



# 2024 Stratham Summerfest 4-H ANIMAL PREMIUM BOOK

*Event Dates: July 19– July 21, 2024*

*Show Date: July 20, 2024*

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All entries must be submitted online:

**[v2.4honline.com](http://v2.4honline.com)**

*Entry Deadline: Friday, June 28, 2024*

## CONTACT THE COUNTY 4-H OFFICE

Email [ce.strafford@unh.edu](mailto:ce.strafford@unh.edu) or call 603-749-2529

# General Rules for 4-H Animal Exhibitors

## ENTRY INFORMATION

- How to enter: Enter online at **v2.4honline.com**
- Entry deadline: **June 28, 2024**

## ANIMALS

- All animals must be owned or leased by the exhibitor, meet the NH Department of Agriculture's health standards, and be vaccinated for rabies.
- All exhibitors are expected to check and maintain their individual animals throughout the length of the event.
- Exhibitors must bring their own feed, bedding and containers for water unless otherwise noted.
- As this is the 4-Her's project, only 4-Hers will be permitted to work on animals after they have arrived at the event. No adult assistance.
- **Each exhibitor is limited to showing one species. Cloverbuds may only show 2 animals.**
- Grade male animals can be shown only in feeder or market classes.
- In NH 4-H shows, where type (breed) classes are stipulated for registered animals, a youth may exhibit a grade female in the show if they own or lease no more than one other eligible animal of that species.

## EXHIBITOR ARRIVAL

- Exhibitors need to check in with show superintendents and show Intent to Show forms, lease forms, and original registration papers. Intent to Show and Record of 4-H Lease Forms must be available at all times. No animals other than those listed on both Intent to Show and entry forms may be brought. (Intent to Show forms are no longer required for sheep exhibitors.)
- Health checks will be done. **Any sick animals will be sent home at the discretion of the superintendent.**
- See specific shows for check-in times. Animals moving in on Friday must arrive by 8:00 p.m. Animals will be moved out following showing on Saturday, or beginning at 8:00 a.m. on Sunday.

## Animal Care

Hay and grain must be furnished by the exhibitor. Sawdust bedding will be provided by the fair. Exhibitors are expected to keep the areas around the animal exhibits and barn clean by putting all manure in the designated areas. All waste-water must be put in the pit, too. All wheelbarrows must be kept empty at all times. At the conclusion of the show, all exhibitors must clean their stall areas. Remember to bring your own wheelbarrow, shovel, rake, feed, and tack. All exhibitors must mark their pens so superintendent knows whose pens are whose. This helps with the heard person judging. Farm signs may be included but are an optional part of overall stall area decorations

## SHOW PARTICIPATION

- 4-H members are solely responsible for showing and handling their animal(s) in the ring. If a 4-H member receives assistance from another 4-Her, the owner must be at head of animal.

- All youth must participate in a Fitting & Show class and that animal must also be exhibited in a type or market class.
- Classes will be placed according to the Danish System. Judges' decisions are final.
- A knowledge quiz may be given during the event.
- All 4-H project animals are shown at the risk of the 4-H owner/lessor. Any damage to persons or property are the legal and financial responsibility of the 4-H member/family who owns/leases the animals.

## **CONDUCT AND SUPERVISION**

- 4-H members, parents, and leaders shall at all times conduct themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship and treat others with respect, cooperation, and courtesy.
- 4-H members are the sole responsibility of and under direct supervision of parent/guardian or designated adult appointed by parent/guardian during the entire duration of the event.
- All 4-H exhibitors staying at the fairgrounds overnight must have the parent/ guardian signed permission and name a chaperone over 21 years old, designated by parent(s), who has agreed to be responsible for the 4-Her.
- Strafford and Rockingham County 4-H assume no responsibility for supervision of youth at the event.

## **APPEARANCE OF EXHIBITORS**

- 4-Hers must be neatly and cleanly dressed. 4-H attire is white shirt or blouse and skirt or pants that are a solid color in green, khaki, or white, and shoes that are closed at the toe and in the back.
- 4-Hers must wear numbers provided in the show ring.
- Corporate/farm sponsorship identification is unacceptable at a 4-H show ring.

## **CAMPER SPACE**

- Youth need to be staying in camper units with parents/designated chaperone.
- **Tents will be allowed** for all 4-H participants on Friday and Saturday night regardless of whether they have an animal on premises.
- **There is no charge for camping.**

**Mandatory Meeting: There will be a mandatory meeting of all animal exhibitors on Saturday, July 20th, at 8:30 a.m.**

# Summerfest Schedule

## Friday July 19th

3:00-8:00 Animal Drop-off  
5:00 4-H Potluck Dinner  
6:00 Forestry Competition

## Saturday July 20th

7:00 Day-of Animal Drop-off  
*All trailers must be parked by 8:00 am*  
8:00-4:00 Animal Shows  
9:00-6:00 Summerfest open to public  
5:00-6:00 Animals/Exhibitors may begin  
to leave

## Sunday July 21th

8:00 Animal Move Out

**Each class will include prizes that will be announced at the Event.**

**Admission, parking, and camping are all free.**

# 4-H WORKING STEER SHOW

*Show Dates & Times: Saturday, 9:00 a.m.*

*Location: Pulling Arena*

*Show Superintendents: Ben Allen (603-842-0781) & Jenna Allen (603-812-6430)*

## SHOW ENTRY

- All 4-H entries must be completed online through **v2.4honline.com** by **Friday, June 28, 2024**.

## CAMPERS AND PARKING

- **If you have animals that are participating in these events, you are required to provide care and supervision at all times while they are on the grounds, overnight included.** If you will not be staying on the grounds overnight, you are required to make arrangements for another responsible party to supervise your animals; the arrangements must be approved by your superintendent.

## ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

- Animals need to arrive on the fairgrounds by 7:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 20, 2024.
- Exhibitors may not leave until dismissed by superintendent on Saturday.

## ANIMALS

- **All steers must be vaccinated for rabies** at least for 30 days and not before July 20, 2023.
- All steers must originate from non-quarantined Tuberculosis-negative herds.
- Steers housed out-of-state but owned by NH 4-H members must have a NH permit of entry and must conform to all NH regulations in effect for out-of-state cattle crossing into NH.

## SHOW

- All classes are judged using the Danish system. Each teamster is awarded a ribbon in each class.
  - A: Blue Ribbon
  - B: Red Ribbon
  - C: White Ribbon

## Fitting and Showing

### *Age Divisions:*

- **Senior:** 14–18 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Junior:** 9-13 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Novice:** 8-13 years old, January 1, 2024, and showing for the first time with 4-H

Condition and appearance of team, equipment, and teamster’s knowledge of the project will be considered.

Class	Description	A	B	C
45000	Senior Team Fit and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
45001	Junior Team Fit and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
45002	Novice Team Fit and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5

## Stoneboat Performance

- **Novice:** Team must pull dead weight, equal to approximately 50 percent of the weight of the team, within a specified time period.
- **Junior and Senior:** Team must pull 70 percent of the weight of the team, within a specified time period.

The course and time limit will be determined by the judge. Gee and haw turns are included. Log Scoot class maybe substituted for Stoneboat Performance at the discretion of the Superintendents.

Class	Description	A	B	C
45100	Senior Stoneboat Performance	\$10	\$8	\$5
45101	Junior Stoneboat Performance	\$10	\$8	\$5
45102	Novice Stoneboat Performance	\$10	\$8	\$5

## Obstacle Course—Two-wheeled Cart

Each teamster must hitch their team to a two-wheeled cart and negotiate an obstacle course demonstrating the ability of the cattle to work and the teamster's ability to control their cattle. The specific course and time allotted to complete the course are at the discretion of the judge. Control of the team without unnecessary use of the whip or stick and the attitude of the teamster are considered.

<b>Class</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
45103	Senior Teamster Obstacle Course	\$8	\$6	\$4
45104	Junior Teamster Obstacle Course	\$8	\$6	\$4
45105	Novice Teamster Obstacle Course	\$8	\$6	\$4

## Sportsmanship Award

To be awarded to the most outstanding youth in the 4-H Working Steer Program. This award will be presented to the youth who demonstrates outstanding accomplishments, sportsmanship, willingness to assist others, and promotion of 4-H friendliness to all throughout the event. Danish ribbons will be awarded to all other participants.

<b>Class</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
Award	Sportsmanship	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon

*Show Dates & Times: Saturday, 10:00 a.m.*

*Location: TBD*

*Show Superintendent: Mary Hoelzel*

*and Ryan Hoelzel [splitacres@gmail.com](mailto:splitacres@gmail.com)*

*603-235-6113*

## SHOW ENTRY

- This show is open to 4-Hers from Rockingham, Strafford, Merrimack, Cheshire, Sullivan, and Carroll Counties. If space permits, then open to Belknap and Hillsborough Counties. Youth must be at least 8 years old as of 1/1/2024. Anyone who reached the age of 19 on or before January 1, 2024 is ineligible to exhibit.
- All 4-H entries must be completed online through **v2.4honline.com** by **Friday June 28, 2024.**
- Exhibitors must also read Stratham Summerfest General Rules and 4-H Animal and Exhibitors General Rules.
- **A 4-Her may show a maximum of 3 animals.**

## CAMPERS AND PARKING

- **If you have animals that are participating in these events, you are required to provide care and supervision at all times while they are on the grounds, overnight included.** If you will not be staying on the grounds overnight, you are required to make arrangements for another responsible party to supervise your animals; the arrangements must be approved by your superintendent.

## ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

- Bring only animals that are to be shown. Animals need to arrive on fair-grounds Friday night by 8 p.m. if planning to overnight. Move out for all animals will begin between 5:00 and 6:00 p.m. on Saturday the 20<sup>th</sup> or at 8:00 a.m. Sunday the 21<sup>st</sup>.
- Animals exhibited only in 4-H can be trucked in on Saturday for the one day.
- Animals must be in place by 7:00 a.m. Saturday and must remain in place until the completion of the show and released by the superintendent.

## ANIMALS

- **All beef cattle must be vaccinated for rabies at least 30 days prior to July 20th.** You must have proof from the vet or a signed statement from an adult giving the rabies vaccination that includes date and serial number and ID's of animal inoculated. All out-of-state animals must have a health certificate done by a vet.
- All cattle must originate from non-quarantined tuberculosis negative and brucellosis negative herds under state supervision. Animals must show no indication of contagious disease. All animals must meet all current NH Dept. of Agriculture regulations and be inspected by the superintendent before being unloaded.



## Fitting and Show

All exhibitors must participate in appropriate fitting & show class, and the animal used in that class must also be shown in a breed or market class.

### Age Divisions

- **Senior:** 14–18 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Intermediate:** 12–13 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Junior:** 9–11 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Novice:** 8–9 years old, January 1, 2024, or first year of showing through age 13.

Class	Description	A	B	C
30000	Senior Fitting and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
30001	Intermediate Fitting and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
30002	Junior Fitting and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
30003	Novice Fitting and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5

## Show Classes

Breed Classes 30100 and 30101 are for registered animals only. Commercial breed may be shown if 4-Her owns/leases no more than one other eligible animal in the species.

Class	Description	A	B	C
30100	Registered Junior Bull Calf	\$8	\$4	\$2
30101	Registered Senior Bull Calf	\$8	\$4	\$2
30102	Junior Heifer Calf	\$8	\$4	\$2
30103	Senior Heifer Calf	\$8	\$4	\$2
30104	Junior Yearling Heifer	\$8	\$4	\$2

30105	Senior Yearling Heifer	\$8	\$4	\$2
30106	Two-Year-Old Heifer	\$8	\$4	\$2
30107	Three-Year-Old or Older Cow	\$8	\$4	\$2
30108	Pair of Heifers, 1 heifer calf (Class 30102 or 30103) and 1 yearling calf (Class 30104 or 30105)	\$8	\$4	\$2
30109	Cow and Calf	\$8	\$4	\$2
30200	Junior Yearling Steer and Crossbreed Market Steer or Heifer. Open to all beef breeds and beef crossbreeds	\$8	\$4	\$2
30201	Feeder Steer and Crossbreed Market Steer. Open to all beef breeds and beef or dairy crossbreeds	\$8	\$4	\$2

# 4-H DAIRY CATTLE SHOW

*Show Dates & Times: Saturday, 10:00 a.m.*

*Location: TBD*

*Show Superintendents: Steve Smith*

*603-817-9752*

## SHOW ENTRY

- Open to NH 4-H members
- All 4-H entries must be completed online through **v2.4honline.com** by **Friday, June 28, 2024**.
- Exhibitors must also read Stratham Summerfest General Rules and 4-H Animal and Exhibitors General Rules.

## CAMPERS AND PARKING

- **If you have animals that are participating in these events, you are required to provide care and supervision at all times while they are on the grounds, overnight included.** If you will not be staying on the grounds overnight, you are required to make arrangements for another responsible party to supervise your animals; the arrangements must be approved by your superintendent.

## ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

- Animals exhibited only in 4-H can be trucked in on Saturday for the one day.
- Bring only animals that are to be shown. Animals need to arrive on fair-grounds Friday night by 8 p.m. if planning to overnight. Move out for all animals will begin between 5:00 and 6:00 p.m. on Saturday the 20<sup>th</sup> or at 8:00 a.m. Sunday the 21<sup>st</sup>.
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## ANIMALS

- **All dairy cattle must be vaccinated for rabies at least 30 days prior to July 20<sup>th</sup>, but not longer than one year.**

## SHOW

- Exhibitors must use calf or yearling in Fitting and Show unless the exhibitor does not have an entry in either age group. Then they must use next youngest animal.

## Fitting and Show

### Age Divisions

- **Novice:** 8–13 years old, January 1, 2024, in first year of showing
- **Junior:** 9–11 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Intermediate:** 12–13 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Senior:** 14–18 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Cloverbud:** 5-7 years old

Class	Description	A	B	C
31500	Senior Fitting and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
31501	Intermediate Fitting and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
31502	Junior Fitting and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
31503	Novice Fitting and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5

Award	<b>JUNIOR CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION</b>	Rosette		
Award	<b>SENIOR CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPIONS</b>	Rosette		
Award	<b>GRAND CHAMPION and RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION</b>	Rosette		
31612	Dam & Daughter, cow & one daughter any age, one owner	\$8	\$4	\$2
31613	Herd, three females, any age of same breed, owned by one exhibitor, one entry per exhibitor	\$8	\$4	\$2
31803	Clipping Contest	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon

## Dairy Cattle General Knowledge Quiz

Each exhibitor will be required to take a general Dairy Cattle Knowledge Quiz that will cover topics related to, but not limited to, general Dairy cow knowledge, Dairy Cow Handling, Health, Nutrition, Lactation, and

Reproduction. Each Fit and Show class will receive a different quiz with increasing difficulty (i.e., a Novice will have an easier quiz than a Junior). The format will include short-answer, fill-in-the-blank, and multiple-choice questions. The quiz will take place on Saturday.

<b>Class</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
31800	General Knowledge Quiz	Ribbon		

## **Obstacle Course**

<b>Class</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
31600	Senior Obstacle Course	\$10	\$8	\$5
31601	Intermediate Obstacle Course	\$10	\$8	\$5
31602	Junior Obstacle Course	\$10	\$8	\$5
31603	Novice Obstacle Course	\$10	\$8	\$5

# 4-H DOG SHOW

*Show Dates & Times: Saturday, 8:00 a.m. Registration*

*8:30 a.m. Show*

*Show Location: TBD*

*Show Superintendent: Kristen Kish 508-982-3829  
and Meghan Lapointe 603-715-7865*

## SHOW ENTRY

- All 4-H entries must be completed online through **v2.4honline.com** by **Friday, June 28, 2024**.
- Refer to the NH Guide to 4-H Dog Shows information available at [extension.unh.edu](http://extension.unh.edu) for all rules and details on classes.

## ANIMALS

- **All dogs must be vaccinated for rabies.**
- **Kennel cough vaccination recommended.**
- Intent to Show forms, 4-H dog health sheet, and a copy of rabies certificate must be brought with you and will be checked.
- Female dogs in heat or dogs under 6 months are not allowed at the show.
- All 4-H show dogs must be on a leash or in crates in show area of fairgrounds only, as dogs are not allowed on the fairgrounds otherwise.

## ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

- Animals need to arrive on the fairgrounds by 7:30 a.m. on Saturday, July 20, 2024.
- Exhibitors may not leave until dismissed by superintendent on Saturday.

## DRESS CODE

- Uniform is a clean white collared dress shirt, blouse and green pants, culottes, skirt, dress shorts or jumper of appropriate length (not shorter than 2" above the knee). No T-shirts, tank tops, or athletic shorts. Long sleeves, sweaters, fleeces can be worn but must be white and patch must be placed on the outside so it is visible. No hooded sweatshirts. Any shade of green is allowed. White, black or brown clean shoe is acceptable. Members must wear a 4H insignia (patch) on the left side of their shirts or blouses. Appropriate footwear; no bare feet, sandals, crocs, open-toe or backless shoes in 4-H show area.

## SHOW

- There will be one ring and classes will be run in the order listed on show day.
- Volunteer stewards are needed to make the day run smoothly.

- **All entrants must participate in one Obedience class and one Fitting and Show class (with the same dog). A second dog may be shown in another Obedience class.**
- Family Dog Class entrants limited to Family Dog class, Quiz, Costume Class, Obstacle Course, and Dog Educational Kennel Display

<b>Scoring</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
Fitting and Show	100-90	89-80	Below 80
Family Dog	100-90	89-80	Below 80
Obedience Classes	200-170	169-150	Below 150
General Knowledge Quiz/Exam	100-90	89-80	Below 80
Dog Educational Kennel Display	100-90	89-80	Below 80

## **Fitting and Show**

The handler is judged on how they present themselves and the dog. The handler should be knowledgeable in general dog care/health/breed information and the proper protocol and procedures in the show ring. The dog, shown on leash, must be properly groomed and be in good general health and condition.

### *Age Divisions:*

- **Senior:** 14-18 years old as of January 1, 2024
- **Intermediate:** 12-13 years old as of January 1, 2024
- **Junior:** 9-11 years old as of January 1, 2024
- **Novice:** 8-13 years old as of January 1, 2024, and first year showing

<b>Class</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
32500	Senior Fitting & Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
32501	Intermediate Fitting & Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
32502	Junior Fitting & Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
32503	Novice Fitting & Show	\$10	\$8	\$5

## Family Dog

Open to ages 8-11 enrolled in the 4-H Dog Project. Introductory class that combines showmanship and obedience. Dog will sit, stay, come, and walk calmly on a leash. Member will be able to discuss the dog's home care including feeding, health, and general dog knowledge. Member may only participate in this class one year.

Class	Description	A	B	C
32601	Family Dog	\$10	\$8	\$5

## Obedience Classes

Class	Description	A	B	C
32602	<b>Sub Novice A:</b> Handler has not trained a dog at beginner or more advanced levels. All work on leash: Heel, Figure 8, Stand for Exam, Recall & Finish, long sit (1 minute), long down (3 minutes).	\$8	\$6	\$3
32603	<b>Sub Novice B:</b> For experienced handlers, exercises are the same as Sub Novice A. Dogs must not have qualified beyond the beginner class.	\$8	\$6	\$3
32604	<b>Beginner Novice:</b> The following exercises will be performed on leash: Heel, Figure 8, and Sit for Exam. Sit Stay (walk around the ring – leash stays attached) and Recall (off leash).	\$8	\$6	\$3
32605	<b>Preferred Novice:</b> The following exercises will be performed on leash: Heel and Figure 8. The following exercises will be performed off leash: Heel, Stand for Exam, Recall, Stay sit or down and walk around the ring, Sit Stay and get your leash.	\$8	\$6	\$3
32606	<b>Novice A:</b> The following exercises will be performed on leash: Heel and Figure 8, Long Sit (1 min) and Long Down (3 min). The following exercises will be performed off leash: Heel, Stand for Exam, Recall, and Sit Stay and get your leash.	\$8	\$6	\$3
32607	<b>Novice B:</b> For experienced handlers, exercises are the same as Novice A.	\$8	\$6	\$3
32608	<b>Pre-Graduate Novice:</b> The following exercise will be performed on leash: Heel on Leash. The following exercises will be performed off leash: Stand for Exam, Heel, Figure 8, Drop on Recall, Long Sit and Long Down – handlers stay in ring – group exercise for both.	\$8	\$6	\$3



32609	<b>Graduate Novice:</b> All exercises performed off leash: Heel free, Figure 8, Drop on Recall, Dumbbell Recall, Recall over High Jump, Recall over Broad Jump and Stay Get your Leash Sit (1 min), Stay get your Leash Down. Bring your own jumps.	\$8	\$6	\$3
32610	<b>Open A:</b> All exercises performed off leash: Heel free, Figure 8, Command Discrimination STAND DOWN SIT, Drop on Recall, Retrieve on Flat, Retrieve over High Jump, Broad Jump, Stay Get your Leash Sit (1 min), Stay get your Leash Down. Bring your own jumps.	\$8	\$6	\$3
32611	<b>Open B:</b> For CD dogs with handlers who have finished a dog at the Open Level or new handlers working dogs that have previously received a CDX. Exercises are the same as Open A.	\$8	\$6	\$3
32612	<b>Utility:</b> Open to all CDX dogs and handlers. All exercises performed off leash: Signal Exercise, Scent Discrimination (#1) and (#2), Directed Retrieve, Moving Stand and Exam, Directed Jumping.	\$8	\$6	\$3
32613	<b>Brace:</b> Two dogs working together performing the Novice obedience routine with one handler. Both dogs must have been shown at the Novice level or higher the day of the show.	\$8	\$6	\$3
Award	<b>Ruth Wiggin Memorial Trophy</b> has been given for over 25 years at Stratham Fair to the senior 4-H member with the highest combined showmanship, obedience, and quiz score.	Trophy		
Award	<b>Paul Morin Trophy</b> awarded to the junior 4-H member with the highest combined showmanship, obedience, and quiz score. This trophy is in memory of Paul Morin, former Stratham 4-H dog club leader	Trophy		
Award	<b>Sharon Beck Trophy</b> is awarded to the novice 4-H member with the highest combined showmanship, obedience, and quiz score. This trophy is given in memory of Sharon Beck, former 4-H member who enjoyed showing her dogs.	Trophy		
32614	<b>Service Dog Assistance A:</b> For exhibitors who have not previously trained an assistance dog. The dogs in this class must not have had training beyond the Sub Novice level. Dogs will be on leash and scored based on 200 points. Specific exercises and allowable equipment (such as, but not limited to, head halters or jackets) are to be determined based on the needs of the specific assistance dog organization.	\$8	\$6	\$3

32615	<b>Service Dog Assistance B:</b> For exhibitors who have previously trained an assistance dog. The dogs in this class must not have had training beyond the Sub Novice level. Dogs will be on leash and scored based on 200 points. Specific exercises and allowable equipment (such as, but not limited to, head halters or jackets) are to be determined based on the needs of the specific assistance dog organization.	\$8	\$6	\$3
Award	<b>Costume Class:</b> Open to all exhibitors. Judged on originality. The winner will receive an award.	Ribbon		

### Member Educational Displays

Dog educational kennel display score sheet from the NH Guide to 4-H Dog Shows will be used for all entrants. This is equivalent to herdsmanship for other species.

Class	Description	A	B	C
32901	Dog Educational Kennel Display	\$6	\$5	\$3

### General Knowledge Exam

Quiz will be given to all exhibitors. Questions will be from 4-H Dog Project Manuals, the Dog Care and Training manual, and AKC Complete Dog Book (only section containing group, dog breeds in the groups, dog anatomy, and the glossary), and AKC Complete Dog Book for Kids. All entrants must participate in the quiz and will receive ribbons. Takes place at 8:15 a.m.

Class	Description	A	B	C
33001	Knowledge Quiz	Ribbon		

### Costume Class

Open to all exhibitors. Judged on originality. The winner receives an award from the Rockingham County 4-H Foundation.

Class	Description	A	B	C
Award	Costume Class	Ribbon		

# 4-H SHEEP SHOW

**Show Dates & Times:**  
*Saturday, 10:00 - 4:00 p.m.*

**Location:** *TBD*

**Show Superintendents:** *Barbara Mariacher and Marian Kelsey*

## SHOW ENTRY

- Open to NH 4-H sheep members
- All 4-H entries must be completed online through **v2.4honline.com** by **Friday, June 28, 2024**.

## CAMPERS AND PARKING

- **If you have animals that are participating in these events, you are required to provide care and supervision at all times while they are on the grounds, overnight included.** If you will not be staying on the grounds overnight, you are required to make arrangements for another responsible party to supervise your animals; the arrangements must be approved by your superintendent.

## ANIMALS

- **All sheep must be vaccinated for rabies.**
- **Exhibitors must furnish their own hay, grain, feed boxes, and water pails.**

## SHOW

- Bring only animals that are to be shown. Animals need to arrive on fair-grounds Friday night by 8 p.m. if planning to overnight. Move out for all animals will begin between 5:00 and 6:00 p.m. on Saturday the 20<sup>th</sup> or at 8:00 a.m. Sunday the 21<sup>st</sup>.
- Please check in with superintendents on Friday evening before 9:00 p.m. to review all paperwork.
- No exhibitor is to show more than two animals.
- Lamb classes may be divided at discretion of superintendents.
- Halters are optional for Type Classes and Fitting and Show Class.
- Grade animals will be exhibited under All Other Breeds.
- All animals must be permanently identified, and market lambs must be permanently identified as market lambs.
- Age of sheep will be determined by teeth.
- If a 4-H member is exhibiting their sheep and receives assistance from another 4-Her, the owner of the sheep must be at the head of the sheep; foot setters are optional.

## Fitting and Show

### Age Divisions

- **Senior:** 14–18 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Intermediate:** 12–13 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Junior:** 9–11 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Novice:** 8–9 years old, January 1, 2024, or in first year of showing through age 13.
- **Cloverbuds:** 5-8 years old

Class	Description	A	B	C
40000	Senior Fitting and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
40001	Intermediate Fitting and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
40002	Junior Fitting and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
40003	Novice Fitting and Show	\$10	\$8	\$5

## Show Classes

Class	Description	A	B	C
40100	Registered Ram Lamb - born on/after 9/1/23, before 3/21/24	\$8	\$6	\$3
40101	Yearling Ewe - born on/after 9/1/22, before 8/31/23	\$8	\$6	\$3
40102	Ewe Lamb - born on/after 9/1/23, before 3/21/24	\$8	\$6	\$3
Award	<b>RAM CHAMPION</b>	Rosette		
40105	Pair of Ewes, one yearling ewe & one ewe lamb, owned by exhibitor.	\$8	\$6	\$3
40106	Pair of Lambs - one of each sex bred and owned by exhibitor	\$8	\$6	\$3
40200	Market/Feeder Lamb - Wether or ewe lamb entered into 4-H Online, not shown in any breed class. Born on/after 9/1/23 and before 3/21/24.	\$8	\$6	\$3
Award	<b>EWE CHAMPION</b>	Rosette		

# 4-H Rabbit SHOW

4-H Animal Premium Book

*Show Days & Times: Saturday, 10:00 a.m.*

*Location: TBD*

*Show Superintendent: Jean Ann St. Pierre*

## SHOW ENTRY

- All 4-H entries must be completed online through [v2.4honline.com](http://v2.4honline.com) by **Friday, June 28, 2024**.
- Exhibitors must also read Stratham Summerfest General Rules and 4-H Animal and Exhibitors General Rules.
- Each 4-H youth may show up to 10 rabbits and/or cavies. All animals must be owned or borrowed by the exhibitor and registered or borrowed in their name only.
- 4-H members need to bring copies of their animal registration information, your animal's registration certificates, and a borrowing form if you are borrowing your animals. All forms and animal registration papers must be available so your superintendent can check you into the show.
- In the event that a 4-H member's only approved project animal dies or is permanently injured, a replacement animal can be approved after May 1st for 4-H competition in N.H. if the loss is verified by an Extension 4-H Program Manager. Replacement animals are not eligible for competition in Eastern States. Only one animal may be exhibited per class per breed. Any animals owned by the exhibitor but not exhibited by him or her is not eligible for 4-H awards or to go to Eastern States.

## CAMPERS AND PARKING

- **If you have animals that are participating in these events, you are required to provide care and supervision at all times while they are on the grounds, overnight included.** If you will not be staying on the grounds overnight, you are required to make arrangements for another responsible party to supervise your animals; the arrangements must be approved by your

## ANIMALS

- All rabbits and cavies will receive a health check prior to entering the show tent. Please check your rabbits/cavies prior to the show for ear mites, eye drainage, sneezing, white/yellow/green nasal mucous, matted forepaws, diarrhea, fur mites, ticks and fleas. Any animal showing signs of disease will be refused admission to the grounds. You may wish to give your rabbit 2 droppers of Wet Tail by mouth the night before the show to prevent stress diarrhea.
- Hay, grain, and bedding must be provided by the exhibitor. Exhibitors are expected to keep the areas around the animal exhibits and barn clean by putting all manure in the designated areas. At the conclusion of the show, all exhibitors must clean their display cages. Only 4-H Rabbit/Cavy Youth in the show tent at all times, please.

## SHOW

All rabbits must have a legible, permanent tattoo in black ink in their left ear in order to show. All cavies must be tagged prior to the show. There will be no tattooing or tagging the day of the show. Exhibitors must show their own animal(s) except in the case of illness or emergency, when by permission of the show superintendent, it may be shown by another 4-H member. No adult will be allowed to assist with the preparation of an animal while on the grounds.

You will need to be an enrolled 4-H member to show in 4-H. You can be a member of a Club or an Individual/Family 4-H member. You do not need to be a member of a rabbit club! Go to 4-H on-line NH if not a 4-H member.

1. Youth would need to have any rabbits/cavies they are showing on their 4-H show paperwork and sent in ON TIME.
2. All rabbits/cavies will have a quick health check before entering the show area. Do not bring your rabbit into the show area until the Rabbit Superintendents check your entries! Any rabbit with signs of ear mites, nasal discharge, sneezing, diarrhea, fleas or fur mites will not be allowed in the show tent and will not be allowed to show.
3. They are limited to showing up to 1-10 + rabbits and/or cavies at the show. This depends on what the show rules are for that show.
4. Purebred rabbits/cavies are shown at the same time as pet/mixed breed/spayed/neutered and rabbits or cavies with disqualifications.
5. All rabbits must be permanently tattooed in the left ear before the show.
6. All cavies must be tagged before the show.
7. Pedigrees are not needed.
8. Last minute substitutions are usually not allowed unless the animal you entered has died before the show.
9. Judging will be by how well the rabbit/cavy is being cared for. Condition of body, fur, clean coat, ears, clipped nails, etc. Purebred rabbits do not receive more points than pet rabbits unless the purebred one is the one best cared for!
10. Rabbits and cavies are usually awarded if red or white ribbon if the animal is not clean, not groomed properly, nails have not been clipped, too fat, too thin. Blue Ribbons are awarded to all rabbit/cavies who are being cared for properly regardless of their ARBA show disqualifications.
11. Animals shown must have been owned and cared for by the youth for at least 30 days before the show.
12. Youth may not show animals that their parent's own or care for.
13. Read the show catalog carefully and follow rules. Call/e-mail Rabbit Show Superintendent with questions before the show. Not the night before!
14. Some shows are 1-day shows, so the youth do not leave their rabbits there overnight.
15. Other shows require your rabbit to be there every day of the fair or show and usually overnight cooping is available.
16. Highly suggested that you clean your coop(s) and let it dry before placing your rabbits/cavies in them.
17. All rabbits/cavies must arrive in an approved rabbit/cavy carrier.
18. Cat/dog/poultry crates, boxes and cages will not be allowed in the show area and the rabbit will not be judged if they are not in a rabbit carrier.
19. Those with cavies should bring towels or blankets (depending on the weather) to keep their cavies from experiencing drafts or wind. Cavies can get sick easily in these conditions.
20. Youth only in the show arena. Any parents handling, grooming, clipping nails on the entries will cause their child's complete entry to be disqualified from competition.
21. You must wear a long sleeved white shirt or a show coat when showing.

- **Senior:** 14–18 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Intermediate:** 12 and 13 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Junior:** 9–11 years old, January 1, 2024
- **Novice:** 8–13 years old, January 1, 2024, in first year of showing
- **Cloverbud:** 5-8 years old

Class	Description	A	B	C
50000	Pre-Novice Hands on Showmanship, 5-7 years old	\$10	\$8	\$5
50001	Novice Hands on Showmanship	\$10	\$8	\$5
50002	Junior Hands on Showmanship	\$10	\$8	\$5
50003	Senior Hands on Showmanship	\$10	\$8	\$5

### Show Classes

Class	Description	A	B	C
50100	Rabbit Class Senior	\$8	\$6	\$3
50101	Rabbit Class, 6-8 months for a 6 class rabbit	\$8	\$6	\$3
50102	Rabbit Class Junior, 12 weeks to under 6 months	\$8	\$6	\$3
50103	Cavy Class by weight	\$8	\$6	\$3
50104	Rabbit Fur by Type-Normal	\$8	\$6	\$3
50105	Rabbit Fur by Type-Rex	\$8	\$6	\$3
50106	Rabbit Fur by Type-Satin	\$8	\$6	\$3
50107	Rabbit Fur by Type-Wool	\$8	\$6	\$3

50108	Old Timers Class – rabbit over 5 years old	\$8	\$6	\$3
Awards	<b>Costume Class, Hurdling &amp; Hopping Class</b>	Ribbon		

<b>Class</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
50200	Rabbit Breed ID and Judging	\$6	\$4	\$3
50202	Rabbit Quiz Bowl	\$6	\$4	\$3



# 4-H GOAT SHOW

*Show Dates & Times: Saturday, 11:00 a.m.*

*Location: Bottom of Sheep Ring*

*Show Superintendent: Jolee Chase (603-345-1131)*

## SHOW ENTRY

- All 4-H entries must be completed online through v2.4honline.com by **Friday, June 28, 2024**.
- Exhibitors must also read Stratham Summerfest Fair General Rules and 4-H Animal and Exhibitors General Rules.

## CAMPERS AND PARKING

- **If you have animals that are participating in these events, you are required to provide care and supervision at all times while they are on the grounds, overnight included.** If you will not be staying on the grounds overnight, you are required to make arrangements for another responsible party to supervise your animals; the arrangements must be approved by your superintendent.

## ANIMALS

- **All goats must be vaccinated for rabies at least 30 days before July 20<sup>th</sup>, but not over one year.**
- All goats must originate from non-quarantined herds under state supervision, must be clinically free from all infectious and communicable diseases including parasites, contagious ecthyma (sore mouth), pink eye, scabies, nor be progeny of any goats known to be infected with scrapie.
- Health, registration, and exhibit approval forms must be available at all times and shown at registration.

## ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

- Bring only animals that are to be shown. Animals need to arrive on fair-grounds Friday night by 8 p.m. if planning to overnight. Move out for all animals will begin between 5:00 and 6:00 p.m. on Saturday the 20<sup>th</sup> or at 8:00 a.m. Sunday the 21<sup>st</sup>.
- Pens will be assigned by the superintendent.
- Exhibitors must furnish their own hay, grain, tack, and milk stand (if you have one).
- All exhibitors are required to clean his/her own pens prior to dismissal on Saturday.
- No adult will be permitted to assist with the care of any animal while on the fairgrounds.

## SHOW

- Age of animals will be determined by the date of show.
- All animals must be properly registered and have legible tattoos. The exception to this rule is that unregistered animals may be shown in Fitting and Showmanship classes and 35111 (all other non-dairy goats).
- Kids must be registered or recorded grades and be at least 4 months of age.
- Dairy breeds included in the show are: Alpine, LaManchas, Nigerian Dwarf, Nubian, Oberhasli, Saanan, Toggenburgs, and Recorded Grades. Judging of 4-H Breed Classes is based on the ADGA Dairy Goat Scorecard.
- 4-H Fitting and Showmanship class judging will be based on the 4-H Dairy Goat Fitting and Showmanship Scorecard (ADGA).
- All exhibitors must participate in the appropriate Fitting and Showmanship class. **Exhibitors may bring four animals per breed per class.** All animals shown in Dam and Daughter, Produce of Dam and Herd classes must have been shown in individual breed classes.
- **All animals over 24 months of age must be in milk in order to be shown.**

### Fitting and Showmanship

#### *Age Divisions*

- **Senior:** 14–18 years old, January 1, 20234
- **Intermediate:** 12 and 13 years old, January 1, 2024
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- **Novice:** 8–13 years old, January 1, 2024, in first year of showing
- **Cloverbud:** 5-7 years old

Class	Description	A	B	C
35000	Senior Fitting and Showmanship	\$10	\$8	\$5

35001	Intermediate Fitting and Showmanship	\$10	\$8	\$5
35002	Junior Fitting and Showmanship	\$10	\$8	\$5
35003	Novice Fitting and Showmanship	\$10	\$8	\$5
35004	Cloverbud Fitting and Showmanship			

## Show Classes

Class	Description	A	B	C
35100	Junior Milker, 1 year and under 2 years <b>(must be in milk)</b>	\$8	\$6	\$3
35101	Intermediate Milker, 2 and under 3 years <b>(must be in milk)</b>	\$8	\$6	\$3
35102	Senior Milker, 3 to 4 years <b>(must be in milk)</b>	\$8	\$6	\$3
35103	Aged Milker, 5 years and over <b>(must be in milk)</b>	\$8	\$6	\$3
35104	Doe Kid, 4-6 months born by 3/19/24	\$8	\$6	\$3
35105	Doe Kid, 6 months to 1day to under 12 months	\$8	\$6	\$3
35106	Dry Yearling, 12-24 months	\$8	\$6	\$3
35107	Mother and Daughter, 2 does owned by one exhibitor and shown in previous breed classes. Both animals do not need to be in milk and do not need to be the same breed. (i.e., recorded grade mother/purebred daughter)	\$8	\$6	\$3
35108	Produce of Dam, 2 does the daughters of one dam, owned by one exhibitor and shown in previous breed classes. Do not need to be in milk	\$8	\$6	\$3
35110	Best Udder, any milking doe shown in previous breed classes	\$8	\$6	\$3
35201	DAIRY GOAT KNOWLEDGE QUIZ: Each exhibitor will be required to take a general Dairy Goat Knowledge quiz	\$8	\$6	\$3

Award	<b>Champion Senior</b>
Award	<b>Champion Junior</b>