

Part III

Feline Adventure, Canine Activities

2004 OHIO STATE FAIR JUNIOR FAIR FELINE ADVENTURE
Youth Discovery Center (Lausche Bldg.) - Sunday, August 15
10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

DEPARTMENT STAFF

Lucinda Miller, Leader, 4-H Small Animal/Youth-Companion Animal Programs..... Superintendent
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GENERAL GUIDELINES

1. Participation is open to boys and girls ages 8 and in third grade as of January 1, 2004. The last year of eligibility, or participation, in 4-H is the year in which the individual turns 19. Participants can be enrolled in cat projects through any type of 4-H membership (i.e. community club, school enrichment, special emphasis, etc.) and through FFA.
2. All exhibitors entering the Junior Fair Feline Adventure must complete an Ohio State Fair Entry Form and mail entries directly to the Ohio State Fair Junior Livestock Entry Department. **All entries must be postmarked no later than July 15, 2004.**
3. Cats exhibited must be a minimum of 15 weeks of age before August 15, 2004. Kittens less than 15 weeks old are not permitted on the Fairgrounds.
4. All cats participating in the Ohio State Fair must be immunized against Feline Panleukopenia (FPL), Feline Viral Rhinotracheitis (FVR), Feline Calicivirus (FCV), Feline Pneumonitis-Chlamydia (FPN), Feline Leukemia (FeLV), and Rabies. All vaccinations must have been given after August 1, 2003 and before August 1, 2004, by a licensed, accredited veterinarian. Proof of vaccinations must be on an official *ODA Health Certificate* or the *2004 Certificate of Vaccination for the Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Feline Adventure*, and signed by a licensed, accredited veterinarian.
5. Any cats exhibiting abnormalities or symptoms of sickness, disease, or parasite infestation will be eliminated from the show and must be removed from the Fairgrounds. If a cat is under veterinary care for a health condition that is not infectious or contagious, the exhibitor must bring a health certificate from the attending veterinarian verifying the condition and treatment. Decision of show personnel will be final.
6. Cats must be brought to the activity in a pet carrier. They must humanely wear either a collar or harness, as well as attached leash, during the activities.
7. Cats will be benched in cages provided, and must remain on display until 3:00 p.m.
8. Activities will be divided into appropriate age divisions after entry deadline.
9. Activities will consist of a series of skills and knowledge stations, as well as a cat assessment station.
10. Exhibitors can participate in the best decorated cage contest. Each exhibitor must provide own decorations for his/her cage. Only exhibitors are permitted to decorate their cages. More information will be provided after the July 15 entry deadline.

11. Exhibitors will receive a packet of information about the activities held during the Feline Adventure after the July 15 entry deadline.
12. Awards will be presented for showmanship, and to the outstanding cat exhibitors in the age divisions, as well as those finishing in the top 25% of the age divisions. Additional awards will be presented for the best decorated cages.

**2004 OHIO STATE FAIR JUNIOR FAIR FELINE ADVENTURE
 CERTIFICATE OF VACCINATION
 Sunday, August 15
 10:00 a.m. – Youth Discovery Center**

Exhibitor's Name _____ County _____

Address _____
(Street or P. O. Box) (City) (Zip)

Cat's Name _____ Age _____ Birth Date _____
(Month/Day/Year)

Male [] Female [] Spayed/Neutered [] Breed _____

Color/Markings _____

THE INFORMATION BELOW IS TO BE COMPLETED & SIGNED BY YOUR VETERINARIAN.

VACCINATIONS REQUIRED FOR OHIO STATE FAIR JUNIOR FAIR FELINE ADVENTURE: All required vaccinations must be given by a licensed, accredited veterinarian after August 1, 2003 and before August 1, 2004.

<u>Vaccination</u>	<u>Date Vaccination Given</u>	
Rabies – 1 year or 3 years (circle one)	_____	Tag No. _____ (must list)
Panleukopenia (FPL)	_____	
Viral Rhinotracheitis (PVR)	_____	
Calicivirus (FCV)	_____	
Pneumonitis-Chlamydia (FPN)	_____	
Feline Leukemia (FeLV)	_____	

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 I hereby verify that I am licensed, accredited veterinarian and have vaccinated the above cat.

(Veterinarian's Signature) (Date)

(P. O. Box or Street No.)

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Phone)

Vet Address Stamp
or License No.

4-H CAT SHOWMANSHIP SCORE SHEET

Exhibitor's Name _____ Exhibitor's No. _____ Age (1/1) _____

Years in Cat Project ___ Name of Project Book _____ Cat's Name _____

Breed _____ Age _____ Spayed _____ Neutered _____ Declawed _____

AREAS TO BE EVALUATED	MAXIMUM POINTS	POINTS EARNED	COMMENTS
1. Interview Exhibitor's general knowledge of cats, knowledge regarding health, grooming, parts, breeds, etc. (refer to <i>Cat Project Books 216-Cat 1; 217-Cat 2; & 218-Cat 3</i>); knowledge of 4-H	20		
2. Cat's Appearance & Temperament •General health & condition (consider age) – 5 pts. •Evidence of good grooming (coat, eyes, ears, teeth, claws) – 5 pts. •Cat demonstrates good temperament, allows examination without resistance (no clawing, hissing, growling) – 5 pts. <i>Note: Cats with threatening temperaments may be excused from judging for the safety of exhibitors, other cats, & judges.</i>	15		
3. Presentation for Examination Exhibitor will be asked to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pick up cat – 5 pts. • Hold cat (safety carry) – 5 pts. • Show <i>mouth, teeth & gums</i> – 3 pts. • Show <i>nose</i> – 2 pts. • Show <i>eyes</i> – 2 pts. • Show <i>ears</i> – 3 pts. • Show <i>claws</i> – 3 pts. • Ruffle <i>coat</i> for examination of skin & coat condition – 2 pts. 	25		
4. Showing Cats Exhibitor will be asked to demonstrate: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to handle & control cat: leash on wrist – 10 pts. • Show <i>head</i> shape – 5 pts. • Show <i>body</i> type – 5 pts. • Show <i>tail</i> (or lack of) – 5 pts. • Show <i>coat texture</i> – 5 pts. 	30		
5. Exhibitor's Appearance & Attitude <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neat and clean appearance – 2 pts. • Good sportsmanship – 4 pts. • Positive attitude toward cat – 4 pts. 	10		
TOTAL POSSIBLE POINTS	100	TOTAL POINTS AWARDED _____	

OHIO STATE FAIR JUNIOR FAIR FELINE ADVENTURES ACTIVITIES ENTRY FORM
Entries Close July 15, 2004
Entry Fee: \$2.00

Complete the following to enter the Feline Adventures Activities: Please print plainly. This entry form must be filled out in detail.

Date _____ Exhibitor's Age (as of Jan. 1) _____ Birth Date: Mo. ____ Day ____ Year ____

Name _____ Social Security No. _____

Telephone (____) _____ Email address _____

Street or P. O. Box _____

City _____ Zip Code _____ County _____

Name of FFA Chapter/4-H Club _____

Name of FFA/4-H Advisor _____ Telephone (____) _____

Name of Cat _____ Breed _____

Age _____ Birth Date: Mo. ____ Day ____ Year ____ Male [] Female [] Spayed or Neutered []

I certify that this is a bona fide 4-H or FFA project and meets the requirements of the show and classes entered.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Exhibitor Signature _____ Date _____

County Extension Professional or FFA Instructor Signature _____

Date _____

Mail To: Stacey French, Junior Livestock Department
Ohio State Fair
717 East 17th Avenue
Columbus, Ohio 43211

Make Checks payable to: Ohio Expositions Commission
All entries must be postmarked NO LATER than July 15, 2004.

DIVISION J-9

2004 OHIO STATE FAIR JUNIOR FAIR DOG ACTIVITIES

Agility – Thursday, August 5, 5:00 p.m. – Coliseum

All Other Classes - Monday, August 9, 9:00 a.m.,

Tuesday, August 10, 9:00 a.m., and Wednesday, August 11, 9:00 a.m. – Buckeye Building

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Barbara Lawson, Highland County 4-H Volunteer/State Dog Committee **Skillathon Superintendent**

Rules for 2004 Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show Participation

Refer to the following website for Ohio 4-H Dog Program information:

<http://www.ohio4h.org/dogs/index.htm>

Project Eligibility

1. 4-H members must be enrolled in the correct level of obedience, either Obedience Training -Beginning, Project No. 206, or Obedience Training--Advanced, Project No. 207, to show in Obedience classes at the Ohio State Fair. 4-H members must be enrolled in Grooming and Handling Dogs, Project No. 204, to show in 4-H Grooming and Handling classes at the Ohio State Fair. 4-H members must be enrolled in Dog Care, Project No. 200, to participate in Dog Care classes at the Ohio State Fair. 4-H members can be enrolled in any 4-H dog project to participate in Agility or Drill Team competition.
 - a. For Grooming and Handling judging, questions asked during the interview will come from the Grooming and Handling 4-H project book and the Dog Care 4-H project book.
 - b. For youth showing in Intermediate B and Senior B classes, questions will also come from the following sections of the Dog Learning Laboratory Kit (used in skillathons): Anatomy: Parts of the Dog (External); Conformation: Bites, Ears and Eyes; Feet, Pasterns and Stifles; Front and Rear Legs; Tails; and Backlines; and Dog Care and Grooming Equipment: 32 pictures of types of equipment and a description for each picture.
2. FFA members are eligible to show provided they meet school FFA dog project requirements. FFA members must follow the *Rules for 2004 State Fair Participation* and must qualify through their county qualifying dog show, county fair dog show, or enter through the OSU Extension Office.
3. 4-H members enrolled in the Assistance Dog Project Idea Starter No. 356.08 are eligible to show in the Assistance Dog class. Any FFA member raising a Pilot Puppy or other type of Assistance Dog may also compete in this class. These projects are owned by Pilot Dogs, Inc., or other Assistance Dog Organizations, and therefore are ineligible to be shown in any Obedience, Grooming and Handling, or Dog Care classes at the Ohio State Fair. They may be shown in Drill Team competition.
4. Only domestic dogs can be shown. Wolf and wolf hybrids are not permitted.
5. All dogs exhibited must be **six months of age** by the date of the show. **This includes Pilot Dog puppies and other assistance dogs.** Dogs exhibited in Agility must be 18 months or older, born on or before *February 5, 2003*. Proof of age is the burden of the exhibitor or exhibitor's immediate family. Dogs not meeting this age requirement cannot be shown.

Ownership

1. Dogs participating in Obedience, Grooming and Handling, Drill Team, Agility and Dog Care activities must either be owned by the junior fair exhibitor or the exhibitor's immediate family. (Exception: Assistance Dogs can be shown in Drill Team competition) They must be in the continual care of the junior fair exhibitor for the duration of the project. *The date of ownership must be no later than April 1, or earlier as the date specified by the exhibitor's county.* Proof of ownership is the burden of the exhibitor and exhibitor's family. Hardship cases will not be considered for state fair participation.

Definitions

- a. *Immediate family* is defined as the junior fair exhibitor's father, mother, brother, sister, uncle, aunt, grandfather or grandmother, including the corresponding step and half relations, or by a member of the exhibitor's household.
 - b. *Continual care* is defined as the junior fair exhibitor being responsible for and involved in the feeding, cleaning, and caring of the project.
 - c. *Hardship cases* are defined as dogs that replace the original project enrolled by the exhibitor after the county's enrollment deadline, or no later than June 1.
 - d. *Ownership – Registered dogs:* The exhibitor's name, or a member of his/her immediate family's name, must appear on the registration certificate of a dog registered by AKC, UKC, individual breed registries, herding dog registries, etc. Co-ownership of a dog is permitted provided the exhibitor's name, or a member of his/her immediate family's name, is listed on the registration certificate. It is recommended that a copy of the registration certificate be on file in the county Extension office.
 - e. *Ownership – Non-registered purchased dogs:* A non-registered dog purchased from a private owner, pet shop, humane society, dog rescue, etc., must have the exhibitor's name or a member of his/her immediate family's name, on the bill of sale. It is recommended that a copy of this bill of sale be on file in the county Extension office.
 - f. *Ownership – Dogs found/gifts:* If a dog was given to the exhibitor or immediate family, or found by the exhibitor or immediate family, the exhibitor or a member of his/her immediate family receiving or finding the dog, should verify the date received or found by use of veterinary records, dog licenses, and other forms of records, and write a statement as to the definite or approximate date the dog was received as a gift or found. It is recommended that a copy of this statement be on file in the county Extension office.
2. Leasing a dog is not permitted for State Fair dog show participation. If counties have a leasing program, those leased dogs are not permitted to exhibit at the State Fair.

Training/Showing/Titles

1. Lessons, instruction and advice for the exhibitor are encouraged. As long as the exhibitor is present in the learning situation, and handles or trains the dog the majority of the time present, such assistance can include occasional handling or training by another person. Only the exhibitor can train the dog at any type of training class *on or after April 1, 2004.*
2. No one other than the junior fair exhibitor is permitted to show the project dog at any type of dog show, including fun matches, *on or after April 1, 2004.*
3. Project eligibility and class or classes entered must be determined at the county level. It is the responsibility at the county level to determine what class the exhibitor is eligible for, and that the exhibitor understands the *Rules for 2004 State Fair Participation*, including the exercises to be performed for the judge.
4. Dogs selected to show at the Ohio State Fair Dog Show must be the same dogs selected at the county level. Dogs other than those selected to show are not permitted on the Fairgrounds.
5. Junior Fair members must show in the same class or classes at the Ohio State Fair as selected at the county.
6. Junior Fair exhibitors in respective activities and classes are expected to perform in those events and

demonstrate those skills which are listed in these *Rules for 2004 State Fair Participation*, in the dog 4-H project books, on the various dog 4-H judging score sheets, and in the USDAA® Official Rules and Regulations. *Score sheets used in judging may differ from the score sheets found in the back of each 4-H project book or may not be included in the project books. Current score sheets are posted on the Ohio 4-H website. These score sheets must be used for evaluating 4-H dog projects. Any additional information pertinent to the State Fair Dog Show will be sent to the county Extension offices or posted on the Ohio 4-H website.*

7. Exhibitors showing their dogs at any Licensed or Member Obedience Trial or at a Sanctioned Match must show their dogs at the same or higher *B level classes* than they are showing in AKC, UKC, or other titling shows. Dogs completing their Companion Dog (CD) title (or UKC or other titling equivalents) *prior to, or anytime during, the project year* must show in the Graduate Novice B class at the very minimum. Dogs completing their Companion Dog Excellent (CDX) title (or UKC or other titling equivalents) *prior to, or anytime during, the project year* must show in Open B or Graduate Open B classes. *Any dog receiving one or more legs toward a championship title anytime during the project year must then move into the appropriate B class at the time the first leg was earned.*

For Grooming and Handling classes, dogs with AKC Jr. Handling or like experiences must be shown in exhibitor age-appropriate B classes. *Dogs completing a title prior to, or anytime during, the project year must show in exhibitor age-appropriate B classes. Any dog receiving points toward a championship title anytime during the project year must then move into the appropriate B class at the time the points were first earned.*

This rule, if applicable, supercedes exhibitor and dog information listed in the class descriptions found later in this document. Fun matches do not apply.

License and Health Requirements

1. All dogs must be currently licensed in the exhibitor's county of residence. **The exhibitor must bring a certificate of license to health check. The dog license tag alone is not sufficient.** This includes Assistance Dogs. The Assistance Dog Organizations (i.e. Pilot Dogs, Inc.) will provide the appropriate document for exhibitors to get a license for their dogs. Guide, hearing, or service dogs are exempt from any fee.
 - a. The exhibitor must pay a \$15.00 processing fee if he or she does not bring a certificate of license to health check and show officials must call his or her respective county auditor's office for verification. This fee must be paid prior to officials making the phone call.
2. An **ODA Official Health Certificate** or the **Ohio State Fair 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination** completed and signed by a licensed, accredited veterinarian is required for exhibition. Veterinarians must also provide their name/address stamp used in practice in the space provided. These certificates must include the name, breed, and age of dog. **Other certificates of vaccination, computerized vaccination records, pet record cards, or kennel records will not be accepted. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to make sure that all vaccination requirements for State Fair are met.**
 - a. The veterinarian must list the dates of the required vaccinations, *or the reason for not giving one or more vaccinations*, on either an *ODA Health Certificate* or the *Ohio State Fair 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination*. **Rabies is a required vaccination without exception.** Most dogs, unless it is their first time for a rabies vaccination, will receive or have received a three-year vaccine. The veterinarian must circle which vaccination (1 yr. or 3 yr.) was given, record the date it was given, and list the rabies tag number.
3. All dogs must be immunized against rabies by a licensed, accredited veterinarian. **One-year rabies vaccinations must be given after July 21, 2003 and before July 22, 2004. Three-year rabies vaccinations must be given after July 21, 2001 and before July 22, 2004. The rabies tag number must be listed on the vaccination certificate.**
4. All dogs must be immunized against distemper (CDV), adenovirus (CAV-2), leptospirosis, parvovirus

(CPV), and parainfluenza (CPI) by a licensed, accredited veterinarian **UNLESS** the reason is noted on the *ODA Health Certificate* or the *Ohio State Fair 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination*. **Vaccinations must be given after July 21, 2003 and before July 22, 2004.**

5. Veterinarians must note any deviations from the required vaccinations (i.e. leptospirosis vaccination not given by veterinarian; dogs titer tested in lieu of vaccinations; or the veterinarian following the AAHA recommendations for giving vaccinations; etc.) on the *ODA Official Health Certificate*, the *Ohio State Fair 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination*, or on veterinarian's letterhead that accompanies the required health papers.
6. **The Ohio State Fair 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination is available from the county Extension office. It can also be downloaded from the Ohio 4-H website.** The *County 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination* provided in the 4-H Professional's State Fair Handbook and on the Ohio 4-H website may be used as the official *State Fair Certificate of Vaccination* provided the vaccination dates fall within the required vaccination dates for the State Fair Dog Show and it is copied on the reverse side of the *Ohio State Fair 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination*. *The use of this certificate must be approved by the 4-H professional and must be consistent throughout the respective county.*
7. Any dogs exhibiting abnormalities or symptoms of sickness, disease, or parasite infestation as determined by the health check officials will be eliminated from the show and must be removed from the Fairgrounds. If a dog is under veterinary care for a health condition that is not infectious or contagious, the exhibitor must bring a health certificate from the attending veterinarian verifying the condition and treatment. Decision of the health check officials is final.
8. **Bitches showing signs of heat are not permitted to be shown and are not permitted on the Fairgrounds.** Each dog must go through a health check where all females will be checked for signs of heat. If a bitch shows **any** signs of heat, she will be eliminated from the show and must be removed from the Fairgrounds. Any bitch, which appears so attractive to males as to be a disturbing element, will be eliminated from the show and must be removed from the Fairgrounds. Decision of the health check officials is final.
9. *Pregnant and/or lactating (nursing) bitches are not permitted to be shown and are not permitted on the Fairgrounds.*
10. Before going to Registration, exhibitors must bring their dog, dog license certificate, and health certificate to Health Check. Incomplete or falsified information is grounds for dismissal.
 - a. The exhibitor must pay a \$15.00 processing fee if information on the health certificates is incomplete and show officials must call his or her veterinarian for verification. This fee must be paid prior to officials making the phone call.

Safety and Sportsmanship

1. Dogs must be kept on leash while on the fairgrounds, except when participating in the ring during judging. Dogs must be kenneled in designated areas. Exhibitors are totally responsible for their dogs while on the fairgrounds. Exhibitors are expected to clean up after their dogs. Dogs are not permitted outside the show ring area and kennel area. **Dogs must not be left unattended.**
2. The 4-H and FFA professionals and show officials in charge will have the right and responsibility to order the removal from the grounds any dog exhibiting unsafe or threatening behavior or any exhibitor or other persons abusing or neglecting the dog. Dogs are not permitted to wear any type of muzzle or *prong collar* while on the fairgrounds.
3. The 4-H and FFA professionals and show officials in charge will have the right and responsibility to order the removal from the grounds any person verbally or physically abusive to show personnel.
4. The judge or show officials may dismiss from the ring any dog exhibiting unsafe or threatening behavior

or any exhibitor abusing the dog.

5. *Participants exhibiting unsportsmanlike conduct will have points deducted from that category on their score sheets.*
6. Only the exhibitor's dog, exhibitor, and show officials are permitted in the show ring area at any time throughout the show.

Show Equipment/Handler's & Dog's Appearance

1. Exhibitors must provide their own collar, leash, water dish, kennel and any equipment needed.
 - a. *Obedience collars* include well-fitting plain buckle or quick release collars, or slip collars of an appropriate single length of leather, fabric or chain with two rings, one on each end. Fancy collars, harnesses, studded collars, pinch collars, collars with prongs or spikes on inside or outside, electronic collars, or any other special training collars, or collars that are either too tight or so large that they hang down unreasonably in front of the dogs are not permitted. Nothing shall be hanging from the collars. *Leashes* may be of fabric or leather and should be 6 feet in length for sub-novice classes. For novice, graduate novice classes, open, and graduate open classes, the leash need be only of sufficient length to provide adequate slack in the heel on leash exercise. Chain leashes are not acceptable.
 - b. *Head halters are permitted in Assistance Dog and Dog Care classes only. They are not permitted in any of the Dog Obedience or Grooming and Handling classes. Assistance Dogs and dogs showing in Dog Care may use head halters in Drill Team competition if used in their respective show classes.*
 - c. *Grooming and Handling collars* include a chain or fabric slip collar, or martingale-type show lead. Nothing shall be hanging from the collars. *Leashes* may be of fabric or leather and long enough to allow for easy handling of the dog. Chain leashes are not acceptable.
 - d. *Dumbbells* must be made of one or more solid pieces of one of the heavy hardwoods, or of a rigid or semi-rigid, firm, nontoxic, non-wooden material, similar in size, shape, and weight to a wooden dumbbell. Metal dumbbells are not permitted. Dumbbells shall not be hollowed out. They shall have no decorations or attachments, but may bear an inconspicuous mark for identification. The size of the dumbbell shall be proportionate to the size of the dog.
2. Food, treats, or toys are not permitted in the show ring areas during obedience classes. Youth may take dogs out of holding rings and off show floor to give rewards, bathroom break, etc., and then return immediately when finished.
3. *Handler's appearance* (includes all classes but drill teams): exhibitors should be neat, clean, and well-groomed in appearance. They should wear clothing that is comfortable to handle in and appropriate for dog shows. Clothing should not distract, limit or hinder the judge's view of the dog. *Inappropriate clothing includes T-shirts, jackets or other apparel with slogans, 4-H club, FFA Chapter, or dog club names, etc., halter tops, tank tops, blue jeans and shorts, sandals, clogs, high-heeled shoes, and other similar footwear.* For *Grooming and Handling classes* it is recommended that girls wear skirts, dresses, skorts, dress shorts or similar attire, and boys wear dress shirts, ties, and dress slacks. For *Obedience, Agility, and Dog Care classes* colored dress jeans and dress shorts are appropriate.
4. *Dog's appearance*: Dogs should be clean, well brushed and in good physical condition appropriate for the dog's age. The coat should be free from mats and loose hair. Ears should be clean and free from hair in the ear canal. The eyes should be free from matter, and teeth should be free from tartar. Some staining on the teeth of older dogs is permissible. Toenails should be trimmed and the hair between the pads should be trimmed to prevent matting and collecting dirt. It is not required that whiskers be trimmed, but if the dog's face is shaved, the stubble should be removed. Regulation show clip is not required for purebred dogs.

Scores/Ties/Score Sheets

1. Scores will be posted within a reasonable amount of time after each class has been judged. Exhibitors who are tied for the top fifteen places in all Obedience and Grooming & Handling classes, except Sub-Novice A, Novice A, Grooming & Handling Junior A, Intermediate A, and Senior A, should remain until

all classes in the same category are judged, in case of further ties. Failure to stay will mean forfeiture of a possible placing.

2. All youth scoring 200 points or above in Dog Care classes will receive awards. All youth scoring 200 points or above in Sub-Novice A, *Novice A*, Grooming & Handling Junior A, *Grooming & Handling Intermediate A*, and *Grooming & Handling Senior A* will receive awards.
3. Ties will be broken as follows:

Sub-Novice & Novice Obedience: When two or more exhibitors have the same overall scores, the scores in the first exercise will be compared. The exhibitor with the highest score in the first exercise will receive the highest placing, and so forth. If all exhibitors have the same score in the first exercise, the scores in the second exercise will be compared, and so forth until ties are broken. If the scores are equal throughout all of the exercises, including the Exhibitor's Appearance, Dog's Appearance, and Sportsmanship, ties will be broken by the exhibitors and their dogs performing a heeling pattern specified by the judge.

Graduate Novice & above Levels of Obedience: Ties will be broken by the exhibitors and their dogs performing an exercise specified by the judge.

Grooming & Handling: When two or more exhibitors have the same overall scores, the scores achieved in the Interview section will first be compared. The exhibitor with the highest score will receive the highest placing, and so forth. If all exhibitors have the same Interview score, ties will be broken by the exhibitors and their dogs performing a handling exercise specified by the judge.

Dog Care: When two or more exhibitors have the same overall scores, the scores achieved in the Interview section will first be compared. The exhibitor with the highest score will receive the first place trophy. If the exhibitors have the same Interview score, the scores in the Member's Record Form section will be reviewed. If these scores are the same, scores in the next exercise will be reviewed, and so forth. If all scores are identical, exhibitors will be asked three tie-breaking questions and the member correctly answering the most questions will receive the trophy.

4. Score sheets will be returned to the County Extension Office about two weeks following the closing day of the State Fair. Score sheets will not be returned during the State Fair Dog Show.

Class Entries

1. All participants must qualify through their county and/or register by the registration deadlines to be able to participate in Ohio State Fair Dog Activities. (Exception is the Skillathon, which does not require pre-registration.)
2. Counties may have a total of **six** entries in classes J-001 Junior Dog Care; J-002 Intermediate Dog Care, & J-003 Senior Dog Care, with no more than three entries in any one class.
3. Counties may have **two** entries in the following classes: J-1 Sub-Novice A; J-2 Sub-Novice B; J-3 Novice A; J-4 Novice B; J-5 Graduate Novice A; J-6 Graduate Novice B; J-7 Open A; J-8 Open B; J-9 Graduate Open A; J-10 Graduate Open B; J-11 Grooming & Handling Jr. A; J-12 Grooming & Handling Jr. B; J-13 Grooming & Handling Intermediate A; J-14 Grooming & Handling Intermediate B; J-15 Grooming & Handling Sr. A; and J-16 Grooming & Handling Sr. B.
4. Counties may have **any number** of entries in classes J-17 Assistance Dogs and J-18 Agility.
5. Counties may enter a total of **three** Drill Teams: **one** Drill Team having 4 or 5 members in class J-19; **one** Drill Team having 6 or 7 members in class J-20, and/or one Drill Team having 8 or 9 members in class J-21. Counties may not have two drill teams consisting of 4 or 5 members each, for example.
6. An exhibitor and dog can show in only **one** of the following classes, Obedience, Grooming & Handling, or Dog Care, with the exception of the following:

- a. Youth who show in Grooming & Handling can show the same dog or a different dog in any of the following upper level obedience classes: J-5 Graduate Novice A; J-6 Graduate Novice B; J-7 Open A; J-8 Open B; J-9 Graduate Open A; and J-10 Graduate Open B, provided they qualify at the county level.
 - b. Youth who show in any of the following upper level obedience classes: J-5 Graduate Novice A; J-6 Graduate Novice B; J-7 Open A; J-8 Open B; J-9 Graduate Open A; and J-10 Graduate Open B can show the same dog or a different dog in Grooming and Handling, provided they qualify at the county level.
7. Exhibitors showing in Obedience, Grooming & Handling, or Dog Care classes may also show in Drill Team Competition and Agility. Exhibitors showing Assistance Dogs may also show their same dogs in Drill Team competition. Exhibitors showing Assistance Dogs may also show one other entry (*must be a different project dog*) in either an Obedience, Grooming & Handling, or Dog Care class.
 8. Youth showing in Dog Care classes on August 11 are not permitted to show the same dog or a different dog in any Obedience or Grooming & Handling classes held August 9, 10, and 11.
 9. Each exhibitor will be provided admission materials and is responsible for bringing the admission materials to the State Fair. These include an admission pass to State Fair, dog grounds permit (walk pass), and parking permit.

Registration/Entry Deadlines

1. County 4-H professionals **MUST** register all exhibitors in Obedience, Grooming and Handling, Dog Care and Assistance Dog classes at the Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show by completing the *2004 Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show Registration Form*. This form must be returned *by email* to Lucinda Miller (miller78@aq.osu.edu), Superintendent, **no later than Monday, July 26**. Entries received after this deadline will not be accepted.
2. County 4-H professionals **MUST** register all exhibitors in Drill Team classes at the Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show by completing the *2004 Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show Drill Team Registration Form*. This form must be returned *by email* to Lucinda Miller (miller78@aq.osu.edu), Superintendent, **no later than Monday, July 26**. Entries received after this deadline will not be accepted.
3. 4-H and FFA members competing in the Agility class (J-18) **MUST** register by completing the USDAA® Official Entry Form (available online or from Extension Office) and return it directly to Carole Paul, Show Secretary, 3150 Kioka Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43221, 614.488.2410. Exhibitors must follow entry procedures. **Entries must be received by 6:00 p.m., Thursday, July 22**. Entries received after this deadline will not be accepted.
4. County 4-H professionals **MUST** enter all poster exhibits by completing the *2004 Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show Poster Registration Form*. This form must be returned *by email* to Lucinda Miller (miller78@aq.osu.edu), Superintendent, **no later than Monday, July 26**. Entries received after this deadline will not be accepted.
5. County poster entries for State Fair exhibit must be delivered to the State 4-H Office **no later than Monday, July 26**. **Posters received after this deadline will not be judged.**

Drill Team Competition

Junior Fair Dog Drill Team competition will be held Tuesday, August 10, beginning at 5:30 p.m., in the Buckeye Building. Exhibitors must comply with the *Rules for 2004 Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show Participation* to be eligible to participate. All dogs must meet the age and health requirements of the Junior Fair Dog Show.

Rules

1. *Each county may have three drill teams participate: one must be a 4- or 5-member team, one must be a 6- or 7-member team, and one must be an 8- or 9-member team. Counties cannot have two 4- or 5-*

member teams, for example. Members must be 9 – 18 years old as of January 1, 2004.

2. The team can do any form of **Heeling patterns**, but must have **at least three (3) required Sits** in heeling. Patterns will also **require a fast and slow**.
3. The **Figure 8** can be done in any type of formation, but there **must be two (2) Sits** in formation.
4. The **Stand** can be done in **any type** of formation.
5. The **Recall** can be done in **any type** of formation.
6. The team must do a **one (1) minute Down** on or off leash in any formation, and handlers can have movement during the 1-minute down.* Dogs must stay in position. A time will be called at the end of the 1 minute by the score keeper. *Examples: Handlers can dance, march, move around away from the dogs, etc., but the dogs must remain in the Down position.
7. The team must do **at least two Circles** during the routine.
8. The team must do **at least two Lines** during the routine.
9. Required patterns do not have to be done in the order on the score sheet. The heeling with sits, figure 8, stand, recall, and down must be performed, but can be done in any order in the routine. *Heeling is judged throughout the entire routine.*
10. The routine must be at least five (5) minutes long and no more than seven (7) minutes long.
11. Points will not be deducted for captain calling exercises.
12. Exhibitors are judged on successfully completing the required obedience exercises, the overall pattern and style, and teamwork, and not the attire worn by team members. Props are permitted **only** as wearable parts of the exhibitor's clothing.
13. Inappropriate music is not permitted. One example is music containing bad language.
14. Penalties: Five (5) points will be taken off score for routine lasting less than five minutes or more than seven minutes. Two (2) points will be taken off per dog for fouling the ring per occurrence.
15. The ring size will be 50 feet x 50 feet. Teams need to stay inside this diameter.
16. Only the next team to perform will be permitted on the show arena floor.
17. County 4-H professionals **MUST** register drill teams exhibiting at the Ohio State Fair by completing the *2004 Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show Registration Form* and returning it to Lucinda Miller by the entry deadline.

Suggestions for Starting a Drill Team

Drill teams competing at the Ohio State Fair should represent the county, not necessarily individual clubs or chapters. If youth from more than one club or chapter are involved in county drill teams, it may be necessary at the county level to have tryouts or qualifying competitions to select those individuals for teams competing at the Ohio State Fair.

Week One: Learn the routine without dogs.

Week Two: Practice routine again without dogs.

Week Three: Bring dogs into the routine.

Week Four: Add music to the routine. It is best to keep music at four beats to a measure.

It is easier to move from one pattern to the next from any form of a line position. For example: Triangle Position: For a team of 5 members, move from back to front into a line to move to next position. Plan for routines to begin one-half minute early and last one-half minute longer than the required times to allow for one-half minute errors. The music can be stopped on the radio at the end of the routine. Decide on how many team members there will be, then work with two alternates. Keep the outfits simple and uniform. For example: Wear pants or shorts alike and shirts alike, with the same color and kind of shoes. Select a captain and co-captain and make sure they both know the routine. To call a routine pattern, follow these suggestions: The team just did a Figure 8, and is moving to the next part of the pattern such as a Recall. Coming out of the Figure 8 to the position for a Recall the Captain says: "RECALL, LEAVE, CALL, FINISH." Begin working on heeling by using the AKC methods to teach the team to heel and work together. This should help the team to work in straight lines.

Dog Poster Contest

Purpose

1. To visually demonstrate 4-H & FFA dog project knowledge.
2. To stimulate an interest in 4-H & FFA dog projects.
3. To demonstrate to others the diversity of the 4-H & FFA dog projects.

Rules

1. Each county may enter two Junior (age 9-11), two Intermediate (age 12-14), and two Senior (age 15-18) poster exhibits. All ages are as of January 1, 2004.
2. Each poster must be made by the 4-H or FFA member enrolled in a dog project.
3. Posters must be made using size 22" x 28" poster board, displayed horizontally. Poster boards are not to be mounted on any type of stiff backing. Shadow boxes, overlays, or three-dimensional posters are not permitted. *Posters need not be laminated or covered with a thin plastic material.*
4. Each poster must be clearly labeled in the lower right hand corner, in a space no larger than 3" x 5", with the exhibitor's name, county, and age as of January 1, 2004.
5. Posters will be judged on Educational Content (50 pts.), Neatness/Appearance (30 pts.), and Originality (20 pts.).
6. Posters will be displayed in the Buckeye Building during the State Fair Dog Show.
7. Rosettes will be presented to all first through fifteenth place winners in each age division on Wednesday, August 11, at approximately 12:00 noon in the Buckeye Building. Extension agents will be notified by e-mail Monday, August 9, who won trophies and rosettes.
8. First place winners in each age division can exhibit every other year provided the age requirements are met. The 4-H or FFA members must complete either a 4-H or FFA project the previous or "off" year.
9. Exhibits must be entered on the *2004 Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show Poster Registration Form*, and returned to Lucinda Miller by the entry deadline.
10. ***County poster entries for State Fair exhibit must be delivered to the State 4-H Office no later than Thursday, July 26. Posters received after this deadline will not be judged.***
11. Posters will be released after the awards presentation on Wednesday, August 11. **Unclaimed posters will be discarded at the end of the Dog Show on August 11.**

2003 Dog Poster Contest Winners

Junior – Keagan Arledge, Ross Co.

Intermediate – Tasha Massie, Ross Co.

Senior – Nelda Mattison, Montgomery Co.

Classes and Awards

**Thursday, August 5, 5:00 p.m., Coliseum
Agility**

J-18 **Agility** *Measuring begins at 3:30 p.m.* Agility awards are based upon USDAA performance standards in the Junior Handler Program classes as follows: A maroon ribbon will be awarded for all qualifying (zero fault) performances; a Gold medal will be awarded for all scores of five fault points or less; a Silver medal will be awarded for all scores of more than five but no more than fifteen fault points; a Bronze medal will be awarded for all scores greater than fifteen fault points. In addition to the USDAA recognitions, 4-H recognition will be given. (Refer to USDAA Agility Information under separate cover.)

Monday, August 9, Buckeye Building

Grooming & Handling Junior A, Junior B, Intermediate A, Intermediate B, Senior A and Senior B

Exercises to be performed in all Grooming and Handling classes include: (1) *Interview:* Questions will be asked from the Grooming and Handling 204 project book and the Dog Care 200 project book. For youth showing in Intermediate B and Senior B classes, questions will also come from the following sections of the Dog Learning Laboratory Kit (used in skillathons): Anatomy: Parts of the Dog (External); Conformation: Bites, Ears and Eyes; Feet, Pasterns and Stifles; Front and Rear Legs; Tails; and Backlines; and Dog Care and Grooming Equipment: 32 pictures of types of equipment and a description for each picture; (2) *Handler Appearance & Attitude*, (3) *Grooming*, and (4) *Handling*

J-11 **Grooming and Handling Junior A** This class is for the 4-H or FFA member 9-11 years of age as of January 1, 2004. Neither the exhibitor nor the dog has had any prior experience in Grooming and Handling, AKC Jr. Handling or like experiences, or a champion title *before April 1, 2004, or their county's 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* Once an exhibitor and dog show in this class, he/she must move to Grooming and Handling Junior B provided he/she is still within the age requirements. If the exhibitor will be 12 years of age as of January 1 the next year, then he/she will move to Grooming and Handling Intermediate B. A dog shown in this class at the Ohio State Fair cannot return to this class. It must be shown at the Grooming and Handling B level of the appropriate age of the exhibitor. All youth receiving a score of 200 points or above will receive an Outstanding of the Day rosette. *The highest scoring youth will receive a trophy.*

J-12 **Grooming and Handling Junior B** This class is for the 4-H or FFA member or dog who has shown in Grooming and Handling Junior A or has had prior experience in Grooming and Handling, AKC Jr. Handling or like experiences, or a champion title *before April 1, 2004, or their county's 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* The exhibitor must meet the age requirements of 9-11 years of age as of January 1, 2004. The exhibitor who wins first place in this class at the Ohio State Fair can return to this class with the same dog every year provided age requirements are met. A dog shown in this class must be shown at the Grooming and Handling B level and cannot go back to an A-level class. A first place trophy and 1 – 15 placing rosettes will be awarded in this class. *2003 Winner – Hallie Donathon, Miami Co.*

J-13 **Grooming and Handling Intermediate A** This class is for the 4-H or FFA member 12-14 years of age as of January 1, 2004. Neither the exhibitor nor the dog has had any prior experience in Grooming and Handling, AKC Jr. Handling or like experiences, or a champion title *before April 1, 2004, or their county's 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* Once an exhibitor and dog show in this class, he/she must move to Grooming and Handling Intermediate B provided he/she is still within the age requirements. If the exhibitor will be 15 years of age as of January 1 the next year, then he/she will move to Grooming and Handling Senior B. A dog shown in this class at the Ohio State Fair cannot return to this class. It must be shown at the Grooming and Handling B level of the appropriate age of the exhibitor. *All youth receiving a score of 200 points or above will receive an Outstanding of the Day rosette. The highest scoring youth will receive a trophy. 2003 Winner – Zachary Devitt, Carroll Co.*

J-14 **Grooming and Handling Intermediate B** This class is for the 4-H or FFA member or dog who has shown in Grooming and Handling Intermediate A or has had prior experience in Grooming and

Handling, AKC Jr. Handling or like experiences, or a champion title *before April 1, 2004, or their county's 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* The exhibitor must meet the age requirements of 12-14 years of age as of January 1, 2004. The exhibitor who wins first place in this class at the Ohio State Fair can return to this class with the same dog every year provided age requirements are met. A dog shown in this class must be shown at the Grooming and Handling B level and cannot go back to an A-level class. A first-place trophy and 1 – 15 placing rosettes will be awarded in this class. *2003 Winner – Maria Neff, Darke Co.*

J-15 Grooming and Handling Senior A This class is for the 4-H or FFA member 15-18 years of age as of January 1, 2004. Neither the 4-H or FFA member nor the dog has had any prior experience in Grooming and Handling, AKC Jr. Handling or like experiences, or a champion title *before April 1, 2004 or their county's 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* Once an exhibitor and dog show in this class, he/she must move to Grooming and Handling Senior B. A dog shown in this class at the Ohio State Fair cannot return to this class. It must be shown at the Grooming and Handling B level. *All youth receiving a score of 200 points or above will receive an Outstanding of the Day rosette. The highest scoring youth will receive a trophy. 2003 Winner – Megan Liederbach, Union Co.*

J-16 Grooming and Handling Senior B This class is for the 4-H or FFA member or dog who has shown in Grooming and Handling Senior A or has had prior experience in Grooming and Handling, AKC Jr. Handling or like experiences, or a champion title *before April 1, 2004 or their county's 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* The exhibitor must meet the age requirements of 15-18 as of January 1, current year. The exhibitor who wins first place in this class at the Ohio State Fair can return to this class with the same dog every year provided he/she meets the age requirements. A dog shown in this class must be shown at the Grooming and Handling B level and cannot go back to an A-level class. A first-place trophy and 1 – 15 placing rosettes will be awarded in this class. *2003 Winner – Christine Dysinger, Miami Co.*

**Tuesday, August 10, Buckeye Building
Sub-Novice A, Sub-Novice B, Novice A and Novice B**

Exercises to be performed in Sub-Novice A and Sub-Novice B classes include: heel; figure 8; stand for examination; recall; long sit (1 minute); long down (3 minutes). All exercises will be performed on leash.

J-1 Sub-Novice A This class is for the beginning exhibitor and beginning dog. Neither exhibitor nor dog has had any prior obedience experience *before April 1, 2004, or their county's 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* This means that the exhibitor and/or dog cannot have any kind of formalized training. If they have had any training, they must enter the Sub-Novice B class. This includes counties who have "pre-sub-novice" or similar classes. Those exhibitors/dogs must enter Sub-Novice B classes at the state fair level. Once an exhibitor shows in this class, he/she must move to Sub-Novice B at the very minimum. Once a dog has been shown in this class, the dog must be shown at the Sub-Novice B level at the very minimum. Exercises performed are the same as J-2. All youth receiving a score of 200 points or above will receive an Outstanding of the Day rosette. *The highest scoring youth will receive a trophy.*

J-2 Sub-Novice B This class is for the exhibitor or dog who has shown in Sub-Novice A or has had experience at the Sub-Novice level *before April 1, 2004, or their county's 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* They have not yet progressed to Novice level or higher. Exhibitors can show in Sub-Novice B a maximum of two years at the Ohio State Fair with the same dog, unless winning first place. They then must move to Novice A or higher with that same dog. If an exhibitor wins the Sub-Novice B class the first year, he/she must move to Novice A or higher the next year with the same dog. Once a dog has been shown in this class for two years, the dog must be shown at the Novice A level at the very minimum. The dog of a first place winner in the Sub-Novice B class must then be shown at the Novice A level at the very minimum. A first place trophy and 1 – 15 placing rosettes will be awarded in this class. *2003 Winner – Chrissy Smith, Darke Co.*

Exercises to be performed in Novice A and Novice B classes include: heel on leash; figure 8 on leash; stand for examination off leash; heel free; recall off leash; long sit (1 minute off leash); long down (3 minutes off leash).

J-3 **Novice A** In this class neither the exhibitor nor dog has had any prior experience at the Novice level *before April 1, 2004, or their county's 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* Once an exhibitor shows in this class, he/she must move to Novice B at the very minimum. Once a dog has been shown in this class, the dog must be shown at the Novice B level at the very minimum. Exercises performed are the same as J-4. All youth receiving a score of 200 points or above will receive an Outstanding of the Day rosette. *The highest scoring youth will receive a trophy. 2003 Winner – Brandon Lang, Lawrence Co.*

J-4 **Novice B** This class is for the exhibitor or dog who has shown in Novice A or has had experience at the Novice level *before April 1, 2004, or their county's 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* They have not yet progressed to Graduate Novice A level or higher. Exhibitors can show in Novice B a maximum of two years at the Ohio State Fair with the same dog, unless winning first place. They then must move to Graduate Novice A or higher with that same dog. If an exhibitor wins the Novice B class the first year, he/she must move to Graduate Novice A or higher the next year with the same dog. Once a dog has been shown in this class for two years, the dog must be shown at the Graduate Novice A level at the very minimum. The dog of a first place winner in the Novice B class must then be shown at the Graduate Novice A level at the very minimum. A first place trophy and 1 – 15 placing rosettes will be awarded in this class. *2003 Winner – Nikki Young, Brown Co.*

**Tuesday, August 10, 5:30 p.m., Buckeye Building
Drill Teams**

J-19; J-20; J-21 **Drill Team** Medallions will be awarded to the first place 4- or 5-member team, the first place 6- or 7-member team, and the first place 8- or 9-member team. Rosettes will be awarded to each 4- or 5-member team participant placing first through tenth, each 6- or 7-member team participant placing first through tenth, and each 8- or 9-member team participant placing first through tenth. (Refer to Dog Drill Team Competition Rules listed elsewhere in this information.) *2003 Junior Drill Team Winners – Darke Co.; Junior Obedience Winner – Darke Co.; Junior Style Winner – Darke Co. 2003 Senior Drill Team Winners – Portage Co.; Senior Obedience Winner – Portage Co.; Senior Style Winner – Portage Co.*

**Wednesday, August 11, 9:00 a.m., Buckeye Building
Assistance Dogs**

Exercises to be performed in the Assistance Dogs class include: Accepting a Stranger; Dog's Appearance & Grooming; Walk on Loose Lead; Walk Through a Crowd; Acceptance of a Strange Object; Stay and Reaction to Another Dog; Reaction to Distractions.

J-17 **Assistance Dogs** This class is for 4-H members enrolled in Assistance Dog Project Idea Starter No. 356.08; dogs are owned by Pilot Dogs, Inc. or other Assistance Dog Organizations. FFA members raising a pilot puppy or other assistance dog may also enter this class. *All exhibitors with dogs passing 7 of the 10 exercises, plus exhibitor's and dog's appearance and sportsmanship, will receive an award. 2003 Winner – Mary Beth Kopechek, Franklin Co.*

**Wednesday, August 11, Buckeye Building
Graduate Novice A, Graduate Novice B, Open A, Open B, Graduate Open A and Graduate Open B**

Jump Heights: Jump heights are set in accordance with the AKC jump heights found at the following website: www.akc.org. ***High Jump:*** "The minimum high jump will be set at the nearest multiple of 2 inches to three-quarters the height of the dog at the withers for the following breeds: Basset Hounds, Bernese Mountain Dogs, Bloodhounds, Bulldogs, Bullmastiffs, Cardigan Welsh Corgis, Clumber Spaniels, Dachshunds, French Bulldogs, Great Danes, Great Pyrenees, Greater Swiss Mountain Dogs, Irish Wolfhounds, Mastiffs, Newfoundlands, Saint Bernards, and Skye Terriers." (Mixed breeds clearly resembling the AKC breeds listed above will jump at those AKC breed jump heights.)

"The minimum jump shall be set to the multiple of 2 inches nearest the height of the dog at the withers **for**

all other dogs, with no dog jumping less than 8 inches or more than 36 inches.”

The table below shows the height to be jumped for breeds that jump three-quarters the height of the dog at the withers:

Measured Height of Dog at Withers	Height to be Jumped
Less than 12 ½”	8”
12 ½” to less than 15”	10”
15” to less than 17 ½”	12”
17 ½” to less than 20”	14”
20” to less than 23”	16”
23” to less than 25 ½”	18”
25 ½” to less than 28”	20”
28” to less than 31”	22”
31” to less than 33 ½”	24”
33 ½” to less than 36”	26”
36” to less than 39”	28”

Broad Jump: “The required length of the broad jump is twice the height of the high jump for each dog.”

Exercises to be performed in Graduate Novice A and Graduate Novice B classes include: heel free and figure 8; moving stand and examination; moving drop on recall; dumbbell recall; recall over broad jump; 3-minute long down (handler out of sight). All exercises will be performed off leash.

J-5 Graduate Novice A In this class neither the exhibitor nor dog has had any prior experience at the Graduate Novice level *before April 1, 2004, or their county’s 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* Once an exhibitor shows in this class, he/she must move to Graduate Novice B at the very minimum. Once a dog has been shown in this class, the dog must be shown at the Graduate Novice B level at the very minimum. Exercises performed are the same as J-6. A first place trophy and 1 – 15 placing rosettes will be awarded in this class. *2003 Winner – Grace Sabella, Carroll Co.*

J-6 Graduate Novice B This class is for the exhibitor or dog who has shown in Graduate Novice A or has had experience at the Graduate Novice level *before April 1, 2004, or their county’s 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* They have not yet progressed to Open A level or higher. Exhibitors can show in Graduate Novice B a maximum of two years at the Ohio State Fair with the same dog, unless winning first place. They then must move to Open A or higher with that same dog. If an exhibitor wins the Graduate Novice B class the first year, he/she must move to Open A or higher the next year with the same dog. Once a dog has been shown in this class for two years, the dog must be shown at the Open A level at the very minimum. The dog of a first place winner in the Graduate Novice B class must then be shown at the Open A level. A first place trophy and 1 – 15 placing rosettes will be awarded in this class. *2003 Winner – Abby Painter, Darke Co.*

Exercises to be performed in Open A and Open B classes include: heel free and figure 8; drop on recall; retrieve on flat; retrieve over high jump; broad jump; long sit* (3 minutes); long down* (5 minutes) *handler out of sight. All exercises will be performed off leash.

J-7 Open A In this class neither the exhibitor nor dog has had any prior experience at the Open level *before April 1, 2004 or their county’s 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* Once an exhibitor shows in this class, he/she must move to Open B at the very minimum. Once a dog has been shown in this class, the dog must be shown at the Open B level at the very minimum. A first place trophy and 1 – 15 placing rosettes will be awarded in this class. Exercises performed are the same as J-8. *2003 Winner – Jena English, Clinton Co.*

J-8 Open B This class is for the exhibitor or dog who has shown in Open A or has had experience at the Open level *before April 1, 2004, or their county’s 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* They have not yet progressed to the Graduate Open level or higher. Exhibitors can show in Open B a maximum of two years at the Ohio State Fair with the same dog. They then must move to Graduate Open

A with that same dog. If an exhibitor wins the Open B class the first year, he/she must move to Graduate Open A the next year with the same dog at the very minimum. Once a dog has been shown in this class for two years, the dog must be shown at the Graduate Open A level at the very minimum. The dog of a first place winner in the Open B class must then be shown at the Graduate Open A level at the very minimum. A first place trophy and 1 – 15 placing rosettes will be awarded in this class. *2003 Winner – Blake Williams, Perry Co.*

Exercises to be performed in Graduate Open A and Graduate Open B classes include: signal exercise; drop on recall; directed retrieve; moving stand and examination; retrieve on flat; retrieve over high jump; broad jump. All exercises will be performed off leash.

J-9 Graduate Open A In this class neither the exhibitor nor dog has had any prior experience at the Graduate Open level, or a higher level of dog obedience, *before April 1, 2004 or their county's 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* Once an exhibitor shows in this class, he/she must move to Graduate Open B at the very minimum. Once a dog has been shown in this class, the dog must then be shown at the Graduate Open B level. Exercises performed are the same as J-10. A first place trophy and 1 – 15 placing rosettes will be awarded in this class. *2003 Winner – Ashley Bauer, Williams Co.*

J-10 Graduate Open B This class is for the exhibitor or dog who has shown in Graduate Open A or has had prior experience at the Graduate Open level, or a higher level of dog obedience *before April 1, 2004 or their county's 4-H enrollment deadline, whichever comes first.* If an exhibitor and/or dog does not win first place in Graduate Open B at the Ohio State Fair, he/she can repeat this class at the state level provided the county requirements have been met, and the exhibitor has been selected to show at the Ohio State Fair. The exhibitor who wins first place in this class at the Ohio State Fair can return to this class with the same dog every year. Dogs shown in this class cannot show in any lower levels of dog obedience at the Ohio State Fair. A first place trophy and 1 – 15 placing rosettes will be awarded in this class. *2003 Winner - Mary Lynn Butcher, Clark Co.*

**Wednesday, August 11, 1:00 p.m., Buckeye Building
Dog Care
4-H & FFA members MUST bring their dogs to judging**

Exercises to be performed in all Dog Care classes include: (1) *Member's Interview* (Questions will be asked from the Dog Care 200 project book.); (2) *Member's Record Form* (The exhibitor must complete the record form on pages 65-69 of the Dog Care 200 book for the current project year. Nothing can be added to this project record for this section of judging.); (3) *Member's Appearance and Attitude*; (4) *Dog's Appearance and Manners*; (5) *Creative Achievement of Member and Dog* (The exhibitor must show something that he or she did with or for his or her dog during the current project year. This could include, but is not limited to, tricks; costumes or dog clothing/toys; equipment made; scrapbooks; or posters.) Youth **must** bring their dogs to Dog Care judging.

J-001 Junior Dog Care This class is for 4-H members 9-11 years of age as of January 1, 2004 enrolled in Dog Care, Project No. 200. The trophy winner of this class may repeat this class every other year. All youth scoring 200 points or higher will receive an Outstanding of the Day rosette. The highest scoring youth will receive a trophy. *2003 Winner – Keagan Arledge, Ross Co.*

J-002 Intermediate Dog Care This class is for 4-H members 12-14 years of age as of January 1, 2004 enrolled in Dog Care, Project No. 200. The trophy winner of this class may repeat this class every other year. All youth scoring 200 points or higher will receive an Outstanding of the Day rosette. The highest scoring youth will receive a trophy. *2003 Winner – Wes McMillen, Darke Co.*

J-003 Senior Dog Care This class is for 4-H members 15-18 years of age as of January 1, 2004 enrolled in Dog Care, Project No. 200. The trophy winner of this class may repeat this class every other year. All youth scoring 200 points or higher will receive an Outstanding of the Day rosette. The highest scoring youth will receive a trophy. *2003 Trophy Winner – Rachel Lamb, Warren Co.*

Dog Skillathon

A Dog Skillathon will be held on Monday, August 9 (10 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.) and Tuesday, August 10, (9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.) during the Ohio State Fair Dog Activities in the Buckeye Building. This contest is open to any 4-H or FFA member. There are ten age divisions (9 through 18 years). Ages are determined as of 1/1/04. First place in each age division will receive a cash award from the Youth Reserve Program (Y.R.P.). Junior (9-11 yrs.), Intermediate (12-14 yrs.), and Senior (15-18 yrs.) age division winner awards will be presented. Other awards include participation tokens, outstanding awards, and a special award to the overall winner. Awards will be presented at the end of the day on Tuesday, August 10.

2003 Dog Skillathon Winners

Age 9:	Dorothy Kehl, Clinton Co.	Age 14:	Abigail Curtis, Licking Co.
Age 10:	Erica Bunish, Clark Co.	Age 15:	Jennifer Sherman, Lorain Co.
Age 11:	Mattea Benz, Clinton Co.	Age 16:	Zack Flower, Clinton Co.
Age 12:	Hillary Dwire, Montgomery Co.	Age 17:	Heidi Peclizok, Geauga Co.
Age 13:	Maria Neff, Darke Co. (Overall Winner)	Age 18:	Meagan Zeune, Licking Co.

State Fair Championship Title

4-H and FFA members showing their dogs at the Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show may apply for titling by recording State Fair achievements during their 4-H or FFA careers. The junior fair participant, his or her parent/guardian, and 4-H advisor or FFA instructor must document achievements.

Requirements

1. A 4-H or FFA member must accumulate a minimum of 25 points;
2. Points are recorded for the handler;
3. Points are accumulated for one dog per event; and
4. All State Fair participation rules apply.

Point System

One point will be awarded for participation in any of these state fair categories:

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| 1. Dog Care | 5. Drill Team |
| 2. Obedience | 6. Agility |
| 3. Grooming and Handling | 7. Poster Contest |
| 4. Assistance Dogs | 8. Skillathon |

An additional 5 points will be awarded for a 1 through 15 placement in any category, or for receiving a gold medal in Agility, or receiving an Outstanding in Dog Care. Five points will be awarded to youth receiving an Outstanding in Sub-Novice A, Novice A, Grooming & Handling Junior A, Grooming & Handling Intermediate A, or Grooming & Handling Senior A. Five points will be awarded to youth receiving a passing score in the Assistance Dogs class. An exhibitor cannot exceed 6 points per event.

To earn a State Fair Championship Title, exhibitors can accumulate points each year they exhibit at the State Fair, and when 25 points have been accumulated, the title will be awarded. Once a Title has been earned, the exhibitor may then start accumulating points for a second title.

Awards

A pin, t-shirt, and certificate will be presented to each exhibitor receiving his/her first Title at the Ohio State Fair at noon and at the end of each day of judging. Exhibitors receiving second or third titles will receive a pin and certificate.

Outstanding Dog Exhibitor

A total of \$500.00 will be distributed to the first, second and third place outstanding Dog Exhibitors, with first place receiving \$300.00, second place receiving \$150.00 and third place receiving \$50.00. The top three placings will be determined by a point system from scores/placings from a combination of show scores, including the Poster Contest and Skillathon scores. Awards will be presented at awards presentation on

Wednesday, August 11.

Some examples of possible combinations for accumulating points toward the Outstanding Dog Exhibitor include:

- a. If exhibitor shows in Obedience, he/she can also compete in Agility (provided the dog has had agility

show experience), Drill Team, the Skillathon, and the Poster Contest. He/she could also take an Assistance Dog. If exhibitor shows in upper level obedience (J-5 – J-10) he/she may show the same or different dog in Grooming and Handling.

- b. If exhibitor shows in Grooming & Handling, he/she can also compete in Agility (provided the dog has had agility show experience), Drill Team, the Skillathon, and the Poster Contest. He/she could also take an Assistance Dog. The exhibitor could also show the same or different dog in an upper level obedience class (J-5 – J-10).
- c. If exhibitor shows in Dog Care, he/she can compete in Drill Team, Agility (provided the dog has had agility show experience), the Skillathon, and the Poster Contest. He/she could also take an Assistance Dog.
- d. If exhibitor shows only an Assistance Dog, he/she could compete on a Drill Team, the Skillathon, and the Poster Contest.

Point System for Outstanding Dog Exhibitor

- a. Obedience (except Sub-Novice A & Novice A), Grooming & Handling (except Junior A, Intermediate A, & Senior A), Assistance Dogs, Drill Team, and Poster Contest: 30 points for 1st place; 28 pts. – 2nd place, etc. through 2 pts. – 15th place.
- b. Sub-Novice A, Novice A, Grooming & Handling Jr. A, Intermediate A, & Senior A – Trophy winner in each age division – 30 points; 15 points for scores from 200 to 230.
- c. Dog Care – Trophy winner in each age division – 30 points; 15 points for scores from 200 to 230.
- d. Assistance Dogs – 30 points to each exhibitor earning a passing score.
- e. Agility – Maroon ribbon (qualifying, zero fault performance) – 30 points; gold medal (5 fault points or less) – 25 points; silver medal (more than 5 but less than 16 fault points) – 20 points; and bronze medal (16 fault points or more) – 10 points.
- f. Dog Skillathon – First place in each age division – 30 points; overall winner – earns an additional 10 points; outstanding awards – top 20% in each age group – 15 points.

2003 Outstanding Dog Exhibitors:

- 1st – Maria Neff, Darke Co.
- 2nd – Hillary Dwire, Montgomery Co.
- 3rd – Mary Lynn Butcher, Clark Co.
- 4th (tie) – Brandi Marshall, Clinton Co.
Katrina Davis, Warren Co.

Summary of Progression of Obedience Classes at the Ohio State Fair Dog Show

- (J-1) Sub-Novice A** - 1 year, then move to Sub-Novice B
- (J-2) Sub-Novice B** - 2 years maximum with same dog unless class winner, then move to Novice A
- (J-3) Novice A** - 1 year, then move to Novice B
- (J-4) Novice B** - 2 years maximum with same dog unless class winner, then move to Grad Novice A
- (J-5) Graduate Novice A** - 1 year, then move to Grad Novice B
- (J-6) Graduate Novice B** - 2 years maximum with same dog unless class winner, then move to Open A
- (J-7) Open A** - 1 year, then move to Open B
- (J-8) Open B** - 2 years maximum with same dog unless class winner, then move to Grad Open A
- (J-9) Graduate Open A** - 1 year, then move to Grad Open B
- (J-10) Graduate Open B** - *can repeat this class with same dog regardless of winning*

- a. Refer to the J-1 through J-10 class descriptions for more details. Exhibitors must continually progress to a higher level of obedience training with the same dog. At the Ohio State Fair any previous participants (youth and dogs) in classes Sub-Novice A, Novice A, Graduate Novice A, Open A, and Graduate Open A may not enter the same class ever again. First place winners (youth and dogs) of Sub-Novice B, Novice B, Graduate Novice B, and Open B are not permitted to

repeat the same class with the same dog. First place winners (youth and dogs) of Graduate Open B may repeat this class each year.

- b. Participants in Sub-Novice B, Novice B, Graduate Novice B, and Open B can show in these classes a maximum of two years with the same dog, unless winning first place. Participants in Graduate Open B can show in this class every year with the same dog, regardless of winning.
- c. Dogs of first place winners in obedience classes are not permitted to be shown in the same or lower level obedience classes again, except they may be shown in Graduate Open B every year.
- d. Exhibitors showing their dogs at any Licensed or Member Obedience Trial or at a Sanctioned Match must show their dogs at the same or higher *level B* classes than they are showing in AKC, UKC, or other titling shows. Dogs completing their Companion Dog (CD) title (or UKC, or other titling equivalents) *prior to, or anytime during, the project year* must show in Graduate Novice classes. Dogs completing their Companion Dog Excellent (CDX) title (or UKC, or other titling equivalents) *prior to, or anytime during, the project year* must show in Open B or Graduate Open A or B classes. *Any dog receiving one or more legs toward a championship title anytime during the project year must then move into the appropriate B class at the time the first leg was earned. This rule, if applicable, supercedes exhibitor and dog information listed in the class descriptions found elsewhere in this document.* Fun matches do not apply.

Summary of Progression of Grooming and Handling Classes at the Ohio State Fair Dog Show

(J-11) Grooming and Handling Junior A (9-11 yrs. as of 1/1/04) - 1 year, then move to Grooming and Handling Junior B if still meeting the age requirements or move to Grooming and Handling Intermediate B if 12 as of January 1. Neither the youth nor the dog can return to an A class.

(J-12) Grooming and Handling Junior B (9-11 yrs. as of 1/1/04) - until reach Intermediate age division; *class winner can repeat Grooming and Handling Junior B every year with same dog*; must progress from Grooming and Handling Junior B to Grooming and Handling Intermediate B.

(J-13) Grooming and Handling Intermediate A (12-14 yrs. as of 1/1/04) - 1 year, then move to Grooming and Handling Intermediate B if still meeting the age requirements or move to Grooming and Handling Senior B if 15 as of January 1. Neither the youth nor the dog can return to an A class.

(J-14) Grooming and Handling Intermediate B (12-14 yrs. as of 1/1/04) - until reach Senior age division; *class winner can repeat Intermediate Grooming and Handling B every year with same dog*; must progress from Grooming and Handling Intermediate B to Grooming and Handling Senior B.

(J-15) Grooming and Handling Senior A (15-18 yrs. as of 1/1/04) - 1 year, then move to Grooming and Handling Senior B. Neither the youth nor dog can return to an A class.

(J-16) Grooming and Handling Senior B (15-18 yrs. as of 1/1/04) - until ineligible to join 4-H or be in FFA; *class winner can repeat Grooming and Handling Senior B every year with same dog.*

- a. Refer to the J-11 through J-16 class descriptions for more details. At the Ohio State Fair any previous participants or dogs in Grooming & Handling Junior A, Grooming & Handling Intermediate A, and Grooming & Handling Senior A may not enter the same class. First place winners of the Grooming & Handling B classes can repeat Grooming & Handling B every year with same dog provided youth meet age eligibility.
- b. For Grooming and Handling classes, dogs with AKC Jr. Handling or like experiences must be shown in exhibitor age-appropriate B classes. *Dogs completing a title prior to, or anytime during, the project year must show in exhibitor age-appropriate B classes. Any dog receiving points toward a championship title anytime during the project year must then move into the appropriate B class at the time the points were first earned. This rule, if applicable, supercedes exhibitor and dog information listed in the class descriptions found elsewhere in this document.* Fun matches do not apply.



USDAA® Sanctioned Junior Handler Dog Agility Test

Thursday, August 5, 2004

5:00 p.m.

Hosted by Ohio 4-H and FFA

Ohio State Fair

Coliseum

717 East 17th Ave., Columbus, OH

Held indoors on sand

Judge: Becky Dean

Dublin, Ohio

Entries Close Thursday, July 22, 2004 at 6:00 p.m.

No entries will be accepted by fax, telephone, or without complete payment of entry fees.

Entries sent by overnight mail must be sent 'no signature required.'

Secondary closing date for advancements in levels only:

Thursday, July 29, 2004 at 6:00 p.m.

Sign and mail entries with money to:

Susie Thomas, 5149 Northcliff Loop E, Columbus, OH 43229

Classes Offered:

Junior Handler Titling Program – Beginners, Elementary, Intermediate, and Senior

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USDAA® SANCTIONED JUNIOR HANDLER DOG AGILITY 4-H EVENT
THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 2004
OHIO STATE FAIR
COLISEUM

GOALS/OBJECTIVES:

Dog agility is a competitive sport in which a handler directs their dog over a timed obstacle course. The level of the dog/handler teams determines the obstacles (see Class Description). Scoring is based on faults similar to equestrian show jumping.

The USDAA Sanctioned Junior Handler Dog Agility 4-H Event:

- Provides a statewide avenue for youth and their dogs to exhibit teamwork and skills learned in dog agility;
- Gives youth a goal to work toward if training for agility competition;
- Allows youth to display the capabilities and versatility of their dogs;
- Is a method of instilling confidence in each youth and dog as a team;
- Allows for all youth to receive statewide 4-H recognition; and
- Allows youth with qualifying runs to receive credit toward USDAA Junior Handler titles.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

- Junior handlers and their dogs must be registered with USDAA in order to compete at a USDAA sanctioned event. For any competitor who has not shown his/her dog in a USDAA sanctioned event, USDAA'S registration fee is \$10.00 per dog. In addition, there will be an entry processing fee of \$3.00 for each dog entered.
- **Closing date for entries is 6:00 p.m., Thursday, July 22, 2004. Entries Must Be Received By Show Secretary By This Deadline. No Exceptions.**
- Entries will not be accepted or canceled after closing date.
- **Do Not Mail Entries In Any Manner Requiring The Secretary's Signature For Delivery. Entries Requiring A Signature For Delivery Will Be Returned.**
- Changes *to advance* in Junior Handler class levels will be accepted by the secretary, in writing or by telephone, not later than 6:00 p.m., Thursday, July 29, 2004.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

- The information presented herein pertains to USDAA® Rules & Regulations as amended January 1, 2003, the Ohio State Fair, and 4-H rules regarding ownership, health requirements, and competitor participation.
- This event is held indoors on packed sand.
- Qualifying runs will be credited toward Junior Handler titles.
- All Junior Handler/Dog teams must be registered with the USDAA Junior Handler Program to participate in this event. A registration form and details are **included**. Registration is open to purebred and non-purebred dogs, but dogs must be 18 months or older to participate in any USDAA sanctioned event. *(Note that this age limit must be followed and is different from the six-month requirement for other classes at the Ohio State Fair.)* **Dogs born after February 5, 2003 are ineligible for this trial.**
- Youth may show more than one dog provided State Fair Dog Show Rules are followed.

ABOUT THE USDAA® JUNIOR HANDLER PROGRAM (UJHP):

The USDAA Junior Handler Program is for youth eighteen years of age and younger. Dogs and junior handlers may compete in the Junior Handler Program without regard to their accomplishments in other agility classes; however, a dog and handler must register as a team with USDAA in order to participate (a registration form is included on the entry form sheet). Dogs must be 18 months of age or older to participate. A junior handler need not be the owner of the dog to participate under the USDAA rules; however, for 4-H/FFA entries, youth must be enrolled by their county's enrollment deadline, follow ownership rules, and abide by the Ohio State Fair Dog Activities "Rules for State Fair Participation," except where noted. Additionally, only the handler who has entered the dog under their team registration number may handle the dog, since accomplishments are measured and awarded to the dog and handler as a team. A dog is not permitted to be entered on the same day in the same class with two different handlers.

Scoring in the USDAA Junior Handler Program follows the schedule of faults as approved for the Starters Agility class in Chapter 5 of USDAA's Official Rules and Regulations*, which includes five fault points for displacing poles from hurdles, failure to touch yellow zones on contact obstacles, jumping on and off the pause table, and failure to clear the span of the long jump. All jumps shall have poles or planks that can be fully displaced. The handler is not permitted to jump over the jumps with the dog.

Jump Heights shall be as follows:

Dog's Height at Shoulder	Jump Height
12" and under	8"
Over 12" to 16"	12"
Over 16" to 21"	16"
Over 21"	22"
Exception: In Beginners classes, dogs measuring over 21" and shown on lead shall jump	16"

Competitive placement awards are not offered; instead, awards are based upon USDAA performance standards in the Junior Handler Program classes as follows: A maroon ribbon or rosette is awarded for all qualifying (zero fault) performances, a Gold Medal is awarded for all scores of five fault points or less, a Silver Medal is awarded for all scores of more than five but no more than fifteen fault points, and a Bronze Medal is awarded for all scores greater than fifteen fault points. In addition to the USDAA recognitions, additional 4-H recognition will be given.

* To obtain a copy of the USDAA Official Rules and Regulations contact:

United States Dog Agility Association, Inc.
PO Box 850955 Richardson, Texas 75085-0955
phone: 972-487-2200 fax: 972-272-4404
website: www.usdaa.com

NOTICE TO COMPETITORS:

- This event shall be held under the Official Rules and Regulations of the USDAA.
- Competitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge they are knowledgeable of USDAA Rules and Regulations, including, but not limited to, the following rules regarding entry: This event is open to all dogs being at least eighteen months (18) of age, including purebred and non-purebred, except bitches in season, dogs suffering any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance, or dogs exhibiting signs of aggression.
- **Dog/handler teams to be entered in Junior Handler titling events must have a registration number, or include a "J" registration form, with proper fees, with their entries. PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR REGISTRATION CARD (BLUE PAPER OR YELLOW PLASTIC) TO THE EVENT!**
- No leads, collars, food, toys, or other aids or devices shall be permitted on the course at any time, except for those Junior Handling classes that permit a lead or collar. No training collars of any kind (including, **but not limited to**, any choke, pinch, shock, or similar collars) are allowed in or about the rings, including the warm-up areas. There shall be NO intentional training involving the use of collars or other corrective devices on the show grounds, nor training in the ring, either of which may result in disciplinary action being filed under the USDAA Official Rules and Regulations.
- Safety shall always be of foremost consideration in actions and conduct by handlers at all times.
- The Event Organizing Committee may refuse any entry for any reason.
- Entry fees will not be refunded for any reason after the closing date, or in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by a Veterinarian or Judge, barred from competition by action of the Event Committee, or in the event the show cannot open or be completed by reason of riot, civil disturbances, fire, act of God, public emergency, act of public enemy, strike or any other cause beyond the control of the organizers.
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$20.00 service charge for returned checks. Payment of entry fees and service charges shall be made in cash or money order within 30 days of postmark of notice of returned check where notification is received after event date. Any fees not received within 30 days of notice result in cancellation of event results for all classes for the registration number(s) of delinquent entry/entries. No reinstatement of results is possible, and all awards must be returned within 10 days of notification or the dog's registration may be suspended pending restitution. Any unpaid fees or shortfalls must be paid prior to the start of the event or entry is canceled without recourse by owner/handler.
- All dogs must be kept on leash or crated when not competing in the ring or in the designated warm-up area(s).
- Competitors, along with their parents or guardians, alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any dog or children creating unnecessary disturbances or engaging in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Event Organizing Committee, be asked to leave the Event Site. In such case, there will be no refund of any fees paid.
- There will be NO equipment familiarization period.
- One ring will be run for all classes.
- Agility obstacles will meet USDAA specification, and will be chosen from those described in the current edition of the Official Rules and Regulations of the USDAA as amended January 1, 2002.
- Competitors will be notified of check-in and class times.
- All dogs participating in the Ohio State Fair must be currently licensed in the competitor's county of residence. **The competitor must bring a certificate of license to registration.**

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

1. All dogs participating in the Ohio State Fair must be currently licensed in the exhibitor's county of residence. **The exhibitor must bring a certificate of license to health check. The dog license tag alone is not sufficient.**
 - a. The exhibitor must pay a \$15.00 processing fee if he or she does not bring a certificate of license to health check and show officials must call his or her respective county auditor's office for verification. This fee must be paid prior to officials making the phone call.
2. An **ODA Official Health Certificate** or the **Ohio State Fair 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination** completed and signed by a licensed, accredited veterinarian is required for exhibition. Veterinarians must also provide their name/address stamp used in practice in the space provided. These certificates must include the name, breed and age of dog. **Other certificates of vaccination, computerized vaccination records, pet record cards, or kennel records will not be accepted. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to make sure that all vaccination requirements for State Fair are met.**
 - a. The veterinarian must list the dates of the required vaccinations, *or the reason for not giving one or more vaccinations* on either an *ODA Health Certificate* or the *Ohio State Fair 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination*. **Rabies is a required vaccination without exception.** Most dogs, unless it is their first time for a rabies vaccination, will receive or have received a three-year vaccine. The veterinarian must circle which vaccination (1 yr. or 3 yr.) was given, record the date it was given, and list the rabies tag number.
3. All dogs must be immunized against rabies by a licensed, accredited veterinarian. **One-year rabies vaccinations must be given after July 21, 2003 and before July 22, 2004. Three-year rabies vaccinations must be given after July 21, 2001 and before July 22, 2004. The rabies tag number must be listed on the vaccination certificate.**
4. All dogs must be immunized against distemper (CDV), adenovirus (CAV-2), leptospirosis, parvovirus (CPV), and parainfluenza (CPI) by a licensed, accredited veterinarian **UNLESS** the reason is noted on the *ODA Health Certificate* or the *Ohio State Fair 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination*. **Vaccinations must be given after July 21, 2003 and before July 22, 2004.**
5. Veterinarians must note any deviations from the required vaccinations (i.e. leptospirosis vaccination not given by veterinarian; dogs titer tested in lieu of vaccinations; or the veterinarian following the AAHA recommendations for giving vaccinations; etc.) on the *ODA Official Health Certificate*, the *Ohio State Fair 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination*, or on veterinarian's letterhead that accompanies the required health papers.
6. **The Ohio State Fair 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination is available from the county Extension office. It can also be downloaded from the Ohio 4-H website.** The *County 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination* provided in the 4-H Professional's State Fair Handbook and on the Ohio 4-H website may be used as the official *State Fair Certificate of Vaccination* provided the vaccination dates fall within the required vaccination dates for the State Fair Dog Show and it is copied on the reverse side of the *Ohio State Fair 2004 Junior Fair Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination*. *The use of this certificate must be approved by the 4-H professional and must be consistent throughout the respective county.*
7. Any dogs exhibiting abnormalities or symptoms of sickness, disease, or parasite infestation as determined by the health check officials will be eliminated from the show and must be removed from the Fairgrounds. If a dog is under veterinary care for a health condition that is not infectious or contagious, the exhibitor must bring a health certificate from the attending veterinarian verifying the condition and treatment. Decision of the show health check officials is final.
8. **Bitches showing signs of heat are not permitted to be shown and are not permitted on the Fairgrounds.** Each dog must go through a health check where all females will be checked for signs of

heat. If a bitch shows **any** signs of heat, she will be eliminated from the show and must be removed from the Fairgrounds. Any bitch, which appears so attractive to males as to be a disturbing element, will be eliminated from the show and must be removed from the Fairgrounds. Decision of the health check officials is final.

9. Pregnant and/or lactating (nursing) bitches are not permitted to be shown and are not permitted on the Fairgrounds.
10. Before going to Registration, exhibitors must bring their dog, dog license certificate, and health certificate to Health Check. Incomplete or falsified information is grounds for dismissal.
 - a. The exhibitor must pay a \$15.00 processing fee if information on the health certificates is incomplete and show officials must call his or her veterinarian for verification. This fee must be paid prior to officials making the phone call.

CLASS DESCRIPTIONS:

Beginners Agility Class

The JH - Beginners AgilitySM certificate requires completion of one round of competition with no penalties. Completion of the course within the designated time without fault shall result in the award of USDAA's JH -Beginners Agility certificate of accomplishment. The obstacle course shall be comprised of ten (10) obstacles set in a simple horse shoe or simple "M" design, including an A-Frame (apex at 4'6"), Table at 12" for all dogs (to be performed in the down position for five cumulative seconds), Pipe Tunnel, Collapsed Tunnel and Six Hurdles (wings, if any, should be no more than 18" in width). The standard course time shall be 60 seconds.

Elementary Agility Class

The JH - Elementary AgilitySM certificate requires completion of two rounds of competition with no penalties. Successful completion of the two rounds will earn the JH - Elementary Agility certificate of accomplishment. The obstacle course shall be comprised of ten obstacles set in a simple horseshoe or simple "M" design. The same agility obstacles and related modifications shall be used as in the Beginners class, except that the A-frame shall measure five (5) feet at the apex. The standard course time shall be the same as in the Beginners class, set at 60 seconds.

Intermediate Agility Class

The JH - Intermediate AgilitySM class requires three rounds of competition with no penalties. Dogs completing three clear rounds in this class shall be awarded the JH - Intermediate Agility certificate of accomplishment. The courses shall be of simple design, being slightly more challenging than a figure of "8", and shall include twelve (12) to fourteen (14) obstacles, including an A-Frame (apex at 5'6"), Dog Walk (elevation at no more than 3'0" and planks of no less than 7'0" in length), Pipe Tunnel, Collapsed Tunnel, Short set of weave poles (five or six), Table at 12" for dogs jumping in the lower two height classes and at 16" for dogs jumping in the two higher jump height classes (to be performed in the down position for five consecutive seconds), Long Jump, Tire Jump and Four to six hurdles. The standard course time shall be 75 seconds.

Senior Agility Class:

The JH - Senior AgilitySM class requires three rounds of competition with no penalties. Dogs completing three rounds without fault in this class level shall be awarded the JH - Senior Agility certificate of accomplishment. The courses shall be of simple design, being slightly more challenging than a figure of "8", and shall include thirteen (13) to fifteen (15) obstacles, including the same obstacles as in the JH - Intermediate class with the following modifications: A-frame apex at 6'0" (5'6" for the 8" height class) and the addition of a see-saw. The standard course time shall be computed at the rate of two yards per second not to exceed 75 seconds.

RELEASE OF RIGHTS AND DISCLAIMERS RELATED TO TELEVISION

All Competitors through entry at this event waive any and all rights relative to video broadcast of this event. Competitors shall have the right to videotape portions of this event for their personal use only. No portion of this event may be videotaped for commercial or other purposes. All video, broadcast and telecast rights for this event are the exclusive property of United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. Portions of this event may be taped for television. Through entry at this event, ALL COMPETITORS and HANDLERS HEREBY GRANT to USDAA and its representatives, agents and assigns, all rights and permission to use or appropriate his/her and their dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media now known. All competitors and handles hereby release USDAA and its representatives, agents and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of publicity, right of personality, or any similar right.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

Susan Crank, Show Chairperson

7517 Palmer Road

Pataskala, Ohio 43206

Phone: 740-927-6930

e-mail: susancrank@aol.com

USDAA® OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM
USDAA SANCTIONED JUNIOR HANDLER DOG AGILITY 4-H EVENT
Thursday, August 5, 2004
Ohio State Fair

Cooper Arena

Return this completed form, with appropriate fees, to: Susie Thomas, 5149 Northcliff Loop E, Columbus, Ohio 43229. **Entries close and must be received by 6:00 p.m., Thursday, July 22, 2004; no exceptions.** No entries will be accepted by fax, telephone, or without complete payment of entry fees. **If you need to register your dog with USDAA, please enclose a separate check payable to "USDAA".** Your entry will be confirmed by mail, with check-in and class times noted.

PLEASE NOTE: Do not send your entry in any manner requiring a signature for delivery.
 Entries requiring a signature for delivery will be returned.

- I enclose: 1. _____ **Entry processing fee** payable to "State 4-H Dog Committee" in the amount of **\$3.00.**
 2. _____ My dog's **registration fee** payable to "USDAA" in the amount of **\$10.00**
 (necessary only if this is the first time dog is shown).

DOG'S IDENTIFICATION:

Dog's Call Name _____ USDAA Jr. Reg. # _____
Birth date _____ Breed _____
Height Division Entered: (Circle) 8" 12" 16" 22" Actual Height at withers _____

4-H MEMBER/HANDLER INFORMATION:

Name _____ Age (as of 1/1/03) _____
Address (Street or P. O. Box) _____
City, State, Zip _____ County _____
Handler, if other than registered owner _____
Phone (____) _____ e-mail _____
Name of 4-H club or FFA _____

CLASS YOU ARE ENTERING:

_____ Beginner _____ On leash _____ Off leash
_____ Elementary
_____ Intermediate
_____ Senior

If there are any questions or problems with your entry, would you like me to:
_____ return it? or _____ call collect to resolve them? (check one)

DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR USDAA "J" REGISTRATION CARD!

<p>IMPORTANT!!! You MUST include your signatures on the other side under "General Agreement" for your entry to be valid.</p>
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GENERAL AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the 4-H Dog Committee has the right to refuse this entry for cause, which the organizing committee alone shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, of the holding of the event and of the opportunity to have the dog participate and/or to be judged, I(we) agree to hold the organizing committee, 4-H Dog Committee, the Ohio State Fair, United States Dog Agility Association, Inc., including their members, officers, directors, agents and employees, sponsors of the event, and owners of the premises upon which the event is held and their employees harmless from any claim for loss or injury that may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I(we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim. I(we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, appearance, theft, damage or injury, be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes. I(we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for an agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting there from, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves) or on account of damage to property arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons. I further acknowledge that I have read, understand and will abide by the Official Rules and Regulations of the United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. and the provisions for entry as set forth in the Agility Test Schedule of which this entry form is a part. I acknowledge and represent that the information supplied by me herein is correct to the best of my knowledge; if any portion of this information is found to be invalid or insufficient to establish the validity of my entry, such finding shall render by entry invalid in its entirety, for which there shall be no refund of fees paid. Further, I represent that I am the owner of the dog listed hereon, or that I have full authority as agent for dog's owner and shall hold [host group], USDAA, including their officers, directors, employees and agents and their sponsors harmless from any liability or claims made by dog's owner. Further, I hereby grant to United States Dog Agility Association, Inc., its representatives, agents and assigns, all rights and permission to use or appropriate my and the dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice performing persona, or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media now known or hereafter to become known. I hereby release USDAA, its representatives, agents and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of personality or any similar right.

Signature of Competitor _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian _____ Date _____

USDA ® DOG REGISTRATION FORM

Junior Handler Registration Application - \$10.00 (per dog)

Dogs must be registered with USDAA in order to compete in USDAA sanctioned events. A registration card and number with a "U" prefix will be issued to facilitate entry at USDAA events and tacking of show results in the regular classes. Junior handlers (those 18 years of age and younger) and their dogs must be separately registered for participation in the Junior Handlers Program (UJHP). A registration number with a "J" prefix will be assigned for use in entering UJHP events. A dog that is expected to compete in both programs (regular classes and UJHP) must be registered separately for each program.

If you have not already registered, complete the form below and include the appropriate fee per dog with your entry for the Ohio State Fair Dog Agility 4-H Event. Make checks payable to: "**USDAA**". You must complete ALL information for a valid registration.

Junior Handler (for JH registration) _____

Street Address _____

City/State _____ Postal Code _____

Dog's Formal Name _____

Dog' Call Name _____ Dog's Height at Withers (to nearest ¼") _____

Breed: _____ Birthdate (estimate if unknown) _____
(specify breed or state "All American" or "All Canadian" to denote mixed breed)



**OHIO STATE FAIR
2004 JUNIOR FAIR DOG SHOW
CERTIFICATE OF VACCINATION
August 5, 9, 10, 11**



Exhibitors: (1) Complete this top section; (2) Take this form to your veterinarian and have him/her complete & sign lower section; (3) Read the statement at the bottom of this form & sign to verify you have read the Dog Show rules & agree to abide by them.

Exhibitor's Name _____ County _____

Address _____
(Street or P.O. Box) (City) (Zip)

Dog's Call Name _____ Age _____ Birth Date _____
(Month/Day/Year)

Male [] Female [] Spay/Neuter [] Breed _____

Color/Markings _____

Dog License Tag No. _____ You MUST bring your LICENSE CERTIFICATE with you.

THE INFORMATION BELOW IS TO BE COMPLETED & SIGNED BY YOUR VETERINARIAN.

Three-year rabies vaccinations must be given by a licensed, accredited veterinarian after July 21, 2001 & before July 22, 2004. All other vaccinations must be given after July 21, 2003 and before July 22, 2004, UNLESS the reason is noted on this form or on attached letterhead, by a licensed, accredited veterinarian.

<u>Vaccination</u>	<u>Date Vaccination Given, if Applicable</u>	
Rabies - 1 year or 3 year (circle one)	_____	Tag No. _____ (must list)
Distemper (CDV)	_____	
Adenovirus (CAV 2)	_____	
Leptospirosis	_____	
Paravovirus (CPV)	_____	
Parainfluenza (CPI)	_____	

Reason vaccination(s), with exception of rabies, were not given: _____ Do not give Lepto; _____ Follow AAHA recommendations; _____ Titer tested; _____ Other, please note _____

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I hereby verify that I am a licensed, accredited veterinarian and have vaccinated the above dog, or noted why the dog was not vaccinated.

(Veterinarian's Signature)

(Date)

(P. O. Box or Street No.)

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Phone)

Vet Address Stamp
or License No.

Remember: The required vaccinations must be given within the time frame stated above. Please make sure you have this Certificate or an official Ohio Department of Agriculture Health Certificate completed & signed by your veterinarian with you at State Fair Health Check. Pet record cards, kennel records, computerized or other forms of vaccination records are not accepted. Your dog must also be licensed in your county of residence. Bring the license certificate to Health Check. Bitches in heat are not permitted to show. Check with your veterinarian several months prior to the show if you think your dog is due to be in heat during the show. Your veterinarian may be able to medicate your dog to delay estrus.

Exhibitor Must Sign: I verify that I have read the 2004 _____ Fair Dog Show Rules for Participation and agree to abide by these rules.

Exhibitor's Signature _____ Date Signed _____



_____ COUNTY
2004 JUNIOR FAIR DOG SHOW
CERTIFICATE OF VACCINATION



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Exhibitor's Name _____ County _____

Address _____
 (Street or P.O. Box) (City) (Zip)

Dog's Call Name _____ Age _____ Birth Date _____
 (Month/Day/Year)

Male [] Female [] Spay/Neuter [] Breed _____

Color/Markings _____

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Three-year rabies vaccinations must be given by a licensed, accredited veterinarian after _____, 2001 & before _____, 2004. All other vaccinations must be given after _____, 2003 and before _____, 2004, UNLESS the reason is noted on this form or on attached letterhead, by a licensed, accredited veterinarian.

Vaccination

Date Vaccination Given, if Applicable

Rabies - 1 year or 3 year (circle one)

Tag No. _____ (must list)

Distemper (CDV)

Adenovirus (CAV 2)

Leptospirosis

Paravovirus (CPV)

Parainfluenza (CPI)

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Reason vaccination(s), with exception of rabies, were not given: _____ Do not give Lepto; _____ Follow AAHA recommendations; _____ Titer tested; _____ Other, please note _____

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 I hereby verify that I am a licensed, accredited veterinarian and have vaccinated the above dog, or noted why the dog was not vaccinated

 (Veterinarian's Signature)

 (Date)

 (P. O. Box or Street No.)

Vet Address Stamp
or License No.

 (City) (State) (Zip)

(_____) _____
 (Phone)

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Exhibitor Must Sign: I verify that I have read the 2004 _____ Fair Dog Show Rules for Participation and agree to abide by these rules.

Exhibitor's Signature _____ Date Signed _____

2004 JUNIOR FAIR DOG REGISTRATION TIMES AND JUDGING SCHEDULE

For all classes except *agility*, all junior fair dog exhibitors are to report **first** to the Health Check Table and **second** to the Show Registration Table in the Buckeye Building on the day and time designated. Bring ODA or Junior Fair Dog Show Health Certificate and Dog License Certificate and **report with dog to Health Check first**. Health Check will be open from 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. and from 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. each day. Dogs can be health checked any time prior to reporting to the Show Registration Table. Registration opens at 8:00 a.m. each day for the counties showing at 9:00 a.m. The registration times assigned to counties are for the exhibitor's convenience, and for show officials to control the amount of dogs showing at one time. After 9:00 a.m., registration opens 20 minutes prior to the time your county is scheduled. **Bring initialed health and license certificates to the Show Registration Table twenty (20) minutes prior to your county's registration time listed below. Do not bring your dogs with you to the Show Registration Table.** Be prepared to show soon after you register.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5 - *AGILITY, J-18*

2:30 p.m. Health Check opens in Coliseum for all agility entries.

3:30 p.m. Measuring begins for all agility entries.

5:00 p.m. Agility classes will begin.

MONDAY, AUGUST 9 - *GROOMING & HANDLING JUNIOR A, J-11, JUNIOR B, J-12, INTERMEDIATE A, J-13, INTERMEDIATE B, J-14, SENIOR A, J-15 and SENIOR B, J-16*

The question ring will be open at 8:30 a.m. Exhibitors showing at 9:00 a.m. may report as early as 8:00 a.m. to the Health Check and Show Registration Tables. They may report to the Question Ring beginning at 8:30 a.m.

8:00 a.m. Registration Opens for counties listed at 9:00 show time

9:00 a.m. Champaign, Clark, Coshocton, Crawford, Greene, Delaware, Fairfield, Fayette, Franklin, Hocking, Knox, Licking, Madison, Marion, Morrow, Pickaway, Ross, Union

10:00 a.m. Allen, Ashland, Athens, Auglaize, Clinton, Hancock, Hardin, Highland, Holmes, Jackson, Logan, Meigs, Muskingum, Perry, Pike, Richland, Wyandot

11:00 a.m. Adams, Belmont, Brown, Carroll, Clermont, Darke, Gallia, Huron, Mercer, Miami, Monroe, Montgomery, Morgan, Noble, Seneca, Shelby, Tuscarawas, Wayne

1:00 p.m. Butler, Columbiana, Erie, Guernsey, Harrison, Henry, Lorain, Lucas, Mahoning, Medina, Portage, Preble, Putnam, Sandusky, Stark, Vinton, Warren, Washington

2:00 p.m. Ashtabula, Cuyahoga, Defiance, Fulton, Geauga, Hamilton, Jefferson, Lake, Lawrence, Ottawa, Paulding, Scioto, Summit, Trumbull, Van Wert, Williams, Wood

TUESDAY, AUGUST 10 - *SUB-NOVICE A, J-1 and SUB-NOVICE B, J-2*

8:00 a.m. Registration Opens for counties listed at 9:00.

9:00 a.m. Champaign, Clark, Coshocton, Crawford, Greene, Delaware, Fairfield, Fayette, Franklin, Hocking, Knox, Licking, Madison, Marion, Morrow, Pickaway, Ross, Union

10:00 a.m. Allen, Ashland, Athens, Auglaize, Clinton, Hancock, Hardin, Highland, Holmes, Jackson, Logan, Meigs, Muskingum, Perry, Pike, Richland, Wyandot

11:00 a.m. Adams, Belmont, Brown, Carroll, Clermont, Darke, Gallia, Huron, Mercer, Miami, Monroe, Montgomery, Morgan, Noble, Seneca, Shelby, Tuscarawas, Wayne

1:00 p.m. Butler, Columbiana, Cuyahoga, Defiance, Erie, Guernsey, Hamilton, Harrison, Henry, Jefferson, Lorain, Mahoning, Medina, Ottawa, Paulding, Portage, Preble, Putnam, Sandusky, Scioto, Warren

2:00 p.m. Ashtabula, Fulton, Geauga, Lake, Lawrence, Lucas, Stark, Summit, Trumbull, Van Wert, Vinton,

Washington, Williams, Wood

TUESDAY, AUGUST 10 - NOVICE A, J-3 and NOVICE B, J-4

- 8:00 a.m.** Registration Opens for counties listed at 9:00.
- 9:00 a.m.** Champaign, Clark, Coshocton, Crawford, Greene, Delaware, Fairfield, Fayette, Franklin, Hocking, Knox, Licking, Madison, Marion, Morrow, Pickaway, Ross, Union
- 10:00 a.m.** Allen, Ashland, Athens, Auglaize, Clinton, Hancock, Hardin, Highland, Holmes, Jackson, Logan, Meigs, Muskingum, Perry, Pike, Richland, Wyandot
- 11:00 a.m.** Adams, Belmont, Brown, Carroll, Clermont, Darke, Gallia, Huron, Mercer, Miami, Monroe, Montgomery, Morgan, Noble, Seneca, Shelby, Tuscarawas, Wayne
- 1:00 p.m.** Ashtabula, Butler, Columbiana, Cuyahoga, Defiance, Erie, Fulton, Geauga, Guernsey, Hamilton, Harrison, Henry, Jefferson, Lake, Lawrence, Lorain, Lucas, Mahoning, Medina, Ottawa, Paulding, Portage, Preble, Putnam, Sandusky, Scioto, Stark, Summit, Trumbull, Van Wert, Vinton, Warren, Washington, Williams, Wood

TUESDAY, AUGUST 10 – 4-5 MEMBER DRILL TEAM, J-19, 6-7 MEMBER DRILL TEAM, J-20, and 8-9 MEMBER DRILL TEAM, J-21

- 5:00 p.m.** All Drill Team entries report at this time. (Health check open at 4:30 p.m. for dogs not previously checked)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11 - GRADUATE NOVICE A, J-5 and GRADUATE NOVICE B, J-6

- 8:00 a.m.** Registration Opens for counties listed at 9:00.
- 9:00 a.m.** Allen, Athens, Auglaize, Champaign, Clark, Clinton, Coshocton, Crawford, Delaware, Fairfield, Fayette, Franklin, Greene, Hancock, Hardin, Highland, Hocking, Holmes, Knox, Licking, Logan, Madison, Marion, Morrow, Muskingum, Perry, Pickaway, Ross, Union
- 10:00 a.m.** All other counties report at this time.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11 - ASSISTANCE DOGS, J-17; OPEN A, J-7; OPEN B, J-8; GRADUATE OPEN A, J-9; GRADUATE OPEN B, J-10

- 8:00 a.m.** Registration Opens for Assistance Dogs, Open A, and Open B entries – **all counties**
- 9:00 a.m.** Assistance Dogs, Open, and Graduate Open entries will begin showing.
- 10:00 a.m.** Registration Opens for Graduate Open A and Graduate Open B entries – **all counties**

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11 - JUNIOR DOG CARE, J-001; INTERMEDIATE DOG CARE, J-002; SENIOR DOG CARE, J-003

- 11:30 a.m.** Registration Opens for All Dog Care Classes – **Counties Adams – Lucas**
- 12:30 p.m.** Registration Opens for All Dog Care Classes – **Counties Madison - Wyandot**
- 1:00 p.m.** Dog Care entries will begin showing.

Exhibitor's Name _____

Exhibitor's Number _____

County _____

Breed _____

Sub-Novice Class _____ A or _____ B

Exercise	Handler Behavior	Dog Behavior	Points	Score	Comments
Heel on Lead	Guiding _____ Tight Leash _____ Extra Commands or Signals _____ Adapting to Dog _____ Jerking _____	Crooked Sit _____ No Sit _____ Lagging _____ Sniffing _____ Heeling Wide _____ Forging _____ Anticipation _____	45		
Figure 8	Guiding _____ Tight Leash _____ Extra Commands or Signals _____ Adapting to Dog _____	Crooked Sit _____ No Sit _____ Lagging _____ Sniffing _____ Heeling Wide _____ Forging _____ Anticipation _____	25		
Stand for Examination	Extra Commands or Signals _____ Tight Leash _____	Sits or Moves Away During Exam _____ Growls or Snaps _____ Shows Resentment _____ Sits or Moves After Exam _____	30		
Recall	Extra Commands or Signals _____ Pulling and Guiding _____ Dog to Come or Finish _____	Doesn't Come on First Command _____ Anticipates Command _____ No or Poor Sit _____ No or Poor Finish _____ Sniffing _____	40		
Subtotal			140		
Long Sit (1 min)	Commands or Signals _____	Interferes with other dogs _____ Stands or Downs Before Exercise Finish _____ No Stay _____ Stay 1/3 Time _____ More than 2/3 Time _____ Barking/Whining _____	30		
Long Down (3 min)	Extra Commands or Signals _____	Interferes with other dogs _____ Sits or Stands Before Exercise Finish _____ No Stay _____ Stay 1/3 Time _____ More than 2/3 Time _____ Barking/Whining _____	30		
Subtotal			Possible Points	200	
Exhibitor's Appearance				10	
Dog's Appearance				10	
Sportsmanship				10	
Total			Possible Total Points	230	

Exhibitor's Name _____

Exhibitor's Number _____

County _____

Breed _____

Novice Class _____ A or _____ B

Exercise	Handler Behavior	Dog Behavior	Points	Score	Comments
Heel and Figure 8 on Leash	Guiding _____ Tight Leash _____ Extra Commands or Signals _____ Jerking Leash _____ Handler Continually Adapts to Pace of Dog _____ Constantly Watching Dog _____	Crooked Sit _____ No Sit _____ Lagging _____ Sniffing _____ Heel Wide _____ Anticipation _____ Forging _____ Sluggish _____	40		
Stand for Examination*	Extra Commands or Signals _____	Sits or Moves Away During Exam _____ Growls or Snaps _____ Shows Resentment _____ Sits or Moves After Exam _____	30		
Heel Free*	Guiding _____ Extra Commands or Signals _____ Handler Continually Adapts to Pace of Dog _____ Constantly Watching Dog _____	Crooked Sit _____ No Sit _____ Lagging _____ Sniffing _____ Sluggish _____ Playing _____ Forging _____ Heel Wide on About Turn _____	40		
Recall*	Extra Commands or Signals _____ Guiding _____	Does Not Respond to First Command _____ Playing _____ Anticipating Command _____ No or Poor Sit _____ No or Poor Finish _____ Lagging _____	30		
Subtotal			140		
Long Sit* (1 min)	Extra Commands or Signals _____ Returns to Dog Before Exercise Complete _____	No Stay _____ Stay 1/3 Time _____ Stays More than 2/3 Time _____ Leaves Ring _____ Disturbs Other Dogs _____ Barking/Whining _____	30		
Long Down* (3 min) *Exercises off leash	Extra Commands or Signals _____ Returns to Dog Before Exercise Complete _____	No Stay _____ Stay 1/3 Time _____ Stays More than 2/3 Time _____ Leaves Ring _____ Disturbs Other Dogs _____ Barking/Whining _____	30		
Subtotal			Possible Points	200	
Exhibitor's Appearance				10	
Dog's Appearance				10	
Sportsmanship				10	
Total			Possible Total Points	230	

Exhibitor's Name _____

Exhibitor's Number _____

County _____

Breed _____

GRADUATE NOVICE CLASS _____ A or _____ B

EXERCISE	MAXIMUM POINT DEDUCTION	MINOR TO SUBSTANTIAL POINT DEDUCTION	MAX. POINTS	SCORE	COMMENTS
HEEL FREE THEN FIGURE 8	Unmanageable _____ Unqualified Heeling _____ Handler continually adapts pace to dog _____	Heeling Fig. 8 No change of pace Fast _____ Slow _____ Improper heel position _____ Forging _____ Crowding handler _____ Lagging _____ Sniffing _____ Extra command to heel _____ Heeling wide _____ Turns _____ Abouts _____ No sits _____ Poor sits _____ Heel at brisk pace _____ Handler error _____	40		
Graduate Novice MOVING STAND AND EXAM	Sat out of reach _____ Displays fear or resentment _____ Sitting _____ Lying down _____ Growling or snapping _____ Repeated whining or barking _____ Failure to: Heel _____ Stand and stay _____ Accept examination _____ Return to handler _____	Forging _____ Lagging _____ Wide _____ Moves slightly on stand _____ Handler hesitates or pauses _____ Fails to return briskly _____ Return to Heel position _____ Slow response _____ Handler error _____ Poor finish _____	30		
MOVING DROP ON RECALL	Failure to heel _____ Anticipated command _____ Failure to come on command _____ Moved from position _____ Sat out of reach _____ Failing to drop _____	Lagging or forging _____ Slow response _____ Slow drop _____ Touched handler _____ Poor sit _____ No sit in front _____ Sat between feet _____ No finish _____ Poor finish _____ Failure to come directly to handler _____ Failure to come at a brisk trot or gallop _____ Handler error _____	30		
DUMBBELL RECALL	Didn't come on first command or Signal _____ Anticipated command _____ Extra command or signal to stay or take dumbbell _____ Moved from position _____ Sat out of reach _____	Stood or lay down _____ Slow response _____ Mouthing _____ Touched handler _____ Poor sit _____ No sit in front _____ Sat between feet _____ No finish _____ Poor finish _____ Failure to come directly to handler _____ Failure to come at a brisk trot or gallop _____ Handler error _____	40		
RECALL OVER BROAD JUMP	Didn't come on first command or Signal _____ Anticipated command _____ Extra command or signal to stay or to jump _____ Moved from position _____ Sat out of reach _____ Does not jump full distance _____	Stood or lay down _____ Slow response _____ Touched handler _____ No sit in front _____ Sat between feet _____ No finish _____ Poor finish _____ Failure to come directly to handler _____ Hesitation to jump _____ Handler error _____	30		
MAXIMUM SUB TOTAL			170		
LONG DOWN (3 MIN.) <small>Handler out of sight</small>	Did not remain in place _____ Goes to another dog _____ Repeated whines or barks _____ Stood or sat before handler returns _____	Stood or sat after handler returns to heel position _____ Minor move before handler returns _____ Minor whine or bark _____ Forced into position _____ Handler error _____	30		
SUB-TOTAL POSSIBLE POINTS			200		
Exhibitor's Appearance			10		
Dog's Appearance			10		
Sportsmanship			10		
TOTAL POSSIBLE POINTS			230		

Exhibitor's Name _____ Exhibitor's No. _____

County _____ Breed _____

GRADUATE OPEN CLASS _____ A or _____ B

EXERCISE	HANDLER BEHAVIOR	DOG BEHAVIOR	POINTS	SCORE	COMMENTS
SIGNAL EXERCISE	Adapts Self to Dog Pace _____ No Change of Pace _____ Fast _____ Slow _____ Extra Signal to Heel _____ Audible Command _____ Holding Signals _____	Failure on First Signal to: Stand _____ Stay _____ Sit _____ Drop _____ Come _____ Anticipated _____ Sat Out of Reach _____ Lagging _____ Forging _____ Sniffing _____ Crowding Handler _____ Touching Handler _____ Heeling Wide on Turn Abouts _____ Slow Response to Signal to: Stand _____ Stay _____ Sit _____ Drop _____ Come _____ Poor/No Finish _____ No Sit-Front Finish _____ Poor Sit _____	40		
DROP ON RECALL	Extra Command or Signal _____ Holding Signal _____	Does Not Come on First Command or Signal _____ Does Not Drop on First Command or Signal _____ Moves from Place Left _____ Anticipates: Recall _____ Drop _____ Come in _____ Sits out of Reach _____ Stood or Lay Down _____ Poor Finish _____ Slow Response _____ No Finish _____ Slow Return _____ Slow Drop _____ No Sit in Front _____ Touching Handler _____ Poor Sit _____	30		
DIRECTED RETRIEVE	Touching Dog Sending: Excessive Signals _____ Extra Signal _____	DOES NOT: Go to on Command _____ Anticipates _____ Go directly to glove _____ Sat Out of Reach _____ Retrieve right article _____ Slow Response to Command _____ Fails to Retrieve _____ Dropping Article _____ Mouthing or Playing _____ Touching Handler _____ No Sit in Front _____ Poor Deliver _____ Poor Sit _____ No Finish _____ Poor Finish _____	30		
MOVING STAND AND EXAMINATION	Handler Hesitates or Pauses _____ Handler error _____	Sat out of reach _____ Forging _____ Lagging _____ Wide _____ Displays Fear / Resentment _____ Moves slightly on stand _____ Sit _____ Fails to return briskly _____ Lying down _____ Return to Heel position _____ Growling or snapping _____ Slow response _____ Repeated whining or barking _____ Poor finish _____ Failure to: Heel _____ Stand and Stay _____ Accept examination _____ Return to handler _____	30		
RETRIEVE ON FLAT	Extra Command or Signal _____ Handler Error _____	Fails to go out on First Command/Signal _____ Goes Before Command or Signal _____ Fails to Retrieve _____ Fails to Return _____ Sits out of Reach _____ Slow: Going _____ Returning _____ Mouthing or Playing _____ Dropping Dumbbell _____ No Sit in Front _____ Poor Sit _____ No Finish _____ Poor Finish _____	20		
RETRIEVE OVER HIGH JUMP	Extra Command or Signal _____ Handler Error _____	Fails to go out on First Command/Signal _____ Goes Before Command or Signal _____ Fails to Retrieve _____ Jumps Only One Direction _____ Sits out of Reach _____ Climbing Jump _____ Slow : Going _____ Returning _____ Mouthing or Playing _____ Touching Handler _____ Dropping Dumbbell _____ Poor Delivery _____ Touching Jump _____ No Sit in Front _____ Poor Finish _____ No Finish _____ Poor Sit _____	30		
BROAD JUMP	Extra Command or Signal _____	Refuses to go on First Command or Signal _____ Goes Before Command or Signal _____ Walks Over Any Part _____ Does Not Clear Jump _____ Sits Out of Reach _____ Minor Jump Touch _____ Touching Handler _____ Poor Return _____ No Sit in Front _____ Poor Sit _____ No Finish _____ Poor Finish _____	20		
Subtotal			Possible Points	200	
Exhibitor's Appearance				10	
Dog's Appearance				10	
Sportsmanship				10	
Possible Total Points				230	

OHIO STATE FAIR DOG SHOW GROOMING AND HANDLING SCORE SHEET

Exhibitor's Name _____ Exhibitor's No. _____

Age (1/1) _____ Years in 4-H _____ Years in Dog Project _____ County _____

Dog's Breed _____

Check Correct Class Below:

- | | |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 9-11 Years - JUNIOR A _____ | 9-11 Years - JUNIOR B _____ |
| 12-14 Years - INTERMEDIATE A _____ | 12-14 Years - INTERMEDIATE B _____ |
| 15-18 Years - SENIOR A _____ | 15-18 Years - SENIOR B _____ |

Areas to be Evaluated	Maximum Points	Points Earned	Comments
1. INTERVIEW Member's knowledge regarding dog's health, parts of dog, immunization, and license. (Questions are taken from the Dog Care Project Book, Grooming & Handling Project Book, & selected Skillathon stations.)	60		
2. HANDLER APPEARANCE & ATTITUDE A) Dressed appropriately (neat/clean), proper shoes. Hair neat & out of way. 15 pts. B) Courteous, Poised. 10 pts. C) Good Sportsmanship. 15 pts. D) Good Attitude towards dog. 10 pts.	50		
3. GROOMING A) General condition of dog (consider age of dog). 5 pts. B) Condition of coat (cleaned/groomed). 10 pts. C) Condition of eyes. 5 pts. D) Condition of ears. 5 pts. E) Condition of teeth. 5 pts. F) Toenails clipped. 5 pts. G) Hair trimmed between pads. 5 pts.	40		
4. HANDLING A) Show bite. 5 pts. B) Stacking. 10 pts. C) Gaiting. 10 pts. D) Pattern. 15 pts. E) Smoothness. 15 pts. F) Control of dog. 5 pts. G.) Consideration of others. 5 pts. H.) Handler attentive to judge. 10 pts. I.) Use of equipment. 5 pts.	80		
Total Points Available	230		
Total Points Earned			

ASSISTANCE DOG CLASS JUDGE'S EVALUATION SHEET

Exhibitor's Name _____ Exhibitor's No. _____

Dog's Name _____ Breed _____

County _____

Note to Judge: All evaluations are to be set up the same way for every dog.

EXERCISE	DESCRIPTION	PASS	NEEDS IMPROVE- MENT	COMMENTS
Exercise # 1 ACCEPTING A STRANGER	Judge and handler will shake hands and greet each other. Dog must show no sign of resentment or fear, and must not break position.			
Exercise # 2 APPEARANCE AND GROOMING	Demonstrate that the dog will allow a stranger to examine and groom it.			
Exercise # 3 WALK ON LOOSE LEASH	Show that the handler has control. Dog on left. Need not be in required AKC heel position.			
Exercise # 4 WALK THROUGH A CROWD	Walk around and weave through at least 3 people showing some interest but under control. Not straining on leash.			
Exercise # 5 ACCEPTANCE OF A STRANGE OBJECT	Demonstrate that dog will accept a strange object. May not show extreme fear, panic, try to run away, or bark. Have reasonable recovery. Name of Object _____			
Exercise # 6 STAY AND REACTION TO ANOTHER DOG	With dog in stay or down position. Handler leaves and another dog passes close by.			
Exercise # 7 REACTION TO DISTRACTION	Show dog has confidence when faced with distractions. May show interest and curiosity. May not bark, panic, show aggression. Distractions Used (1) _____ (2) _____			
Number of Exercises Passed/Needs Improvement				
(8) Exhibitor's Appearance				
(9) Dog's Appearance				
(10) Sportsmanship				
Total (must pass 7 out of 10 exercises + Nos. 8-10)				

4-H DOG CARE JUDGING SCORE SHEET

Exhibitor No. _____ County _____ Age (1/1) _____

Years in 4-H _____ Years in Dog Project _____ Dog's Breed _____

Junior (9-11 yrs.) _____ Intermediate (12-14 yrs.) _____ Senior (15-18 yrs.) _____

AREAS TO BE EVALUATED	MAXIMUM POINTS	POINTS EARNED	COMMENTS
<p>INTERVIEW</p> <p>Member's knowledge regarding dog's health and grooming, parts of the dog, general knowledge of the dogs.</p>	60		
<p>MEMBER'S RECORD FORM</p> <p>Complete, neat and accurate.</p>	40		
<p>MEMBER'S APPEARANCE AND ATTITUDE</p> <p>Appropriate dress, demonstrates courtesy and poise, good sportsmanship.</p>	50		
<p>DOG'S APPEARANCE AND MANNERS</p> <p>General health of dog (consider age), evidence of general good grooming (pay special attention to eyes, coat, ears, teeth, toenails), demonstrated good manners by dog, should allow examination without resistance to determine health & grooming.</p>	40		
<p>CREATIVE ACHIEVEMENT OF MEMBER AND DOG</p> <p>Team should demonstrate level of achievement gained <i>this</i> year; may include scrapbook/poster of activities. Demonstration should last no longer than three minutes.</p>	40		
<p>TOTAL POINTS</p>	230		

OHIO STATE FAIR JUNIOR FAIR DRILL TEAM SCORE SHEET

County _____ No. of Team Members _____

EXERCISE	HANDLER ERROR	DOG BEHAVIOR	POINTS	SCORE	COMMENTS
HEELING	Guiding _____ Tight Leash _____ Extra Commands to Dogs _____	Sits _____ No Sit _____ Lagging _____ Sniffing _____ Forging _____ Heel Position _____	60		Must have at least 3 sits, a fast and a slow.
FIGURE 8	Guiding _____ Tight Leash _____ Extra Commands to Dogs _____	Sits _____ No Sit _____ Lagging _____ Sniffing _____ Forging _____ Heel Position _____	30		Must show at least 2 sits somewhere in figure 8 pattern.
STAND FOR EXAM	Extra Commands to Dogs _____ Tight Leash _____	Moves in Stand _____ Sits in Stand _____	30		
RECALL	Extra Commands to Dogs _____ Pulling _____ Guiding _____	Sit in Front _____ No Sit in Front _____ Poor Finish _____	30		
DOWN	Extra Commands to Dogs _____	No Stay _____	25		Dogs must do at least a 1-minute stay of some type.
PATTERN		Routine _____ Music to Routine _____ Circles (2) _____ Lines Straight (2) _____ Movements Smooth _____ Presentation _____ Creativity _____ All Team Members Participate in Routine _____	20 20 10 10 20 20 20 5		
			Possible Score	300	
			Total Score		

JUNIOR FAIR DOG POSTER CONTEST SCORE SHEET

Exhibitor Number _____

_____ Junior (9-11 yrs.) _____ Intermediate (12-14 yrs.) _____ Senior (15-18 yrs.)

	MAXIMUM POINTS	POINTS	COMMENTS
EDUCATIONAL CONTENT	50		
a. Poster shows some knowledgeable phase of 4-H club work related to dog projects.	10		
b. Poster shows evidence of research beyond scope of project manuals.	10		
c. Topic is applicable and timely.	10		
d. Information is accurate and complete.	20		
NEATNESS/APPEARANCE	30		
a. Illustrations and/or artwork present the message in a pleasing manner.	10		
b. Poster is colorful and neat.	10		
c. Poster is well balanced.	10		
ORIGINALITY	20		
a. Poster captures attention and holds interest.	5		
b. Poster shows creativity in presenting pertinent facts and information.	10		
c. Topic being presented arouses interest and curiosity.	5		
SCORE	100		

STATE FAIR CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE

4-H and FFA members showing their dogs at the Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show may apply for titling by recording State Fair achievements during their 4-H or FFA careers. The junior fair participant, his or her parent/guardian, and 4-H advisor or FFA instructor must document achievements.

Requirements

1. 4-H or FFA member must accumulate a minimum of 25 points;
2. Points are recorded for the handler;
3. Points are accumulated for one dog per event; and
4. All State Fair participation rules apply.

Point System

One point will be awarded for participation in any of these State Fair categories:

1. Dog Care
2. Obedience
3. Grooming and Handling
4. Assistance Dogs
5. Drill Team
6. Agility
7. Poster Contest
8. Skillathon

An additional 5 points will be awarded for a 1 through 15 placement in any category, or for receiving a gold medal in Agility, or receiving an Outstanding in Dog Care. Five points will be awarded to youths receiving an Outstanding in Sub-Novice A, Novice A, Grooming and Handling Junior A, Grooming & Handling Intermediate A, and Grooming & Handling Senior A. Five points will be awarded to exhibitors earning a passing score in the Assistance Dogs class. An exhibitor cannot exceed 6 points per event.

To earn a State Fair Championship Title exhibitors can accumulate points each year they exhibit at the State Fair, and when 25 points have been accumulated, the Title will be awarded. Once a Title has been earned, the exhibitor may then start accumulating points for a second Title

Awards: A pin, T-shirt, and certificate will be presented to each exhibitor receiving his/her first Title at the Ohio State Fair at noon and at the end of each day of judging. Exhibitors receiving second or third titles will receive a pin and certificate.

Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show Championship Title Participation/Verification Form

Name _____ County _____

Address _____

T-Shirt Size _____

Telephone (_____) _____ E-mail _____

Class	Year (beginning 2000)	Participation (1 point)	Placement (1 st - 15 th , Outstanding, Gold) (5 points)	Total Points
<i>Example: Novice A</i>	<i>2000</i>	<i>1 point</i>	<i>Outstanding – 5 points</i>	<i>6 points</i>
Total Points				

We verify the above to be accurate:

Signature of 4-H or FFA Member: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Signature of 4-H or FFA Advisor: _____

Date: _____

Once 25 points are achieved, send to:

Pattie Stover, OSF Dog Show Coordinator
23 George St.
Covington, Ohio 45318
stove@erinet.com

Please duplicate form if more space is needed.

OHIO STATE FAIR DOG SHOW PREPARATION

What You Need to Know to be Prepared for the Ohio State Fair Dog Show

Paperwork

Once you have qualified at the county level to show at the Ohio State Fair Dog Show, your Extension agent will complete the registration forms and send them to the State 4-H Office. You will need to provide the required information to your advisor or Extension agent. The information on that registration form must be accurate. Your advisor may want to get this information from you ahead of time so s/he will have it ready to give to your Extension agent.

The information you will need to give to your advisor or Extension agent includes

- Your Name
- Age as of January 1, 2004
- Social Security Number (so if you place at the State Fair they can pay you a premium)
- Complete Mailing Address including Zip Code
- Your Dog's Call Name
- Your Dog's Breed
- Your Dog's Gender
- Your Dog's Age and Birth Date (best guess if unknown)

You will receive from your Extension agent for your trip to the State Fair Dog Show

- An Exhibitor Letter explaining what you need to bring and can expect upon arriving at the Dog Show
- One Parking Permit, allowing access to the Fairgrounds to park or load/unload (you will pay the 2004 State Fair parking fee of \$5.00).
- One Single Day Participant Admission Ticket for you (all others in your car will have to pay admission)
- A Dog Walk Pass for you to walk you dog in restricted areas
- A Map of the Fairgrounds
- A Judging Schedule
- A Progressive Ring Diagram for Sub-Novice & Novice Classes
- This State Fair Dog Show Preparation Form/Checklist

Health Check and Registration

Health check will be open from 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. and from 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. each day.

Registration opens at 8:00 a.m. each day for the counties showing at 9:00 a.m. The check-in times given to your county are for your convenience and for us to control the amount of dogs showing at one time. After 9:00 a.m., registration opens 20 minutes prior to the time your county is scheduled.

You must check in at Health Check first, prior to going to Registration. Only one person needs to be in the Registration line. You do not need your dog in this line. If you check in at Registration before your county's assigned time, then you will be committed to showing very soon after registering. You cannot wait until your assigned time. In addition, if for some reason you are late in arriving, you will be put into the next available class, and there is no reason for concern. Your safety is what is important, so take your time. Make sure you double check the day your class is showing and hopefully arrive in time to get comfortable before your check-in time. If you have any problems or questions, look for the information table. We are there to help you.



OHIO STATE FAIR DOG SHOW CHECKLIST

Use the checklist below to make sure you have everything you need for showing at the Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show.

- Parking Permit**
- Admission Ticket**
- Dog Walk Pass**
- Map**
- Health Certificate** (Must be either ODA or Ohio State Fair 2004 Dog Show Certificate of Vaccination, completed and signed by your veterinarian. Be sure the rabies tag number is listed. Be sure all required vaccinations are given within the accepted time frame or your veterinarian notes why s/he did not give a certain vaccination or vaccinations.) *
- Dog License Certificate** (The tag, alone, is not sufficient. If your auditor's office does not give a license certificate, get an official receipt that shows the tag number assigned to your dog.) *
- Show Lead and Collar**
- Water Bowl**
- Water from Home**
- Crate**
- Treats/Toy**
- Appropriate Clothing & Shoes for the Show Ring**
- Fan & Extension Cord**
- Other** _____
- Other** _____

*** Non-optional - Make sure they are complete & DO NOT forget these! Remember, there is a \$15.00 processing fee for officials to call your vet or auditor for verification.**

(Note: If you forget your admission ticket you will have to pay to get into the Fairgrounds; if you forget your parking pass you will have to park in general parking; we do have extra dog walk passes if you forget yours.)