Lot 124 -- Junior Doe -- 6 months to 1 year old (not in milk)

Lot 125 -- Junior Doe -- 1 year of age and under 2 years of age (not in milk)

Lot 126 -- Senior Doe -- 1 year of age and under 2 years of age (first lactation)

Lot 127 -- Senior Doe -- Over 2 years of age and under 3 years of age

Lot 128 -- Senior Doe -- Over 3 years

Class B -- Meat Goat

Judging, Saturday, August 6; 8:30 a.m.

1. Market Goat classes are open to whether or doe kids. (no billies)
2. Meat Goats were tagged and weighed at the Sheep/Meat Goat Weigh in on April 16, 2011.
3. Goats will be weighed again at fair on Wednesday, August 3, between 7:00 -9:00 a.m.
4. Minimum weight is 50 pounds.
5. If horned, market goats must have horns tipped blunt.
6. Goats must be broke to lead. Exhibitors may use halters, collars, or collars with a short lead when showing.
7. Limit of two entries per lot.
8. Goats will be divided by weight into lots for judging.

Lot 130 -- Junior Meat Goat - under 1 year of age

Lot 131 -- Senior Doe Meat Goat - over 1 year of age



Department 6 - Horse & Pony

Horse Show -- Monday, August 1; 8:00 a.m Lonestar Stables

Superintendent: Noel Nass •

\$2.00 entry fee per entry in each lot.

No entry fee or premium for Showmanship Lots # 165-168



All youth participating in any and all mounted classes must wear an American Society of Testing Materials (ASTM) and Safety engineering Institute (SEI) approved headgear with chin strap and properly fitted harness AT ALL TIMES while mounted and riding, including warm up.

RULES

1. A Horse & Pony Animal Identification form must be completed and on file in the Extension Office by May 15. Horseless horse members must be enrolled in the Horseless Horse Project.
2. Animals will be inspected by an official veterinarian when unloaded on the grounds. Inspection of the animal prior to fair may be required.
3. Exhibitors should wear dark pants or jeans, a white shirt or blouse, and boots. Shirt must have the 4-H/FFA emblem. Horse armbands can be purchased. "A Guide for Equine Shows in Iowa" Extension publication #4-H-511C provides more specific guidelines.
4. Registered and unregistered animals will be shown together.
5. No stallions born before January 1, 2011 may be entered
6. Ponies will be measured prior to the show.
7. Western hats are strongly encouraged for all halter/showmanship classes.
8. Prohibited medication, drug, mechanical, artificial appliance: No person shall administer internally or externally to a horse or pony, either before or during an approved event, any medication, drug, mechanical device, or artificial appliance, that is of such character as could affect the performance or appearance at the event.
9. "A Guide for Equine Shows in Iowa" Extension publication #4-H-511C, will be referenced and followed.
10. Patterns will be posted the day of the show.

Lot 149 HIGH POINT AWARDS

To be eligible for the Sr., Int., & Jr. High Point Awards, the exhibitor must enroll horse/rider combination by July 1st that will be counted toward High Point. Points will be earned based on the number of entries in each eligible class. Example: If there are 10 entries in a class, 1st place earns 10 points, 2nd place earns 9 points, 3rd place earns 8 points, etc. if there are only 4 entries, 1st place earns 4 points, 2nd place earns 3 points, etc.

*Points from all eligible classes will be totaled per horse/rider combination. High Point Classes include:

Showmanship English Pleasure	English Equitation
Western Pleasure	Western Horsemanship
Poles	Barrels
Plug Race	Trail

Tie breakers:

1. Most 1st, 2nd, 3rd place etc.
2. Highest Showmanship Placing
3. Interview
4. Age - oldest 4-Her by calendar age.

Class A -- Halter

Shown with open halter; not bits, curbs or chains through mouth. Horse's conformation is judged.

Lot 150 -- Pony foal: foaled in 2011 before June 15

Lot 151 -- Pony yearling: foaled in 2010

Lot 152 -- Pony Two year-old: foaled in 2009

Lot 153 -- Pony Aged Mare, less than 50": foaled in 2008 or earlier

Lot 154 -- Pony Aged Mare, 50-56": foaled in 2008 or earlier

Lot 155 -- Pony Aged Gelding, less than 50": foaled in 2008 or earlier

Lot 156 -- Pony Aged Gelding, 50-56": foaled in 2008 or earlier

Lot 157 -- Miniature

Top two blues or purples from each class (150-157) returns for the selection of Grand & Reserve Champion Halter Pony.

Class B -- Halter

Lot 158 -- Horse Foal: foaled in 2011 before June 15

Lot 159 -- Horse Yearling: foaled in 2010

Lot 160 -- Horse Two year-old: foaled in 2009

Lot 161 -- Horse Aged Mare: foaled in 2008 or earlier

Lot 162 -- Horse Aged Gelding: foaled in 2008 or earlier

Lot 163 -- Mule/Donkey, any age

Top two blues or purples from each class (158-163) returns for the selection of Grand & Reserve Champion Halter Horse.

Lot 164 -- Yearling Horse/Pony Lounge Line

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Class C -- Showmanship

Halter event where the exhibitor is judged on his/her appearance and his/her ability to present his/her animal. (Grade based on 2009-10 school year) No entry fee - no premium paid.

Lot 165 -- Sr. Showmanship (Grades 9-12)

Lot 166 -- Int. Showmanship (Grades 7-8)

Lot 167 -- Jr. Showmanship (Grades 4-6)

Lot 168 -- Horseless Horse Showmanship (any age) 4-H/FFA member must be enrolled in the Horseless Horse Project.

Class D -- Driving

Lot 169 -- Pleasure Driving

Class E -- English

Lot 170 -- Sr. English Pleasure (Grades 9-12)

Lot 171 -- Int. English Pleasure (Grades 7-8)

Lot 172 -- Jr. English Pleasure (Grades 4-6)

Lot 173 -- Novice English Pleasure (For 1st or 2nd year project members, who have not received a 1st or 2nd place in any English Pleasure class.)

Lot 174 -- Novice Walk-Trot English Pleasure (For 1st or 2nd year project members, who have not received a 1st or 2nd place in any English Pleasure class.)

Lot 176 -- Sr. English Equitation (Grades 9-12)

Lot 177 -- Int. English Equitation (Grades 7-8)

Lot 178 -- Jr. English Equitation (Grades 4-6)

Lot 179 -- Novice English Equitation, Walk, Trot (For 1st or 2nd year project members, who have not received a 1st or 2nd place in any English Equitation class.)

Class F -- Western Classes

Lot 180 -- Sr. Western Pleasure (Grades 9-12)

Lot 181 -- Int. Western Pleasure (Grades 7-8)

Lot 182 -- Jr. Western Pleasure (Grades 4-6)

Lot 183 -- Novice Western Pleasure (For 1st or 2nd year project members, who have not received a 1st or 2nd place in any Western Pleasure class.)

Lot 184 -- Novice Walk-Trot Western Pleasure (For 1st or 2nd year project members, who have not received a 1st or 2nd place in any Western Pleasure class.)

Lot 185 -- Sr. Western Horsemanship (Grades 9-12)

Lot 186 -- Int. Western Horsemanship (Grades 7-8)

Lot 187 -- Jr. Western Horsemanship (Grades 4-6)

Lot 188 -- Novice Western Horsemanship, Walk-Trot (For 1st or 2nd year project members, who have not received a 1st or 2nd place in any Western Horsemanship class.)

Class G -- Fun & Games

Lot 189 -- Trail class

Lot 190 -- Costume class

Lot 191 -- Egg & Spoon

Lot 192 -- Sr. Poles (Grades 9-12)

Lot 193 -- Int. Poles (Grades 7-8)

Lot 194 -- Jr. Poles (Grades 4-6)

Lot 195 -- Sr. Barrels (Grades 9-12)

Lot 196 -- Int. Barrels (Grades 7-8)

Lot 197 -- Jr. Barrels (Grades 4-6)

Lot 198 -- Sr. Plug Race (Grades 9-12)

Lot 199 -- Int. Plug Race (Grades 7-8)

Lot 200 -- Jr. Plug Race (Grades 4-6)

Lot 201 -- Open-End Barrel Race (Any age)

Lot 202 -- Ride-A-Buck (Any age)

Lot 203 -- Tandem Bareback (Any age)

Department 7 - Pets

Rebecca Shaw-Bond, Superintendent 319-231-2584

Judging, Wednesday, August 3, 2:00 pm

Fair Board Office Shelter

Entry fee \$2.00 per entry

1. No snakes will be accepted and no wild animals allowed. (skunk, raccoon, fox, etc.)
2. Pets are to be on the fairgrounds during the time of judging only.
3. Pets must be leashed, caged, or contained and kept away from animals and buildings.
4. Pets may be shown only by 4-H and FFA members who are enrolled in the pet project.
5. All dog and cat exhibitors must present a current rabies certificate at the time of judging. Health papers for other pets are not required.
6. Pets will be conference judged on their conditions, member's ability to handle and care for pet, and on completion of a questionnaire.
7. Each member is limited to one entry (a bowl of fish or such grouping is considered one entry.)
8. A pet must not have been exhibited in another department during the current fair.



Class A -- Pets

Lot 1 -- Cats

Lot 2 -- Guinea Pigs, Hamsters, Gerbils, Rabbits, etc.

Lot 3 -- Dogs

Lot 4 -- Birds

Lot 5 -- Other -- If you sign up for this lot, specify what you are showing.

Department 8 - Poultry

Dave Foelske, Superintendent • 319-882-3488

RJ Hennings, Assistant Superintendent

Entry fee - \$2.00 per entry

Entry Times: Tuesday, August 2, 6:00 - 10:00 am

Poultry Show: Wednesday, August 3, 9:30 am



Exhibitors must be **FSQA** Certified by July 1 to exhibit at the 2011 Bremer County Fair or the Iowa State Fair.

1. TWO ENTRIES PER LOT ARE PERMITTED; A TOTAL OF TWENTY LOTS CAN BE ENTERED.
2. Health papers will be required or proof of pullorum or typhoid test.
3. EXHIBITORS MUST BE PRESENT AT TIME OF JUDGING.
4. Showmanship classes will be held for Juniors, Intermediates and Seniors.
5. Awards Program to follow judging.
6. Trio must be 2 hens or pullets and 1 rooster or cockerel in the same breed of class.

Breeding Birds

Class A American

- Lot 1 -- one cock
- Lot 2 -- one hen
- Lot 3 -- one cockerel
- Lot 4 -- one pullet
- Lot 5 -- trio

Class B Asiatic

- Lot 6 -- one cock
- Lot 7 -- one hen
- Lot 8 -- one cockerel
- Lot 9 -- one pullet
- Lot 10 -- trio

Class C Mediterranean

- Lot 11 -- one cock
- Lot 12 -- one hen
- Lot 13 -- one cockerel
- Lot 14 -- one pullet
- Lot 15 -- trio

Class D English

- Lot 16 -- one cock
- Lot 17 -- one hen
- Lot 18 -- one cockerel
- Lot 19 -- one pullet
- Lot 20 -- trio

Class E Continental

- Lot 21 -- one cock
- Lot 22 -- one hen
- Lot 23 -- one cockerel
- Lot 24 -- one pullet
- Lot 25 -- trio

Class F Miscellaneous

- Lot 26 -- one cock
- Lot 27 -- one hen
- Lot 28 -- one cockerel
- Lot 29 -- one pullet
- Lot 30 -- trio

Class G Bantams Modern Game

- Lot 31 -- one cock
- Lot 32 -- one hen
- Lot 33 -- one cockerel
- Lot 34 -- one pullet
- Lot 35 -- trio

Class H Bantams Old English Game

- Lot 36 -- one cock
- Lot 37 -- one hen
- Lot 38 -- one cockerel
- Lot 39 -- one pullet
- Lot 40 -- trio

Class I Bantams Single Comb Clean Legged

- Lot 41 -- one cock
- Lot 42 -- one hen
- Lot 43 -- one cockerel
- Lot 44 -- one pullet
- Lot 45 -- trio

Class J Bantams Rose Comb Clean Legged

- Lot 46 -- one cock
- Lot 47 -- one hen
- Lot 48 -- one cockerel
- Lot 49 -- one pullet
- Lot 50 -- trio

Class K Bantams Feather Legged

- Lot 51 -- one cock
- Lot 52 -- one hen
- Lot 53 -- one cockerel
- Lot 54 -- one pullet
- Lot 55 -- trio

Class L Bantams Any Other Comb Clean Legged

- Lot 56 -- one cock
- Lot 57 -- one hen
- Lot 58 -- one cockerel
- Lot 59 -- one pullet
- Lot 60 -- trio

Class M Breeder Ducks - Heavy Class

- Lot 61 -- one young drake
- Lot 62 -- one young duck
- Lot 63 -- one old drake
- Lot 64 -- one old duck
- Lot 65 -- trio

Class M Breeder Ducks - Medium Class

- Lot 66 -- one young drake
- Lot 67 -- one young duck
- Lot 68 -- one old drake
- Lot 69 -- one old duck
- Lot 70 -- trio

Class M Breeder Ducks - Light Class

- Lot 71 -- one young drake
- Lot 72 -- one young duck
- Lot 73 -- one old drake
- Lot 74 -- one old duck
- Lot 75 -- trio

Class M Breeder Ducks - Bantam class

- Lot 76 -- one young drake
- Lot 77 -- one young duck
- Lot 78 -- one old drake
- Lot 79 -- one old duck
- Lot 80 -- trio

Class N Breeder Geese - Heavy Class

- Lot 81 -- one young gander
- Lot 82 -- one young goose
- Lot 83 -- one old gander
- Lot 84 -- one old goose
- Lot 85 -- trio

Class N Breeder Geese - Medium Class

- Lot 86 -- one young gander
- Lot 87 -- one young goose
- Lot 88 -- one old gander
- Lot 89 -- one old goose
- Lot 90 -- trio

Class N Breeder Geese - Light Class

- Lot 91 -- one young gander
- Lot 92 -- one young goose
- Lot 93 -- one old gander
- Lot 94 -- one old goose
- Lot 95 -- trio

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Breeding Birds (continued)
(no crossbred entries allowed)

Class O

Breeder Turkey

Lot 96 -- one young tom
Lot 97 -- one young hen
Lot 98 -- one old tom
Lot 99 -- one old hen
Lot 100 -- trio

Class P

Breeder Guinea

Lot 101 -- one young male
Lot 102 -- one young hen
Lot 103 -- one old male
Lot 104 -- one old hen
Lot 105 -- trio

Class Q

Pheasants

Lot 106 -- one young male
Lot 107 -- one young hen
Lot 108 -- one old male
Lot 109 -- one old hen
Lot 110 -- trio

Class R

Peacock

Lot 111 -- male
Lot 112 -- female
Lot 113 -- trio

Commercial Birds

Class S

Lot 114 BROILERS - Two birds per pen, either sex, under 16.5 lbs. total weight
Lot 115 ROASTERS - Two birds per pen, either sex, over 18 lbs. total weight
Lot 116 MARKET DUCKS - Two birds per pen, either sex, over 8 weeks of age
Lot 117 MARKET GEESE - Two birds per pen, either sex, over 12 weeks of age
Lot 118 MARKET TURKEY - Two birds, same sex, over 15 weeks of age for hens; 16 weeks of age for toms

Egg Production Class

1. Birds shown in the production class must be at least 16 weeks old at the time of the show.
2. Birds will be shown as a pen of three females, light breed type
3. Birds will be judged on health, vigor, uniformity in type, weight, and production.

Class T

Lot 119 white egg pen
Lot 120 brown egg pen

Pigeons

1. Limit of 2 entries per lot. Total of 10 single entries.
2. Birds must be lice free.

Class U

Fancy Pigeons

Lot 121 -- one young cock
Lot 122 -- one young hen
Lot 123 -- one old cock
Lot 124 -- one old hen

Class V

Flying Pigeons

Lot 125 -- one young cock
Lot 126 -- one young hen
Lot 127 -- one old cock
Lot 128 -- one old hen

Class W

Utility Pigeons

Lot 129 -- one young cock
Lot 130 -- one young hen
Lot 131 -- one old cock
Lot 132 -- one old hen

Class X

Lot 133—Special Broiler Class (for youth who signed up for the broilers picked up on June 15th).

Reference Page

Class A - AMERICAN: Buckeye - Chantecler - Delaware - Dominique - Jave - Jersey Giant - New Hampshire - Plymouth Rock - Rhode Island Red - Wyandotte

Class B - ASIATIC: Brahma - Cochin - Langshan - Salmon Faverolles

Class C - MEDITERRANEAN: Leghorns - Mincorcas - Ancona - Andalusians - Sicilian Buttercup - Spanish

Class D - ENGLISH: Australorps - Cornish - Dorking - Orpington - Redcap - Sussex

Class E - CONTINENTAL: Hamburgs - Campines - Lakenvelders - Polish - Houdans - Crevecoeur - LaFleche

Class F - MISCELLANEOUS: Modern Game -Old English Game -Sumatras - Malays - Cubalayay - Phoenix - Yokohamas - Shamo - Frizzles - Naked Neck - Araucanas - Ameraucanas

Class G - BANTAMS: Modern Game

Class H - BANTAMS: Old English Game

Class I - BANTAMS SINGLE COMB CLEAN LEGS: Anconas - Andalusians - Australorps - Campines - Catalanas - Delawares - Dorking - Frizzles - Hollands - Japanese - Javas - Jersey Giants - Lakenvelders - Lamonas - Leghorns - Mincorcas - Naked Neck - New Hampshires - Orpingtons - Phoenix - Plymouth Rock - Rhode Island Red - Spanish - Sussex

Class J - BANTAMS ROSE COMB CLEAN LEGGED: Anconas - Antwerp Belgains - Dominiques - Dorkings - Hamburgs - Leghorns - Minorcas - Redcaps - Rhode Island Red - Rosecombs - Sebbrights - Wyandottes

Class K - BANTAMS FEATHER LEGGED: Booted - Brahmas - Cochins - Faverolles - Frizzles - Langshans - Silkes - Sultans

Class L - BANTAMS ALL OTHER COMBS CLEAN LEGGED: Ameraucana - Araucanas - Buckeyes - Chantelers - Cornish - Crevecoeurs - Cubalayay - Houdans - LaFleche - Malays - Polish - Shamos - Buttercups - Sumatras - Yokohamas

Class M - HEAVY DUCKS: Aylesbury - Muscovy - Pekin - Rouen
LIGHT DUCKS: Campbell - Magpie - Runner
MEDIUM DUCKS: Cayuga - Buff - Crested - Swedish
BANTAM DUCKS: Call - East Indie - Mallard

Class N - HEAVY GEESE: African - Embden - Toulouse
LIGHT GEESE: Canada - Chinese - Egyptian - Tufted Roma
MEDIUM GEESE: American Buff - Pilgrim - Pomeranian

Department 9 - Rabbits

Randy Bergmann, Superintendent • 319-352-5083

Marvin Redies, Assistant Superintendent

Judging: Thursday, August 4, 2:00 pm - Rabbit Tent

Entry Fee - \$2.00 per entry

Exhibitors must be FSQA Certified by July 1 to exhibit at the 2011 Bremer County Fair or the Iowa State Fair. The fair board is furnishing cages for rabbits and they will be staying at the fair until release time on Sunday. rabbit exhibitors must furnish their own feeding equipment and padlocks for the cages. Member must be present at time of judging to show rabbit. Member must bring own rabbit to the table for judging. Exhibitors are allowed two entries per lot. Health papers are not required. However, any rabbit showing signs of disease will be sent home immediately. No nursing does will be shown at the fair other than those that have weaned their litter. You may show two single fryers from the pen of three for lot numbered 139. For those exhibitors entering the Commercial and/or Fancy Classes, you can exhibit any major recognized breed as per rules of the American Rabbit Breeders Association. You cannot show the same rabbit as a commercial or fancy rabbit and as a market rabbit; it can only be shown in one class. Member must show own rabbit for Showmanship Class.

Class A -- Market Rabbits

Fryers (3 to 5 lbs. each, not over 10 weeks of age)

Lot 139 -- Single Fryer

Lot 140 -- Pen of Three Fryers

Market Rabbits Lots 141 through 144 are for crossbred rabbits only. They will be judged on overall characteristics; fur condition will be used for ties. (Juniors -- under 7 months, Seniors -- 7 months and over.)

Lot 141 -- Junior Buck

Lot 142 -- Senior Buck

Lot 143 -- Junior Doe

Lot 144 -- Senior Doe

Class B -- Commercial Breeds

Lots 145 through 150 will include the following breeds: American, American Sable, Beveren, Californian, Champagne D'Argent, American Chinchilla, Giant Chinchilla, Cinnamon, Crème D'Argent, Flemish Giant, New Zealand, Palomino, Satin, and Silver Fox. (Juniors -- under 6 months, Intermediates -- 6 to 8 months, Seniors -- over 8 months.)

Lot 145 -- Junior Buck

Lot 146 -- Intermediate Buck

Lot 147 -- Senior Buck

Lot 148 -- Junior Doe

Lot 149 -- Intermediate Doe

Lot 150 -- Senior Doe

Class C -- Fancy Breeds

Lots 151 through 154 will include the following breeds: Angoras, Belgian Hare, Britannia Petite, Checkered Giant, Standard Chinchilla, Dutch, Dwarf Hotot, English Spot, Florida White, Harlequin, Havana, Himalayan, Hotot, Jersey Wooly, Lilac, Lops, Mini Rex, Neatherland Dwarf, Polish, Rex, Rhinelander, Silver, Silver Martin, and Tan. (Juniors -- under 6 months, Seniors -- 6 months and over)

Lot 151 -- Junior Buck

Lot 152 -- Senior Buck

Lot 153 -- Junior Doe

Lot 154 -- Senior Doe



Department 10 - Sheep

Superintendent: Tim Woodman • 319-415-4569

Assistant Superintendents: Jean Shaw, Lindsey Shaw Baskett, Rebecca Shaw Bond

Judging, Saturday, August 6, 2011, 8:30 a.m. - Show Arena

Entry fee - \$2.00 per entry

Exhibitors must be FSQA Certified by July 1 to exhibit at the 2011 Bremer County Fair or the Iowa State Fair.

1. Sheep Identification forms must be filled out and on file in the Extension Office by May 15, 2011.
2. All sexually intact sheep (ewes and rams) exhibited must have official scrapies ear tags.
3. Sheep will be judged in numerical order by lot number.
4. Entries are limited to four head per lot. An entry in the Bremer County Sheep Classics, Lot 128, would count toward the total of four individual market lambs.
5. Animals may be inspected by an official veterinarian when unloaded on the grounds. If for any reason the veterinarian determines the animal will be a health risk to other animals, it will be disqualified and not allowed on the grounds.
6. Market lambs must have been dropped on or after January 1, 2011.
7. Breeding lambs must have been dropped on or after September 1, 2010.
8. All lambs not docked and ram lambs in market class will be disqualified.
9. All market lambs must be weighed and tagged at the official weigh-in on April 16. This weight will be used to compute rate-of-gain.
10. It is recommended that Market Lambs be sheared within 3 weeks of Fair. Shearing of breeding animals is optional; however, it is strongly recommended they be sheared at the same time market lambs are being sheared. Breeding sheep do not have to be, but may be, carded, trimmed, or blocked after the original shearing to remove any rough shear marks. No shearing at fair.
11. All lambs should weigh at least 90 lbs.
12. Market lambs may not be exhibited in breeding classes or vice-versa.
13. Animals in purebred breeding classes must have registration papers on entry day.

Class A - Breeding Sheep

Lot 116 -- Purebred or Commercial Ram Lamb, any breed

Lot 117 -- Purebred Ewe Lamb, any breed

Lot 118 -- White & Speckled Faced Commercial Ewe Lamb, any breed

Lot 119 -- Black Faced Commercial Ewe Lamb, any breed

Lot 120 -- Purebred Breeding Ewe, Yearling, any breed

Lot 121 -- White & Speckled Faced Commercial Ewe, Yearling, any breed

Lot 122 -- Black Faced Breeding Ewe, Yearling, any breed

Note: Individual animals shown in the breeding classes may be shown in the Flock classes. A flock will consist of one ram lamb, one ewe lamb, and one yearling ewe.

Lot 123 -- Purebred Breeding Flock, any breed

Lot 124 -- White & Speckled Faced Commercial Flock, any breed

Lot 125 -- Black Faced Commercial Flock, any breed

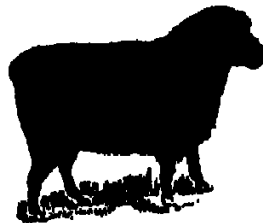
Class B - Market Lambs

Lot 126 -- Individual Market Lamb, any breed, White and Speckled Faced Lambs. This class will be divided by weight into classes on entry date. First and second place lambs in these classes will compete for Champion and Reserve Champion Market Lamb.

Lot 127 -- Individual Market Lamb, any breed, Black Faced Lambs. This class will be divided by weight into classes on entry date. First and second place lambs in these classes will compete for Champion and Reserve Champion Market Lamb.

Lot 128—Scramble Lamb Class. Youth who participated in the 2011 Scramble Lamb program will enter the scramble lamb they purchased in this class.

Note: An exhibitor is limited to show a total of 4 lambs in lots 126 and 127. Lambs from lots 126 and 127 can be used to make pairs for lot 129.



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Lot 128 -- Bremer County Sheep Classic. This is a Market Lamb Class. In order for a lamb to qualify for this class, the lamb must be born in Bremer County. Any breed qualifies. An exhibitor can only show 1 lamb in this class. This class will NOT be broken out by weight. The exhibitor must choose the right lamb for this class. There will be a Champion and Reserve Champion picked for this class. These top two lambs will be brought in with the other top lambs from the other market lamb classes in order to pick the Grand Champion Market Lamb. An entry in this class may be shown in the "Pair of Lambs" competition and will count in the total of four market lambs that can be shown in the individual market lamb class. The lambs must be registered as "Bremer County Born" at the time of weigh-in and then become eligible for the "Bremer County Sheep Classic."

Lot 129 -- Pair of Market Lambs, any breeds. This lot will be divided by weight on entry day.

Rate of Gain - The Champion and Reserve Champion Rate of Gain will be announced.

Lot 130 -- Show A Sheep-Special class for 4-H/FFA members that received sheep through the Show A Sheep program that were weighed in April 16th. Exhibitors can show one "Show A Sheep" lamb in this Lot. The other Show A Sheep will be entered in a market class. Judging for Show A Sheep will be 40% on the lamb and 60% on the knowledge of the exhibitor (notebook entries and an interview by producers).

Lot 131 -- "Bottle Lamb/Goat Kid Class"

Project requirements for "bottle lamb/goat Kid Class"

1. Judging will be Saturday, August 6, 2011, 8:00 am (before the sheep show) - Show Arena.
2. No entry fee, no premium, ribbon only, conference judged.
3. Project open to 4-H members in K-3.
4. Members must be enrolled in the project and have I.D. form to the Extension office by May 15
5. Class is open to any new born or orphan lamb/goat.
6. Class must be born between February 1 and May 1. The lamb/goat must be fed on a bottle/bucket before the lamb/goat is two weeks of age.
7. Members are responsible for the care. Care is to include feeding, training the lamb/goat, and looking after the lamb's/goat's health (if obtaining lamb through the Share A Sheep program-exhibitors will work with producers).
8. Project worksheets need to be filled out and given to the superintendent at entry on Wednesday, August 3. Sheets will be mailed to exhibitors after May 15.
9. Lambs/goats will enter on Wednesday, August 3 and stay on the fairgrounds the duration of the fair.

Department 11 - Swine

Superintendent: Galan Kramer • 319-276-3358

Judging, Tuesday, August 2, 10:00 a.m.

Entry Fee \$2.00 per entry



Exhibitors must be FSQA Certified by July 1 to exhibit at the 2011 Bremer County Fair or the Iowa State Fair.

1. All exhibitors must include a copy of their PQA/FSQA certification with fair entry form or they will not be allowed to exhibit at fair.
2. Swine Identification Form must be filled out and on file in the Extension Office by May 15, 2011.
3. Space limitations may require a limit of one pen per exhibitor. 4. All wine classes will be judged in numerical order by lot number.
5. All market pigs will be weighed on entry day, placed in respective weight groupings, and must weigh at least 220 pounds.
6. It is recommended that pigs have been fed and cared for separately from the main swine herd on the farm.
7. All pigs must be ear notched, and the ear notching must agree with the livestock identification reports.
8. Derby pigs shall be limited to 60 pounds weight on weigh-in day.
9. The Bremer Co. Swine Show is a terminal show.

No exhibitor can enter more than 6 pigs in the youth Swine Show.

Class A -- Swine

Lot 112 -- Production Derby -- Each market pig exhibitor designates one and not more than two pigs to superintendent at weigh-in on entry day. This class is open to those who had their pigs weighed on official weigh-in day, April 9, 2011. These pigs must have been farrowed on or after February 1, 2011, and not weigh more than 60 pounds on weigh-in day. Ratings will be based on the combined average ranking of weight per day of age and carcass results. Gilts will be adjusted to barrow basis. Derby pigs will be son rayed at the time of weigh-in to determine carcass data. These pigs can also be shown only in Lot 115 -- Pen of 3. For Lot 112 only, ribbons will be given on live placing, but premium money will be given for carcass data ratings. Sales check will be adjusted to pay for scanner costs.

Lot 113 -- Individual Market Pig, fed for market purposes, barrows, farrowed on or after February 1, 2011. Each exhibit is limited to no more than 2 pigs in this lot. Class sizes will be determined by number of hogs entered and weights.

Lot 114 -- Individual Market Pig, fed for market purposes, gilts, farrowed on or after February 1, 2011. Each exhibit is limited to no more than 2 pigs in this lot

Lot 115 -- Pen of three market pigs any breed, either sex, farrowed on or after February 1, 2011. Can come from Lot 112, 113, or 114. Limit one entry.

Lot 116 -- Special Share-A-Pig Derby Class - Special class for 4-H/FFA members that received Share-A-Pigs that were weighed at weigh-in day, April 9. Exhibitors can exhibit all Share-A-Pigs received in this Lot.

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Department 12 - Animals

5 entries per class

510 Animal Science

An exhibit (other than the animal itself) that shows the learning about a large or small animal including beef, dairy cattle, dairy goats, dogs, horse & pony, meat goats, pets, poultry, rabbits, sheep and swine. Ownership of any animal is not required.

520 Veterinary Science

An exhibit that shows learning about keeping animals healthy.



Department 13 - Agriculture and Natural Resources

Superintendent-Bill Formwalt

5 entries per class

530 Crop Production

An exhibit that shows learning about the growth, use, and value of field crops.

540 Environment and Sustainability

An exhibit that shows the connections between humans and their environment including energy, stewardship, conservation, entomology, fish and wildlife, or forestry. Includes collections.

550 Horticulture Display

An exhibit that shows learning about the growth, use, and value of plants, small fruits, vegetable and flower gardens, and landscape design. (Garden crops and herbs are exhibited in classes in the 4-H Horticulture Department under 4-H Live-stock.)

560 Outdoor Adventures

An exhibit that shows learning about backpacking, biking, camping, canoeing, fishing, hiking or other outdoor activities.

570 Safety and Education in Shooting Sports

An exhibit that shows learning about safe and responsible use of firearms and archery equipment or wildlife management. (The exhibit may not include actual firearms; archery equipment allowed if tips are removed from arrows).

590 Other Agriculture and Natural Resources

An exhibit that shows learning about agriculture or natural resources and does not fit in any of the classes listed above.



Clothing Event

Fashion Revue & Clothing Selection

Tuesday, July 19 at the Droste Building, Waverly Fairgrounds

Entries due July 1, 2011

No entry fee, no premiums, ribbons only

Fashion Revue

Participants model a garment exhibitor has constructed, hand-knitted, or crocheted during the current 4-H year. Undergarments and accessories may be made or selected by the entrant. At least one major piece must be constructed by the 4-Her. The 4-Her chosen to represent the county at the State Fair must be in the senior age range for 4-H (9-12th grade, just completed) and submit required forms.

1. Any member currently enrolled in the clothing project may enter the fashion revue program.
2. A 4-H member may participate in both the County Fashion Revue and Clothing Selection programs but is limited to one entry in each.
3. A garment entered in the Fashion Revue may be entered as a clothing exhibit at the fair. However, an outfit selected for State Fair Fashion Revue cannot be selected as a State Fair clothing exhibit.
4. The Fashion Revue judging will be held Tuesday, July 19, at the Droste Building, Waverly Fairgrounds. The style show will be held that evening at 7:30 pm at the 4-H Building, Waverly Fairgrounds.
5. No premium money is given, but ribbons are awarded to everyone who participates in the judging and Style Show. Honorable mention ribbons will be awarded to the most outstanding entries. To receive a ribbon, 4-Hers must participate in the Style Show in addition to the conference judging.



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\$15 Clothing Event Challenge

The \$15 Challenge -- All participants (male or female) to qualify for participation in the state event should:

- a) Purchase an outfit that represents the 4-H'ers goal or intended use for the selected outfit.
- b) Have had individual planned or county experience(s) in choosing shopping alternatives, evaluating fit, quality and construction features, price and cost comparison.
- c) Outfits must be purchased at a garage sale, consignment store, or resale shop (i.e. Goodwill, Salvation Army, or other stores of this type). (Hand-me-downs or clothing as gifts that were selected by the 4-H'er belong in Clothing Selection).
- d) Cost of outfit must be \$15 or less, not including shoes, accessories, or undergarments.
- e) Receipt(s) MUST be turned in with Clothing Event Report Form.

Clothing Selection

All participants, (male or female) to qualify for participation in this event, should select and/or purchase an outfit that represents their goal or intended use for the outfit. The purpose of this program is to help youth develop skills in buying clothes. Note: Outfits may be selected and/or purchased from any source, including consignment shops, used clothing stores, etc. Clothing items which are home-sewn are not eligible unless the completed garment was purchased from a used clothing source. Clothing items which are custom sewn specifically for the participant are not eligible.

1. A member need not be enrolled in the clothing project to participate in the Clothing Selection program.
2. A 4-H member may participate in both the Fashion Revue and Clothing Selection program but is limited to one entry in each.
3. A garment entered in the Clothing Selection may be entered as a clothing exhibit at the fair. However, an outfit selected for State Fair Clothing Selection cannot be selected as a State Fair clothing exhibit.
4. The Clothing Selection judging will be held Tuesday, July 19, at the Droste Building, Waverly Fairgrounds. The Style Show will be held that evening at 7:30 pm at the 4-H Building, Waverly Fairgrounds.
5. Ribbons are awarded to everyone who participates in the judging and Style Show. Honorable mention ribbons will be awarded to the most outstanding entries. To receive a ribbon, 4-Hers must participate in the style show in addition to the conference judging.

Iowa State Fair Clothing Event Eligibility & Rules

1. Participants must be senior level 4-H'ers (9-12).
2. An individual cannot represent the county in Fashion Revue, Clothing Selection, and the \$15 Challenge in the same year, he/she must choose only one program to participate. The alternate would attend in the program not chosen.
3. Outfits or accessories which will be worn in the Iowa State Fair Clothing Event may not be entered as a State Fair exhibit from our county.
4. The State Fair Clothing Event will be held on Thursday, August 12 at Merle Hay Mall in Des Moines from 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
5. All participants must attend on the date for our area unless the 4-H'er is involved in another 4-H or Iowa State Fair activity at the same time with a non-flexible schedule.

Fashion Revue

Four Fashion Revue participants will be eligible to represent Bremer County at the Iowa State Fair Clothing Event with no more than two (2) participants from any one category (female, male, minority). Participants may participate at the Iowa State Fair in Fashion Revue more than one time.

Clothing Selection

Three Clothing Selection participants (one female, one male, one minority) will be eligible to represent Bremer County. 4-H'ers may participate only one time in the Iowa State Fair Clothing Selection program.

\$15 Challenge

Three participants in the \$15 Challenge (one female, one male, one minority) can be selected to represent Bremer County at the Iowa State Fair Clothing Event program.

Department 14 -- Clover Kids

Randy Bergmann, Superintendent

Entry Day: Sunday, July 31

1:00 - 5:30 p.m.

Blue 4-H Building, Fairgrounds



Clover Kids are youth who have completed Kindergarten through 3rd grade. Clovers are learning about 4-H and its opportunities.

Clovers may exhibit two projects at the county fair. There is no entry fee, and no premium will be given. Clovers will have the opportunity to sit with an adult who will talk with them about their exhibit. They may exhibit a project that they have completed in a Clover Kids club or an individual project that they have chosen. Record books or record keeping materials are not required.

Clover Kids who have just completed third grade may bring small animals (rabbits, poultry, lamb, dogs, pets, calves). K-2 may exhibit pets, bucket calves, and bottle lamb/goat. Calves must weigh less than 150 pounds and be under six weeks of age (except for calves entered in the Bottle/ Bucket Department). Animals must meet health requirements that are explained in the Fair Book under general livestock rules.

Projects that might cause accidents or injury will not be accepted.

Clover Kids who are enrolled in a Bremer County 4-H Club should fill out the Clover Kids Entry Form found in the back of the Fair Book. It is also available from your leader or the Extension Office. The entry form is due at the office by July 1.

Clover Kids exhibits must be picked up on Sunday, August 7, between 7:00-9:00 am in the 4-H building. Exhibits must be checked out by the superintendent or office staff.

Clover Kids Entry Form

Judging, Sunday, July 31; 1 - 5:30 p.m.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone: _____

School Grade Just Completed _____ Club _____

Project _____

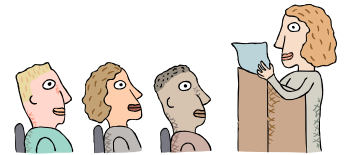
No entry fee and no premium will be given.

Will receive participation ribbon.

Clover Kids exhibits can be picked up on Sunday, August 7, 7-9:00 a.m.

Department 15 -- Communications

Tuesday, June 14 - 4:00 pm Tripoli High School



1. The Communications Program includes Educational Presentations, Working Exhibits, Share-the-Fun, and Extemporaneous Speaking.
2. No entry fee, No premium
3. Use of sanitary and safe procedures and methods is always important, particularly if food samples are available for the audience.
4. The dates and times for Bremer County communications for the 2011 State Fair will be given at judging.

Educational Presentations/Working Exhibits

Class C -- Clovers - no entry fee, ribbon only

Class J -- 4, 5, 6th Grade
Lot 1 -- Individual
Lot 2 -- Team

Class I -- 7, 8th Grade
Lot 1 -- Individual
Lot 2 -- Team

Class S -- 9, 10, 11, 12th Grade
Lot 1 -- Individual
Lot 2 -- Team

(Grades are based on the 2010 - 11 school year.)

1. Educational Presentations and Working Exhibits should be an outgrowth of the member's 4-H experience during the current year.
2. Dress Code Participants at Communications Day are expected to wear clothing that represents the 4-H program (4-H shirt) or the topic of the communication entry. Shorts, skirts, and dresses should be fingertip length or longer. If clothing contributes to the topic being presented, such as wearing a beekeepers outfit when doing an Educational Presentation or Working Exhibit on raising bees, that is acceptable.
3. Educational Presentations and Working Exhibits may be given as an individual presentation by one person or as a team presentation by two or more persons. Teams comprised of members of different ages will be classified by the oldest member's age.
4. Presenters are expected to comply with all copyright/trademark regulations. Copyrighted material may not be distributed without permission.
5. As a general guideline, clover/junior Educational Presentations should be 5 - 10 minutes in length; intermediates 10 - 15 minutes; and seniors 15 - 20 minutes. Maximum time limits for presentations are 15 minutes for juniors and 25 minutes for intermediates and seniors.
6. With a working exhibit, the member communicates informal with the audience. Many stages of exhibit or product should be ready so that any step can be discussed. No set format should be used. Questions that might be asked as starters are: Have you seen... ? Would you like to know how... ? May I show you how... ? The best subjects involve action by the youth or involve the audience in some doing, feeling, tasting, smelling or judging. 4-Hers doing working exhibits that involve food must be concerned for the safety of the food that they are using. 4-Hers should use sanitary and safe procedures and methods at all times. This is tremendously important if samples are available to the viewing public. Time limits for Working Exhibits are juniors - 25 minutes, intermediates and seniors - 45 - 50 minutes.
7. Six Educational Presentations and four Working Exhibits are selected at Communications Day to represent Bremer County at the Iowa State Fair. Must be 5th - 12th grade.
8. Four Educational Presentations and two Working Exhibits will be selected to attend Bremer County Communications Day. Must be in 5th - 8th grade.

Share-The-Fun

Dept. 15, Class SF, Lot 1d, Juniors, Intermediates, Seniors

1. Share-the-Fun skits/acts must not exceed eight (8) minutes in length. Skits/acts will be stopped that exceed this time limit. All acts must adhere to this requirement. Share-the-Fun acts are entertainment. Members may participate in Share-the-Fun in addition to doing a working exhibit or educational presentation. Skits, songs, stunts, short one-act plays, dances, plus other entertainment will be acceptable.
2. Skits/acts must be sensitive to the diversity of Iowa's population. Skits/acts must be in good taste and not offensive to minority groups of Iowa's or U.S. citizens.
3. To be eligible to participate in a Share-the-Fun skit/act at the Iowa State Fair, the 4-Hers must have completed the 5th grade. They must be an active member of an Extension-sponsored 4-H group in the current year. If a Share-the-Fun skit/act selected to participate at the 2011 State Fair involves a club, or a group from a given club, at least 80% of the performing group must have completed grade five.
4. Share-The-Fun participants may wear clothing and/or costumes appropriate to the act/skit.
5. Three Share-The-Fun acts/skits from Bremer County will be selected to advance to the Iowa State Fair (5th grade or above) and two will advance to Bremer County Communications Day (5th - 8th grade).

Extemporaneous Speaking Contest
Dept. 15, Class ES, Lot 1

This contest is designed to encourage the development of the life skill of communicating with others. Participating 4-Hers will enhance their ability to think, to organize, to speak, and to answer questions before an audience.

1. Participants must be senior aged 4-Hers, having completed the 9th grade.
 2. Contest format:
 - a. These State Fair guidelines will be used at Bremer County Presentation day.
 - b. Each contestant will draw three of the available topics, selecting one to speak on, thirty minutes before the contest. The selected topic will not be available to the other contestants in the speakers' assigned room. The other two topics will be returned to the available topics for other contestants. The general nature of the topics will relate to 4-H.
 - c. A preparation room is to be used with one contestant per speaking site admitted initially, and one additional contestant per speaking site admitted each ten minutes as the contest progresses. A contestant may not leave the preparation room until it is time to speak, nor may a contestant receive help from a parent, leader, other adult, or any other youth. Each contestant will have 30 minutes' preparation time. A contest official will assist contestants with the time requirements.
 - d. All reference material will be screened by a contest official on the following basis:
 - (1) Contestant may bring his/her own books, magazines, or newspaper clipping for reference during the thirty minutes of preparation.
 - (2) Reference material must be printed materials such as books or magazines (cannot be notes, outlines, or speeches prepared by the contestant or by another person for the purpose of use for this contest.)
 - (3) Some relevant reference material will be available in the preparation room. The material will consist of historical material related to the 4-H program.
 - e. Each speech shall be the result of the 4-Hers' own effort using approved reference material which contestant may bring to the preparation room. No other assistance may be provided. Plain 3" x 5" note cards will be provided for each contestant in the preparation room.
 - f. Only notes made during the preparation period may be used.
 - g. Each speech shall be not less than four or more than six minutes with five minutes additional time allowed for related questions which shall be asked by the judge. The contestant will be shown time cards in an ascending order (1, 2, 3, 4, 5) by the timekeeper. "Stop" will be used at six (6) minutes.
 - h. Each contestant will be introduced by a contest timekeeper by name and the county he/she represents. The contestant will be expected to introduce his/her speech by title only.
 - i. Contestants are not permitted to use any props, gadgets, posters, or audio-visuals of any sort. A podium will not be available.
 - j. Speeches will be evaluated using the following criteria:

(1) Content related to topic	(5) Voice
(2) Knowledge of the subject	(6) Stage presence
(3) Organization of material	(7) General effect
(4) Power of expression	(8) Response to questions
 - k. A judge's critique/conference with each participant will be included as a part of the contest.
 3. Two entries will be selected from Bremer County to advance to the Iowa State Fair.
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Department 16 - Creative Arts
Superintendent: Patsy Buls
5 entries per class

610 Music

An exhibit that shows learning about musical performance, composition and arrangements, instruments, musical styles or history.

620 Photography - <http://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/projects/photography.htm>

An exhibit, either photo(s) or an educational display, that shows learning about photography from choosing a camera to modifying your photo. Still photos only, not video.

1. Photographs may be either black and white or color. They may be processed from negatives, slides, or digital cameras and computer manipulation programs. Photographs must have been taken since your county fair of the previous year.
2. Mounted photos can be (a) flush-mounted [no board showing] on mounting board, or (b) with mount borders [window mat or flat mount directly on board]. Exhibitors may cut their own mounting boards, use ready-cut window mats or have matting done professionally. 4-Hers are responsible for design decisions such as border, color and size. **Framed photographs (including floating frames) will not be judged.**
3. Non-mounted photos may be exhibited in a clear plastic covering.
4. A series is a group of photographs or slides [3 to 5] that are related or tell a step-by-step story. Photographs must be mounted together in story order or sequence. Slides should be numbered.
5. Digitally altered photos should include a copy of the photo before changes.
6. Subject matter of photographs must be in good taste and be appropriate for public display in a 4-H setting.

630 Visual Arts - www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/projects/visualart.htm

An exhibit that shows learning through original art, exploration of an art technique, or study of any other visual arts topic.

1. Exhibits made from kits or preformed molds will not be accepted. Exception: Preformed molds (greenware, whiteware) may be used to provide the appropriate surface for a process technique or application of original design.



1. If the exhibit is a finished art object, the source or inspiration of the design, design sketches, or other process for creating the object and design must be included.
2. Original works of art must be a creative expression of a design unique to the artist, or represent a significant modification to an existing design to make a new and original statement by the artist.
Exhibition of derivative works created by a 4-H'er is prohibited without the written permission of the original copyright holder/owner. Use of copyrighted or trademarked designs, images, logos, or materials in 4-H visual arts exhibits is prohibited unless written permission has been obtained from the copyright or trademark holder/owner. For additional information, see 4-H Exhibit Copyright Information at <http://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/projects/visualart.htm>

640 Challenge Class - Duct Tape Creations

Regulations:

1. Open to all 4-H'ers.
2. Limit of one entry per person.
3. Entries must be brought on Sunday, August 31st between 1:00 pm and 5:00 pm.
4. The contest will be judged based on creativity, workmanship, appearance and difficulty. A top winner will be selected in each class and the champion overall exhibitor will be presented with a special award.
5. No write-up is required to enter this class. However, only projects that meet size requirements and have the write up as described in the general rules for non-livestock exhibits will be considered for state fair.

Challenge Class: Make something out of duct tape. No other materials may be used. The item can be a belt, bag, dress or anything else made of duct tape. Use your imagination!

Class J - Youth grades 4, 5, 6 and under

Class I - Youth grades 7 & 8

Class S - Youth Grades 9, 10, 11 & 12

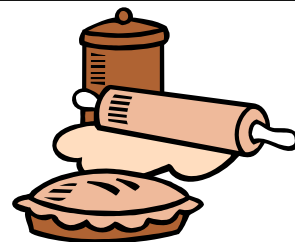
Department 17 - Family & Consumer Sciences

Superintendents: Trista Calonder (Clothing, Child Development, Consumer Management)

Kathy Hennings (Food and Nutrition)

Katie Schwartz (Home Improvement)

5 entries per class



710 Child Development

An exhibit that shows learning about children. Examples: child care, growth and development, safety and health, children with special needs, and careers in child development.

720 Clothing and Fashion

An exhibit that shows learning about style, fashion, design, thrifty spending, wardrobe planning, types of fabrics, and clothing care. Exhibits may include constructed or purchased clothing and accessories.

730 Consumer Management

An exhibit that shows learning through savvy budgeting, comparison shopping, money management, and consumer rights and responsibilities.

740 Food & Nutrition - <http://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/projects/foodandnutrition.htm>

An exhibit that shows learning through cooking, baking, eating and choosing healthy foods, including safety practices. Exhibits may include prepared products or educational displays. See also 4-H 3023 "Inappropriate Food Exhibits for Iowa 4-H Fairs" for additional information regarding prepared and preserved food products.

Special Rules

Any exhibit considered to be a food safety risk or portray a food safety risk will not be accepted, judged or displayed.

All food products/exhibits should be appropriate for human consumption.

Food product exhibits must be prepared, baked or cooked using only food grade utensils and containers.

Products that require refrigeration will not be accepted, judged or displayed.

Meat jerky products are prohibited.

The recipe must be included for any prepared food exhibit; credit the source of the recipe.

Preserved foods must include the Food Preservation Exhibit Label. Only food processed after August 1, 2010 is acceptable. Current USDA and/or Iowa State University guidelines for home food preservation must be used.

Preserved food exhibits **must** include two product samples. One will be opened for evaluation and discarded; the second will be placed on display and returned to the exhibitor. All perishable food products will be discarded when removed from display.

Prepared foods should be placed on a firm disposable plate or flat cardboard. Place food product exhibit in a reclosable plastic bag with entry tag fastened outside the bag.

The use of alcoholic beverages in the preparation or production of 4-H food exhibits is NOT permitted.

750 Health

An exhibit that shows learning through food choices, safe activities and skills such as first aid and CPR, careers, and healthy lifestyle choices.

760 Home Improvement

An exhibit that shows learning in planning, improving and caring for your home living space. Exhibits may include new or refinished/reclaimed/restored items.

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770 Sewing and Needle Arts

An exhibit that shows learning and skill in sewing, knitting, crocheting, or other needle arts, the use and care of fabrics and fibers, or the construction of clothing and other items.

790 Other Family and Consumer Science

An exhibit that demonstrates learning about a family and consumer science topic that does not fit any previous Family & Consumer Science class listed.

***Design Elements & Art Principles

The **design elements** are characteristics of everything and are always present. They appear in flowers, books, chairs, shirts, etc. When you describe something, you use words that tell about the color, texture, line, shape or form, and space.

Color/hue - Refers to the name of the color such as red or green. Value tells the lightness or dullness of the hue.

Texture - The feel of the surface such as smoothness or roughness, or the look of the surface such as shiny or dull.

Line - The edge or boundary of an object. Lines can be horizontal, vertical, dotted, zigzagged, curved, diagonal, fine, or bold. Lines show directions, divide a space, and communicate feelings.

Shape or form - Shapes are made by connecting lines. Words like circle, square, triangle, or free-form are words used to identify shapes. Shapes are two dimensional where forms are three dimensional. Forms may be balls, cubes, or pyramids. A drawing is a flat shape.

Principles of design are how the elements (line, shape, color, texture, and space) are put together

Rhythm - Is organized movement. It allows the eye to move from one part of a design to another. Rhythm is created by repeating a color, shape, line, space, or texture. It can also be created by varying the size of objects, small to large, or a progression of color.

Balance - The placement of visual weight to create a feeling of balance. Balance may be formal, informal, or radial.

Proportion - The relationship between one part of a design to another or to the whole. It is a comparison of the sizes, shapes, and quantities.

Unity - The feeling that all parts of a design belong together. Lines and shapes that repeat each other show unity. Colors that have a common hue are harmonious. Too much unity can sometimes be boring.

Emphasis - The point of interest in a design. Emphasis is the quality that draws your attention to a part of a design. Some ways to create emphasis are using contrasting color, using different or unusual lines, making a shape very large or small.

Design Element/Art Principle example: A sample write-up for a wall grouping/accessory, might be: "Since I have cats on my bedspread, I have created a feeling of unity by using cat figurines and pictures in my wall grouping. The wood shelf and picture frame are placed at opposite corners of the grouping to give a balanced appearance to the grouping. Refer to publications 4H-633 Color and 4H-634 Design, Exploring the Elements & Principles. Information on elements and principles of design for visual art can be found at: <http://www.extension.iastate.edu/Publications/4H634.pdf>.

A. Members in grades 4-6 are responsible for using a minimum of one design element within their exhibit. Youth must explain how the specified element is used in the exhibit.

B. Members in grades 7-8 are responsible for using a minimum of two design elements within their exhibit. Youth must explain how the specified element is used in the exhibit.

C. Members in grades 9-10 are responsible for using a minimum of one art principle and the element or elements used in the selected principle. Youth must explain how the elements are used to illustrate the selected principle.

D. Members in grades 11-12 are responsible for using a minimum of two art principles and the elements used in the selected principles. Youth must explain how the elements are used to illustrate the selected principles.

Department 18 -- Field Crops

Chris Pries, Superintendent 319-352-4188

Field Judging, date to be determined in July

Fair Judging, Wednesday, August 3 - 1:00 p.m. - Crop tent

Entry fee - \$2.00 per entry



1. Exhibits must have been obtained from a project officially entered as a 4-H or FFA project.
2. Exhibits must have been grown in 2011.
3. Member may have 4 entries, not more than 1 in each lot with the exception of Lot 195 where members may have 2 entries consisting of 1 each of forage and small grains.
4. Field Crops Requirements
 - A. Soybeans, five plants, brought with the roots washed free of dirt, in an ice cream pail.
 - B. Field Corn, two plants, brought with the roots washed free of dirt, in a 5-gallon pail
 - C. Forage crops (hay) bring 15 lb. sample wrapped in transparent plastic film.
 - D. Forage crops (silage), bring one gallon, sealed in a glass jar. E. Small grains, 8 lb. or 1 peck, brought in an ice cream pail.
5. Neatness of display is encouraged. Exhibitors are encouraged to paint their buckets and pails. Use of the 4-H or FFA emblem on the buckets is optional. Buckets will be returned to the exhibitor when exhibits are released.
6. Any entries not removed by the exhibitor when they are released will be discarded.
7. A major portion of the project for field crops is the judging of the plants out in the field and answers to the specific questions asked by the field judge. A schedule of dates and times for this judging will be sent to each contestant who has entered the crop project. A point system based on the individual quality of each exhibit will be used to determine award.
8. Both field judging and exhibition at the county fair must be completed to earn premium money.
9. It is desirable to be present when crops are judged.

Class A

Lot 193 -- Soybeans

Lot 194 -- Field Corn

Lot 195 -- Forage Crops and Small Grains

Department 19 - Horticulture - Actual vegetable/plant specimens

Gayle Rector, Superintendent
Assistant Superintendent - Kay Pagel
Judging, Tuesday, August 2, 2011; 12:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Entry fee \$2.00 per entry

"No advanced entries required-bring entry form with you at time of judging". A maximum of one (1) Best of Show rosette ribbon will be awarded in the Horticulture exhibit category. The Best of Show ribbon will signify the highest quality exhibit and the judge(s)' decision(s) will be final. Best of Show ribbon sponsored by Tri-Rivers Trendsetters 4-H Club. Any display depicting a concept, idea, or process with a horticulture project is entered in Department 18, Agriculture and Natural Resources, Horticulture Class 550.

1. See "General Rules" at the front of this book.
2. Entry tags must be fastened securely to the exhibit
3. Exhibits should be prepared according to Iowa State University bulletin, 4-H 462, "Harvesting and Preparing Vegetables for Exhibit" (April, 2007) and bulletin 4-H 464, "Preparing Cut Flowers and Houseplants for Exhibit" (April, 2007).
4. Entries must be taken from an officially entered Horticulture Project for 2011 .
5. Each entry must show the variety name.
6. Goal cards are not needed.

Class A -- Vegetables And Fruits

Lot 1 -- A maximum of 8 exhibits is permitted with no more than one entry per kind of fruit or vegetable. Each exhibit should be brought on a white paper plate with clear plastic bag and labeled with kind, variety, and date of planting (example... Kind: tomato; Variety: Better Boy; Planting Date: May 2, 2011).

The number of specimens to be exhibited are listed below

Beans (green) -- exhibit 6 pods; Beans (yellow) -- exhibit 6 pods
Beets -- exhibit 3 specimens
Broccoli -- exhibit 1 head or 3 side sprouts
Cabbage -- exhibit 1 head
Carrots -- exhibit 3 specimens
Cauliflower -- exhibit 1 head
Cucumbers -- exhibit 5 pickling or 2 dill/slicing
Dill -- exhibit 2 heads tied together
Eggplant -- 1 specimen
Herbs -- exhibit 3 different herbs, 1 sprig of each displayed in a bottle of water
Onions (dry) -- exhibit 3 specimens; Onions (green) -- exhibit 5 onions tied together
Parsley -- exhibit bunch of 5 stems in a bottle of water
Peppers -- exhibit 2 specimens
Potatoes -- exhibit 3 specimens
Pumpkin -- exhibit 1 specimen; miniature exhibit 3 specimens
Squash -- winter 1 specimen; summer 2 specimens
Sweet Corn -- exhibit 2 ears
Swiss Chard -- exhibit 6 leaves in bottle of water
Tomatoes -- exhibit 3 standard size; 10 cherry tomatoes
Other Herbs -- any other individual herb, 3 sprigs in bottle of water
Other Leafy Vegetable used as greens, such as spinach, beet tops, exhibit 1 plant in bottle of water
Other Vegetable -- (see 4-H 462 for exhibit guidelines)
A new vegetable you have tried -- (see 4-H 462 for exhibit guidelines)
Fruit -- ground cherries, raspberries, strawberries, exhibit 1 cup; apples exhibit 3 specimens; cantaloupe, watermelon, honey dew, exhibit 1 specimen.



Lot 2 -- First Year Exhibitor Class - A plate of mixed vegetables. Plate is to consist of one tomato, one onion, one pepper, AND two other vegetables of the exhibitor's choice. A file card must accompany the exhibit with each crop clearly labeled as to the variety.

Class B -- Vegetable Group (one entry)

Lot 1 -- The vegetable display must include five or more different vegetable crops grown in the exhibitor's home garden. More than one variety of any particular vegetable can be displayed; however, not more than four items of the same vegetable can be displayed. For example, four tomatoes would constitute one vegetable, e.g., one large red slicing, one cherry tomato, one yellow tomato and one processing tomato. The amount of produce exhibited should fit into the container. The container display will be reduced one placing if it contains more than four vegetables of any one kind, e.g., more than four beans. Any decorative basket, box, or other decorative container, can be used. For the educational benefit of the public, a file card must accompany the exhibit with each crop clearly labeled as to the variety.

Class C -- Flowers And Houseplants

Lot 1 -- Flower specimen for a 4-H Garden Project -- Should be cut to present the best possible natural presentation of the type of plant. Example: (gladiola, 1 scape; zinnia, 1 stem with full bloom and attached buds and foliage; etc. Use clear glass bottle or jar). Specimen must be taken from a member's garden.

Lot 2 -- Houseplant -- May be single specimen or collection of flowering house- plants, foliage houseplants, or succulents. Specimen should be raised by member or cared for. The name of the variety of each houseplant should be stated on a 3 x5 card.

Class D -- Bucket of Flowers (one entry)

Lot 1 -- Plants or flowers planted in a decorated 5 gallon bucket or pail, any type or color. Buckets will be judged on Tuesday, August 2 and exhibitors will then place them around the fairgrounds to beautify the area. A write-up must accompany the exhibit as to the kinds of flowers and the care needed. 4-Hers are responsible for maintaining their own bucket during fair. Buckets are to be left at fair until release time on Saturday. Champion bucket of flowers trophy sponsored by Do-R-Best 4-H Club.

Department 20 - Personal Development

Superintendent: Kathleen Petersen

5 entries per class

810 Citizenship

An exhibit that shows learning about or contributing to your community, your country or your world.

820 Communication

An exhibit that shows learning about written, oral, and visual communication skills in their many forms.

830 Leadership

An exhibit that shows learning about leadership skills and influencing others in a positive way.

890 Self-Determined

An exhibit that shows learning as part of your 4-H adventure and does not fit any other class.



Department 21 - Poster Communications

5 entries per class

821 4-H Poster Communication Exhibit

Purpose to provide an opportunity for 4-H'ers to communicate with and **tell a story or idea visually** about 4-H to the general public using the non-verbal form of communication on a poster.

4-H Poster Communication Rules

Only one poster per 4-H'er may be entered.

All posters must be designed on, or affixed to, standard poster board or foam core board—size minimum of 14" x 20" or maximum of 15" x 22". Posters may be vertical or horizontal. Posters may be any medium: watercolor, ink, crayon, acrylic, charcoal, oils, collage.

Posters **cannot** be 3-dimensional. Materials used to make the poster may **not** extend more than 1/8 inch above the poster or foam core board.

Each poster **must** have the completed Poster Exhibit Entry Form attached to the back.

Posters **cannot** use copyrighted material or exact copies of other promotional designs, such as the Iowa 4-H Youth Conference theme logo.

4-H'ers may include the 4-H clover in the poster.

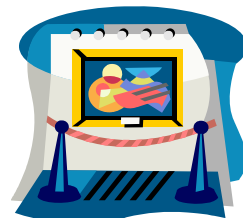
The themes for "Communicating Through 4-H Posters" are:

4-H is . . . (open to 4-H'er's interpretation)

Join 4-H

Aiming for Adventure (2011 Iowa 4-H Youth Conference theme)

Nothing Compares (2011 Iowa State Fair theme)



Department 22 - Science, Engineering & Technology

Superintendent: Bill Formwalt

5 entries per class

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

920 Mechanics – Any exhibit that shows skills or learning in automotive, electrical, small and large engines, tractors, welding, and restoration.

930 Woodworking – Any exhibit that shows learning about wood, woodworking techniques, and safe uses of woodworking tools and machines. Exhibits may include newly constructed or refinished/reclaimed/restored wood items.

940 Science, Engineering & Technology – Any exhibit that shows learning about or helps explain how science and technology help us interact with the world. Topics include aerospace, biological and chemical sciences, computers & networking, earth & climate, geospatial mapping (GPS/GIS), robotics, or any other application of Science, Engineering, or Technology.





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