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Cats, Dogs, and Small Pets at the 4-H Fair

Macoupin County 4-H members participated in the 4-H Cats, Dog, and Small Pets Shows at the Macoupin County Fairgrounds on Wednesday, June 5. 4-H members enrolled in dog, cat, and small pets showed off their project work during this event.

4-H members enrolled in Cat, Dog, and Small Pets exhibited their animals in the care classes. For the dog and cat care classes, animals were judged on their coat, weight, eyes, mouth, ears, and feet.

Best of Show Dog Care was awarded to Todd Brawley.

Lane Gowin with his guinea pig received the Best of Show banner in the Small Pets competition.

Members participating in the 4-H Cat Show were Taylor Harding, Eva Heller, and Charlee Dugger of Carlinville; Jeorjia Whalen of Girard, and Hannah Brawley of Gillespie. Members showed off their felines to 4-H show judge Julie Boehler of Girard. Best of Show Cat went to Taylor Harding with her cat Smokey. Reserve Best of Show went to Eva Heller with Cat Dutchess. All participants received blue ribbon ratings.

Awards were donated by Happy-Dog Stay-n-Play and Kibbles and Klips Grooming. Macoupin County Animal Shelter Administrator Julie Boehler served as 4-H animal show judge.

For more information about these 4-H projects or other Extension programs, contact University of Illinois Extension - Macoupin County at 217-854-9604.

