

Section XI FFA
Vocational Agriculture Fair
Hancock & Adams County Fairgrounds
July 2015

Show Dates:

Garden, Food, Agronomy: Hancock County, Check-in July 21st 4 – 8 pm

Rabbit Show: Hancock County, 8:30 am July 25

Poultry Show: Hancock County, 10:30 am July 24

Livestock Specialty Show: Hancock County, 11:00 am July 25

Horse Show: Hancock County, 5:00p.m. July 23

Goat Show: Hancock County, 8:00 am July 24

Sheep Show: Hancock County, 9:00 am July 24

Swine Show: Hancock County, 10:00 am July 24

Beef Show: Hancock County, 1:00 pm July 24

Dairy Show: Adams County TBA

***WEIGH-IN FOR Beef: 8:00 a.m. of show day**

***WEIGH-IN FOR Goats, Sheep : 7:30 am of show day**

***WEIGH-IN FOR Swine: 8:00 am of show day**

Fair Superintendents 2015

Beef: Steve Buyck & Amy Lucie

Fresh Food & Canning: Sharon Knorr,

Swine: Steve Sargeant & Wyatt McGrew

Sheep: Corrine Galvan & Bryan Schullian

Goats: Bryan Schullian & Corrine Galvan

Horse: Ann Knowles

Livestock Specialty & Rabbits: Sam DeCounter, Terri Hooper

Garden & Agronomy: Bryan Schullian

Poultry: Molly Maxstadt, Terry Hooper, Ann Knowles

Dairy: Steve Buyck , Sam DeCounter

Section 11 Vocational Agriculture Fair Rules

General Rules and Regulations

1. All exhibitors must be enrolled in Agriculture Education the previous year or have taken all of the Agriculture Education offered at his/her school. Current graduated seniors and midterm graduates are eligible to show.
2. Each VO-Ag student must exhibit his/her own project unless permission is secured in advance from the superintendent in charge of the division in which he/she is showing.
3. Exhibits must be in place by the designated times. Judging will start at the designated times.
4. All state health papers will be checked by a licensed veterinarian one-hour prior to the start of the show for the beef, dairy, horses, sheep, goats, and swine departments. Section 11 FFA will follow all state fair junior livestock show health requirements. **Those not having healthy animals as determined by the department superintendent will not be permitted to exhibit.**
5. All exhibits must be a part of the student's SAE with a record book covering the enterprise and to be made available to the superintendent of the division. This includes graduating seniors.
6. Project record books must be up to date, according to the standards, by the date chosen for the entry check-in, assigned by the Section 11 FFA advisors. The animals to be shown must be entered somewhere in the record book by check-in day. If not the animal will be scratched from the show entries.
7. Corrected project record books must be brought and placed by the students in the respective areas at the Vocational Agriculture Fair headquarters.
8. It will be the responsibility of the student to pick up his/her record book at the conclusion of the show.
9. All entries must be made on the designated date and the entry fees will be charged accordingly. This includes the showmanship classes.
10. There will be an entry fee of \$5.00 for beef, horses, and dairy; \$3.00 for sheep, goats and swine; \$1.00 entry fee for rabbits, all other animals, and poultry; and \$.50 for the garden department, canning, baking, agronomy. Fees may be subject to change.
11. **There shall be absolutely no additions or changes on the day of the show.** Deletions will be allowed, but absolutely no refunds for entry fees.

12. **No animal may not be shown as both a market animal and a breeding animal.** (You may not combine a market and a breeding animal together for a pair class.)
13. An animal showing in a purebred class may not show in a crossbred class.
14. The teacher and student shall receive a specific written list of corrections, additions, etc. discovered on the date of entry check-in. If any of the specific item(s) are not properly taken care of by show date, the student will automatically receive a "C" rating. However the student will not be disqualified as a result of a new error found on show day.
15. On Show Day, the Division Superintendents shall have the option of denying the student the right to show and collect any premium for the said entries in question if brought to a committee consisting of the department superintendent and fair manager.
16. Livestock may be removed when released by the division superintendent.
17. The premium money will be awarded on the placing system. Beef and Dairy 22X- 20X-18X-16X-14X-12X-10X; Beef rate of gain, 25X-24X-23X-22X-20X-19X-18X-17X-16X-15X; Goats, Sheep, & Swine 14X-12X-10X-8X-6X; Sheep & Swine rate of gain, 18X-16X-14X-12X-10X; Horses, 18X-16X-14X-12X-10X; Poultry, Rabbits, & Specialty Animals, 8X-6X-6X-5X-5X-4X; and Fresh Food , Canning, Agronomy and Garden Produce, 7X-5X-4X-3X-2X.
18. **The premium money allotted to Section 11 will be divided approximately 10% for record book show, and 90% for the Livestock show.** Section 11 IAVAT will fund the Ag Science Show.
19. A class is defined as a distinct age group; a lot is defined as a single unit to be exhibited.
20. Grand Champion and Reserve Champions will be awarded for:

BEEF	female, bull, steer, rate of gain
DAIRY	female & heifer
SHEEP	ewe, ram, market lamb, rate of gain
GOATS	Meat Doe & Buck, Milk Doe & Buck & wether
SWINE	gilt, boar, market hog, rate of gain
HORSES	best of halter, halter showmanship, Western horsemanship, Western pleasure
POULTRY	Best of Show
GARDEN	Best Exhibit
RABBITS	Best of Show
AGRONOMY	Best of Show
FRESH FOOD	Best of Show
CANNING	Best of Show

SHOWMANSHIP	beef, dairy, sheep, swine, & goats, rabbits

21. Grand Champion Plaques will be awarded in the above areas.
22. An exhibitor must show their own animal and the animal must have been previously shown for the showmanship class.
23. **No animal may show in a class other than the one designated for their actual age.**
24. The order of the show will be in the order of the lot numbers.
25. Exhibitors must show their own livestock except in the case of a conflict. Two or more judges will be used and the same student might be showing two species at the same time. In that case the exhibitor will need to get help from a fellow FFA member.
26. This copy shall supersede any county fair book, in the case of an unintentional error.

Fresh Foods Department

1. Exhibitors may exhibit up to 20 entries.
2. Each student shall bring the entries in the specified container. Please have a tag attached to the containers. Please print the following on each Entry tag:

Name of Exhibitor
School
Entry Area

Use any suitable tag (one suggestion is to use half of a 3 X 5 index card (2½" X 3")) punch a hole in it and attach to the container with a tie or a string.

3. Students must prepare their own exhibits.

710. Angel Food Cake- No icing	727. Macaroons	745. Loaf Whole Wheat Bread
711. Red Velvet Cake- Iced	728. Oatmeal Cookies	746. Loaf Sourdough Bread
712. German Chocolate Cake- Iced	729. Chocolate Chip Cookies	747. Bread Machine Loaf
713. Carrot Cake- Iced	730. Chocolate no Bake	748. Cinnamon Rolls- 3 No Topping
714. Devils Food Or Chocolate Cake- Choc Icing	731. Gingersnap Cookies	749. ¼ Coffee Cake
715. Nut Cake- White Icing	732. Icebox Cookies	750. Zucchini Loaf- No Nuts
716. Yellow Cake- Any Icing	733. Peanut Butter Cookies	751. Nut Bread Loaf
717. Chocolate Texas Sheet Cake- 6 In Square.	734. Sugar Cookies	752. Banana Bread Loaf
718. Apple Cake- 6 in. Square	735. Snicker Doodle Cookies	753. Biscuits (3)
719. Yellow Pound Cake- no icing- half loaf	736. Decorated Cookie 6"	754. Plain Muffins(3)
720. Decorate Cake From Mold	737. Chocolate Brownies-No Frosting	755. Blueberry Muffins(3)
721. Cut out Cake	738. Blonde Brownies- No Frosting	756. White Dinner Rolls (3)
722. Decorated Wedding or Anniversary Cake	740. Slice Cherry Pie	757. Whole Wheat Dinner Rolls (3)
723. Decorated Cupcakes	741. Slice Apple Pie	758. One Pie Shell
724. Plain Chocolate Cookies	742. Slice Peach Pie	759. Egg Noodles- ½ pint
725. Date or Nut Cookies	743. Slice Pecan Pie	760. Carmels (3)
726. Fruit Cookies No Nuts	744. White Compressed Yeast Bread	761. Choc Fudge- No Nuts

Canned Foods Department

4. Exhibitors may exhibit up to 20 entries.
5. Each student shall bring the entries in the specified container. Please have a tag attached to the containers. Please print the following on each Entry tag:

Name of Exhibitor
School
Entry Area

Use any suitable tag (one suggestion is to use half of a 3 X 5 index card (2½" X 3")) punch a hole in it and attach to the container with a tie or a string.

6. Students must prepare their own exhibits.

770. Green Beans- Snapped	789. Any other Jam
771. Green Beans- Whole	791. Blackberry Jelly
772. Beets- Whole	792. Grape Jelly
773. Corn- Whole cut from the cob	793. Any other Jelly
774. Lima Beans	795. Sliced Dill Pickle
775. Peas	796. Whole Dill Pickles
776. Tomatoes Whole	797. Beet Pickle
777. Tomato Juice	798. Bread and Butter
778. Any Other Vegetable	799. Lime Pickles
780. Blackberries	800. Any Other Pickle
781. Any Apple Product- No Jam or Jelly	802. Pizza Sauce
782. Peaches Halves	803. Cucumber Relish
783. Pears	804. Zucchini Relish
784. Any Fruit Not listed	
786. Blackberry Jam	
787. Black Raspberry Jam	
788. Strawberry Jam	

Poultry Department
Lot 001 – 099

1. Each exhibitor may show up to 20 entries.
2. Production hens will be four individuals with judging based on past egg production. **This class is for birds that have been in production more than one year.**
3. Cock is a male over 1 year of age, Cockerel is a male under 1 year of age, Hen is a female over 1 year of age and a Pullet is a female under 1 year of age.
4. The meat pen will consist of a pen of three.
5. Classes:

American (Standards)		Clean Legged Bantam	
Cock	1	Cock	25
Cockerel	2	Cockerel	26
Hen	3	Hen	27
Pullet	4	Pullet	28
Asiatic (Standards)		White Ducks	
Cock	5	Male	29
Cockerel	6	Female	30
Hen	7	Colored Ducks	
Pullet	8	Male	31
English (Standards)		Female	32
Cock	9	Geese	
Cockerel	10	Male	33
Hen	11	Female	34
Pullet	12	Turkey	
Mediterranean (Standards)		Male	35
Cock	13	Female	36
Cockerel	14	Pigeon	
Hen	15	Male	37
Pullet	16	Female	38
All Other Standard Breeds and Crosses		Guinea	
Cock	17	Male	39
Cockerel	18	Female	40
Hen	19	All Other Poultry	
Pullet	20	Male	41
Feather Legged Bantam		Female	42
Cock	21	Meat Pen	43
Cockerel	22		
Hen	23		
Pullet	24		

Garden Produce Department

7. Exhibitors may exhibit up to 20 entries.
8. Each student shall bring the entries in the specified container. Please have a tag attached to the containers. Please print the following on each Entry tag:

Name of Exhibitor
School
Entry Area

Use any suitable tag (one suggestion is to use half of a 3 X 5 index card (2½" X 3")) punch a hole in it and attach to the container with a tie or a string. Entries not in cans should have a tag taped to the container or exhibit in some way.

9. Students must prepare their own exhibits and displays.
10. Single entries are not to be used as part of the exhibit.
11. The Display of Garden Produce Exhibit must have a list of vegetables included in display.
12. Cut flowers in bouquet should be cut with plenty of stem and leaves and brought in a suitable container which has been arranged properly. Bouquets must contain six or more stalks, unless noted. Use of plastic flowers and leaves is prohibited.
13. Lots 506 and higher are for FFA show only.
14. For Lot 512 and 513 (other species) cannot be similar items. For this lot if the single item is less than 1 inch display as one pint, 1 to 5 inches display 6 items, and greater than 5 inches or 5 pounds display 1 item.

Vegetables:			
		Yellow Peppers (3)	453
Eggplant (1)	439	Banana Peppers (3)	454
Green Pod Snap Beans (12)	440	Red Potatoes (4)	455
Yellow Wax Beans (12)	441	White Potatoes (4)	456
Beets (6)	442	Zucchini Squash (2)	457
Cabbage (1)	443	Acorn Squash (1)	458
Red Cabbage (1)	444	Turnips (3)	459
Carrots (6)	445	Yellow Sweet Corn (4)	460
Slicing Cucumbers (6)	446	White & Yellow Sweet Corn (4)	461
Pickling Cucumbers (6)	447	Red Tomatoes (4)	462
White Onions (4)	448	Green Tomatoes (4)	463
Yellow Onions (4)	449	Roma Tomatoes (6)	464
Red Onions (4)	450	Cherry tomatoes (6)	465
Green Peppers (3)	451	Broccoli (1)	466
Hot Peppers (3)	452	Potted Herbs	467

Display of Garden Produce	468	Marigolds (3 large)	479
Watermelon (1)	506	Petunias (Double)	480
Muskmelon (1)	507	Petunias (Single)	481
Lima Beans (12)	508	Snapdragons	482
Summer Squash (2)	509	Zinnias (large 3" +)	483
Apples (3)	510	Zinnias (small and medium)	484
Grapes (1 cluster)	511	Pansies	485
Other vegetable	512	Calendulas	486
Other vegetable 2	513	Salvia	487
Winter Squash	514	Phlox (perennials)	488
Berries	515	Cone Flowers	489
Other Fruit	516		

Floriculture:

Cut flowers in bouquet:

Bachelor Buttons	470
Cosmos	471
Dahlias (3)	472
Gladiola (3)	473
Daylillies (3)	474
Lillies (3)	475
Black Eyed Susan	476
Roses (1 large or 6 small)	477
Marigolds (small or medium)	478
Any other cut flower not listed	490

Potted Plants:

African violet in bloom (1 crown)	491
Cactus	492
Foliage (more than 1 variety)	493
Blooming (more than 1 variety)	494
Tropical Foliage under 15"	495
Tropical Foliage over 15"	496
Blooming hanging basket	497
Non-Blooming hanging basket	498
Any other blooming plant	499

Miscellaneous:

Small table centerpiece (all sides)	500
Mixed garden arrangement > 15"	501
Miniature flower arrangement	502
(Maximum 3" high & wide including container)	
Wild flowers along roadside	503
Small sunflower arrangement	504
Sunflower (single)	505

Agronomy Department

1. Limit 20 Entries per student
2. All entries of shelled corn and small grains shall consist of one gallon. All other seeds (popcorn, clover, etc.) shall be one quart. Hay will be one flake only. .
3. All students should have lids on all grain containers to avoid spillage.
4. Each student shall bring the entries in the specified container. Please have a tag attached to the containers. Please print the following on each Entry tag:

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School
Entry Area

Use any suitable tag (one suggestion is to use half of a 3 X 5 index card (2½" X 3")) punch a hole in it and attach to the container with a tie or a string. Entries not in cans should have a tag taped to the container or exhibit in some way.

6. Each student may exhibit 2 entries per class.
7. To be eligible to exhibit in this show a member must be completing a program that is related to the product being exhibited. The programs are listed below.

Lot #	Class Description	Lot #	Class Description
800	Three Stalks of Corn- Current Growing Year	808	One Gallon Shelled Popcorn
801	One Gallon Corn- Previous Growing Season	809	1 Flake Straw
802	Three Soybean Plants- Current Growing Season	810	1 Flake Alfalfa Hay
803	One Gallon Soybeans Previous Growing Season	811	1 Flake Grass Hay
804	One Gallon Silage	812	1 Flake Mixed Hay
805	One Gallon Wheat	814	3 Ears Indian Corn
806	One Gallon Oats	815	Forage Seed- One Gallon
807	10 Popcorn Ears	816	Any Other Agronomic Crop

Dairy Department

5. Exhibitors may exhibit up to 12 entries.
6. All dairy animals to be shown must be entered in the student's records as of May 31st.
7. The dairy superintendent will determine which breeds will have their respective breed classes on the Section 11 FFA Fair check-in day based upon the number of entries.
8. Cows must have calved.
9. Spring Calf - March 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014
10. Junior Heifer Calf - Dec. 1, 2013 to Feb. 28, 2014
11. Heifer Calf - Sept. 1, 2013 to Nov. 30, 2013
12. Summer Yearling Heifer - June 1, 2013 to Aug. 31, 2013
13. Junior Yearling Heifer - March 1, 2013 to May 31, 2013
14. Intermediate Yearling Heifer - Dec. 1, 2012 to Feb. 28, 2013
15. Senior Yearling Heifer - Sept. 1, 2012 to Nov. 30, 2012
16. Junior two-year-old cow - Mar. 1, 2012 to Aug. 31, 2012
17. Senior two-year-old cow - Sept. 1, 2011 to Feb. 28, 2012
18. Three-year-old cow - Sept. 1, 2010 to Aug. 31, 2011
19. Four-year-old cow - Sept. 1, 2009 to Aug. 31, 2010
20. Aged cow - born on or before Aug. 31, 2009
21. Dry three & four year old cow - Sept. 1, 2009 to Aug. 31, 2011
22. Dry aged cow - born before Sept. 1, 2009

Class	Breed
Spring calf	201
Junior Heifer calf	202
Heifer Calf	203
Summer Yearling	204
Junior Yearling	205
Intermediate Yearling	206
Senior Yearling	207
Junior 2 Year Cow	208
Senior 2 Year Old	209
3 Year Cow	210
4 year old Cow	211
Aged Cow	212
Dry 3 & 4 Year old Cow	213
Dry aged Cow	214
Showmanship	

Health Papers: All cattle, except steers and calves less than 6 months of age are to be accompanied by a health certificate issued within 90 days prior to exhibition, showing individual identification of each animal by fully healed and legible tattoo, official metal tag, registration number, or individual brands, if brand is recorded on the registration certificate.

Tuberculosis-Illinois is an Accredited Tuberculosis-Free State. Tuberculin test is not required for Illinois cattle.

Brucellosis-Illinois is a Bovine Brucellosis Class-Free State. Brucellosis testing is not required for Illinois cattle.

Beef Department

1. Exhibitors may exhibit up to **12 entries**.
2. All Beef animals to be shown must be entered in student's records as of May 1.
3. To be eligible for purebred class, animals must meet minimum standards for registration eligibility of that breed.
4. The beef superintendents will determine which breeds will have their respective breed classes on the Section 11 FFA Fair check-in day based upon the number of entries.
5. If an animal is not eligible for the purebred class, it may be shown in the commercial X-bred class and must be entered at the fair record book check meeting.
6. All steers will be shown at the end of the Beef Show.
7. **All steers are required to have nomination papers and legible tattoos on the steers' ear and will be aged by the teeth which will be checked by a vet in order to show and participate in rate of gain.**
8. There will be no crossbred bull classes excluding the junior bull calf class.
9. Cows must have calved.
10. Senior yearling - calved between September 1, and December 31, 2012.
11. Late junior yearling heifer - calved between January 1, and February 28, 2013.
12. Early junior yearling heifer - calved between March 1, and April 30, 2013.
13. Junior yearling bull – calved between January 1, and April 30, 2013.
14. Summer yearling - calved between May 1, and August 31, 2013.
15. Senior calf - calved between September 1, and December 31, 2013.
16. Junior calves - calved after January 1st of the current year.
17. Steer class will be broken by weight.
18. No class will contain more than 10 steers.
19. **Health Papers:** All cattle, except steers and calves less than 6 months of age, are to be accompanied by a health certificate issued within 90 days prior to exhibition, showing individual identification of each animal by a fully healed and legible tattoo, official metal tag, registration number, or individual brands, if brand is recorded on registration certificate.
Tuberculosis: Illinois is an Accredited Tuberculosis-Free State. Tuberculin test is not required for Illinois cattle.
Brucellosis: Illinois is a bovine Brucellosis Class-Free State. Brucellosis testing is not required for Illinois cattle.
20. **Rate of Gain:**
 1. Animals to be entered in this lot must have been weighed at tattooed during the respective county's weigh-in and also must be tattooed.
 2. A copy of the signed nomination form in the student's name will be given to the beef superintendent at the time of the weigh-in.
 3. The animals will be weighed at the same time as steers for the steer show.
 4. **Two specified entries will be allowed to show in this class.**
 5. Entries must be exhibited to earn a premium.

Class	Breed	X-Bred
Jr. heifer calf	301	308
Sr. heifer calf	302	309
Summer yearling heifer	303	310
Early jr. yearling heifer	304	311
Late jr. yearling heifer	305	312
Sr. yearling heifer	306	313
Cow	307	314
Jr. bull calf	315	319
Sr. bull calf	316	
Summer yearling bull	317	
Jr. yearling bull	318	
Steer	320	
Rate of Gain	321	
Showmanship		

Sheep Department

1. Exhibitors may exhibit up to 16 entries.
2. All sheep animals to be shown must be entered in student's records as of May 1.
3. The sheep superintendents will determine which breeds will have their respective breed classes on the Section 11 FFA Fair check-in day based upon the number of entries.
4. Yearling ewes - under two years of age.
5. Wethers must be born after January 1st the year of the show,
6. The superintendents reserves the right, but is not required, to make any breed that does not have 5 animals show in all other breeds.
7. Fall lambs must be born between August and December of the previous year.
8. No animal may be exhibited more than once except for the showmanship classes.
9. Rate of Gain:
 1. Animals to be entered in this lot number must have been weighed and tattooed during the respective country's weigh-in.
 2. A copy of the signed nomination form, in the student's name, will be given to the sheep superintendent at the time of the weigh in.

Class	Breed	Cross bred
Fall Ram	401	406
Ram Lamb	402	407
Yrlng Ewe	403	408
Fall Ewe	404	409
Ewe Lamb	405	410
Market Lambs	420	
Rate of Gain	421	
Showmanship		

Swine Department

1. Exhibitors may exhibit up to 16 entries.
2. The swine superintendents will determine which breeds will have their respective breed classes on the Section 11 FFA Fair check-in day based upon the number of entries.
3. All swine must be ear-notched or tattooed and the record books must state the date the pigs were identified and the system used. Therefore, no fresh notches.
4. All classes must have farrowed on or after January 1 of the current year.
5. An exhibitor may show double lots, but may show no more than two per entry class.
6. All swine animals to be shown must be entered in the student's records as of May 1.
7. To be eligible for the purebred classes, animals must meet the minimum standards for registration eligibility of that breed association.
8. If an animal is not eligible for purebred class, it may be shown in crossbred class.
9. Exhibitors must show either a barrow or gilt for showmanship.
10. January pigs - Farrowed between January 1 and January 31 of the current year.
11. February pigs - Farrowed between February 1 and February 29 of the current year.
12. March pigs - Farrowed between March 1 and March 31 of the current year.
13. Market hogs will be shown following the completion of the breeding classes. They will be shown by breeds and the Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion will be selected from the first place barrow and gilt from each class. The second place barrow or gilt will be eligible for Reserve Grand Champion in the class the Grand Champion comes from.
14. Show order will be as stated in the book. Ex. After the first 3 boar classes are finished, a champion and reserve champion boar will be selected. The 3 gilt classes will be shown and a champion and reserve champion will be selected. Then move on to the next breed and so on until all breeding classes have been completed.
15. After the breeding classes are completed, the Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Gilt will be selected. Next the Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Boar will be selected. The market gilts and barrows will show and the Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Market hog will be selected.
16. **Commercial breeding gilts, Market Gilts, and Barrows will be weighed and divided into classes by weight.**
17. Showmanship will conclude the show.
18. No animal may be exhibited more than once except for the showmanship classes.
19. Market Gilt and Barrow Classes:
 1. There will be no more than twelve (12) animals in the commercial gilt or barrow classes.
 2. Only gilts are allowed in the gilt classes and only barrows are allowed in the barrow classes.

18. Rate of Gain Classes:

1. Animals to be entered in this lot must have been weighed, ear notched, and tattooed before they are 35 days old. Pigs cannot weigh more than the equivalent of 1.0 pounds per day of age at the time of weighing.
2. A copy of a signed nomination for in the student's name will be given to the swine superintendent at weigh-in time.
3. The animals will be weighed at the same time as the market hogs.
4. Two entries are allowed in this lot.
5. Entries must be exhibited to earn a premium.
6. Rate of Gain weights and dates should be included in the student's record book.

Class	Breeds
Boar	501
January gilt	502
February gilt	503
March gilt	504
Commercial gilt	505
Market gilt	506
Barrow	507
Rate of Gain	508
Showmanship	

Goat Department

1. Exhibitors may exhibit up to 16 entries.
2. Money will be paid on the following breeds: (Nubian, Saanen, Meat Goats, and All Other Dairy Breeds.)
3. Meat goats would include but are not limited to: Boer, Catatonic (fainting), and Pygmy breeds.
4. Purebred breeding animals must have registration papers.
5. Crossbreds will show in all other breeds
6. No Crossbred buck Kids
7. All goats in milk must have at least 12 hours of milk in their udder.
8. All goats should be clipped head to tail including the udder.
9. No visible signs of infection or disease will be allowed.
10. Wethers must have their milk teeth in order to be shown.

Health Papers- Health certificates will no be required for Illinois goats. It is expected that the health certificates will be replaced by additional physical observation of the goats at the fairgrounds by fair personal at time of entry. Goats from a flock with a laboratory diagnosis of scrapie are not permitted to exhibit.

Goats, including dairy goats, with any or all of the following conditions shall not be exhibited and must be removed immediately from the exhibit area:

1. Lesions of contagious ecthyma (sore mouth)
2. Active lesions or ringworm with resulting loss of hair.
3. Caseous lymphadenitis as evidence by draining abscesses.

Meat Does and Bucks

Does	Class	Bucks
601	0 to under 3 months	610
602	3 to under 6 months	611
603	6 to under 9 months	612
604	9 to under 12 months	613
	Junior Champion (no premium)	
605	12 to under 16 months	614
606	16 to under 20 months	615
607	20 to under 24 months	616
608	24 to under 36 months	617
609	36 months and older	618
	Senior Champion (no premium)	
	Overall Champion	

Milk Does and Bucks

Does	Class	Bucks
620	0 to under 3 months	630
621	3 to under 6 months	631
622	6 to under 9 months	632
623	9 to under 12 months	633
	Junior Champion (no premium)	
624	12 to under 16 months	634
625	16 to under 20 months	635
626	20 to under 24 months	636
627	24 to under 36 months	637
628	36 months and older	638
	Senior Champion (no premium)	
	Overall Champion	

640	Wethers
650	

Horses

1. Horses will be released immediately following the show.
2. Animals shown in lots 701 to 710 are not eligible to show in lot 711.
3. Coggins papers will be checked on all equine animals as specified by the state guidelines as follows:
 "Illinois equine (horses, ponies, mules, etc.) twelve months and older participating in an advertised equine event shall be accompanied by a NEGATIVE test for equine infectious anemia (EIA), by means of a Coggins or Celissa test conducted within one year prior to date of show"
4. No stud horses allowed on the fairgrounds.
5. Horses may be measured at the withers to check height, if needed.
6. Draft horses will be shown in their respective age classes.
7. All FFA horsemanship entries will ride in the 4-H Senior Division for over 56", even if riding a pony.
8. The use of a helmet on gymkhana classes is recommended, but not required.
9. Only 1 entry allowed in the riding classes.
10. Stock type breeds includes Quarter horses, Paints, and Appaloosas. Non-stock breeds include Arabians, Morgans, Saddlebreds, and Draft.

Lot #	Halter Classes
701	Pony Halter, under 56". This includes miniatures
702	Mare and Foal, current year
703	Foal, current year
704	Yearling Halter, mare or gelding
705	Two and Three Year Old Halter, mare and gelding, 56' and over
706	Four Year Old or Older Halter, Stock Type Mare
707	Four Year Old or Older Halter, Non-Stock Mare
708	Four Year Old or Older, Stock Type Gelding
709	Four Year Old or Older, Non-Stock Type Gelding
710	Mule Halter
711	Other Equine- not shown in any other Lot
712	Showmanship

Lot #	Riding Classes
720	Western Pleasure (judges the horse, under saddle). Horse or pony
721	Western Horsemanship (judges the rider). Horse or pony
722	Trail Class. Horse or pony
723	Pole Bending. Horse or pony

Rabbits

1. Exhibitors may exhibit up to 20 entries.
2. **A Best of Show award will be given if a minimum of 15 actual exhibits is shown.**
3. All rabbits must be properly ear marked.
4. Meat Pen is 3 rabbits under 70 days of age and 3 – 5 pounds.
5. Single fryer is under 70 days of age and 3 – 5 pounds.
6. Single roaster is a market rabbit over 5 pounds and under 8 pounds.
7. Single stewart is a market rabbit over 8 pounds.

New Zealand (all colors)		Holland Lops	
Senior buck	1	Senior buck	53
Senior doe	2	Senior doe	54
6-8 buck	3	Junior buck	55
6-8 doe	4	Junior doe	56
Junior buck	5	Dutch (black)	
Junior doe	6	Senior buck	65
California		Senior doe	66
Senior buck	9	Junior buck	67
Senior doe	10	Junior doe	68
6-8 buck	11	Dutch (all other)	
6-8 doe	12	Senior buck	77
Junior buck	13	Senior doe	78
Junior doe	14	Junior buck	79
Satin		Junior doe	80
Senior buck	17	Florida White	
Senior doe	18	Senior buck	83
6-8 buck	19	Senior doe	84
6-8 doe	20	Junior buck	85
Junior buck	21	Junior doe	86
Junior doe	22	Mini Rex (broken)	
American Chinchilla		Senior buck	95
Senior buck	25	Senior doe	96
Senior doe	26	Junior buck	97
6-8 buck	27	Junior doe	98
6-8 doe	28	Mini Rex (solid)	
Junior buck	29	Senior buck	101
Junior doe	30	Senior doe	102
All other 6 class breeds not listed		Junior buck	103
Senior buck	33	Junior doe	104
Senior doe	34	All other 4 class breeds not listed	
6-8 buck	35	Senior buck	107
6-8 doe	36	Senior doe	108
Junior buck	37	Junior buck	109
Junior doe	38	Junior doe	110
Mini Lop		Meat pen	111
Senior buck	41	Single fryer	112
Senior doe	42		
Junior buck	43		
Junior doe	44		

Livestock Specialty

Dogs:

- Lot 901.** Large breed dog – male
- Lot 902.** Large breed dog – female
- Lot 903.** Small breed dog – male
- Lot 904.** Small breed dog- female

Other Specialty:

- Lot 905.** Single other specialty animal
- Lot 906.** Pen of other specialty animal
- Lot 907.** Single Cat –male
- Lot 908.** Single Cat-female
- Lot 909.** Honey, approximately 1 pound
- Lot 910.** Bees
- Lot 911.** Game bird
- Lot 912.** Pen of three game birds

Agriculture Mechanics Show

1. Only those students currently enrolled in Agriculture Education classes are eligible to exhibit.
2. All exhibits must be the result of the exhibitor's own efforts and must have a name tag, age, department, and class number.
3. The project sheet must be included and completely completed or a deduction in the placing of the project will occur.
4. All projects must be completed after the previous year's Agriculture Mechanics Show. Each project entered must have a specific use.
5. An exhibit may only show in one area.
6. Large projects may be exempt from showing the actual project if adequate supportive information (photos, drawings, scale models) is provided.
7. Two entries per class, but must show different skills used.
8. Entries will be rated by the number of parts and complexity of the project and placed into the proper category. The judge will determine the categories. All projects will be placed.
Category #1 -less than 5 parts; or small amount of difficulty
Category #2 -5 to 15 parts; or medium amount of difficulty
Category #3 -more than 15 parts; or high amount of difficulty
9. A plaque will be given out to the exhibit named "Best of Show".
10. Entry fees for the Agriculture Mechanics Show are \$1.00. The minimum value of "X" will be \$1.00.
11. The Small Engine Class will have the engines in off-season storage condition. The engines will not be started with no gas in the engine.
12. Wildlife Department. A student may exhibit 2 wildlife exhibits in this department. A narrative of the wildlife project must be included in the exhibit. The entries must be harvested less than one year from the previous Agriculture Mechanics Fair. A related record book must accompany the corresponding entry. Examples include a deer harvested in 2012 must be in the 2012 record book while a turkey harvested in 2013 must be in the 2013 record book.
13. Home or Community Development Department. A student may enter only one exhibit in this department. The entry must be done less than one year from the previous Agriculture Mechanics Fair. A narrative, photos, video, or other medium may be used to show the project. The student is responsible for bringing all of the necessary equipment. A record book must accompany the exhibit.
14. Computer Department. A **chapter** may enter only one entry in this department. The presentation is limited to a minimum of 50 slides and a maximum of 15 minutes. The student is responsible for bringing all of the necessary equipment to exhibit the entry. The exhibit must be of the individual member's work. The four areas in this department include:
 - A. SAEP
 - B. FFA Activities
 - C. CDE
 - D. Html – must link to a minimum of 20 different sites

15. Entry fees for the Computer Department are \$1.00.
- Landscape Design Department.
16. The Landscape Design Department will be divided into two classes. The classes are:
- A. two dimensional
 - B. two dimensional computer generated
- A. Entries will be evaluated on:
- use of landscape design that includes the building
 - identification of plant material that includes a minimum of **five species**
 - inventory of landscape materials
 - a narrative of the design
 - quality of the project**
- All evaluation criteria is required, if any criteria is missing the exhibit will **be disqualified**.
- B. The two dimensional classes will have a maximum of 24" X 36".
 - C. Each entry must be a different landscape design.
 - D. Students will be allowed one entry in each area.
 - E. Entry fee will be \$1.00 for the two-dimensional.

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Class: _____

Project name: _____

Student name: _____

Chapter: _____

Age: _____ Year in School: _____

Where project was completed: _____

Estimated Cost of project: _____

Attach a brief description of project procedures:

Judges Rating: _____

Judges Comments:

Classes

Department	Category	X value
Woodworking under \$50	1	8-6-4-4-4-2
Woodworking under \$50	2	12-10-8-8-6-6-4
Woodworking under \$50	3	16-14-12-12-10-10-6
Woodworking over \$50	1	8-6-4-4-4-2
Woodworking over \$50	2	12-10-8-8-6-6-4
Woodworking over \$50	3	16-14-12-12-10-10-6
Electricity	1	8-6-4-4-4-2
Electricity	2	12-10-8-8-6-6-4
Electricity	3	16-14-12-12-10-10-6
Metals and welding under \$50	1	8-6-4-4-4-2
Metals and welding under \$50	2	12-10-8-8-6-6-4
Metals and welding under \$50	3	16-14-12-12-10-10-6
Metals and welding over \$50	1	8-6-4-4-4-2
Metals and welding over \$50	2	12-10-8-8-6-6-4
Metals and Welding over \$50	3	16-14-12-12-10-10-6
Small engines & motor mechanics	1	8-6-4-4-4-2
Small engine & motor mechanics	2	12-10-8-8-6-6-4
Small engine & motor mechanics	3	16-14-12-12-10-10-6
Concrete and Miscellaneous	1	8-6-4-4-4-2
Concrete and Miscellaneous	2	12-10-8-8-6-6-4
Concrete and Miscellaneous	3	16-14-12-12-10-10-6

Section 11 Livestock & Garden Show Entry Sheet
School Master Entry Sheet

School _____ Instructor _____

Date of initial record book inspection ____ July _____

Date of show __ July _____ Location __ Augusta, Mendon _____

Total number of students exhibiting _____

Total number of entries _____

Total amount of entry fees paid _____

Paid by check ____ or cash ____

Individual Fair Entry Sheet

Member's Name: _____

Chapter: _____

Department(s): _____

breed or variety	lot #	Class description	Date entered in record book	Identification	List where animals can be found in record book

Animal Record Book Minimum Standard Sheet

Name: _____

Chapter: _____

Department(s): _____

Item	PASS	FAIL
cover – completed		
page 1A, completed and signed		
page 2A, completed		
page 3A, current for the year		
page 4A, current for system used, Production and Returns – blank		
page 5A, Record of Experiences, up to date with a minimum of 20 entries		
page 7A, current for system used		
page 9A, current		
page 11A, current		
page 13A, Inventory – completed and totaled		
page 14A - 15A – blank		
Page 6-1 – must match inventory items		

If you failed any of the above categories, Please bring book and this sheet to fair on show day.

Teacher's Signature: _____

Crop Record Book Minimum Standards Sheet

Name: _____

Chapter: _____

Department(s): _____

Item	PASS	FAIL
cover – completed		
page 1C, completed and signed		
page 2C, completed		
page 3C, current for the year		
page 4C, blank		
page 5C Record of Experiences, up to date with a minimum of 20 entries		
page 7C, current for system used		
page 9C, current		
page 11C, current		
page 13C, Inventory – completed and totaled		
page 14C – blank		
Page 6-1 – must match inventory items		

If you failed any of the above categories, Please bring book and this sheet to fair on show day.

Teacher's Signature: _____

Placement Record Book Minimum Standards Sheet

Name: _____

Chapter: _____

Department(s): _____

Item	PASS	FAIL
cover – completed		
page 1B, completed and signed		
page 2B, completed		
page 3B, completed and signed		
page 4B, completed and current		
page 5B, Record of Experiences, up to date with a minimum of 20 entries		
page 7B, current for system used		
page 11B, current		
page 13B, Inventory – completed and totaled		
page 14B – blank		
Page 6-1 – must match inventory items		

If you failed any of the above categories, Please bring book and this sheet to fair on show day.

Teacher's Signature: _____

Agriculture Science Fair

1. The Section 11 FFA Agriculture Science Fair shall have one class for entries:
 - A) Illinois Junior Academy of Science Eligible
2. Each entry will be rated with an “A”, “B”, or “C” method with the IJAS area receiving X values of 20X – 15X – 10X.
3. Classes containing 5 or more entries will have a Champion and Reserve Champion rosettes awarded and the champion shall receive an additional “A” premium and the Reserve Champion will receive an additional “B” premium.. To be eligible for the best exhibit the exhibit must have received an “A” rating. A plaque will be awarded for he exhibit names “Best of Show”.
4. It is suggested the most current IJAS guidebook and policy manual be used as a basis for the IJAS area.
5. Entry fees will be \$5.00 per entry.
6. A team of 2 members can enter a project for one premium money.
7. This is an official dress event.

Section 11 FFA Agriculture Science Fair Checklist

- _____ One copy of the abstract
- _____ One copy of the research paper to be included with the display
- _____ Safety Sheet
- _____ Human or non-human vertebrate endorsement form
- _____ A display board must be present and include the purpose, materials, methods, results, and conclusions. This is not to exceed 4’ by 4’.
- _____ The following must be performed to determine which area to enter.

abstract
title page
safety sheet
table of contents
acknowledgements
purpose
review of literature (3 pages)
materials & methods
results
conclusions
display board

