





2024 Deerfield Fair 4-H Animal Premium Book

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All entries must be submitted online: deerfieldfair.fairentry.com

Entry Deadline: <u>September 1st, 2024</u> (No exceptions)

Read here for help with FairEntry (insert help sheet link here) or video https://vimeo.com/209918998

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GENERAL RULES FOR 4-H ANIMAL EXHIBITORS

ENTRY INFORMATION AND HOW-TO-ENTER

Entry deadline: **September 1st. No Exceptions**

Open to enrolled NH 4-H members only in their Age Division unless otherwise indicated by Department:

4-H Age Divisions:

Senior: 14–18 years old as of January 1 of the current year

Intermediate: 12–13 years old as of January 1 of the current year

Junior: 8–11 years old as of January 1 of the current year

Novice: 9-13 years old as of January 1 of the current year and first year of showing

Cloverbud: 5-7 years old as of January 1 of the current year. Cloverbuds may show in type classes for

ribbons only (no premiums).

All 4-H entries must be completed online through **deerfieldfair.fairentry.com.** FairEntry is integrated with 4-H Online. This will allow you to connect your 4-H Online Animal Intent-to-Show information into FairEntry.

> Separate entries for Deerfield Fair Open Shows must be sent to Open Show superintendent. See Deerfield Fair website for more information: https://deerfieldfair.com/.

Educational Barn Display or Poster(s):

Comprehensive Member Educational Barn Display: Set up display in barn area after checking in with superintendent. Display must remain for the entire fair. Have a variety of materials to thoroughly cover your selected topic. Include posters, photographs, samples, equipment, etc. to develop your themes and sub-themes. Do not use the same theme/items used previously. You may rework an idea in a different way. Put your name, age, town, and 4-H Clover on your exhibit.

<u>Member Educational Poster(s):</u> Teach others by using up to 3 posters relating to your animal project. For multiple posters, all posters must pertain to the same topic. Put your name, age, town, and 4-H emblem on your display. It is recommended they be displayed in the 4-H Project Building to ensure they are judged and will receive a premium.

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.
- Animals must have been born by June 1 of the current year.
- All exhibitors are expected to check and maintain their individual animals throughout the length of the fair.
- Exhibitors must bring their own feed and containers for water unless otherwise noted.
- As animals are the 4-H'er's project, only 4-H'ers will be permitted to work on animals after they have arrived at the fair. No adult assistance.
- Each exhibitor is limited to two breeds (goats 3 to include grades, and swine 3 to include cross breeds) and only one premium per class for each breed.
- All group entries must have been shown as individuals.
- 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 provide required forms (Intent to Show,
 original registration or Borrower/Lease and health forms (if required by department). Forms must be
 available at all times. No animals other than those listed on both Intent to Show and entry forms
 may be brought.
- 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. Exceptions are for school days, and arrangements must be made through the superintendent prior to arrival at the fair.
- Fair passes will be distributed to exhibitors (plan tbd). Parents, siblings, and friends (over the age of 12) may purchase passes at the gate.

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-H'er, 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.
- If a youth decides to advance to Junior Fitting & Show division at any time during the show year, they may not go back to showing as a Novice.
- Exhibitors are responsible to know what classes they show in. If a class is missed, it cannot be made
 up. Any exhibitor who misses Fitting & Show classes may exhibit in type classes but for ribbon only,
 no premiums will be awarded.
- Classes will be placed according to the Danish System. Judges' decisions are final.
- Direct criticism or interference with judge or fair/show officials before, during, or after the show is prohibited.
- A knowledge quiz may be given during the fair.
- All 4-H project animals are shown at the risk of the 4-H owner/borrower. Any damage to persons or
 property are the legal and financial responsibility of the 4-H member/family who owns/borrows 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 fair.

- 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-H'er.
- Rockingham County 4-H assumes no responsibility for supervision of youth at the fair.

APPEARANCE OF EXHIBITORS

- 4-H'ers must be neatly and cleanly dressed. 4-H attire is dictated by the species standard. Shoes must be closed toe and heel at all times in the barn and show ring.
- 4-H'ers must wear numbers provided in the show ring if required by species standard.
- Corporate/farm sponsorship identification is unacceptable at a 4-H show ring.

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.
- You may reserve camper space by pre-registering with the Deerfield Fair administration office. No tents allowed. Refer to camping forms on the Deerfield Fair website. Space for campers must be reserved with Deerfield Fair by **September 10th**

https://deerfieldfair.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/Camping-Form-Rules-2024.pdf

- Absolutely no vehicles may be parked on the fairgrounds; No vehicle can move on the fairgrounds until given permission from fair authorities.
- G Gate is to be used for unloading. Parking in the G Gate area will be in restricted areas by department and will be very limited. Beef/Dairy need a DFA-BD sticker from the superintendent to park any vehicles or trailers in this area. Working Steers must get a DFA-O sticker from the oxen superintendent to park any vehicles or trailers in this area. Sticker must be visible on the windshield or the vehicles will be towed.
- Most vehicles will park in the general parking lot.

4-H WORKING STEER SHOW

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

Location: Lower 4-H/FFA Ring

Show Superintendents: Ben Allen (603-842-0954) & Jenna Allen (603-812-6430)

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

- Animals need to arrive on the fairgrounds by 8:00 a.m. on Thursday.
- Exhibitors may not leave until 7:00 p.m. or until dismissed by superintendent on Sunday. Leaving early will result in loss of premiums.

ANIMALS

- All steers must be vaccinated for rabies at least 30 days and not more than one year prior to the first day of the fair.
- 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.

CLASSES:

Fitting and Show

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

Class	Description	Α	В	С
42500	Senior Teamster	\$22	\$16	\$11
42501	Junior Teamster	\$22	\$16	\$11
42502	Novice Teamster	\$22	\$16	\$11

Stoneboat Performance

• **Junior and 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 may be substituted for Stoneboat Performance at the discretion of the Superintendents.

Class	Description	Α	В	С
42600	Senior Stoneboat Performance	\$18	\$14	\$11
42601	Junior Stoneboat Performance	\$18	\$14	\$11
42602	Novice Stoneboat Performance	\$18	\$14	\$11

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.

Class	Description	Α	В	С
42603	Senior Teamster Obstacle Course	\$18	\$14	\$11
42604	Junior Teamster Obstacle Course	\$18	\$14	\$11
42605	Novice Teamster Obstacle Course	\$18	\$14	\$11

Best Trained

Judging based on the ability of the team to follow teamster commands and perform in the yoke. Any course and time allotted will be at the discretion of the Judge. Control of the team without unnecessary use of the goad and attitude of the teamster are considered.

Class	Description	A	В	С
42606	Best Trained Senior Teamster	\$18	\$14	\$11
42607	Best Trained Junior Teamster	\$18	\$14	\$11
42608	Best Trained Novice Teamster	\$18	\$14	\$11

Member Educational Displays:

See **General Rules for Livestock Exhibitors** for description of displays

Class	Description	Α	В	С
43000	Comprehensive Member Educational Barn Display	\$12	\$10	\$6
43001	Member Educational Barn Display: Single Poster	\$1.25	\$0.75	\$0.50
43002	Member Educational Barn Display: 2-3 Posters	\$2.75	\$2	\$1.50

Herdsmanship Award

Starts at 4:00 p.m. Thursday and continues until 4:00 p.m. Sunday. Exhibitors will be judged during the fair on cleanliness of pen and pen areas, cleanliness and appearance of working steers, contribution to the appearance of the general area, care of own animals, and politeness and informative attitude toward the public.

Class	Description	Α	В	С
Award	Herdsmanship	\$24	\$18	\$12

Sportsmanship Trophy

To be awarded to the most outstanding youth in the 4-H Working Steer Program. This trophy will be presented to the youth who demonstrate outstanding accomplishments, sportsmanship, willingness to assist others, and promotion of 4-H friendliness to all throughout the fair. Ribbons will be awarded to all other participants.

Class	Description	Α	В	С
Award	Sportsmanship	Trophy	Ribbon	Ribbon

4-H BEEF CATTLE SHOW

Show Dates & Times: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.

Location: Dairy Ring

Show Superintendent: Joe Bosworth (603-303-8999)

See General Rules for 4-H Animal Exhibitors

SHOW ENTRY

All 4-H entries must be completed online through **deerfieldfair.fairentry.com.** Separate entries for Open Show must be sent to Deerfield Fair Open Show Superintendent (Kevin Briggs, 603-370-0680)

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

• Animals must be in place by 7:00 a.m. Sunday and remain in place until the completion of the show and released by superintendent.

ANIMALS

- All beef cattle must be vaccinated for rabies.
- To reserve stalls for the fair, contact Deerfield Fair Beef Superintendent Kevin Briggs (603-370-0680).
- 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.
- Bred by Exhibitor: Place an asterisk (*) next to animal's name for a 50 percent increase in premium.

CLASSES:

Fitting and Show

Class	Description	Α	В	С
30000	Senior Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
30001	Intermediate Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
30002	Junior Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
30003	Novice Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
30004	Cloverbud Fitting and Show	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon

Show Classes:

Breed Classes 30100 and 30101 are for registered animals only. Grade females (full blooded females with no papers or crossbred females) may be shown if 4-Her owns/leases no more than one other eligible animal in the species.

Class	Description	A	В	С
30100	Registered Junior Bull Calf, born between January 1 of the current year and June 1 of the previous year	\$18	\$14	\$11
30101	Registered Senior Bull Calf, born between July 1 of the previous year and December 31 two years prior	\$18	\$14	\$11
Award	CHAMPION BULL, winners of Classes 30100 – 30101	Rosette	9	
30102	Junior Heifer Calf, born between January 1 and June 1 of the current year	\$18	\$14	\$11
30103	Senior Heifer Calf, born between July 1 and December 31 of the previous year	\$18	\$14	\$11
30104	Junior Yearling Heifer, born between January 1 and June 30 of the previous year	\$18	\$14	\$11
30105	Senior Yearling Heifer, born between July 1 and December 31 two years prior	\$18	\$14	\$11
Award	JUNIOR CHAMPION, winners of Classes 30102-30105	Rosette		
30106	Two-Year-Old Heifer, born between July 1 three years prior and June 30 two years prior	\$18	\$14	\$11
30107	Three-Year-Old or Older Cow, born before July 1 four years prior	\$18	\$14	\$11
Award	SENIOR CHAMPION, winners of Classes 30106-30107	Rosette		
Award	GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE	Rosette		
30108	Pair of Heifers, 1 heifer calf (Class 30102 or 30103) and 1 yearling calf (Class 30104 or 30105)	\$18	\$14	\$11
30109	Cow and Calf	\$18	\$14	\$11
30110	Produce of Dam, 2 animals, any age or sex, one owner	\$18	\$14	\$11
30111	Exhibitor's Young Herd, 1 heifer calf (Class 30102 or 30103, 1 yearling calf (Class 30104 or 30105), 1 bull calf	\$18	\$14	\$11
30200	Junior Yearling Steer and Crossbreed Market Steer or Heifer, born between January 1 and July 31 of the previous year. Open to all beef breeds and beef crossbreeds	\$18	\$14	\$11
30201	Feeder Steer and Crossbreed Market Steer, born between August 1 three years prior and June 1 two years prior. Open to all beef breeds and beef or dairy crossbreeds	\$18	\$14	\$11
Award	CHAMPION MARKET ANIMAL	Rosette		
Award	Costume Class: One exhibitor with the most creative and best matched costume (exhibitor and animal) receives an award from Rockingham County 4-H Foundation.	Ribbon		
Award	Herdsmanship	\$24	\$18	\$12

Member Educational Displays:

See <u>General Rules for Livestock Exhibitors</u> for description of displays

Class	Description	Α	В	С
30300	Comprehensive Member Educational Barn Display	\$12	\$10	\$6
30301	Member Educational Single Poster Barn Display	\$1.25	\$0.75	\$0.50
30302	Member Educational Set of 2–3 Posters	\$2.75	\$2	\$1.50

4-H DAIRY CATTLE SHOW

Show Dates & Times: Saturday, 9:30 a.m.

Location: Dairy Ring

Show Superintendents: Angie Wolinski (603-716-6820)

See General Rules for 4-H Animal Exhibitors

SHOW ENTRY

All 4-H entries must be completed online through **deerfieldfair.fairentry.com.** Separate entries for Open Show must be sent to Deerfield Fair Open Show Superintendent (Kevin Briggs, 603-370-0680)

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

- 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 dairy cattle must be vaccinated for rabies.
- To reserve stalls for the fair, contact Deerfield Fair Dairy Superintendent Kevin Briggs (603-370-0680?

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.
- **Bred by Exhibitor:** Place an asterisk (*) next to animal's name for a 50 percent increase in premium. This applies only to individual classes, not group classes.

CLASSES:

Fitting and Show

Class	Description	Α	В	С
31500	Novice Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
31501	Junior Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
31502	Intermediate Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
31503	Senior Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
31504	Cloverbud Fitting and Show	Ribbon	Ribbon	ribbon

Show Classes

Breed Classes 31600 and 31601 are for registered animals only. Grade females (full blooded females with no papers or crossbred females) may be shown if 4-Her owns/leases no more than one other eligible animal in the species.

Class	Description	Α	В	С
31600	Spring Heifer Calf, born between March 1 and May 31 of the current year	\$18	\$14	\$11
31601	Winter Heifer Calf, born between December 1 of the previous year and February 28 of the current year	\$18	\$14	\$11
1602	Fall Heifer Calf, born between September 1 and November 30 of the previous year	\$18	\$14	\$11
31603	Summer Yearling Heifer, born between June 1 and August 31 of previous year	\$18	\$14	\$11
31604	Spring Yearling Heifer, born between March 1 and May 31 of the previous year	\$18	\$14	\$11
31605	Winter Yearling Heifer, born between December 1 two years prior and February 28 of the previous year	\$18	\$14	\$11
31606	Fall Yearling Heifer, born between September 1 and November 30 two years prior; not in milk; yearlings that have calved will show in Class 31607	\$18	\$14	\$11
Award	JUNIOR CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION	Rosette	Rosette	
31607	Junior Two-Year-Old Heifer, born between March 1 and August 31 two years prior	\$18	\$14	\$11
31608	Senior Two-Year-Old Heifer, born between September 1 three years prior and February 28 two years prior	\$18	\$14	\$11
31609	Three-Year-Old Cows, born between September 1 four years prior and August 31 three years prior	\$18	\$14	\$11
31610	Four-Year-Old and Older Cows, born before August 31 four years prior	\$18	\$14	\$11
31611	Dry Cow, any cow that has calved, but is not in milk and not shown in any of the above classes	\$18	\$14	\$11
Award	SENIOR CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPIONS	Rosette		
Award	GRAND CHAMPION and RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION	Rosette		
31612	Dam & Daughter, cow & one daughter any age, one owner	\$18	\$14	\$11
31613	Herd, three females, any age of same breed, owned by one exhibitor, one entry per exhibitor	\$18	\$14	\$11
31614	Produce of Dam, two females, any age, produce of one cow, one owner	\$18	\$14	\$11

	Costume Class: Exhibitor with top creative and best matched costume	
Award	(exhibitor and animal) receives an award from the Rockingham County 4-H	Ribbon Only
	Foundation	

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 Sunday.

Class	Description	А	В	С
31900	General Knowledge Quiz	Ribbon		

Member Educational Displays:

See General Rules for Livestock Exhibitors for description of displays

Class	Description	Α	В	С
31800	Comprehensive Member Educational Barn Display	\$12	\$10	\$6
31801	Member Educational Poster Barn Display	\$1.25	\$0.75	\$0.50
31802	Member Educational Set of 2–3 Posters	\$2.75	\$2	\$1.50

Herdsmanship Award

Premiums will be based on care, presentation, promptness, and cleanliness of animals during Saturday of the fair, including preparation for the show itself. All show prep should be done by 4-H member only, without adult aid.

Class	Description	Α	В	С
Award	Herdsmanship	\$24	\$18	\$12

S. Emery Fisher Sportsmanship Award

Sponsored by NH Breeder's Association. This sportsmanship award is presented annually to a NH 4-H dairy exhibitor at the Deerfield Fair who, in the opinion of the award's committee, best exemplifies S. Emery Fisher's sense of sportsmanship and participation in dairy events. Other criteria include conduct, attitude, and willingness to help others, both inside and outside the show ring. This award is presented in memory of S. Emery Fisher.

4-H DOG SHOW

Show Dates & Times: Sunday 9:00 am, Registration 8:00 am, Test 8:15 am

Location: 4-H/FFA Ring

Show Superintendent: Alicia MacMillan (fatcat11188@aim.com 978-979-0761

SHOW ENTRY

 Refer to the NH Guide to 4-H Dog Shows information available at 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 and Borrower (if applicable) 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.
- Exhibitors must maintain positive and safe control of their dogs at all times.
- Proper equipment is required: no prong (pinch) collars, flexi-leads, chain or horse leads are allowed.
- Only exhibitors may work with their dogs at the show. Parents and leaders are not allowed to groom, handle etc.. Youth are encouraged to assist other youth when needed.
- It is important that exhibitors use positive reinforcements for their dog and demonstrate good sportsmanship inside and outside of the ring.
- Any dog exhibiting signs of unprovoked aggression toward people and/or other animals inside or outside the
 ring shall be excused from the Fairgrounds immediately. Any exhibitor showing mistreatment or using
 excessive forms of correction or punishment of any dog shall be disqualified and asked to leave the show
 grounds.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

• Vehicle access to the fairgrounds will be secured at 8:00 a.m.; exhibitors will need to bring a means to walk all items off the fairgrounds after the show is complete.

DRESS CODE

- Girls: Green or khaki colored skirt/jumper/walking shorts/pants with a white collared shirt with the 4-H emblem pinned on. Closed-toe shoes.
- Boys: Green or khaki colored pants with a white collared shirt with the 4-H emblem on the shirt. Closed-toe shoes.

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. Description is under fun classes.
- All entrants must participate in one Obedience class, one Fitting and Show class (with the same dog) and the Dog Knowledge Test. A second dog may be shown in another obedience class.
- Cloverbud and Family Dog Class entrants limited to (Cloverbud) Family Dog class, Quiz, Costume Class,
 Obstacle Course, and Dog Educational Kennel Display

Scoring	Α	В	С
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.

Class	Description	Α	В	С
32500	Senior Fitting and Show (14-18 years old as of 1/1)	\$22	\$16	\$11
32501	Intermediate Fitting and Show (12-13 years old as of 1/1)	\$22	\$16	\$11
32502	Junior Fitting and Show (9-11 years old as of 1/1)	\$22	\$16	\$11
32503	Novice Fitting and Show 8-13 years old as of 1/1 and first year showing	\$22	\$16	\$11

Cloverbud

Open to ages 5-7 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. Because there is a national ribbon-only policy for Cloverbuds, no premiums will be given.

Class	Description	Α	В	С
32505	Cloverbud	Ribbon only		

Family Dog

Open to ages 8-18 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. Members will be able to discuss the dog's home care including feeding, health, and general dog knowledge. Members may participate in this class more than 1 year, however, once they advance, they may not drop back down into Family Dog again, unless it is with a different dog.

Class	Description	Α	В	С
32504	Family Dog	\$22	\$16	\$11

Obedience Classes

When showing in the obedience ring, a buckle collar, slip collar or martingale collar are the only acceptable collars to use. Leashes are to be 4-6 feet in length and made of leather or fabric (no chains). No tags of any kind are to be on the collar. No bait or clickers in the obedience ring or staging areas. Dogs that foul in the ring are allowed to complete the class and be scored but their score sheet is marked "Non-Placement (NP)- Fouled ring" and the dog cannot place in the class. A 4-H member may not move back to a lower class than the one he or she entered in the previous year with the same dog.

32605	Novice A: 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.	\$15	\$12	\$9
32606	Novice B: For experienced handlers, exercises are same as Novice A.	15	\$12	\$9
32607	Pre-Graduate Novice: 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.	\$15	\$12	\$9
32608	Graduate Novice: 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.	\$15	\$12	\$9
32609	Open A: 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.	\$15	\$12	\$9
32610	Open 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.	15	\$12	\$9
32611	Utility: 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.	\$15	\$12	\$9
32612	Brace: 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.	\$15	\$12	\$9
32613	Sub Novice Brace: Two dogs working together performing the sub- Novice obedience routine with one handler.	\$15	\$12	\$9

32614	Team: Four dogs each with handler performing the Novice obedience routine. All 4 dogs must have been shown at the Novice level or higher the day of show.	\$15	\$12	\$9
32601	Sub Novice A: 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).	\$15	\$12	\$9
32602	Sub Novice B: For experienced handlers, or previously shown a dog, exercises are the same as Sub Novice A. Dogs must not have qualified beyond the beginner class.	\$15	\$12	\$9
32603	Beginner Novice: 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).	\$15	\$12	\$9
32604	Preferred Novice: 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.	\$15	\$12	\$9
32615	Sub Novice Team: Four dogs each with handler performing the sub- novice routine together.	\$15	\$12	\$9
32616	Foster Dog Assistance A: 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.	\$15	\$12	\$9
32617	Foster Dog Assistance 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.	\$15	\$12	\$9
32618	Obstacle Course: Have fun maneuvering your dog through an obstacle course.	\$5		

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	Α	В	С
33000	Dog Educational Kennel Display	\$12	\$10	\$6

General Knowledge Exam

Quiz will be given to all exhibitors and stewards. Questions will be from the 4-H Dog Project manuals, the Dog Care and Training Manual, dog first aid, dog related equipment, breed pictures, and AKC Complete Dog Book for Kids. All entrants must participate in the quiz and will receive ribbons. Takes place at 8:15 after registration. Exhibitors must bring a clipboard, pencil/pen and a camp chair.

Class	Description	A	В	С
33001	Knowledge Quiz	Ribbon		

FUN Classes

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

Class	Description	Award
33002	Costume Course: Show off coordinating costumes for you and your dog. Open to all exhibitors. Judged on originality, and homemade costumes are encouraged.	
33003	Obstacle Course: Fun obstacle course with tunnels, jumps and a place table. Dogs must be at least 18 months old and healthy to be eligible. Treats/toys are allowed as well as verbal and hand signals. Dogs above Novice A are allowed off-leash. Below level Novice A the dog must be leashed. Dogs exhibiting signs of illness or limping are not eligible to participate.	
33004	Egg & Spoon Race: Follow commands while holding your dog in one hand and an egg on a spoon in the other. The last person with the egg on the spoon wins!	Ribbon

33005	Steward Class: The purpose of the stewarding class is to provide 4-H members who are interested in learning more about dog shows the opportunity to participate in the show without a dog. Stewards will participate in the dog knowledge test. There may be up to 4 stewards. Parents must stay to chaperone unless they make arrangements with another adult to act as chaperone. Stewards will assist the judge(s) and show chairpersons in running the show. Jobs may include: scribing judge scores, ribbon organization and presentation, assistance with score sheet, ring set up and gatekeeper, or announcer. Don't worry if you are unsure of how to do these jobs, we will provide instruction.	award
33006	Talent/Demo Class: Entertain or teach your fellow exhibitors and the audience by displaying your dog's talent or skills. Talent and a description of your plan must be sent and approved by the superintendent by the day of the fair registration.	award
33007	Stuffy Class: A Fitting and Show class all about teaching Showmanship to kids in the audience. Brush up on your pattern knowledge. Please bring one stuffed animal dog that can be adopted by the participant in the audience.	award

4-H SHEEP SHOW

Location: Sheep Barn Show Ring

Show Superintendents: Theresa Walker (603-534-3913) and Timothy Walker

Show Dates & Times:

Saturday, 12:00 - 4:00 p.m., Breed Type Classes

Saturday, 6:00 p.m., Lead Line Class

Saturday, 7:30 p.m., Goat and Sheep Costume Class

Sunday, 9:00 a.m., Fitting and Show, Market Lamb, Best Fleece, and Block and Trim Classes

Sunday, 2:30 p.m., Goat and Sheep Obstacle Course

Sunday, 4:00 p.m., Exhibitors Meeting and Awards

See General Rules for 4-H Animal Exhibitors

SHOW ENTRY

• Open to NH 4-H sheep members. Separate entries for Open Show must be sent to Deerfield Fair Open Show Superintendent Wayne Welch (603-490-8998)

ANIMALS

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

SHOW

- Animals must be in place by 8:00 p.m. Friday and remain in place until 7:00 p.m. Sunday, and until
 released by superintendent.
- Please check in with superintendents on Friday evening by 8:00 p.m. to review all paperwork.
- Exhibitors can show two sheep per class but receive only one premium per class.
- No exhibitor is to show more than two breeds.
- Only one entry can be shown in group classes. Animals shown in group classes must have been shown in an individual class.
- 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.

CLASSES:

Fitting and Show

Class	Description	Α	В	С
37501	Senior Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
37502	Intermediate Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
37503	Junior Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
37504	Novice Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
37505	Team Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
37506	Cloverbud Fitting and Show	Ribbon	Ribbon	ribbon

Show Classes

Class	Description	Α	В	С
37600	Junior Ram Lamb, born between January 1 and June 1 of the current year	\$15	\$12	\$9
37601	Senior Ram Lamb, born between September 1 and December 31 of the previous year	\$15	\$12	\$9
37602	Yearling Ram, born between August 31 two years prior and August 31 of the previous year	\$15	\$12	\$9
Award	RAM CHAMPION, winners of Classes 37600-37602	Rosette		
37603	Junior Ewe Lamb, born between January 1 and June 1 of the current year	\$15	\$12	\$9
37604	Senior Ewe Lamb, born between September 1 and December 31 of the previous year	\$15	\$12	\$9
37605	Yearling Ewe, born between August 31 two years prior and August 31 of the previous year	\$15	\$12	\$9
Award	EWE CHAMPION, winners of Classes 37603-37605	Rosette		
37606	Exhibitor's Flock, ram, ewe lamb, and yearling ewe, owned by exhibitor	\$15	\$12	\$9
37607	Breeder's Young Flock, either yearling or ram lamb, one yearling ewe, and one ewe lamb, bred by exhibitor	\$15	\$12	\$9

37608	Pair of Lambs, one ram lamb and one ewe lamb shown in previous classes, bred/owned by exhibitor	\$15	\$12	\$9
37609	Pair of Ewes, one yearling ewe and one ewe lamb shown in previous classes, bred/owned by exhibitor	\$15	\$12	\$9
37700	Market Lamb, born between January 1 and June 1 of the current year. Wether lamb or ewe lamb may not be shown in any other breed class. Class may be divided into heavy- weight and light-weight market lambs.	\$15	\$12	\$9
37701	Best Fleece	Award		

LeadLine

Lead Line narrations must be turned into superintendents when 4-Her checks in on Friday evening or by **noon on Saturday**.

Class	Description	A	В	С
37800	Lead Line: Senior, Intermediate, Junior, and Novice classes — outfit or garment must be made from at least 70% wool	\$22	\$16	\$11

Lead Line Score Sheet	
Garment is stylish and fits well. Composition of garment fiber is at least 70% wool. No jeans allowed in the show ring. (up to 15 points)	15 points
Outfit is suited to the delegate's age. (up to 15 points)	15 points
Delegate maintains good posture, presents themselves appropriately, and appears composed and comfortable in their outfit. (up to 15 points)	15 points
Garment and accessories are clean, pressed, and well-coordinated. (up to 15 points)	15 points
Percentage of total outfit made of wool. (up to 15 points)	15 points
Bonus for percentage of outfit constructed by delegate. (up to 5 points)	5 points

Sheep Score Sheet			
Sheep leads easily and is well controlled without delegate having to touch it.	5 points		
Sheep is alert.	5 points		
Sheep is fitted properly for its breed.	5 points		
Sheep is clean and dry.	5 points		
Sheep shows normal growth of age and breed.	5 points		

Shepherd's Contest

Exhibitors will be judged during the fair on cleanliness of pen and pen area, cleanliness and appearance of sheep, contribution to appearance of general area, care of own animals, politeness, informative attitude toward the public, and helpfulness to other 4-Hers.

Class	Description	Α	В	С
37801	Shepherd's Class	\$24	\$18	\$12

Block & Trim

4-Her may work individually or with a partner. There will be two age categories: Juniors, 8-13, and seniors, 14-18. Each pair of participants must be the same age category. 4-Hers should sign up and bring a sheep. Partnerships can be arranged at fair. Each 4-Her must supply own animal that has not been shown in the current year. Subject to approval of superintendents. Proof of rabies vaccination before competition. Sheep must be prewashed, belly shaved, and hooves trimmed before competition.

Class	Description	A	В	С
37802	Block & Trim	\$22	\$16	\$11

Obstacle Course

A timed obstacle course for all exhibitors (Sunday).

Class	Description	A	В	С
37806	Obstacle Course	\$15	\$12	\$9

Member Educational Displays:

See General Rules for Livestock Exhibitors for description of displays

Class	Description	A	В	С
37803	Member Comprehensive Educational Barn Display	\$12	\$10	\$6
37804	Member Educational Single Poster Barn Display	\$1.25	\$0.75	\$0.50
37805	Member Educational Set of 2–3 Posters	\$2.75	\$2	\$1.50

4-H SWINE SHOW

Show Days & Times: Sunday, 10:00 a.m.

Location: Swine Ring

Show Superintendent: Sarah Akerstrom (603-520-5176)

See General Rules for 4-H Animal Exhibitors

SHOW ENTRY

• Separate entries for Open Show must be sent to the Deerfield Fair Open Show Superintendent.

ANIMALS

- All swine must be vaccinated for rabies.
- Animals will be penned Wednesday for the four days. Deerfield Fair Association will furnish feed.
- All animals must have tattoos, ear notches, or ear tags that should be listed on approval sheets.

SHOW

- Classes may be divided by breed.
- Animals used in Fitting and Show must be between 3 and 8 months of age.
- Show canes or sticks not more than 1 inch in diameter and approximately 4 feet long can be used. No paddles or hurdles permitted. Swine switch allowed.
- Exhibitor's body must not come in contact with animal while showing.

CLASSES:

Fitting and Show

Class	Description	Α	В	С
40000	Senior Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
40001	Intermediate Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
40002	Junior Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
40003	Novice Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
40004	Cloverbud Fitting and Show	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon

SHOW CLASSES

Class	Description	Α	В	С
40100	Market Hog, gilt or barrow, approximately 225–270 pounds	\$15	\$12	\$9
40101	Light Market Hog, gilt or barrow, 140-224 pounds	\$15	\$12	\$9
40102	Feeder Pig, gilt or barrow, under 139 pounds, approximately	\$15	\$12	\$9
40200	Unregistered Breeding Gilt, 3–12 months of age	\$15	\$12	\$9
40201	Registered Breeding Gilt, 3–12 months of age	\$15	\$12	\$9
40202	Registered Boar, 3–6 months of age	\$15	\$12	\$9
40203	Sow, over 12 months and has farrowed at least one litter	\$15	\$12	\$9
40300	Obstacle Course: Handling, move swine through obstacle course chosen by superintendent. Time to be announced.	\$15	\$12	\$9
Award	Herdsmanship: Judged throughout fair. Awards presented at end of show.	\$24	\$18	\$12
Award	Costume Class: Exhibitor with top creative and best matched costume (exhibitor and animal) receive an award from the Rockingham County 4-H Foundation	Ribbon		

Member Educational Displays:

See <u>General Rules for Livestock Exhibitors</u> for description of displays

Class	Description	A	В	С
40301	Member Comprehensive Educational Display Barn Display	\$12	\$10	\$6
40302	Member Educational Poster	\$1.25	\$0.75	\$0.50
40303	Member Educational Display: Set of 2-3 Posters	\$2.75	\$2	\$1.50

4-H DAIRY GOAT SHOW

Location: Fiber Barn Show Ring

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

Show Dates & Times:

Saturday, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. 4-H Dairy Goat Show Saturday, 7:00 p.m., Goat and Sheep Costume Class Sunday, 2:00 p.m., Goat and Sheep Obstacle Course

See General Rules for 4-H Animal Exhibitors

ANIMALS

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.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

- 4-H Dairy Goat exhibitors and animals are to be on the fairgrounds by Friday at 8:00 p.m.
- The superintendents recommend that exhibitors come in on Wednesday evening due to restrictions on vehicle movement once the fair opens. If you need to attend school or work and would like to bring animals in on Wednesday, please contact the superintendents to make arrangements for care of your animals in your absence.
- 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 Sunday.
- No adult will be permitted to assist with the care of any animal while on the fairgrounds.

SHOW

- All animals must be properly registered and have legible tattoos. The exception to this rule is that unregistered animals may be shown in Fit and Show 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.
- All exhibitors must participate in the appropriate Fitting and Showmanship class. Exhibitors may show two 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.

CLASSES:

Fitting and Show

Class	Description	Α	В	С
35000	Senior Fitting and Showmanship	\$22	\$16	\$11
35001	Intermediate Fitting and Showmanship	\$22	\$16	\$11
35002	Junior Fitting and Showmanship	\$22	\$16	\$11
35003	Novice Fitting and Showmanship	\$22	\$16	\$11
35004	Cloverbud Fitting and Showmanship	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon

SHOW CLASSES

Cloverbuds may show in type classes for ribbons only (no premiums).

Class	Description	Α	В	С
35100	Doe Kid, 4 months, born by June 1 of the current year	\$15	\$12	\$9
35101	Doe Kid, 6 months 1 day/under 12 months	\$15	\$12	\$9
35102	Dry Yearling, 12 months 1 day - 24 months	\$15	\$12	\$9
35103	Junior Milker, 1 year and under 2 years	\$15	\$12	\$9
35104	Milking Doe, 2 years and under 3 years	\$15	\$12	\$9
35105	Milking Doe, 3 years and under 5 years	\$15	\$12	\$9
35106	Aged Milker, over 5 years old	\$15	\$12	\$9
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)	\$15	\$12	\$9
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	\$15	\$12	\$9

35109	Herd, 3 animals owned by one exhibitor and shown in previous classes. Do not need to be in milk or be the same breed	\$15	\$12	\$9
35110	Best Udder, any milking doe shown in previous breed classes. One doe per member	\$15	\$12	\$9
35111	All other non-dairy goats: Fiber, Meat, Pygmy Goats	\$15	\$12	\$9
35201	OBSTACLE COURSE: A timed obstacle course for all exhibitors (Sunday)	\$15	\$12	\$9
35202	DAIRY GOAT KNOWLEDGE QUIZ: Each exhibitor will be required to take a general Dairy Goat Knowledge quiz (Saturday)	12	\$10	\$6
Award	HERDMANSHIP: Each exhibitor will be judged throughout the weekend for cleanliness of area, availability to the public to answer questions, availability to assist other 4-Hers, attitude and helpfulness, and timeliness when caring for animals (i.e., clean water and hay at all times)	\$24	\$18	\$12
ward	COSTUME CLASS: Exhibitor with most creative and best matched costume (exhibitor and animal) receives an award from the Rockingham County 4-H Foundation. A written costume narration must be given to dairy goat superintendent by 10:00 a.m. Saturday	Ribbon		

Member Educational Displays:

See <u>General Rules for Livestock Exhibitors</u> for description of displays

Building.

Class	Description	Α	В	С
35200	Pen/Tack farm sign, educational items, and area decorations. Signs and decorations may be reused year to year.	\$12	\$10	\$6
35203	Member Comprehensive Educational Barn Display	\$12	\$10	\$6
35204	Member Educational Single Poster Barn Display	\$1.25	\$0.75	\$0.50
35205	Member Educational Set of 2-3 Posters Barn Display	\$2.75	\$2	\$1.50

4-H RABBIT AND CAVY SHOW

Show Dates & Times: Saturday, 1:00 p.m.

Location: Lower 4-H/FFA Ring

Show Superintendent: Kim Black (603-370-1576)

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

- Animals need to arrive on the fairgrounds by 8:00 a.m. on Saturday.
- Exhibitors may not leave until dismissed by superintendent after the show. Leaving early will result in loss of premiums.

CLASSES:

Fitting and Show

Class	Description	Α	В	С
36000	Cloverbud Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
36001	Novice Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
36002	Junior Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
36003	Intermediate Fitting and Show	\$22	\$16	\$11
36004	Senior Fitting and Show	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon

Show Classes

Class	Description	Α	В	С
36100	Rabbit Class Senior (age over 8 months)	\$15	\$12	\$9
36101	Rabbit Class Intermediate, age 6-8 Months	\$15	\$12	\$9
36102	Rabbit Class Junior, 12 weeks to under 6 months	\$15	\$12	\$9
36103	Cavy Class by weight	\$15	\$12	\$9
36104	Rabbit fur by type - Normal	\$15	\$12	\$9
36105	Rabbit Fur by Type - Rex	\$15	\$12	\$9

36106	Rabbit Fur by Type - Satin	\$15	\$12	\$9
36100	Old Timers Class - rabbit over 5 years old	\$15	\$12	\$9

Member Educational Displays:

See <u>General Rules for Livestock Exhibitors</u> for description of displays

35203	Member Comprehensive Educational Barn Display	\$12	\$10	\$6
35204	Member Educational Single Poster Barn Display	\$1.25	\$0.75	\$0.50
35205	Member Educational Set of 2-3 Posters Barn Display	\$2.75	\$2	\$1.50