

DOG PACKET

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McHENRY COUNTY 4-H



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Dogs

Shows

Saturday, July 11, 2020

Location	Car-Dun-Al Dog Training Club, Huntley
Showmanship Fun Match	9:00 am
Obedience Fun Match	9:00 am
Rally Obedience	<i>Immediately following showmanship</i>
Dog Care & Grooming	10:00 am

Saturday, July 18, 2020

Location	Car-Dun-Al Dog Training Club, Huntley
Showmanship 4-H Show	9:00 am
Obedience 4-H Show	9:00 am
Rally Obedience	<i>Immediately following showmanship</i>

Superintendents:

Lisa Lillie, show coordinator.....815/210-1260 (CALL OR TEXT)

Chris Northup.....815/338-2307

Emily Northup. 815/338-2307

General Dog Regulations

- All exhibitors must comply with the 2020 McHenry County 4-H Show Regulations as stated in front of the 4-H Fair Book.
- 4-H members must meet the following requirements to be eligible to show at the 4-H Dog show. There will be no "Exhibition Only" entries the day of the show. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
 - All 4-H members showing a live animal or an animal science project must complete the Quality Assurance and Ethics (QA&E) training for this animal species at least one time in their 4-H career. <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/qaec/>
 - Each exhibitor must attend
 - TWO Clinics OR**
 - ONE clinic and attendance at ONE Dog Show approved by Instructor OR**
 - ONE clinic and volunteer hours at local shelter with signed proof.**
 - Exhibitors must have attended 4-H or 4-H approved training classes in order to show at the Dog show. Proof of attendance is required.
 - A minimum of 50% of the training classes must be met. This applies to obedience, rally and showmanship.
 - Exceptions can be made for college students.
 - If attending private training classes, the Non 4-H Class Registration form, shot/heartworm records, behavior profile, and the proper training fees must be turned into the Extension Office by March 31, 2020.
 - A copy of the dog's health records should include proof of rabies, DHPP & bordetella. A negative heartworm test must also be included. Dogs must be free from any communicable disease including fleas and parasites.
 - ONLY 4-H members, in the dog project, will be able to train in the dog classes. NO ADULTS will be training dogs.
 - Dogs must be trained by the exhibitor for the duration of the project.
 - Dogs must belong to the exhibitor or immediate family, or the exhibitor must have completed the Permission to Train/Lease Agreement form, submit photos as indicated on the lease agreement form, as well as other required papers to the Extension Office by March 31, 2020.
 - NO ENROLLMENT FORMS WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT PAYMENT, A COPY OF YOUR DOG'S SHOT RECORD OR BEHAVIOR PROFILE.**
 - THESE FORMS MUST BE ON FILE WITH THE EXTENSION OFFICE BY MARCH 31, 2020.**
 - NO DOGS IN HEAT CAN ATTEND CLASS OR BE SHOWN. Please bathe your dog before returning to class.
- Dogs do not have to be AKC registered or purebred to show in the 4-H show. The Illinois 4-H scorecard will be used for scoring.
- Dogs must be crated or on a leash at all times when at the Fun Match and 4-H Dog Show.
- Uncontrollable dogs will be asked to leave.
- Exhibitors are required to clean up after their dogs. NO EXCEPTION!
- Equipment:
 - All dogs exhibited in Obedience must have a regulation collar of the correct size.
 - A six-foot lead is required for all beginner obedience classes.
 - Prong collars are not allowed at the Fun Match or 4-H Dog Show.

- All dogs exhibited in Showmanship classes must have a regulation lead.
8. There will be no "Exhibition Only" entries the day of the show for any classes.
 9. Special circumstances not covered by these rules will be decided by the 4-H Dog Committee. Committee decisions are final.
 10. **ALL DOGS WILL BE JUDGED ON GROOMING.**
 11. No hybrid or wolf crosses will be allowed.
 12. **All parents are encouraged to stay during classes.**

Dog Obedience Regulations

1. A dog cannot be shown in a class more than 1 year, except for advanced novice, open, & utility. Exhibitors may show for 2 years in advanced novice, providing the dog does not have a CDX or qualified for a leg on a CDX, Open & Utility exhibitors can show for 3 years in these classes (See Rule 2 for exceptions).;
2. AKC rules will be used for judging. If a dog has 3 qualifying scores for a degree prior to 6 months of the State Fair 4-H Dog show, it must be shown in the next highest class (Open & Utility dogs see Rule 1 for exceptions). The only exception is Beginner II obedience, in which an in experienced handler may show an experienced dog.
3. To be eligible for State Fair:
 - Youth must be 4-H age 8 as of September 1 of the current 4-H year.
 - The dog must have a score of 50% or more of the available points for each exercise on the score sheet, have a final score of at least 170 points for classes of Beginner I, Beginner II, Pre-Novice, Novice, Advance Novice, Graduate Novice.
 - Must receive a qualifying score at the McHenry Count 4-H Dog Show & have the score sheet signed by the judge; or submit to the Extension Office by July 1 a signed & dated qualifying score sheet from the judge of an AKC Obedience Trial.
4. During the judging of the Fun Match, exhibitors will show in the order listed in the program. At the 4-H show, this order will be reversed. If you need to show out of order, contact a superintendent prior to the start of judging.
5. The premiums awarded will be determined solely by the score at the McHenry County 4-H Dog Show.
6. All dogs will be judged for grooming.

Obedience Classes

Beginner Novice I	Preferred Novice	Graduate Novice
Beginner Novice II	Novice	

Rally Obedience Regulations

1. The event will be timed. In event of a tie score, the fastest time will break the tie.
2. A Dog/Handler team must receive 3 qualifying scores before advancing to the next level.
3. Unless otherwise noted, handler may speak to the dog, pat their leg, or clap their hands to encourage.

Dog Showmanship Regulations

1. Exhibitors will be judged on handling skills, knowledge of breed standards, dog show terminology, & elementary dog anatomy. Dogs will be judged on general health, cleanliness, and grooming.
2. Open to any exhibitor who enrolled in the dog project & has satisfactorily completed approved showmanship training classes.
3. Novice is for exhibitors who have not won a Grand or Reserve Grand Champion in a 4-H competition or won three (3) first places in AKC shows/matches.
4. Only the Grand Champion Junior & Grand Champion Senior from the 4-H Dog Show are eligible for State Fair.
5. All dogs will be judged for grooming.

Showmanship Classes

Novice Showmanship Junior-Exhibitors ages 8-13 as of Sept. 1, 2019
 Novice Showmanship Senior-Exhibitors ages 14-19 as of Sept. 1, 2019
 Open Showmanship Junior- Exhibitors ages 8-13 as of Sept. 1, 2019
 Open showmanship Senior-Exhibitors ages 14-19 as of Sept. 1, 2019

Dog Care & Grooming

Exhibitor will be judged on knowledge of his or her dog's health, care & grooming. The exhibitor will demonstrate grooming skills, identify parts of a dog or answer questions about the dog breeds. Health certificates as set forth in General Regulations #8 apply, & must be turned into the Extension Office by the start of classes in April.

Premiums

Premiums for the 4-H Dog Project will be distributed on the basis of Blue award at 4 x, a Red award valued at 2 x and a White award valued a 1 x.

Plaques

Best Junior in Show
Best Senior in Show
High Scoring Beginner Obedience
Reserve High Scoring Beginning Obedience
High Scoring Advanced Obedience
Reserve High Scoring Advanced Obedience
High Scoring Rally Obedience
Reserve High Scoring Rally Obedience
Grand Champion Senior Showmanship
Reserve Grand Champion Senior Showmanship
Grand Champion Junior Showmanship
Reserve Grand Champion Junior Showmanship

Fun Match

First place award will be given in each class for showmanship and obedience
Participation ribbons will be awarded after each class in the Fun Match

4-H Dog Show

Blue, Red, White award ribbons given after each class

Rally O 4-H Show

Blue, Red, White award ribbons

Note*** To qualify for Best in Show, exhibitor must show same dog in grooming, obedience and showmanship.

State Fair

- 1. Exhibitor must be a minimum of 8 years old as of Sept. 1. 2019**
- 2. Obedience: See Rule #3 under Dog Obedience regulations.**
- 3. Showmanship: See Rule #4 under Dog showmanship regulations.**
- 4. Exhibitors must meet all other State regulations to compete at State Fair.**
- 5. Exhibitors planning to attend the State Fair dog show must complete required paperwork and submit to the State Fair office by deadline provided by the Dog Committee and 4-H Staff.**

McHenry County 4-H Dog Obedience class descriptions

Obedience exercises for ALL classes are based on AKC obedience regulations.

Rally signs will be used for both Beginner Novice 1 and 2 as stated in AKC rules and regulations.

Beginner Novice I Class *(For inexperienced handlers and inexperienced dogs)*

1. Heel on Leash (forward, halt, right turn, left turn, about turn, slow, normal and fast).
The last order signifies that the handler and dog must break pace. These orders will be given by utilizing posted signs Maximum points 40
2. Figure Eight (on leash) Maximum points 40
3. Sit for Exam (on leash) Maximum points 40
4. Sit Stay (walk around ring) Maximum points 40
5. Recall (off leash front/no finish) Maximum points 40

Beginner Novice II Class

(For experienced handlers and inexperienced dogs or experienced dogs and inexperienced handlers.)

1. Heel on Leash (forward, halt, right turn, left turn, about turn, slow, normal and fast). The last order signifies that the handler and dog must break pace. These orders will be given by utilizing posted signs..... Maximum points 40
2. Figure Eight (on leash) Maximum points 40
3. Sit for Exam (on leash) Maximum points 40
4. Sit Stay (walk around ring) Maximum points 40
5. Recall (off leash front/no finish) Maximum points 40

Preferred Novice Class

1. Heel on Leash and Figure 8 Maximum points 40
2. Stand for Examination (off leash) Maximum points 30
3. Heel Free (off leash) Maximum points 40
4. Recall (off leash with finish) Maximum points 30
5. Sit or Down Stay-Walk around the Ring..... Maximum points 30
6. Sit Stay-Get Your Leash (off leash) Maximum points 30

Novice Class

1. Heel on Leash and Figure 8 (on leash) Maximum points 40
2. Stand for Examination (off leash) Maximum points 30
3. Heel Free (off leash) Maximum points 40
4. Recall (off leash) Maximum points 30
5. Sit Stay – Get your leash (off leash) Maximum points 30
6. Group Exercise – Sit & Down Stay (on leash) Maximum points 30

Graduate Novice Class

1. Heel Free and Figure 8 (off leash) Maximum points 40
2. Drop on Recall Maximum points 40
3. Dumbbell Recall Maximum points 30
4. Dumbbell Recall over High Jump Maximum points 30
5. Recall over Broad Jump Maximum points 30
6. Stay-Get your leash (sit, Down) Maximum points 30

Any dog that receives three qualifying scores for a degree before 6 months of the State Fair 4-H Dog Obedience Show must show in the next highest class.

RALLY OBEDIENCE

Rally Novice:

10-15 signs are used (not including start and finish). 3-7 of the signs must be “stationary” signs. Performed on leash.

Rally Intermediate:

12-17 signs are used (not including start and finish). 3-7 of the signs must be “stationary” signs. At least 3 “advanced” signs. Performed on leash.

Rally Advanced:

12-17 signs are used (not including start and finish). 3-7 of the signs must be “stationary” signs. At least 3 “advanced” signs. Dog must jump once. Performed **off leash**.

Rally Excellent:

15-20 signs are used (not including start, finish, or call marker). Dog must jump twice. 2 or more of the signs must be “advanced” signs. 3 or more of the signs must be “excellent” signs. Must include a “Sit Stay” sign. Performed **off leash**. Cannot pat leg or clap hands for encouragement.

GREAT OPPORTUNITIES

In addition to completing the units in your project book, the following opportunities are available in the 4-H Dog Projects:

OBEDIENCE

You and your dog can attend a weekly dog training class where you will learn how to train your dog. Classes are available through 4-H (enrollment is limited) or you may attend classes offered to the public at area training schools.

SHOWMANSHIP

Learn how to show your dog in the conformation/Jr. Showmanship ring. Weekly classes are available through 4-H.

CANINE GOOD CITIZENSHIP

Attend weekly classes designed to prepare you and your dog for the AKC Canine Good Citizenship test. (4-H member and dog must have completed at least one year of obedience classes). A chance to earn the AKC Canine Good Citizenship Certificate will be offered at the end of the class session. Dogs do not have to be purebred or AKC registered to participate.

DOG SPIN CLUB

You can be a member of the 4-H program through the Dog Project. As we encourage participation in a Community Club near you, we realize that not all youth are able to attend meetings year round. Our Dog SPIN Club offers a short term option for those youth to gain 4-H program experience.

In order to participate in 4-H Dog program, participants must be a 4-H member enrolled in 4HOnline:

<https://il.4honline.com>; The **annual 4-H member fee is \$20**, in addition the required cost for dog activities.

DOG CLINIC DATES – Clinic dates and locations TBD

January 11, 2020	Dog Orientation
TBD	Dog First Aid, Extension Office
TBD	Agility, Huntley
TBD	TBD
TBD	TBD
July 11, 2020	Dog Fun Match

See website registration for most up-to-date information.

For more information, contact the dog committee members listed in this packet.

AREA OBEDIENCE & CONFORMATION CLASSES

In addition to classes offered through 4-H, the following area obedience classes are available. Since these are private classes, 4-H members will be charged the regular fee by the training facility. 4-H members must fill out the Non 4-H Dog Class Registration form if they plan to attend one of these classes.

Inclusion on this list is not an indication of endorsement by 4-H. Please make arrangements to observe the class before you enroll. Make sure you are comfortable with the instructor and the methods used.

Any 4-H member who doesn't attend 4-H obedience or conformation classes will be required to attend one 4-H sponsored class each month to make sure they are familiar with our instructors and the class requirements. A packet is available for those who are enrolled in obedience and/or conformation classes elsewhere. This packet has a verification form that will need to be completed by their instructors and returned to Lisa Lillie, Director of 4-H Training.

OBEDIENCE:

<u>Location</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Phone #</u>
Huntley	Car-Dun-Al Dog Training Club	(847) 669-8788
Crystal Lake	Northwest Obedience Club	(847) 639-3377
Island Lake	Happy Tails	(847) 487-2419
Ringwood	Lucky-E-Kennels	(815) 653-9016
Spring Grove	Fur the Love of Dogs	(815) 675-3877

SHOWMANSHIP (Conformation):

<u>Location</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Phone #</u>
Ringwood	Lucky-E Kennels	(815) 653-9016
Island Lake	Happy Tails	(847) 487-2419
Huntley	Car-Dun-Al Dog Training Club	(847) 669-8788
Lake in the Hills	A+ Dog Training	(815) 337-5907

www.aplusdogtraining.com

ILLINOIS 4-H CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP

(To be used only with non-registered and mixed breed dogs.)

I certify that I own the dog described below and plan to exhibit said dog my local Extension Unit 4-H Dog Show and, hopefully, the Illinois State Fair 4-H Dog Show.

Signature of 4-H Member

I certify that the above statement is correct.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

(If member is under 18 years of age.)

Name of Dog: _____

Description of Dog:

Primary Breed/Mix

Color

Height

Markings

Attach Two Photo(s) of Dog: (One photo per side.)

Illinois 4-H Dog Lease

This Agreement is entered into between _____ (Owner) and (4-H member) regarding the dog known as _____. The term of this lease is from _____ to August 31st of the current 4-H year. The express purpose of this lease is for training and exhibition at 4-H functions. Lessee agrees that while the dog is in his/her possession to keep the dog properly housed, fed and groomed and to maintain any veterinary care that is needed. Lessee and his/her parents/guardians assume full responsibility for the conduct and behavior of this animal. Lessee shall also see that any training is done humanely and in the manner of good sportsmanship. If medical care should exceed \$_____, both parties will meet and discuss the responsibility of further care. Should the dog die of natural causes and be examined by a veterinarian who verifies this fact, all parties will be held harmless. If the dog dies from negligence, the Lessee is held responsible for the full replacement value of the dog. Both parties agree that if the contents of this agreement are not upheld, the dog will be returned immediately to the Lessor. The dog is leased for the amount of \$_____ (not less than \$1.00), thereby making this contract legal and binding.

Owner's Signature (Lessor) _____

4-H Member's Signature (Lessee) _____

4-H Member's Parents/Guardians Signature _____

Date _____

Attach Two Photo(s) of Dog: *(One photo per side/profile of animal)*

PERMISSION TO TRAIN DOG

*** For individuals training a dog owned by someone outside of their family ***

I, _____ of _____
Name Street Address

_____, and the legal owner of a _____ dog named
City Breed

_____. I hereby give my permission & authority to _____
Name of Dog Name of Child Trainer

to train my dog in a McHenry County Dog Obedience Training class conducted by McHenry County 4-H instructors, Jr. Leaders, and other trainers at any 4-H Dog Training Location. I understand that there are risks inherent in the handling and training of dogs. I agree to assume all risks of injury to my dog and loss of my dog. I agree to hold the aforesaid child trainer, McHenry County 4-H Leaders & Jr. Leaders, the owners & operators of any 4-H dog training location, and any of the trainers & handlers working at the obedience training class harmless from any claim which may arise from injury to my dog or loss of my dog as a result of said obedience training class.

Owner's Signature/Date _____

I, _____, promise to be responsible for the safety of the dog owned by
Name of Child Trainer

_____ while it is in my possession. I will keep it on leash at all times, except
Name of Non-Family Owner

when my trainer instructs me otherwise.

Child Trainer Signature/Date _____

NON 4-H DOG CLASS REGISTRATION

Name: _____ Age as of Sept. 1: _____

Address: _____

Phone: () _____ 4-H Primary Club: _____

Dog's Name: _____ Dog's Breed: _____ Dog's Age: _____

I plan to attend the following training class(es):

Beginner Novice I _____	Beginner Novice II _____	Pre-Novice _____	
Novice _____	Graduate Novice _____	Rally Obedience _____	
Showmanship Jr. 8-13 yr. Old. _____			
Showmanship Sr. 14-18 yr. Old. _____			

I plan to attend training classes at the following facility:

Name _____

Address _____

Phone() _____ Instructors name _____

Date class begins: _____ Date class ends: _____

I, _____ (members name), understand that there are risks involved when dealing with animals, and regardless of the precautions taken by the 4-H staff or the 4-H'ers, injuries may occur. These risks may include, but are not limited to, possible injury to the dogs by other dogs, or their handlers, injury to the children who are handlers of the dogs, the volunteers who are conducting the training, or the public observing the training. The attached rules and precautions will help to lessen those risks.

I have read and understand the attached rules and precautions and agree to abide by them.

4-H Member Signature

Date

I give permission to _____ to participate with his/her dog in the dog training classes to be held at the following facility: _____.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Registration Fee: \$25.00 per Obedience, Rally O or Showmanship Class (one class)
\$45.00 if enrolled in Obedience & Showmanship or Rally-O with the same dog. (two classes)
\$60.00 if enrolled in Obedience, Rally-O & Showmanship with the same dog (three classes)
NO REFUNDS.

Date: _____ Rec'd by: _____ Amount \$ _____ Cash _____ Check No. _____

4-H DOG CLASS REGISTRATION - OBEDIENCE

Name: _____ Age as of Sept. 1: _____

Address: _____

Phone: () _____ 4-H Club: _____

Dog's Name: _____ Dog's Breed: _____ Dog's Age: _____

I plan to attend the following training class(es):

Beginner Novice I _____	Beginner Novice II _____	Pre-Novice _____
Novice _____	Graduate Novice _____	Rally Obedience _____

I plan to also attending 4-H Showmanship Classes: **Yes** _____ **No** _____

I, _____ (members name), understand that there are risks involved when dealing with animals, and regardless of the precautions taken by the 4-H staff or the 4-H'ers, injuries may occur. These risks may include, but are not limited to, possible injury to the dogs by other dogs, or their handlers, injury to the children who are handlers of the dogs, the volunteers who are conducting the training, or the public observing the training. The attached rules and precautions will help to lessen those risks.

I have read and understand the attached rules and precautions and agree to abide by them.

4-H Member Signature

Date

I give permission to _____ to participate with his/her dog in the dog training classes to be held at the fairgrounds, and conducted by volunteer instructors.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Registration Fee: **\$25.00 per Obedience, Rally O or Showmanship Class – ONE class**
 \$45.00 if enrolled in Obedience & Showmanship or Rally-O with the same dog – TWO classes
 \$60.00 if enrolled in Obedience, Rally-O & Showmanship with the same dog – THREE classes
 NO REFUNDS.

Date: _____ Rec'd by: _____ Amount \$ _____ Cash _____ Check No. _____

4-H DOG CLASS REGISTRATION - SHOWMANSHIP

Name: _____ Age as of Sept. 1: _____

Address: _____

Phone: () _____ 4-H Club: _____

Dog's Name: _____ Dog's Breed: _____ Dog's Age: _____

I plan to attend the following training class(es):

Jr. 8-13 _____ **Sr. 14-18** _____

I plan on also attending 4-H Obedience Classes: Yes _____ No _____

I, _____ (members name), understand that there are risks involved when dealing with animals, and regardless of the precautions taken by the 4-H staff or the 4-H'ers, injuries may occur. These risks may include, but are not limited to, possible injury to the dogs by other dogs, or their handlers, injury to the children who are handlers of the dogs, the volunteers who are conducting the training, or the public observing the training. The attached rules and precautions will help to lessen those risks.

I have read and understand the attached rules and precautions and agree to abide by them.

4-H'er Signature

Date

I give permission to _____ to participate with his/her dog in the dog training classes to be held at the fairgrounds, and conducted by volunteer instructors.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Registration Fee: \$25.00 per Obedience, Rally O or Showmanship Class – ONE class
\$45.00 if enrolled in Obedience & Showmanship or Rally-O with the same dog – TWO classes
\$60.00 if enrolled in Obedience, Rally-O & Showmanship with the same dog – THREE classes
NO REFUNDS after the first class has begun.

Date: _____ Rec'd by: _____ Amount \$ _____ Cash _____ Check No. _____

Confidential Behavior Profile

Your Name: _____ Dog's Name _____

Dog's Breed: _____ Dog's Date of Birth: _____ Sex: M F Neutered: Y N

Age of dog when you got it: _____ Which Veterinarian/Clinic do you use? _____

Where did you get the dog? i.e. pet shop, breeder (give name if known), pound _____

How many dogs do you currently own? _____ Have you owned dogs before? _____

What happened to your last dog? Describe circumstances _____

What percent of time does your dog spend inside? _____% Outside _____%

Is your dog tied up, kenneled, fenced in or allowed to run free when outside? _____

Where does the dog sleep at night? _____

Why did you decide to come to an obedience class? _____

What most do you want to learn? _____

Has your dog had any training? Describe: _____

How does your dog react to people? _____ To other dogs? _____

Does your dog bite? People? _____ Other dogs? _____

Has your dog ever bitten hard enough to draw blood? (If yes, describe circumstance) _____

Please check any behaviors that apply to your dog: Be Honest

____ Excessive barking	____ Soiling in the house	____ Shy
____ Destructiveness in the home	____ Jumps up on people	____ Digs
All the time _____	____ Sexual behavior (humps things)	____ Mouths
When left alone _____	____ Aggressiveness (growling or biting)	____ Bites
____ Doesn't come when called	Towards: People _____ Other dogs _____	
____ Running Away	____ Other (please describe) _____	

Is your dog crate trained? Y N Is your dog leash broken? Y N

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**Parents:** Does your child have any physical limitations or handicap that would prevent:

|                                                        |                   |                                       |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|
| ____ Exerting physical force (pushing or pulling hard) | ____ Kneeling     | ____ Walking and standing for an hour |
| ____ Hearing directions given by the instructor        | ____ Bending over | ____ Running                          |
| ____ Other (Please explain) _____                      |                   |                                       |

*This information will help your instructor in modifying the training program to meet your special needs. Use the space below or on the back for any explanations or additional information.*