2020 Madison County Livestock Show Dates

The dates for the Madison County Fair are July 21-26.
The 4-H show dates are below.

DATE	TIME	4-H EVENT
Saturday, June 13	9:00 AM	4-H Horse Show, Triangle H Farm, LLC, 2082 South Moreland, Edwardsville
TBD	TBD	4-H Dog Show,
		Triangle H Farm, LLC, 2082 South Moreland, Edwardsville, IL
Wednesday, July 15	6:00 PM	4-H Set up night at the Fairgrounds
Tuesday, July 21	9:00 AM	Bucket/Bottle Calf Show in the Show Barn
	10:00 AM	4-H Dairy Show in the Show Barn
Wednesday, July 22	6:00 PM	4-H Rabbit Show in the Show Barn
Thursday, July 23	10:00 AM	4-H Swine Exhibitor Meeting & Weigh-In begins
Thursday, July 23	1:00 PM	4-H Poultry Show
Thursday, July 23	4:00 PM	4-H Steer Weigh-In
Thursday, July 23	7:30 PM	4-H Goat Show in the Sheep Barn
Friday, July 24	8:00 AM	4-H Swine Show in the Swine Barn
Friday, July 24	8:00 AM	4-H Beef Show in Show Barn
Friday, July 24	10:00 AM	4-H Sheep Weigh-In
Friday, July 24	Following beef &	4-H Super Showmanship in the Show Barn; MUST
	swine shows	register by June 1
Friday, July 24	7:30 PM	4-H Livestock Auction in the Swine Barn
Saturday, July 25	8:00 AM	4-H Sheep Show in the Sheep Barn
Saturday, July 25	1:30 PM	4-H Cat Show in the 4-H Barn; MUST provide
		personal cage

Show Rules and Entry Forms are also available on our website at http://web.extension.illinois.edu/mms

2019 4-H LIVESTOCK SHOW SUPERINTENDENTS

BEEF	Jim & Elaine Thurnau	604-6425 (Jim), 210-2623 (Elaine)
DAIRY	Carleen Paul	971-9644
SWINE	Craig Ammann, Daniel Ammann	978-4138 (Craig), 799-8203 (Daniel)
GOATS	Debbie Adamick	980-1943
SHEEP	Debbie Adamick	980-1943
POULTRY	Tim Rogier, Katlyn Rogier	410-4105 (Tim), 974-2898 (Katlyn)
RABBITS	Kaitlin Rutz	406-0917
CATS	Michelle Dorsey	654-5320
HORSE	Marcy Heepke	559-7746

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<u>Premium Guide:</u> Projects are valued on a point system based on ratings of Blue, Red, and White. Some more difficult and time consuming projects are given higher values. The dollar amount is then calculated using an X Factor, which depends on the total premium dollars allowed by the State of Illinois.

LIVESTOCK SHOW RULES & PROCEDURES GENERAL PROCEDURES

- 1. This show is open to all 4-H members enrolled in Madison County 4-H clubs.
 - A member may exhibit only projects in which he or she is enrolled. All exhibits must be the property of the boy or girl exhibiting. All registered animals must be in the name of the 4-H'er. This is required and papers will be checked at the show.
 - All exhibitors participating in the shows have the responsibility of being familiar with the rules that apply in each class. The decisions of the Superintendents and Judges regarding ANY matters at the show are final.
- 2. Exhibits will be graded as Blue (meets requirements), Red (needs improvement), or White (needs much improvement.)
 - Premium checks will be awarded when the funds have been received from the Illinois Department of Agriculture. Ribbons will be awarded at the fair.
 - Any question that is not covered by the General Rules or the respective species Show Rules will be resolved by a majority vote of the Livestock committee members present. (The committee consists of the superintendents of the 4-H livestock shows.) This will be done as promptly as possible.

3. PAPERWORK

- To enter livestock use the entry form found on the 4-H Madison County Unit website at www.extension.illinois.edu/mms/4-h-madison-county under the Fairs and Shows tab at the bottom of the page. Livestock entry forms are due by **June 1.** Class changes can be made until **July 1.** Faxed forms are accepted (618-344-5602). Call the office to verify receipt.
- Horse lease & ownership papers are due to the Extension Office by May 1. By May 1, exhibitors must place on file at the Extension Office copies of ownership and/or lease papers for all horses that the member may plan to exhibit at the Madison County 4-H Horse show and State Junior Horse Show. In addition to the ownership/lease papers; two photos, one of each side of the horse must also be placed on file to show proof of the specific exhibit animals. This will be mandatory for all horses and ponies, grade and registered animals.
- Due to the early date of the horse show (June 13) Horse Class Entry forms are due in the office by May 1.

4. ANIMAL CARE

- 4-H'ers enrolled in beef and dairy are strongly encouraged to tie in the 4-H barn. The barn was built for 4-H projects. Utilizing the building will show the public that Madison County has a strong program
- Health and CVI papers will be checked. Please follow the state health requirements. Failure to provide health papers will result in an inability to show.
- Animals must be kept under control for the safety of the 4-H'ers and the general public.

If the animal is repetitively disruptive, the animal will be removed from the fairgrounds.

- All stalls will be marked with the 4-H'ers name when they arrive at the fair. Equipment, feed, etc. must be kept where room is available. Please contact the superintendents if there are any questions or problems.
- All 4-H'ers must leave their stalls neat and clean before they will be dismissed. Remove all trash and belongings. This is important and will be checked. Bedding should be cleared to the front of the stalls and will be removed after the fair.
- The Illinois Humane Care of Animals Act prohibits physical mistreatment of animals. The use of electrical shock, OR manual striking of livestock, OR withholding feed and water are considered violations of this Act. The presence of any type of equipment to induce electrical shock in the exhibition area will be considered as intent to inflict electrical shock on animals under care of the person with the equipment. Persons found mistreating livestock shall be prohibited from exhibiting and will be dismissed from the fairgrounds.

5. EXHIBITION RULES

- If rules are not followed either prior to entering the ring or while in the ring the 4-H'er will be asked to do the following:
 - o IMMEDIATELY EXIT THE SHOW RING
 - NOT SHOW ANOTHER ANIMAL OF THAT SPECIES AT CURRENT SHOW
 - FORFEIT ALL PREMIUMS FOR THE DIVISION IN WHICH THE RULE(S) WERE BROKEN.
- All animals must be shown by the owner if possible. If, for some valid reason such as injury, illness, death in family or a 4-H'er is scheduled to show two livestock projects at the same time, another **active status** 4-H member may be allowed to show one of the animals. The member should notify the Extension Office (344-4230) as far in advance of the show as possible to explain the situation. The decision to allow another 4-H'er to show in your place will be at the discretion of the Extension Office and the Livestock Committee. A substitute is not eligible to win showmanship.
- Wear appropriate attire during ALL judging events. Shirts with a sleeve are required. No business advertising on clothing is allowed. Remember that you are representing 4-H to the general public. You will be asked to change inappropriate attire.
- Parents will not be permitted in the show ring during judging unless it becomes necessary for safety reasons.
- The show superintendent and judge in each project area reserve the right to divide the show classes.
- A member may show **only one entry** in each class unless otherwise stated.
- Please check age requirements for the classes carefully. Animals older than the age specified for the class may be removed from the class.

6. To be eligible to show, animals must be property of the 4-H'er by the following dates:

Dairy - Cows: January 1, 2020 Swine - Gilts: May 1, 2020 Heifers & Calves: June 1, 2020 Barrows: May 1, 2020

Beef - Steers: January 1, 2020 Sheep-Wethers: May 15, 2020 Heifers: June 1, 2020 Goats - Milking Does: January 1, 2020

Ewes: June 25, 2020 Poultry: June 1, 2020

Kids and Yearlings: June 1, 2020 Bucket/Bottle Calf -3 months or less from

date of Fair Show

7. Bulls, boars, stallions, rams and goat bucks cannot be exhibited in the 4-H show.

- 8. To exhibit livestock at the Illinois State Fair, entry forms are available at the Illinois State Fair website and must be submitted to state fair office in Springfield by the July 1, deadline. Exhibitors also <u>must</u> complete the Quality Assurance and Ethics on line course by May 1. This is only required once in your 4-H career.
- 9. <u>AGE CHANGE AT STATE FAIR:</u> Illinois 4-H and the Illinois State Fair Junior Livestock Department have revised the exhibition age so that all 4-H members (youth who were 8 to 18 years of age as of Sept. 1, 2019) can exhibit at the state fair.

DAIRY EXHIBITORS

All 4-H dairy exhibitors must submit copies of official registration, grade identification papers with pictures of both sides of the animal or state ID ear tag number with pictures of both sides of the animal with the 4-H entry form can be found on the 4-H Madison County Unit website.

If you are showing a spring heifer calf and you have applied for papers, you must show proof of application form with a letter from the breed association saying they have received your applications.

THE POSTMARK DEADLINE FOR THIS IS JUNE 1! NO EXCEPTIONS!

Livestock registration papers on all purebred livestock will be checked before the show. Grade identification papers must be checked before the show of dairy animals. All registration papers will be required to be on the grounds the day of the show.

*****ALL ENTRY DEADLINES ARE FINAL*****

ANIMAL SHOW RULES

- 1. Premises Identification numbers will be required for all *Junior Department Barrow* entries to the **Illinois State Fair.** This is being required by the packing house(s) that process the barrows from the State Fair; Even though the State Fair show is no longer a terminal show, in 2014 a majority of exhibitors still shipped their animals from the State Fair to the packing house for processing and Premises ID was required. Premises Registration is voluntary to exhibit all other livestock (beef, dairy, horses, swine, sheep, goats, poultry and rabbits) at the Illinois State Fair/county fair.
- 2. Steer weigh-in is for STEERS ONLY. Swine weigh-in is for BARROWS & CROSS BRED GILTS ONLY.
- 3. In the Beef, Dairy, Swine, and Sheep Divisions, the different livestock breeds will be shown in separate groups within each class, or as designated by the superintendent.
- 4. A 4-H'er may show in a particular class, either registered livestock or commercial livestock (in the Beef, Dairy, Swine, Dairy Goats, and Sheep Divisions) BUT NOT BOTH.
- 5. In the Beef, Dairy, Swine, Dairy Goats, and Sheep Divisions, papers will be checked on registered animals. These animals must be registered in the 4-H'ers name. (Same as State Fair)
- 6. In Beef, Swine, and Sheep, no animal may be shown in both breeding and market classes.
- 7. No bulls, boars, buck sheep, buck goats, horse studs, or pony studs are allowed to show in the 4-H Show. The exceptions are specified above each livestock division.
- 8. It is the responsibility of all exhibitors to check with their superintendents when they arrive at the 4-H Show. Registration must be in the exhibitor's name or name listed on the registration paper; if not: the animal will be shown in a commercial class.
- 9. Dairy animals must be registered in the 4-H member's name.
- 10. All animals *must* be shown by the owner or leaser. If, for some valid reason such as injury, illness, death in family or a 4-H'er is scheduled to show two livestock projects at the same time, another **active** 4-H member may be allowed to show one of the animals. The member should notify the Extension Office, 344-4230, as far in advance of the show as possible to explain the situation. The decision to allow another **active** 4-H'er to show in your place will be at the discretion of the Extension office and the Livestock Superintendent or Livestock Committee. It should not be assumed that a substitution will be allowed. Advanced notification is mandatory. A substitute is not eligible to win showmanship. Parents or other adults may not show for the member.

- 11. Exchanging of animals will be permitted in showmanship classes at the discretion of the judge.
- 12. Super Showmanship will be held on Friday, July 24 following the swine and beef shows.
- 13. See General 4-H Show Rules and the 2019 Exhibition Livestock Health requirements for Illinois Department of Agriculture: https://4h.extension.illinois.edu/programs/animal-sciences/livestock-issues
- 14. There will be no tranquilizing of animals, and if in the opinion of the Livestock Committee, the animal has been tranquilized, the 4-H member will not be allowed to participate in the show or market sale.
- 15. Excessive coaching during the show is prohibited and determined at superintendent's discretion. Violators will be removed or isolated from the show grounds.
- 16. Parents will not be permitted in the show ring during judging unless it becomes necessary for safety reasons.
- 17. Animals must be washed and groomed before entering the ring.
- 18. Wear appropriate attire during ALL judging events. Remember that you are representing 4-H to the general public. Closed toe footwear is required for safety purposes. You will be asked to change inappropriate attire.
- 19. The Illinois Humane Care of Animals Act prohibits physical mistreatment of animals. The use of electrical shock, OR manual striking of livestock, OR withholding feed and water are considered violations of the Act. The presence of any type of equipment to induce electrical shock in the exhibition area will be considered as intent to inflect electrical shock on animals under care of the person with the equipment. Persons found mistreating livestock shall be prohibited from exhibiting and will be dismissed from the show.

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LIVESTOCK AUCTION

- 1. The 4-H Auction will be held on <u>Friday</u>, <u>July 24 at 7:30 P.M.</u> on the County Fairgrounds at the swine barn.
- 2. To sell in the Auction, the animal must be a 4-H project that was shown in the 4-H show. Market quality barrows must weigh more than 200 pounds. Steers must be finished, of market quality, and weigh more than 1,000 pounds. Wethers must be finished and of market quality.
- 3. All auction animals will be weighed on Thursday and must be of acceptable quality as decided by the 4-H Auction Committee. The auction committee will be in charge of the weighing.
- 4. EACH 4-H EXHIBITOR MAY SELL NO MORE THAN ONE ANIMAL.
- 5. The 4-H Auction Committee has the right to reject any animal's bid for sale if the animal does not comply with the characteristics explained in Rule #2 above. The decision will be made the day of the show.
- 6. The deadline for owning a steer project is January 1. The deadline for starting market barrows is June 1 and wether projects are May 15.
- 7. All animals to be sold will be weighed during the week of the fair. The auction committee will be in charge of the weighing. Wethers will be weighed before the sheep show ends.
- 8. Intention to sell must be marked in the appropriate column on the appropriate 4-H livestock entry form and must be postmarked for return to the Madison County Office no later than the June 1, 2020 deadline. An intent to sell list will be prepared by the auction committee secretary from these forms by June 15, 2020.
- 9. A final intention to sell list will be made by the respective show superintendent at the end of the sheep, swine, beef shows.
- 10. The order of sale will be on a rotational basis. At next year's auction, the species that sold first this year will sell last and the others move forward one position.
- 11. The Grand Champion will sell in first position within the species. The Reserve Champion will have second sale position. The remaining animals', of the species, order of sale will be determined by lot. In the event a 4-H'er has more than one auction species with one or both of them receiving Grand Champion or Reserve Champion the 4-H'er has the right to choose which animal sell at the 4-H Auction. 4-H'er must notify the Co- Chairman on show day of their choice. In the event that the Grand Champion does not sell the Reserve Champion moves up in the selling order followed by the remaining determined by lot.
- 12. All steer and sheep auction animals will be moved to the barn in which the auction is being held by 6:00 p.m. This will allow prospective buyers to view the animals before the auction. A card will be provided, by the 4-H Auction Committee, to each seller with his/her name on it to show prospective buyers who raised the animal.
- 13. All animals will be sold on a per pound basis.

- 14. A commission of 4% will be charged to all sellers. This is used to cover expenses of the auction. (Without this charge there would be no auction.) The auction must be self-supporting.
- 15. If the 4-H'er wishes to retain show rights for other shows, this must be reported at the time of weigh-in. 4-H'er must determine the date the animal will be delivered to the buyer. This enables the buyer to know when he will have possession of the animal. (This will eliminate any confusion or misunderstanding on this as in the past.)
- 16. The seller is responsible for making arrangements with the buyer for delivery of the animal. *The animal must be delivered in good health to the location the buyer requests.

 ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE CARE AND WELFARE OF THE ANIMAL MUST BE WORKED OUT TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE PURCHASE BEFORE CHECKS WILL BE ISSUED. NO TRUCKING WILL BE PROVIDED THIS YEAR.
- 17. WHEN SHOW RIGHTS ARE RETAINED, THE 4-H'ER REMAINS THE OWNER UNTIL THE ANIMAL IS DELIVERED IN GOOD HEALTH TO THE BUYER. IF THE ANIMAL DIES THE CHECK WILL BE RETURNED TO BUYER.

The check for the animal sold in the auction will not be released until:

a. A copy of the Livestock Mortality insurance policy or binder of such coverage showing the value of the insurance coverage to be not less than the auction price and to include the buyers name and address as lienholder. This proof must be filed with the Madison County Auction Secretary. (cargo, transportation, or property insurance is not acceptable)

OR

- b. The buyer of the animal notifies the Auction secretary that the animal has been delivered in good health to him or to the place designated by him.
- 18. The terms of the auction are cash. Free processing will go to the Grand Champions. Reserve Champion animals may receive free processing if donations are available.
- 19. Counties holding 4-H auctions are required by law to check off livestock sold at the auction. The money checked off is sent to the appropriate livestock check off board. These funds are used for promotion, research, education, and consumer information by State and National Boards.
- 20. 4-H'ers are responsible for delivering plaques to their buyer before their check will be released. Rule #16 must be complied with in the case of Reserved Show Rights. Plaques will be available for pick-up at the work night when they are assembled or on other dates established by the Auction Committee. There will be set dates at the Madison County Fairgrounds for 4-Her's to pick up their check following delivery of the plaque to the buyer. These dates will be set by the Auction Committee.
- 21. All questions not covered by these rules will be handled by the 4-H Auction Committee and they will make all final decisions.
- 22. No liquor or beer will be permitted in the barn or during the auction!!!!!

The 4-H Auction is an event organized, sponsored and provided to benefit 4-H members through the generosity of adult volunteers who operate the auction independently of the 4-H program. Questions regarding the auction should be directed to the auction committee.

MADISON COUNTY 4-H AUCTION COMMITTEE MEMBER LIST

Blake Rinderer, Co-Chair	618-779-3525
Michelle Schrumpf, Co-Chair	618-781-0485
Kate Kampwerth, Secretary/Treasurer	618-410-4205
Mike Ammann	
Dennis & April Kusterman	
Maggie Bohnenstiehl	
Brent Rinderer	
Scott Toenyes	Please refer any questions to one of the
Todd & Lana Schneider	above phone numbers
Taylor Gray	
Nick & Leslie Gvillo	
David Ammann	
John Schoen	

Madison County Super Showmanship Contest

Friday, July 24, 2020

State Super Showmanship: Following the beef and swine shows Junior Super Showmanship: Following super showmanship

Both will take place in the Show Barn

ENTRY FORMS ARE LOCATED ON THE MADISON COUNTY 4-H UNIT WEBSITE AND ARE DUE BY JUNE 1 TO THE EXTENSION OFFICE.

Description-

Each 4-H member will show one animal from each area (beef, sheep, swine). They will be judged on how well they handle the animal, showing the animal, and knowledge of the animal area.

Super Showmanship Guidelines-

- 1. This is for all 4-H'ers enrolled in beef, sheep and swine.
- 2. Member must be 14 or older by September 1, 2019.
- 3. Members are responsible for finding their show animal & equipment.
- 4. The Senior Division winner will later receive a t-shirt that is required to wear during the State Fair contest. An overall winner will be selected and one alternate.
- 5. County winner must be able to participate at the state contest in August and animals must be provided on the state level.
- 6. Entry forms are due to the Extension Office by June 1, 2020.

Junior Super Showmanship Guidelines-

- 1. THIS IS A COUNTY-LEVEL EVENT ONLY
- 2. This is for all 4-H'ers enrolled in beef, sheep, and swine.
- 3. Member must be 10-13 by September 1, 2019.
- 4. Members are responsible for finding their show animal and equipment.
- 5. No prizes will be awarded—this event is for younger members to learn how to ready themselves for the state super showmanship contest when they become of age.
- 6. Entry forms are due to the Extension Office by June 1, 2020.

BEEF

- 1. Beef cattle must arrive at the fair by Thursday, July 23 by 12:00 p.m. **Bucket/Bottle Calf** Classes are shown under the Dairy section.
- 2. Steer projects must be owned and cared for by 4-H'er before January 1. Other beef projects, by June 1.
- 3. Beef cattle, except for steers in the auction, will be released after the show.
- 4. Animals will be shown by breed in alphabetical order. Please indicate on the entry form under "Breed" the breed which you have. Holsteins are eligible to show in the dairy steer class only.
 - Angus, Charolais, Chi, Hereford, Limousin, Maine, Red Angus, Shorthorn, Shorthorn Plus, Simmental, Low % Simmental, Commercial (no papers)

Any 4-H'ers without registration papers will be allowed to show in a commercial class.

- 5. All steers will be divided by weight on day of the show. All steers will be weighed on Thursday, July 23, 4:00 p.m. prior to the show and the dividing line between light weight, medium and heavy weight sub-classes will be determined at that time.
- 3 steers in a specific breed form a class. If less than 3, show in market class.
- 6. Beef showmanship classes are as follows: Senior Showmanship (15 years and over); Junior Showmanship (11 14 years of age); and Pee Wee Showmanship (8 10 years of age) as of September 1, 2019. After winning in an age bracket, the 4-H'er will move up to the next bracket. Each Showmanship trophy may be won only once. After winning Junior Showmanship, the 4-H'er will move up to the senior division.
- 7. If a problem arises a majority vote of the Livestock committee (composed of the superintendents of the 4-H livestock shows) will make any decision necessary. After discussion inside, the livestock committee will make a decision.
- 8. Cattle are to be shown in their natural conformation. The use of FALSE TAIL HEADS is prohibited. The addition of HAIR, HEMP or any SIMILAR SUBSTANCE to any part of an animal is prohibited. No tail ties will be allowed for breeding stock or steers. Excess adhesive on the legs beyond what is needed to groom the animal's hair is grounds for disqualification. Dying or artificially changing the color of an animal is prohibited. Coloring agents may only be used up to the hock. Powders are not allowed on any part of the animal.
- 9. Fitting must be done by eligible 4-H'ers with assistance from an immediate family member (mom, dad, brother, sister) only.

- 10. Exhibitors found breaking any of the above rules, either prior to entering the ring or while in the ring will be asked to do the following:
 - IMMEDIATELY EXIT THE SHOW RING
 - NOT SHOW ANY MORE CATTLE AT CURRENT 4-H BEEF SHOW
 - FORFEIT ALL PREMIUMS IN THE BEEF DIVISION
- 11. To be eligible for the Rate of Gain Class, participants must have their steer/market animal weighed the same time they are weighed for the Illinois Beef premiere show, the first Saturday in February.
- 12. All Health papers and registration papers will be checked after weigh-in about 6:30 p.m. on Thursday. You must be present to weigh your steer or a designated individual.
- 13. Appeals can be made to the 4-H Livestock Committee

BEEF CLASSES

Friday, July 24-8:00 a.m. (Show Barn)

(Commercial – no papers; All Other Breeds - % breeds with papers)

Beef Superintendent: Jim & Elaine Thurnau (618)-644-9386-home (618)-604-6425-Jim's cell; (618) 210-2623 Elaine's cell

ENTRY FORMS ARE LOCATED ON THE MADISON COUNTY 4-H UNIT WEBSITE AND ARE DUE BY JUNE 1 TO THE EXTENSION OFFICE. NO CLASS CHANGES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER JULY 1.

Class # **Animal (class name)** Birthdate BE 1 Junior Heifer Calf 1/1/20-present BE 2 Senior Heifer Calf 9/1/19-12/31/19 BE 3 Summer Yearling Heifer 5/1/19-8/31/19 BE 4 Late Junior Yearling Heifer 3/1/19-4/30/19 BE 5 Early Junior Yearling Heifer 1/1/19-2/28/19 BE 6 Senior Yearling Heifer 9/1/18-12/31/18 BE 7 Beef Cow with calf born After 1/1/20 **BE 8** 1/1/19-12/31/19 BE 9 Rate of Gain Steer/ Market Animal Showmanship Pee Wee (8-10); Junior (10-14); Senior (15 & Up)

Each 4-H member is limited to exhibiting a maximum of 1 animal per class. Animals may be in any class, but only 1 entry per class.

If you are showing a beef cow with calf by side, **the cow** must be born before September 1, 2018.

Non-Beef Participation in Beef Project

- 4-H'ers who want to exhibit in a Beef project but don't have an animal or don't wish to participate in the beef show may exhibit a poster describing beef care, beef science, or any other topic related to beef.
- Projects will be judged with other projects at The General Project Judging on July 20 and will be entered in the Animal Science area.

^{*}Bucket/Bottle Calf class will be shown with the Dairy Show on Tuesday, July 21 at 9:00 a.m. See page 16 for instructions.

DAIRY CATTLE

- 1. Dairy exhibitors must exhibit one of the following with general entry forms found on unit website by June 1, 2020 to the Extension Office:
 - 1. Official copies, (with pictures of both sides of the animal), (can be made at Extension Office) of Registration Papers.
 - 2. Grade Identification Papers (with pictures of both sides of the animal).
 - 3. State ID ear tag number (with pictures of both sides of the animal).
- 2. Registration papers must accompany registered animals. They must be in the name of the exhibitor (not farm or partnership) only. Effective dates for ownership must appear on the registration papers.
- 3. Dairy animals will be defined as all cattle breeds used primarily for the production of milk and milk products. The steers of these breeds will be shown as part of the beef show. Cows must be owned by Jan. 1, 2020. Heifers & calves by June 1, 2020.
- 4. The dairy animals show rules:
 - a. All dairy animals will arrive by 7:00 A.M., Tuesday of fair week.
 - b. Dairy cattle show at 10:00 A.M., Tuesday.
 - c. All dairy animals will be released at 3 P.M., Tuesday.
- 5. Each breed will be shown separately in its respective class. Please indicate on the entry form the breed you will be showing.
- 6. Dairy cattle showmanship classes are as follows: Senior Showmanship (15 years and over); Junior Showmanship (11-14 years of age); Pee Wee (8–10 years of age) as of September 1, 2019. A 4-H'er may receive the Junior Showmanship & Pee Wee Showmanship trophy only once and the Senior Showmanship more than once. After winning in an age bracket, the 4-H'er will move to the next bracket.
- 7. Proper attire is required during the show time. No hats and closed toe footwear is required for safety purposes. Acceptable attire includes white or light colored jeans/pants with a collared shirt or plain t-shirt with sleeves. No farm names or business advertising on clothing is allowed. Tank tops, shorts, skirts, or bare midriffs are not appropriate show attire. **You will be asked to change inappropriate attire**. Remember that you are representing 4-H to the general public.
- 8. If a problem arises, a majority vote of the livestock committee (composed of the superintendents of the 4-H livestock shows) will make any decision necessary. After discussion, the livestock committee will make a decision.
- 9. If you are showing a spring heifer calf and you have applied for papers you must show proof of application form with a letter from the breed association saying they have received your application.

- 10. Fitting (clipping, washing or any grooming of dairy animals) must be done by eligible 4-Her's and/or family members only.
- 11. Exhibitors found breaking any of the rules outlined on the last page, either prior to entering the ring or while in the ring will be asked to do the following:
 - IMMEDIATELY EXIT THE SHOW RING, -NOT SHOW ANY MORE CATTLE AT CURRENT 4-H DAIRY SHOW, -FORFEIT ALL PREMIUMS IN THE DAIRY DIVISION -- NO EXCEPTIONS!!! ****NO IDENTIFING NAMES I.E. FARM NAMES, COMPANY NAMES, OR PERSONAL NAMES ON CLOTHING******

DAIRY CLASSES

Tuesday, July 21—10:00 a.m. (Show Barn) **Dairy Superintendent: Carleen Paul (971-9644)**

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Birthdates for dairy 4-H classes correspond to other dairy shows.

Class #	Animal (class name)	Birthdate
DA 1	Spring Heifer Calf	3/1/20-5/1/20
DA 2	Winter Heifer Calf	12/1/19—2/28/20
DA 3	Fall Heifer Calf	9/1/19—11/30/19
DA 4	Summer Yearling	6/1/19—8/31/19
DA 5	Spring Yearling	3/1/19—5/31/19
DA 6	Winter Yearling	12/1/18—2/28/19
DA 7	Fall Yearling	9/1/18—11/30/18
DA 8	Junior 2 yr. old cow	3/1/18—8/31/18
DA 9	Senior 2 yr. old cow	9/1/17—last day in Feb 2018
DA 10	Junior 3 yr. old cow	3/1/17—8/31/17
DA 11	Senior 3 yr. old ow	9/1/16—last day in Feb 2017
DA 12	4 yr. cow	9/1/15-8/31/16
DA 13	Aged Cow	Born on or before 8/31/15
DA 14	3-4 yr. old dry cow	9/1/15—8/31/17
DA 15	Aged Dry Cow	Born on or before 8/31/15
DA 16	Dam & Daughter	
DA 17	Produce of Dam	
DA 18	Best 3 Females	
	Showmanship	Pee Wee (8-10); Junior (10-14); Senior (15 & Up)
		(15 & Op)

Each 4-H Dairy member may exhibit an unlimited number of dairy animals. Animals may be from any of the classes. You may exhibit more than 1 animal per class.

Non-Dairy Participation in Dairy Project

- 4-H'ers who want to exhibit in a Dairy project but don't have an animal or don't wish to participate in the dairy show may exhibit a poster describing dairy care, dairy science, or any other topic related to dairy.
- Projects will be judged with other projects at The General Project Judging on July 20 and will be entered in the Animal Science area.

BUCKET/BOTTLE CALF CLASS BEEF OR DAIRY

(TUESDAY, JULY 21 – 9:00 A.M.)

4-H'ER MUST BE ENROLLED IN BEEF OR DAIRY TO PARTICIPATE ENTRY FORM DEADLINE IS JUNE 1

Class #	Animal (class name)	Birthdate	Participant's Age
DA 19	Bottle Calf	3 months or less from date of the County Fair Show Date (July 21)	

GUIDELINES

- 1. This is for members ages 8 11.
- 2. One calf per member.
- 3. Must be property of the exhibitor.
- 4. Must submit pictures of both sides of the animal by June 1, or if born later must submit to the office prior to the show.
- 5. Must arrive the morning of the show, Tuesday, July 21, by 8:00 am or night before.
- 6. Class will start at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, prior to the dairy show.
- 7. The calf must be broke to lead by halter
- 8. Classes will be judged by conference method based on:
 - A. What 4-H'er learned about caring for and raising a calf.
 - B. The general health of calf and knowledge of 4-H'er in health related areas.
- 9. Animals will NOT be sold at the 4-H Livestock Auction.
- 10. Exhibitors cannot use same calf in the Dairy Show.
- 11. Proper attire is required during the show time. No hats and closed toe footwear is required for safety purposes. Acceptable attire includes white or light colored jeans/pants with a collared shirt or plain t-shirt with sleeves. No farm names or business advertising on clothing is allowed. Tank tops, shorts, skirts, or bare midriffs are not appropriate show attire. You will be asked to change inappropriate attire. Remember that you are representing 4-H to the general public.
- 12. If you are showing a beef calf in the bucket/bottle calf class, all white clothing is not required.
- 13. Any Dairy or Beef participant that exhibits in the bucket/bottle calf class has the opportunity to exhibit in the Dairy Showmanship class relative to age. Proper dairy attire is required. Please reference page 13 for acceptable attire guidelines.

SWINE

See Swine Health Requirements

- 1. All swine must be on the fairgrounds before 10:00 a.m. Thursday of fair week and weigh in begins at 10:00 a.m. Purebred registration health papers will be checked during weigh in.
- 2. Members must be present to weigh in their animals.
- 3. Swine will be shown at 8:00 a.m., Friday, July 24. Every exhibitor must attend a mandatory meeting before the show starts at 8:00 a.m.
- 4. 4-H Swine will be released after the auction.
- 5. Each breed will show separately in their respective classes listed on the next page. **Please indicate on entry form which breed you have.** Crossbreeds may be shown.
- 6. If weight of barrow or crossbred gilt is over 300 or under 220 it will not be eligible for championship drive.
- 7. Swine Showmanship classes are as follows: Senior (15 years and up); Junior (11-14 years of age); and Pee Wee (8-10 years of age) as of September 1, 2019.* After winning an age bracket, the 4-H'er will move up to the next bracket. Each showmanship trophy may be won only once except for senior division. After winning Junior Showmanship, the 4-H'er will move up to the senior division.
- 8. Exhibitors found breaking the above rules, either prior to entering the ring or while in the ring will be asked to do the following:
 - IMMEDIATELY EXIT THE SHOW RING
 - NOT SHOW ANY MORE SWINE AT THE CURRENT JUNIOR SWINE SHOW
 - FORFEIT ALL PREMIUMS IN THE SWINE DIVISION
- 9. If a problem arises a majority vote of the livestock committee (composed of the superintendents of the 4-H livestock shows will make any decision necessary. After discussion inside, the livestock committee will make any decision.

SWINE CLASSES

Friday, July 24—8:00 a.m. (Swine Barn) Swine Superintendent: Craig Ammann (978-4138)

ENTRY FORMS ARE LOCATED ON THE MADISON COUNTY 4-H UNIT WEBSITE AND ARE DUE BY JUNE 1 TO THE EXTENSION OFFICE. NO CLASS CHANGES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER JULY 1.

Class #	Animal (class name)	Birthdate
SW 1	Class I Gilt	1/1/20-Present
SW 2	Class II Gilt	1/1/20-Present
SW 3	Class III Gilt	1/1/20-Present
SW 4	Class I Barrow	1/1/20-Present
SW 5	Class II Barrow	1/1/20-Present
SW 6	Class III Barrow	1/1/20-Present
	Showmanship	Pee Wee (8-10); Junior (10-14);
		Senior (15 & Up)

4-H'ers may show a total of three gilts. (Animals may/may not have the same birthdate.) If both gilts are in the same class, another 4-H'er may show second animal. X - Bred Gilts will be divided by weight.

4-H'er may show a total of 3 barrows. If classes are large, barrows will be divided by weight within breeds. If barrows fall within the same weight class, another 4-H'er may show 2nd or 3rd animal. Swine projects must be owned and cared for by 4-H'er by May 1, 2020.

Non-Swine Participation in Swine Project

- 4-H'ers who want to exhibit in a Swine project but don't have a swine or don't wish to participate in the swine show may exhibit a poster describing swine care, swine science, or any other topic related to swine.
- Projects will be judged with other projects at The General Project Judging on July 20 and will be entered in the Animal Science area.

GOAT

See General Health Requirements

- 1. All goats need an official form of identification and exhibitors must complete and submit entry form by June 1 to the Extension Office.
- 2. All Goats must have tags in ear for official identification.
- 3. All goats must arrive by 6:00 P.M., Thursday of fair week.
- 4. The goat show will be Thursday, July 23 at 7:30 P.M. in the Sheep barn.
- 5. There will be two Showmanship classes for all 4-H'ers showing goats, Jr. & Sr.
- 6. Goats will be released immediately following goat show.
- 7. Each 4-H member may have only one entry per class.
- 8. Exhibitors found breaking any of the above rules, either prior to entering the ring or while in the ring the 4-H'er will be asked to the following:
 - IMMEDIATELY EXIT THE SHOW RING
 - NOT SHOW ANOTHER GOAT AT THE CURRENT 4-H GOAT SHOW
 - FORFEIT ALL PREMIUMS IN THE GOAT DIVISION
- 9. If a problem arises a majority vote of the livestock committee (composed of the superintendents of the 4-H livestock shows) will make any decision necessary. After discussion inside the livestock committee will make a decision.

Non-Goat Participation in Goat Project

- 4-H'ers who want to exhibit in a Goat project but don't have a goat or don't wish to
 participate in the goat show may exhibit a poster describing goat care, goat science, or
 any other topic related to goats.
- Projects will be judged with other projects at The General Project Judging on July 20 and will be entered in the Animal Science area.

DAIRY/PYGMY/MEAT GOAT CLASSES

Thursday, July 23—7:30 p.m. (Sheep Barn) Goat Superintendent: Debbie Adamick (978-1934)

ENTRY FORMS ARE LOCATED ON THE MADISON COUNTY 4-H UNIT WEBSITE AND ARE DUE BY JUNE 1 TO THE EXTENSION OFFICE.

NO CLASS CHANGES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER JULY 1.

Dairy Classes

Class #	Animal (class name)	Birthdate	
DG 1	Doe Kid (0-6 mos)	As of July 1, 2020	
DG 2	Doe Kid (6-12 mos)	As of July 1, 2020	
DG 3	Yearling not in milk	1-2 yr. olds	
DG 4	Milking Yearling	1 yr. and under 2	
DG 5	Milking Doe	2 yrs. and under 4	
DG 6	Aged Doe	4 yrs. and older	
DG 7	Wether	1 yr. and older	

Pygmy Classes

Class #	Animal (class name)	Birthdate	
PG 1	Doe Kid (0-6 mos)	As of July 1, 2020	
PG 2	Doe Kid (6-12 mos)	As of July 1, 2020	
PG 3	Doe	1 yr. and under 2	
PG 4	Doe	2-3 yrs.	
PG 5	Doe	4 yrs. and older	
PG 6	Wether	1 yr. and older	-

Meat Goat Classes

Class #	Animal (class name)	Birthdate
MG 1	Doe Kid (0-3 mos)	As of July 1, 2020
MG 2	Doe Kid (3-6 mos)	As of July 1, 2020
MG 3	Doe Kid (6-12 mos)	As of July 1, 2020
MG 4	Doe	1-2 yr. olds
MG 5	Doe	2-4 yrs.
MG 6	Doe	4 yrs. and older
MG 7	Wether	Born between Nov 2019-Feb 2020

Class #	Class Name	Participant's Age
	Jr. Showmanship	8-13 y.o.
	Sr. Showmanship	14-19 y.o.

SHEEP

Refer to General Health Requirements

- 1. Sheep must arrive at the fair no later than 4:00 P.M., Thursday of fair week. Sheep pens will be available in the sheep barn. Weigh in will be Friday at 10:00 A.M.
- 2. All Sheep must have tags in ear for official identification.
- 3. Sheep show that starts at 8:00 a.m., Saturday, July 25.
- 4. Sheep will be released at 6 P.M., Saturday, July 25.
- 5. Each class will be divided by purebred or crossbred. A member may exhibit only one entry in each of the classes below. All wethers must be clamped by May 1 of the current year. Sheep projects must be owned and cared for by 4-H'er by June 1. For the SH4 Class both animals must be owned by the 4-H'er.
- 6. Showmanship classes are as follows: Senior showmanship (12 years of age and over as of January 1, current year); junior showmanship (11 years of age and under as of September 1, 2019). *After winning an age bracket, the 4-H'er will move up to the next age bracket, the next year. Senior showmanship may be won more than 1 year.
- 7. Exhibitors found breaking any of the above rules, either prior to entering the ring or while in the ring will be asked to do the following:
 - IMMEDIATELY EXIT THE SHOW RING
 - NOT SHOW ANOTHER ANIMAL AT THE CURRENT 4-H SHEEP SHOW
 - FORFEIT ALL PREMIUMS IN THE SHEEP DIVISION
- 8. If a problem arises a majority vote of the livestock committee (composed of the superintendents of the 4-H livestock shows) will make any decision necessary. After discussion inside the livestock committee will make a decision.
- 9. Sheep pens will be available in the sheep barn.

SHEEP CLASSES

Saturday, July 25—8:00 a.m. (Sheep Barn) Sheep Superintendent: Debbie Adamick (978-1934)

ENTRY FORMS ARE LOCATED ON THE MADISON COUNTY 4-H UNIT WEBSITE AND ARE DUE BY JUNE 1 TO THE EXTENSION OFFICE. NO CLASS CHANGES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER JULY 1.

Class #	Animal (class name)	Birthdate
SH 1	Jr. Ewe Lamb	1/1/20-Present
SH 2	Sr. Ewe Lamb	9/1/19-12/31/19
SH 3	Yearling Ewe	7/1/18-7/1/19
SH 4	Pair of Jr. Ewe Lambs	1/1/20-Present
SH 5	Wether	1/1/20-Present
	Jr. Showmanship	11 years of age and under as of September 1, 2019
	Sr. Showmanship	12 years of age and over as of January 1, current year

Non-Sheep Participation in Sheep Project

- 4-H'ers who want to exhibit in a Sheep project but don't have a sheep or don't wish to participate in the sheep show may exhibit a poster describing sheep care, sheep science, or any other topic related to sheep.
- Projects will be judged with other projects at The General Project Judging on July 20 and will be entered in the Animal Science area.

POULTRY AND OTHER FOWL

- 4-H exhibitors are encouraged to also enter in open classes. Follow FOWL directions in the Madison County Fair Premium List.
- 1. All 4-H exhibitors must be present for judging.
- 2. Poultry should be in the cages at the fair and ready to be judged no later than 12:30 P.M., Thursday of fair week. Show will begin at 1:00 P.M.
- 3. Poultry will be released after the show, on Thursday. No exhibits will be allowed to stay overnight unless entered in the Open Poultry Show.
- 4. Cages will be provided, however, exhibitors are required to supply their own bedding and to clean their cages as their exhibits are released. If you plan to show large birds, please bring your own cages.
- 5. Chickens that are exhibited as singles are not eligible to compete in the pair class.
- 6. Champion ribbons and trophies will be awarded according to their availability.
- 7. Exhibitors found breaking any of the rules, either prior to exhibiting will be asked to do the following:
 - IMMEDIATELY EXIT THE SHOW AREA
 - NOT SHOW ANY OTHER POULTRY OR FOWL AT CURRENT 4-H SHOW
 - FORFEIT ALL PREMIUMS FOR THE POULTRY DIVISION
- 8. If a problem arises a majority vote of the livestock committee (composed of the superintendents of the 4-H livestock shows) will make any decision necessary. After discussion inside, the livestock committee will make any decision, minus the superintendent and the complaining party.
- 9. All exhibitors are asked to stay after the show to clean up.

Non-Poultry Participation in Poultry Project

- 4-H'ers who want to exhibit in a Poultry project but don't have poultry or don't wish to participate in the poultry show may exhibit a poster describing poultry care, poultry science, or any other topic related to poultry.
- Projects will be judged with other projects at The General Project Judging on July 20 and will be entered in the Animal Science area.

Awards: *Champion Show Bird/Reserve * Best Chicken/Reserve *Champion Fowl

POULTRY CLASSES

Thursday, July 23 - 1:00 p.m. (Poultry Barn)

Superintendent: Tim Rogier (410-4105) or Katlyn Rogier (974-2898)

ENTRY FORMS ARE LOCATED ON THE MADISON COUNTY 4-H UNIT WEBSITE AND ARE DUE BY JUNE 1 TO THE EXTENSION OFFICE.

No class changes will be accepted after July 1.

The following definitions will be used:

- Pullet-A female chicken hatched after January 1, 2020
- Hen-A female chicken one year or older, must have been raised by 4-H'er
- Cockerel-A male chicken hatched after January 1, 2020

Exhibitors may show 1 per class

STANDARDS

Class #	Class Name	Birthdate
PO 1	Pullet	Hatched after Jan 1, 2020
PO 2	Hen	Hatched before Jan 1, 2020
PO 3	Cockerel	Hatched after Jan 1, 2020
PO 4	Pair Pullet/ cockerel	Hatched after Jan 1, 2020
PO 5	Pair of Cockerels	Hatched between Jan 1 – May 1, 2020
PO 6	Tri- 2 Hens & 1 Cockerel	Hatched before Jan 1, 2020

BANTAM

Class #	Class Name	Birthdate
PO 7	Pullet	Hatched after Jan 1, 2020
PO 8	Hen	Hatched before Jan 1, 2020
PO 9	Cockerel	Hatched after Jan 1, 2020
PO 10	Pair Pullet/Cockerel	Hatched after Jan 1, 2020
PO 11	Pair of Cockerels	Hatched between Jan 1 – May 1, 2020
PO 12	Tri- 2 Hens & 1 Cockerel	Hatched before Jan 1, 2020

EGGS

Class #	Class Name	Description
PO 13	White	1 Dozen
PO 14	Brown	1 Dozen
PO 15	Other	1 Dozen

Eggs will be judged on the following scorecard: Uniformity of Color 8 points

Cleanliness of shell 8 points
Soundness of shell 8 points
Uniformity of shape 8 points
Uniformity of size 12 points
Interior quality 56 points
TOTAL 100 points

OTHER FOWL

**Exhibitor may show ONE animal in EACH class. **Pair must be male and female.

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RABBITS

Superintendent: Kaitlin Rutz, 406-0917

- 1. All 4-H exhibitors must be present for judging.
- 2. All rabbit exhibits must be at the fair, checked in, and ready to be judged by 5:45 P.M., Wednesday of fair week. Show will begin at 6:00 P.M. Any rabbits arriving after judging begins will not be eligible for judging.
- 3. All rabbit exhibits will be released immediately following the show. No exhibits will be allowed to stay overnight.

4. CARRIER SHOW ONLY

- 5. Rabbits need to be marked for identification. Tattoos are preferred, if not able to tattoo please use a permanent marker to write in rabbit's ear for identification. (place identification in right ear when rabbits face is facing you.)
- 6. Exhibits are limited to two entry per class. Rabbits that are exhibited in the single classes may not be exhibited as a part of the meat class.
- 7. Rabbits entered in the Meat Class must be 3-1/2 to 5 1/2 pounds. This means they are about 2-1/2 to 3 months old.
- 8. Champion ribbons and trophies will be awarded according to their availability. A Grand and Reserve will be selected for each class, along with a best in show.
- 9. Showmanship All rabbit exhibitors are eligible to participate in the showmanship judging. A champion and reserve champion showman award will be given. A 4-H member can receive the junior champion showman award only one time then move up to senior showmanship.
- 10. Animals with ear canker or any other medical defects will be given a white ribbon.
- 11. Exhibitors found breaking any of the above rules, either prior to exhibiting or while exhibiting the 4-H'er will be asked to do the following:
 - IMMEDIATELY EXIT THE SHOW AREA
 - NOT SHOW ANOTHER RABBIT AT CURRENT 4-H SHOW
 - FORFEIT ALL PREMIUMS FOR THE RABBIT DIVISION
- 12. If a problem arises a majority vote of the livestock committee (composed of the superintendents of the 4-H livestock shows) will make any decision necessary. After discussion inside, the committee will make any decision, minus the superintendent and the complaining party.

RABBIT CLASSES

Wednesday, July 22, 6:00 p.m. (Show Barn)

Rabbit Superintendent: Kaitlin Rutz 618-406-0917

Class #	Class Name	Birthdate
RA 1	Sr. Buck	Over 6 mos of age
RA 2	Sr. Doe	Over 6 mos of age
RA 3	Jr. Buck	Under 6 mos of age
RA 4	Jr. Doe	Under 6 mos of age
RA 5	Meat Pen: 3 rabbits of the same breed & variety.	Under 72 days old (5/13/20) Weight under 5-1/2 lbs & over 3-1/2 lbs.
RA 6	Single Fryer: 1 rabbit	Under 72 days old (5/13/20) Weight under 5-1/2 lbs & over 3-1/2 lbs.
RA 7	Pet Class: Rabbit owner that has one rabbit for a pet. You can't be entered in any of the breed classes listed above & it does not have to be tattooed.	

Class #	Class Name	Participant's Age
	Jr. Showmanship	8-13 y.o.
	Sr. Showmanship	14-19 y.o.

Premiums are not awarded for showmanship, but there will be awards.4-H'er is judged on their knowledge, handling skills.

Non-Rabbit Participation in Rabbit Project

- 4-H'ers who want to exhibit in a Rabbit project but don't have a rabbit or don't wish to participate in the rabbit show may exhibit a poster describing rabbit care, rabbit science, or any other topic related to rabbits.
- Projects will be judged with other projects at The General Project Judging on July 20 and will be entered in the Animal Science area.

MADISON COUNTY 4-H HORSE SHOW

Saturday, June 13, 2020, 9:00 a.m.

Triangle H Farm, LLC, 2082 South Moreland Road, Edwardsville, IL 62025

See General Project Regulations-Animal Science for Horse Science exhibits.

GUIDELINES

- 1. Animals need not be purebred to exhibit.
- 2. Stallions are NOT allowed.
- 3. A 4-H member may show up to 3 different horses but not in the same class and only 1 is allowed in the showmanship class. Exhibitors can withdraw from a class on the day of the show, but will not be allowed to add classes on the day of the show.
- 4. One horse may be shown by any number of 4-H members if they are not showing in the same classes.
- 5. A 4-H member must be eight (8) years of age by September 1, 2019 to receive premium monies.
- 6. The show superintendent and judge reserve the right to divide or combine show classes.
- 7. The penalty for obvious falsification of entries or records will be disqualification of the 4-H exhibitor from all additional classes entered and possible forfeiture of premiums.
- 8. A member may compete in each class number only once. Members should choose only one section under each class number, either a, b, or c.
- 9. In class 2a, 3a, 4a, 5a, 6a, 7, 8a, 9a, 10a, all Walk-Favorite Gait riders in flags, barrels, pole bending MUST "Trot or Favorite Gait" (NO CANTER) the pattern.
- 10. Walk, Trot or Jog, Canter or Lope riders shall choose sections b or c by their ages for classes 2, 3, 4, and 5.
- 11. Speed Events in Western Tack Only. No t-shirts are allowed to be shown in.
- 12. **HEADGEAR REQUIRED FOR ALL EVENTS:** All 4-H members are **required** to wear a properly fitted ASTM or SEI standard F1163 (or above) certified equestrian helmet whenever mounted or riding at all 4-H horse and pony events, shows, activities, or practices. Original tags must be present in all approved helmets. The 4-H member is responsible to see that this specified headgear is properly fitted with the approved harness fastened snugly in place whenever mounted. Helmet policies apply to all county, area, and state 4-H horse and pony events, shows, and activities. *Protective helmets are* recommended for all riders and drivers at all times. It is recommended that all adults working with 4-H members model the desired youth behavior by also wearing protective helmets whenever mounted or riding

Non-Horse Participation in Horse Project

- 4-H'ers who want to exhibit in a Horse project but don't have a Horse or don't wish to
 participate in the Horse show may exhibit a poster describing horse care, horse science, or any
 other topic related to horse.
- Projects will be judged with other projects at The General Project Judging on July 20 & will be entered in the Animal Science area.

^{***}Each Exhibitor is required to show in Showmanship at halter.

HORSE CLASS GUIDELINES

You must be present to receive prizes at the end of this show in case there is a tie

- A. Showmanship at Halter: The exhibitor will be allowed to use the chain lead under horse's jaw if used humanely. Spurs and/or Chaps will **NOT** be allowed. Exhibitors must be in appropriate attire. To be judged on exhibitor's ability to present their horse in the best possible manner while performing a pattern. If the class calls for a pattern, that pattern will be shared with the exhibitors to the e-mail provided before the show.
- B. English Performance Class: Riders shall wear appropriate English attire, approved helmet and boots for hunt seat. Spurs and/or whips are optional if used humanely.
- C. English Equitation: To be judged on exhibitor's ability to control and exhibit their horse with emphasis on hands, seat, and guidance. A pattern will be required and posted the day of the show.
- D. Western Performance Classes: Riders shall wear appropriate Western Attire, Spurs are optional if used humanely. Horse may be ridden with split reins or romal reins. Curb chains must be at least 1/2" wide and be flat against the jaw of the horse. No wire, no matter how padded, will be allowed.
- E. Western Horsemanship: To be judged on exhibitor's ability to control and exhibit their horse with emphasis on hands, seat, guidance and control of mount. A pattern will be required and posted the day of the show.
- F. Pole Bending: Pattern by 4-H or AHSA or AQHA rule book.
- G. Barrels: Pattern by 4-H or AHSA or AQHA rule book.
- H. Trail Class: Riders shall wear appropriate English or Western Attire. Pattern will be posted the day of show.

FOR MADISON COUNTY 4-H HORSE SHOW AND STATE JUNIOR HORSE SHOW

By May 1, exhibitors must place on file at the Extension Office copies of ownership and/or lease papers for all horses that the member may plan to exhibit at the Madison County 4-H Horse show and State Junior Horse Show. In addition to the ownership/lease papers; two photos, one of each side of the horse must also be placed on file to show proof of the specific exhibit animals. This will be mandatory for all horses and ponies, grade and registered animals.

Forms are available at the U of I Extension office, One Regency Plaza Drive, Suite 200, Collinsville, IL or on our website: http://web.extension.illinois.edu/mms. Entries will be verified day of show at sign in by the horse committee.

HORSE CLASSES

Horse Superintendent: Marcy Heepke— 559-7746

Premium Classes

Class #	Class Name	Participant's Age
1a	Showmanship at Halter	8-12 y.o.
1b	Showmanship at Halter	13-18 y.o.
2a	English Equitation (walk, favorite gait)	Any age
2b	English Equitation	8-12 y.o.
2c	English Equitation	13-18 y.o.
3a	English Pleasure (walk, favorite gait)	Any Age
3b	English Pleasure	8-12 y.o.
3c	English Pleasure	13-18 y.o.
4a	Western Horsemanship (walk, favorite gait)	Any Age
4b	Western Horsemanship	8-12 y.o.
4c	Western Horsemanship	13-18 y.o.
5a	Western Pleasure (walk, favorite gait)	Any Age
5b	Western Pleasure	8-12 y.o.
5c	Western Pleasure	13-18 y.o.
	Egg & Spoon Pleasure walk trot	Any Age
	Egg & Spoon Pleasure	Any Age
	English or Western Trail Class	Any Age
	Flag Race (trot or favorite gait only)	8-18 y.o.
	Flag Race	8-18 y.o.
	Pole Bending (trot or favorite gait only)	8-18 y.o.
	Pole Bending	8-18 y.o.
	Barrels (trot or favorite gait only)	8-18 y.o.
	Barrels	8-18 y.o.

Each Exhibitor is required to show in Showmanship at halter.

CATS

Saturday, July 25, 2019 at 1:30 p.m.

Location: 4-H Barn

- 1. All 4-H exhibitors must be present for judging.
- 2. A 4-H exhibitor can only show one cat **OR** one kitten in the cat show. The same animal must be used for Showmanship competition. The exhibitor must care for the cat (kitten) for at least three months before the end of the 4-H year (August 31). Kittens should be four months old by May 15, to insure they can be vaccinated for rabies.
- 3. All cat exhibits must be in the cages at the fair and ready to be judged by 11:30 A.M.
- 4. All cat exhibits will be released following the cat show. YOU MAY NOT LEAVE YOUR ANIMAL UNATTENDED.
- 5. Cages will be provided. Exhibitors are **required to provide** clean water and a leash to control the cat.. The exhibitor is required to clean their cage as the exhibit is released or deduction in grade will occur. It is recommended to provide clean litter for the cat.
- 6. Cages should be decorated, and decorations will be judged in two categories JR (8-13) and SR (14 and up) classes.
- 7. All cats must be vaccinated for rabies. Proof of vaccination by a certified vet must be submitted with the show entry form, (found in the back of this book). The show entry form is due into the 4-H office on or before June 1. It is recommended to vaccinate the cat against feline distemper.
- 8. The divisions are as follows:

Pee Wee (ages 8-10) Junior (ages 11-13) Senior (ages 14 and up) **These age brackets are as of September 1, 2019.

- 9. Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion ribbons will be awarded based on the overall condition of the cat. There is a limit to how many times a 4-H'er may win these awards.
- 10. Showmanship Grand Champion and Reserve Showmanship Grand Champion ribbons will be awarded based on answers to the judge's questions and the exhibitor's performance during the Showmanship competition. Technique for showing a cat is outlined in the CAT1 book (1999 revised edition). A copy of this book is held at the 4-H office for exhibitors to read. There is no limit as to how many times an exhibitor may win these awards.
- 11. A Best of Show Plaque will be awarded based on the overall performance of the exhibitor and their cat at the show. After winning the Best of Show, the exhibitor will move up to the next division. Senior division may be won more than one time.
- 12. Exhibitors found breaking any of the above rules, either prior to entering the ring or while in the ring, the 4-H'er will be asked to do the following:
 - IMMEDIATELY EXIT THE SHOW AREA;
 - FORFEIT ALL PREMIUMS FOR CAT DIVISION
- 13. If a problem arises a majority vote of the livestock committee (composed of the superintendents of the 4-H livestock shows) will make any decision necessary. After discussion inside, the livestock committee will make a decision minus the superintendent and the complaining party.

CAT CLASSES

Cat Superintendent: Michelle Dorsey 654-5320

ENTRY FORMS ARE LOCATED ON THE MADISON COUNTY 4-H UNIT WEBSITE AND ARE DUE BY JUNE 1 TO THE EXTENSION OFFICE. NO CLASS CHANGES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER JULY 1.

Class #	Class Name	Participant's Age
CA 1	Pee Wee	8-10 y.o.
CA 2	Junior	11-13 y.o.
CA 3	Senior	14 y.o. & up
	Pee Wee Showmanship	8-10 y.o.
	Junior Showmanship	11-13 y.o.
	Senior Showmanship	14 y.o. & up
	Best Decorated Cage-Pee Wee	8 – 10 y.o.
	Best Decorated Cage, Junior	11-13 y.o.
	Best Decorated Cage, Senior	14 y.o. & up

BEST DECORATED CAGE

Prizes will be awarded for this category.

Not a premium eligible class or STATE FAIR ELIGIBLE CLASS.

Junior-exhibitor is 8 to 13 years old. Senior-exhibitor is 14 years and up.

Non-Cat Participation in Cat Project

- 4-H'ers who want to exhibit in a Cat project but don't have a cat or don't wish to participate in the cat show may exhibit a poster describing cat care, cat science, or any other topic related to cats.
- Projects will be judged with other projects at The General Project Judging on July 20 and will be entered in the Animal Science area.

4-H DOG SHOW

Date: TBD; Time: TBD Triangle H Farm, Edwardsville

MADISON COUNTY 4-H DOG OBEDIENCE SHOW RULES:

- 1. All dogs must be trained by the 4-H member. If they have been previously been trained in a 4-H obedience class, they must have a maximum of 125 points to move up to the next level or stay in current class.
- 2. Dogs must be on a 6-foot leather or nylon weave leash with an appropriate training collar when brought to the show. NO prong collars or e-collars allowed.
- 3. Any dog showing uncontrollable behavior, lameness, or excessive aggressiveness may be disqualified by the Superintendent and/or the Judge at the county show for the safety of all involved.
- 4. All dogs participating in the obedience training classes must present a current vaccine certificate, ownership/lease papers, and proof that the dog has had a stool check for worms at the first training session.
- 5. If the 4-H member is not participating in the dog obedience classes, a current vaccine certificate and ownership/lease papers must be turned in to the Extension Office with the dog show entry form by June 1, 2020.
- 6. Dog ownership/lease papers can be found on our website: https://go.illinois.edu/MadCoDogPapers
- 7. If a female comes in season, she is unable to participate in the show.
- 8. All ribbons, plaques, and premium awards, plus State Fair qualifiers, will be determined at the County Fair Show. To be eligible for State Fair a dog must have a score of 50% or more of the available points for each exercise on the score sheet and have a final score of 150 pts for non-regular classes of *Beginner Novice I* and *Pre-Novice*; or have a final score of 170 pts for regular classes of *Novice*, and *Advanced Novice*.
- 9. Any dog that has been trained outside of the 4-H program prior to 4-H classes must enter the Beginner class.
- 10. Dogs must be 6 months of age to start the dog obedience program.
- 11. The judge's decision is final.

DOG CARE CLASSES

ENTRY FORM DEADLINE IS JUNE 1, 2019. (NO CLASS CHANGES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER JULY 1.)

Class #	Class Name	Description
DO 1	Beginner Novice I	Beginner dog & handler. All exercises will be
		performed on leash.
DO 2	Pre-Novice	All exercises will be scored the same as
		Novice class with the exception: the handler
		has the ability to choose between a 1 min.
		long sit or long down.
		There will be heeling on & off leash.
DO 3	Novice	Heeling will be performed on & off leash, the
		stand for exam, recall, & long sits/long down
		will be performed off leash. The long sit is 1
		minute & long down will be 3 minutes.
DO 4	Advanced Novice	Handler will perform the same exercises as
		Novice class. Additionally, they will perform
		a drop on recall, a recall with a dumbbell, and
		a recall over two separate jumps. The long
		down will be 3 minutes.
DO 5	Care & Condition	Dog and handlers will be judged on health,
		grooming, condition, & the handler's
		knowledge of basic dog care, health &
		parasite knowledge, parts of a dog, and breed
		specific information.
	Trick Class	Open to all dogs and handlers to perform a
		trick for the judge.
	Pee-Wee Showmanship	Participants 8-9 y.o. as of Sept. 1, 2019
	Junior Showmanship	Participants 10-13 y.o. as of Sept. 1, 2019
	Senior Showmanship	Participants 14-18 y.o. as of Sept. 1, 2019

MADISON COUNTY DOG SHOWMANSHIP RULES:

- 1. Dog Showmanship is a state fair class.
- 2. County Grand Champions may go on to the state contest with the appropriate requirements.
- 3. Exhibitor must be a resident of Madison County.
- 4. Exhibitor must be 8 years old by September 1, 2019.
- 5. A dog that is not under the control of the exhibitor, or show viciousness towards its handler, judge, or other dogs will be excused from the ring.
- 6. Exhibitors will be judged on handling skill, knowledge of breed standards for their dog, dog show terminology, and elementary dog anatomy. The judge may question exhibitors in one or all of these areas.
- 7. Dogs will be judged on cleanliness, general health, and grooming.
- 8. There is not a premium for this class, only ribbons.

Non-Dog Participation in Dog Projects

- 4-Hers who want to exhibit in a dog project but don't have a dog or don't wish to participate in the dog show may exhibit a poster describing dog care, dog science, or any other topic related to dogs.
- Projects will be judged with the other projects at the General Project Judging on July 20 and will be entered in the Animal Sciences area.