HAMPSHIRE COUNTY 4H FAIR July 7, 2018

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Welcome.....

The 2018 Hampshire County 4-H Fair showcases the continued achievements and skills that our 4-H and other youth have learned throughout the year. 4-H, along with projects from Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, school, and other youth organizations are welcome. The Hampshire County **4-H Fair is open to any youth** who meet the age eligibility listed in the general rules. Youth under 8 years old as of 1/1/18 should check specific department rules.

As you look through this book you will see a variety of 4-H project areas and leadership opportunities that are offered for all age ranges Participating in the Hampshire County 4-H Fair is a highlight in the lives of our 4-H'ers. During the fair, they will create memories and make friendships that may last a lifetime.

Congratulations to all of our 4-H'ers and all youth whose work will be recognized during the fair. And many thanks to all of our youth and adult volunteers and staff who contribute "To Make the Best Better"!

This fair could not happen without the caring and talented 4-H adult volunteers who work directly with our youth. The experiences that result inspire creativity not only in our youth but also in our adults who give their time and talent to make this event a success.

Goals of the Hampshire County 4-H Fair are to:

- 1. Showcase, evaluate and recognize the accomplishments of the 4-H members and other youth.
- 2. Encourage teens and adults to become 4-H volunteers.
- 3. Highlight the county 4-H program.
- 4. Familiarize the public with 4-H philosophy.
- 5. Provide an opportunity for the public to participate in the enjoyable and educational, family-oriented 4-H events.

Hundreds of people will attend the fair and once again, be impressed by the accomplishments of our 4-H'ers and other youth. Although certain activities are standard every year, there are new opportunities that arise in particular 4-H areas.

4-H'ers continue to take pride in sharing their expertise with the public. For many fairgoers, this is their exposure to 4-H and the positive impressions they receive are lasting and strong. Thank you for connecting to the public by sharing your positive experiences and continuing to grow our Hampshire County 4-H program!

And, finally, thank you to the Hampshire County 4-H Fair Committee, including Nancy Searle, Larry Honeyman, Julie Severance, Sherry Whitmore, Heather Mason, Joyce West, Laurie Mues, Sandy Brougham, Kara Macaluso the fair department heads and the Cummington Fair Board of Directors, for their support of 4-H!

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Hampshire County 4-H Fair Schedule of Events

6:30 A.M. - 4:00P.M. 4-H Food Booth*

9:00 A.M. Fairgrounds open to the public. No entrance fee. Free parking

9:30 A.M. Sheep Show

10:00 A.M. Dairy Cattle Show, Cattle Show Ring

10:00 A.M. Beef Show, Beef Ring

10:00 A.M. Working Steer Show, Working Steer Show Ring

10:00 A.M. Goat Show, Goat Show Ring/Barn area

10:00 A.M. Poultry Show, Poultry Barn

10:00 A.M. Rabbit/Cavy Show, Rabbit

10:00 A.M.- 4:00 P.M. Exhibit Hall Open - Includes clothing, childcare, canning, foods, arts and crafts, quilting, posters, photography, conservation, woodworking, fruits and vegetables, flowers, poultry, computer and equine arts.

Start times may vary

Closing Ceremony

All exhibitors must attend

Release time will follow awards ceremony

Cloverbud Play Area (7and under)

*The 4-H Food Booth proceeds to benefit the 4-H Exchange Club.

For further information about the 4-H Youth Development Program, contact local educator Tom Waskiewicz, 413-545-0611 / Waskiewicz@umext.umass.edu



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In addition to complying with all laws and regulations governing animal health issues all fairs must adopt and enforce the following rules for governance of the fair: 2018 Fairs- Animal Health Rules NO animal will be admitted to the fairgrounds unless it meets the requirements below. NO animal is to be unloaded or enter a barn or tie-out stall until the animal and its paperwork have been inspected and approved for entry. A. General Rules for All Animals: See M.G.L. c. 128 §2C, 129 §2 1. All animals must be in proper physical condition, be properly identified and free of visual evidence of infectious, contagious or parasitic disease at time of arrival. Specific diseases and conditions which will disqualify an animal for entry are identified for each species in the following sections of the rules. Animals of any species with open or draining wounds will not be approved for entry. 2. Evidence of infectious, contagious or parasitic disease or failure to produce the necessary documents for health certification, vaccination or testing will result in the animal's rejection for entry. THE INSPECTOR'S DECISION IS FINAL. 3. Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counterirritant, or similar substance) which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, conformation or appearance, except external applications of substances to the hoofs or horns of animals which affect appearance only, and except for surgical procedures performed by a duly licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited. 4. Official ID: See Final Rule: Summary of Traceability for Livestock Moved Interstate (Summary of general Requirements by Species) All livestock must have proper official, individual ID as required for the species, e.g. official metal ear tag, tattoo, scrapie tag, or microchip. Registration forms must accompany health certificates when used as part of official identification. 5. Health Certificates: -- PLEASE NOTE: SAME AS RULES FOR 2017 One Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) may be allowed for animals of the same species to be exhibited at fairs or shows in any of the New England states (CT, *ME, MA, **NH, RI, and ***VT) when submitted with an itinerary of the dates and locations of the events at which the listed animals are expected to be shown. Only animals that are healthy at the time of shipment may be moved. Note that *ME, **NH, and ***VT have additional requirements. Certificates of veterinary inspection in these states are valid for a shorter period of time and may have additional language, movement and permit requirements. For the 2018 Show and Fair Season, livestock animals being exhibited in New England states must have official certificates of veterinary inspection (OCVIs) that meet the following requirements: a. CT, MA, and RI: OCVIs issued on or after January 1, 2018 may be used for those animals being shown at multiple fairs and shows in CT, MA, and RI through the 2018 show/fair season ending October 31, 2018. i. ME: Exhibition season OCVI applies only to animals exhibited at Maine agricultural fairs from July 1 through October 31 and the OCVI must state "For Exhibition Only". An importation permit for exhibition animals is also required. Contact ME State Veterinarian's Office (207-287-3701) for details and permits. ii. NH: Animals exhibited in NH must originate in a New England state and move on OCVIs issued on or after April 1, 2018 to participating NH fairs and shows from July 1 to October 31, 2018. Contact NH State Veterinarian's Office (603) 271-2404 for details and permits. iii. ***VT: Contact the VT Animal Health Office (802-828-2421) for specific import requirements that deviate from the general information in this letter and must be met for legal import of livestock, b. A single OCVI from the animals' home state may be completed for travel to and from the New England states in which the animals will be exhibited. MA animals being shown ONLY in MA may substitute a signed, dated latter on the letterhead of an accredited veterinarian for an OCVI if all required information is included and all additional requirements are met. c. Multiple animals of the same species may be listed on one health certificate with appropriate individual IDs and descriptions. Animals of different species may not be listed on the same official health certificate. d. An itinerary of the names and locations for each New England fair or show at which owner expects to show the listed animals and the dates when each animal are expected to be on each site, must be prepared by the owner and presented to the veterinarian at the time the OCVI is written, i. A copy of this planned itinerary must be attached to the official health certificate (import and export) for it to be used for more than one fair or show. ii. That proposed list should be signed by the veterinarian and the owner/exhibitor and reference the relevant OCVI number(s). e. The name and address of the first show or fair where the listed animals will be exhibited is to be used as the "destination" on the OCVI form. In addition, "See attached list" or a similar statement directing Animal Health Officials or Fair Inspectors to the attached proposed itinerary must be included. f. Exhibitors must keep an accurate list of the show locations and dates when their animals were actually on the show/fairgrounds. This record must be available to fair inspectors at each inspection and check-in. g. Any animal listed on an OCVI that becomes sick must remain home. If the animal is refused entry to any exhibition during 2018 for health reasons it must have a new health certificate issued by an accredited veterinarian within 30 days of the next interstate movement. h. Any New England state may end their participation in this agreement and revert to the standard published requirements for livestock imports in the state at any time, in the event of foreign animal disease outbreak or changes to state legislation. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR EACH SPECIES ARE LISTED BELOW. B. Cattle: See M.G.L. c. 129 §§2, 39 and 330 CMR 4.04(2). 1. TB and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from TB-Accredited and Brucellosis-Free States and instate animals. Current brucellosis and TB status in the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state. If the exhibitor's state is not TB-Accredited or Brucellosis-Free, then the exhibitor must call the Massachusetts Division of Animal

Health for entry requirements (617-626-1795). All animals must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pink-eye, ringworm, warts, cow-pox and open or draining wounds. 2. While not required, it is strongly recommended that all cattle be currently vaccinated for rabies. C. Poultry: See M.G.L. c. §§2, 129, and 330 CMR 5.02. 1. No poultry will be admitted to a fairground until it has been individually inspected. 2. All poultry must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: infectious bronchitis, coryza, pullorum-typhoid, fowl-pox, external parasites and laryngotracheitis. 3. Each bird must be accompanied by written proof (ID card or test report) that the breeding flock was blood-tested negative for pullorumtyphoid within one year prior to entry date. 4. Birds from quarantined states will not be permitted entry. 5. All birds over 16 weeks of age as of January 1, 2016 shall be individually leg banded with a state leg band. This includes out of state exhibitors. 6. No bird vaccinated for laryngotracheitis within thirty days of the fair will be admitted. D. Goats: See M.G.L. c. 129 §2, 9 CFR 79.6 and Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06. 1. TB and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from TB-Accredited and Brucellosis-Free States and instate animals. 2. All goats and kids presented, regardless of age, must be individually listed and identified on the health certificate. All goats must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pink-eye, ringworm, warts, pox and open or draining wounds. All goats must also be free of sore mouth and scrapie exposure. 3. Based on the Federal Scrapie Eradication Program (FSEP), goats and sheep of any age or sex brought to show or exhibition from either out of state or within state must possess a USDA approved individual identification tag, tattoo, or electronic implant consistent with the requirements of the FSEP and the Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06. Information on approved tags, tattoos, and electronic implants is available from the USDA-APHIS office in Sutton, MA at 508-363-2290. E. Camelids (Llamas, Alpacas, etc.): See M.G.L. c. 129 §2, M.G. l. c. 131, §23, 321 CMR 9.02. 1. TB and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from TB-Accredited and Brucellosis-Free States and instate animals. Current brucellosis and TB status in the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state. If the exhibitor's state is not TB-Accredited or Brucellosis-Free, then the exhibitor must call the Massachusetts Division of Animal Health for entry requirements (617-626-1795). 2. All Camelids originating from outside the Commonwealth are required to be tested for Blue Tongue. Exception: Animals from a USDA declared "Low Incident State" are exempt. Note: New England and New York are low incident states. 3. All animals must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pink-eye, ringworm, warts, pox and open or draining wounds. F. Swine: See M.G.L. c. 129 §14E, 330 CMR 11.04(2), 9 CFR 71.19 1. All swine must be identified by an official ear tag or registration. 2. Swine must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: erysipelas, atrophic rhinitis, mange and open or draining wounds. 3. No person shall import into Massachusetts from outside the state any swine which have been pseudorabies vaccinated. M.G.L. c. 129 §14E. 4. No person shall import into Massachusetts swine from Stage I or Stage II Pseudorabies States. 5. All swine shall originate from qualified pseudorabies-free herds, or monitored herds in qualified pseudorabies free States only. The pseudorabies status of the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state. G. Sheep: See 9 CFR 79 and Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06. 1. No sheep will be allowed entry from flocks in which Scrapie has been diagnosed or in which animals are under surveillance for Scrapie during the previous eighteen months. Based on the Federal Scrapie Eradication Program (FSEP) and the Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06, sheep of any age or sex brought to show or exhibition from either out of state or within the state must possess a USDA approved individual identification tag, tattoo, or electronic implant consistent with requirements of the FSEP. Information on approved tags, tattoos, and electronic implants is available from the USDA APHIS office in Sutton, MA at 508-363-2290. 2. No sheep will be permitted entry from flocks in which Soremouth has existed or in which Soremouth Vaccine has been administered in the previous sixty (60) days. 3. Sheep must be free from visual evidence of foot rot, sore mouth, pink eye, ringworm, and open and draining wounds. 4. While not required, it is strongly recommended that sheep be currently vaccinated against rabies. H. Equine: M.G.L. c. 128 §§2C, 44, 330 CMR 16.05. 1. All equines entering a Massachusetts fairground must have a valid health certificate. 2. All equines must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: mange, ringworm, soring, strangles, and open or draining wounds. 3. All equines originating from within and outside of the Commonwealth must have a negative USDA-approved EIA test (i.e., Coggins test or ELISA test) dated within twelve months of entry. 4. While not required, it is strongly recommended that all equines be vaccinated for rabies, tetanus, EEE and WNV within one year of the fair. I. Rabbits: See M.G.L. c. 129 §2 Rabbits must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: snuffles, wet tail, skin and ear infections. J. Dogs and Cats: See M.G.L. c. 129 §39G 1. All dogs and cats must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: kennel cough, distemper, hepatitis, parvo, ringworm and mange. 2. All Massachusetts dogs and cats and those originating from out of this State must have a valid and current vaccination certificate for rabies. All petting zoos are required to have a USDA APHIS Exhibitor's License and valid health certificates.

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY 4-H FAIR July 7, 2018 Cummington Fairgrounds, Cummington MA

General Rules:

- 1. All animals and exhibits must remain until after the closing ceremony and awards. Prizes and premiums will be withheld for any infraction of the Fair rules.
- 2. Eligibility This Fair is open to all youth, you do not have to be a 4-H member to participate.
 - **Cloverbud** youth under age 8 as of 1/1/18 (Check each department you are entering for the Cloverbud guidelines.)
 - **Junior** youth ages 8 through 10 as of 1/1/18
 - # Intermediate youth ages 11 through 13 as of 1/1/18
 - **Senior** youth 14 through 18 as of 1/1/18. You may not have reached your 19th birthday as of 01/01/18.
 - Novice first year exhibiting
 - **Youth with developmental, intellectual or physical disabilities** ages 9 through 22 as of 1/1/18. Youth requiring accommodations should contact Tom Waskiewicz outlining the accommodations being requested by June 1.
- 3. All entries should be made on the official entry blanks enclosed. You may duplicate the entry form or request additional forms. The forms can be found online at: www.mass4h.org. Go to "News & Events," then click on "4-H Fairs." All entries must be postmarked by June 19th and mailed to Laurie Mues 60 Barton Avenue Belchertown MA 01007. Entries not postmarked by June 19th will have a fee imposed according to the department rules as stated in this fair booklet (usually double the regular department entry fee). Exhibit hall late entries will be charged \$1.00 per class entered.
- 4. All exhibitors are responsible to follow the rules of the department(s) they are entering.
- 5. Only youth exhibitors are allowed to work on animals or exhibits at the fairgrounds.
- 6. All exhibitors showing livestock must follow the dress code stated for their department.
- 7. All livestock exhibitors must be present to exhibit their animals.
- 8. Undesirable or poor quality exhibits may be refused by the department superintendent.
- 9. The judges and superintendents reserve the right to refuse any exhibits that are not on the premium list. The decision of the judges is final.
- 10. Placing will be given according to quality. The decision of the judges is final.
- 11. All premium money will be paid from the awards as marked in the judges' books and not from ribbons that are attached to the exhibit, as ribbons are sometimes misplaced. Premiums will be mailed to exhibitors after the fair paperwork is completed. Premiums will be paid according to numerical placing within the class using the number of points as listed.
- 12. Alcoholic beverages or the use of illegal drugs will not be permitted at this fair. No tobacco products in any building. These rules are in effect for the safety of all. Spectators and parents, as well as exhibitors are expected to abide by these rules.
- 13. The Hampshire County 4-H Fair Association will not be responsible for the loss, theft, or damage to articles or animals that are being exhibited. The Fair will take every precaution to safeguard all exhibits.

DEPARTMENT #1 DAIRY CATTLE







Superintendent and Show Secretary: Joyce West

All animals must remain until after the awards ceremony

- The dairy department will be open to receive animals on Saturday, July 7th between 7A.M. and 9A.M..
- Registration/lease and health papers must accompany animals to the show.
- All animals must be registered/leased in the name of the exhibitor prior to May1, 2018.
- All animals must meet state animal health requirements. All entries should be vaccinated against rabies.
- Exhibitors must fit own animals and must participate in a fitting and showmanship class.
- Fitting and Showmanship will be judged on the Danish system.
- Classes may be combined or divided at the discretion of the show secretary and superintendents
- Exhibitors must supply their own bedding. Exhibitors must clean their stable area at the end of the day or forfeit their premiums.
- Exhibitors shall make only one entry in a given class. Animals in-group Classes must be shown in a single class.
- Exhibitors must wear appropriate clothing for type, as well as showmanship Classes. All leaders in-group Classes must wear appropriate clothing. No bare feet at any time.
- Youth must be at least eight years of age to exhibit in the dairy department.
- Youth under 8 years of age as of 01/01/018 will be allowed to show only one animal.
- Cloverbuds will only show in the 2 designated Cloverbud Classes and will receive a participant ribbon and an award.
- An entry fee of \$1.00 per head will be required and must be received with your entry. (Late entry fee will be \$2.00)

Complete entry forms using the proper letter for the Section and number for the Class as listed below

SECTIONS & CLASSES

SECTION A: Fitting & Showmanship Premium Points: 50 – 45 – 40 – 35 – 30 – 25 – 20 – and all other worthy

*For age clarification see general rules

1. Novice (1st year)

2. Junior

3. Intermediate

4. Senior

Grand Champion Showmanship Class (no class #)

SECTION AC: Cloverbud (Participants will receive a ribbon and an award)

1. Cloverbud Showmanship Clinic

2. Cloverbud Breed Class

SECTIONS FOR ANIMAL BREEDS:

Premium points: 50-45-40-35-30-25-20 and all other worthy

Section	Breed	Section	Breed	Section	Breed	Section	Breed
AY	Ayrshire	GU	Guernsey	JE	Jersey	MX	More than one breed used
BS	Brown Swiss	НО	Holstein	MS	Milking Shorthorn	Grade	for Club Herd

DAIRY CATTLE - CLASSES FOR ANIMAL BREEDS

Class	Class Description	Class	Class Description	Class	Class Description
5	Spring Calf (born March 1, 2018 or later)	6	<u>Winter Calf</u> (born 12/1/17– 2/28/18)	7	<u>Fall Calf</u> (born 9/1/17– 11/20/17)
8	Summer Yearling (born 6/1/17 – 8/31/17)	9	<u>Spring Yearling</u> (born 3/1/17 – 5/31/17)	10	Winter Yearling (born 12/1/16– 2/29/17)
11	Fall Yearling (born 9/1/16- 11/30/16)		<u>Junior Champion</u> (by breed) winners from chasses 5-11		Supreme Junior Champion

lass	Class Description	Class	Class Description	Class	Class Description
12	<u>2 Year Old</u> (born 9/1/15 – 8/31/16)	13	<u>3 Year Old</u> (born 9/1/14 – 8/31/15)	14	<u>4 Year Old</u> (born 9/1/13 – 8/31/14)
15	Aged Cow (born before 9/11) (Classes 2 – 12 may be combined if there are less than three entries per Classes)	16	<u>Dry Cow</u> Must have calved at least once		
	Senior Champion (by breed) winners from Classes 12-16)		Grand Champion (by breed)		Supreme Grand Champion
17	Best Bred & Owned (1 per exhibitor) (1 class for each breed) (Registration papers required at the show ring)	18	Produce of Dam (two daughters from the same dam)	19	Dam & Daughter
20	Exhibitor's Herd (Three animals owned by 1 exhibitor, must be all of one breed)	21	Club Herd (Five animals owned by 3 or more exhibitors, may include more than one breed)		

SECTION F: Fun Classes

- 1. "Over the Hill" fun class for 4-H parents and leaders may be combined with Beef Show (time permitting) ribbon awards
- 2. Leadline Class for youth not eligible for show, accompanied by youth eligible for show using an animal entered in the show may be combined with the Beef Show.

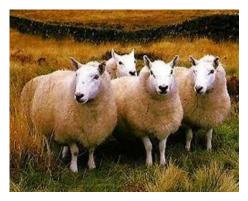
Awards: Ribbons & premiums in each class

* Rosettes and/or special awards to Junior, Senior, Grand Champions, & Supreme Champions Special awards to Champion Showman, Herdsmen Award Combine with Beef Show.

Herdsmen class will be judged on cleanliness of exhibit, interaction with public, care of animals, education of and promotion of project, and cooperation with other exhibitors and volunteers.



DEPARTMENT # 2 SHEEP







Superintendents: Julie Severance

All animals must remain until after the awards ceremony

- The sheep department will be open to receive animals on **Saturday**, **July 7th from 7:00-9:00 AM** All sheep must be on the grounds by 9:00 AM The Sheep Show will begin at 9:30 AM in order to be done for the exhibitor meeting happening in the sheep show ring at the close of the Fair
- Please have all registration/health papers ready upon arrival. All sheep must be properly tagged in accordance with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Animal Health Rules.
- Registration papers must indicate an individual not a farm name.
- All animals must be owned/leased by the exhibitor prior to June 1, 2018.
- Exhibitors must supply their own bedding. Exhibitors are required to clean their pens at the close of the day, or premiums will be forfeited. Please bring your own brooms, shovels, pitchforks, etc. for cleanup.
- All exhibitors must enter showmanship. Please enter the proper showmanship section and class on your entry form.
- All exhibitors will follow the dress code of a clean white shirt or t-shirt and tan or white pants (no shorts) for showing. This rule also applies to those helping in group Classes.
- All animals shown in group Classes must be shown in individual Classes.
- Animals exhibited as market lambs may not be exhibited as breeding animals.
- Market lambs must be shorn on or after July 1, 2018.
- Youth must be 8 years old as of 1/1/18 to exhibit sheep in breed or market lamb Classes.
- Cloverbuds, youth 5-7 years of age as of 1/1/18, will only be allowed to show **one** animal.
- Cloverbuds will only show in the 2 designated Cloverbud Classes and will receive a ribbon and an award.
- An entry fee of \$1.00 per head is required and must be sent with your entry. Late entries will be \$2.00 per head.

Complete entry forms using the proper letters for the Section and number for the Class as listed below.

Premium Points: 30 – 25 – 20 – 15 – 10 – all other worthy 5

SECTION A: Fitting & Showmanship (age as of 1/1/18 or see General Rules)

Classes: 1) Senior (14-18) 2) Intermediate (11-13) 3) Junior (8-10) 4) Novice (first year exhibiting)

SECTION B: Cloverbud (Participants will receive a ribbon and an award)

- 1. Cloverbud Showmanship Clinic (exhibitors age 5-7 as of January 1, 2018)
- 2. Cloverbud Clinic Breed Class 1 animal any age or breed all in ring at same time

ANIMAL BREED SECTIONS: For each animal, enter on the entry form the Section as found on this chart.

Section	Breed	Section	Breed	Section	Breed
СН	Cheviot	NC	Natural Colored	SU	Suffolk
СО	Cotswold	SH	Shropshire	TU	Tunis
DO	Dorset	SL	Shetland	UPM	Any Other Purebred – Meat
HA	Hampshire	so	Southdown	UPW	Any Other Purebred - Wool

NOTE: Breeds may be combined or added as numbers warrant.

Age Classification for Breeds:

Cheviots & Shetlands:	Senior Lamb : 9/1/16 - 2/28/17	Southdowns:	Senior Lamb: 9/1/16 – 1/31/17	All other Breeds:	Senior Lamb: 9/1/16–12/31/17
	Junior Lambs: 3/1/17 and after		Junior Lamb: 2/1/17 and after		Junior Lamb: 1/1/17 and after

For each animal, enter on the entry form the Class number as found on this chart for the appropriate age of the animal.

Exhibitors may have 2 entries per individual class (excluding yearling rams) and 1 entry per group class.

Clas s	Class Description	Clas s	Class Description	Clas s	Class Description
1	Yearling Ram (1 only)	6	Yearling Ewe	11	Produce of Dam (2 animals, either sex, any age)
2	Senior Ram Lamb	7	Pair of Yearling Ewes	12	Get of Sire (4 animals, both sexes represented, any age)
3	Junior Ram Lamb	8	Senior Ewe Lamb	13	Pen of Three Lambs (bred and owned by exhibitor)
4	Pair of Ram Lambs	9	Junior Ewe Lamb	14	Exhibitors Flock (1 ram, 2 yearling ewes, 2 ewe lambs)
5	Aged Ewe	10	Pair of Ewe Lambs	15	Breeders Flock (1 Ram, 2 yearling ewes, 2 ewe lambs – all bred and owned)

SECTION 1ML: Market Lamb

- 1. Novice (first year exhibitor)/Scholarship
- 2. Heavyweight Market Lamb

- 3. Lightweight Market Lamb
- 4. Pair of Market Lambs

SECTION OC: Obstacle Course Ribbons only (to be done as time permits)

Classes: 1. Senior 2. Junior

AWARDS:

Rosettes to: Best ram and ewe of each breed, best ram and ewe of show and Champion market lamb Special awards to:

All 1st Place Fitting and Showmanship

Champion Market Lamb

Supreme Champion Ram

Supreme Champion Ewe

Supreme Champion Bred and Owned (your best animal, any age either sex, only one per exhibitor)

Best Fleece

Outstanding Exhibitor – presented to the exhibitor who displays a positive and cooperative attitude. The quality and cleanliness of their area and humane treatment of animals are considerations.



DEPARTMENT #3 BEEF



Superintendent: Roberts Family

All animals must remain until after the awards ceremony

- The beef department will be open to receive animals from on Saturday, July 7th between 7 and 9. Showmanship Classes may start later to accommodate travel time and animal preparation time.
- Exhibitors must supply their own bedding. Your stable area must be cleaned at the end of the day or premium money will not be awarded.
- All animals must have been owned/leased and cared for by the exhibitor by 5/1/18, and must be cared for by the exhibitor at the fair. Registration/lease and health papers must accompany the animal on July 7, 2018.
- All animals must meet state animal health requirements. All entries should be vaccinated against rabies.
- Beef exhibitors should present a neat appearance. Proper show clothes or white or pastel shirts with dark pants (ie. blue, black, dark green). Beef exhibitors have standards of dress which have been accepted by the beef industry (ie. western wear) Hard toe shoe or boots are required.
- Youth must be at least 8 years old as of 1/1/18 to exhibit in the beef department.
- Cloverbuds (7 years as of 01/01/18) will be allowed to show only one animal.
- Cloverbuds will only show in the 2 designated Cloverbud Classes and will receive a participant ribbon and an award.
- All beef breeds will be shown together. Classes may be split by breed if enough animals are entered.
- Beef animals cannot be shown in any other department.
- An entry fee of \$1.00 per animal must accompany your entry. Late entry fee will be \$2.00.

SECTIONS

SECTION A: Premium points: 50-45-40-35-30-25 all other worthy

Classes:

- 1. Showmanship Senior (for age clarification see general rules)
- 2. Showmanship Junior (for age clarification see general rules)
- 3. Showmanship Novice (first year exhibiting)

SECTION AC: CLOVERBUD (Participants will receive a ribbon and an award)

CLASSES:

- 1. Cloverbud Showmanship Clinic
- 2. Cloverbud Breed Class

SECTION B: BEEF STEERS

Classes:

- 1. Under 1 Year of Age
- 2. Over 1 Year of Age
- 3. Grand Champion Steer (1st place winners from Classes 1 and 2)

SECTION C: HEIFERS

CLASSES:

- 1. Spring Calf-born March 1, 2018 or later
- 2. Junior Calf-(Jan1, 2018-Feb 28, 2018)Winter Calf-(Nov. 1,2017 Dec. 31, 2017)
- 3. Senior Calf-(Sept 1, 2016 Oct 31, 2017)
- 4. Summer Yearling-(June 1, 2017 Aug 31, 2017)
- 5. Spring Yearling-(March 1 2017 31, 2017)
- 6. Junior Yearling-(Jan 1, 2017 Feb 28, 2017)
- 7. Senior Yearling –(Sept 1, 2017 Dec 31, 2017)
 Jr. Champion 1st place winners from Classes 1-8

SECTION D: COW

CLASSES:

- 1. Cow 2 years and over
- 2. Cow 3 years and over
- 3. Senior Champion (1st place winners from 1 and 2)

SECTION E: GROUP

CLASSES:

- 1. Cow/Calf
- 2. Get of Sire (3 female animals that are progeny of 1 sire)
- 3. Best 3 head (3 animals owned by 1 exhibitor)
- 4. Club Heard (5 animals owned by 3 or more exhibitors, may include more than 1 breed)

SECTION F: Fun Classes

- 1. "Over the Hill" fun class for 4-H parents and leaders may be combined with Beef Show. (time permitting) Ribbon awards
- 2. Leadline Class for youth not eligible for show, accompanied by youth eligible for show using an animal entered in the show. May be combined with the Beef Show.

Herdsman class Award Combined with Dairy Show Herdsmen class will be judged on cleanliness of exhibit, interaction with public, care of animals, education of, and promotion of project, and cooperation with other exhibitors and volunteers.



DEPARTMENT # 4 WORKING STEERS



All animals must remain until after the awards ceremony

- Animals will be in between 8:30 9:30am on Saturday, July 7th.
- The working steer show will be at 10:30AM.
- Proper show clothes are required. Tan or dark pants with white shirt. Hard toe shoes are required.
- Exhibitors are responsible for the clean-up of their stable area or they will not receive premium money.
- Juniors 10 and under as of January 1
- Senior 11 and older as of January 1
- An entry fee of \$1.00 per team will be required and must be received with your entry.
- Entries are due June 19th late entry fee \$2.00

Premium Points: 50-45-40-35-30-25 all other worthy

In the event of a demonstration class for 2018 there will be 50 premium points awarded to exhibitors.

SECTION A:

CLASSES:

- 1. Showmanship Seniors
- 2. Showmanship Juniors
- 3. Stone Boat Seniors
- 4. Stone Boat Juniors
- 5. Cart Class Seniors
- 6. Cart Class Juniors

DEPARTMENT #5 GOATS







Superintendent: Brian Seibert

All animals must remain until after the awards ceremony

- Read Fair General Rules, 2018 Animal Health Rules, and Livestock General Rules.
- The goat department will be open to receive animals from 8:30 am to 9:30 am on Saturday. All animals
 must be on the grounds from 9:30A.M. and remain on the fairgrounds until after the awards ceremony. No
 animal may be unloaded until after they have been inspected and checked in with the goat
 superintendent.
- No horned animals will be allowed (exceptions will be made for market goats and fiber goats horns must be tipped). No bucks allowed.
- Exhibitors must provide verification of ownership or lease in the exhibitor's name by June 1, 2018, except kids must be raised and cared for from birth if born after June 1, 2018.
- A veterinarian's health certificate must be presented before animals are unloaded. All tattoos will be checked. Registration papers are required for all ADGA registered does.
- No pre-show milk out required, but over bagged animals may be penalized in placing at the discretion of the judge and/or superintendent.
- Cloverbuds will be allowed to show only one animal and will show only in the two designated Cloverbud Classes.
 Cloverbuds may not show a horned animal. Cloverbuds do not need to own or have a written release for the animal shown to participate.
- All exhibitors in the Goat Division are required to wear while showing:

Girls: White shirt or T-shirt; tan or white pants, skirt or shorts

Boys: White shirt or T-shirt; tan or white pants or shorts

All exhibitors must wear closed toed shoes or sneakers at all times.

- All exhibitors should have a livestock card or signage indicating animal name and breed on display for each animal
- Exhibitors must provide their own bedding. Each exhibitor must clean up pens and general goat area at release time or forfeit premiums. Please bring your own brooms, shovels, pitchforks, etc for cleanup.
- Exhibitors must fit own animals and participate in showmanship. Their showmanship animal must also be shown in a single goat class.
- All goats shown in a Specialty Class must also have been shown in an individual class.
- Please indicate the number of animal pens needed on the entry form.

Please see General Rules for Hampshire County 4-H Fair for due date for entries and where to send. An entry fee of \$1.00 per animal must accompany your entry. (Late entry fee will be \$2.00)

Premium Points awarded for Sections A, D-E: 30-25-20-15-10-all other worthy -5

<u>Section A: Showmanship</u> - All exhibitors must enter Showmanship.

Dairy Showmanship (including Dairy type goats)

- 1. Senior (14 or over as of January 1, 2018)
- 2. Junior (8 years and under 14 as of January 1, 2018)
- 3. Novice (1st year showing & over 8 as of January 1, 2018)

Non Dairy Showmanship

- 4. Senior (14 or over as of January 1, 2018)
- 5. Junior (8 years and under 14 as of January 1, 2018)
- 6. Novice (1st year showing & over 8 as of January 1, 2018

Section B: Cloverbud

- 7. Cloverbud Showmanship Clinic (exhibitor 5 to under 8 as of January 1, 2018)
- 8. Cloverbud Clinic Breed Class 1 animal any age or breed all in ring at same time

Section C: Dairy Goat Breeds

Enter the breed letter with the class number. Breeds are shown in alphabetical order. In Classes 6-15, exhibitors may enter no more than two animals per class.

L = LaMancha R = Recorded Grade

N = Nubian S = Saanen

Junior Doe Kid - 1 to 2 months
 Senior Doe Kid - 3 to 5 months
 Doeling - 6 months to under 1 year
 Yearling - 1 to under 2 yrs.; never freshened
 Yearling - 1 to under 2 years in milk
 Junior Doe Milker - 2 to under 3 years
 Intermediate Milker - 3 to under 5 years
 Senior Doe Milker - 5 to under 7 years
 Aged Doe - over 7 years
 Wethers

Specialty Classes: 1 entry per exhibitor per class

- 20. Dam and Daughter
- 21. Exhibitor's Herd -3 does of 1 breed; at least 1 in milk
- 22. Best Udder
- 23. Produce of Dam 2 daughters from one dam; dam to be named
- 24. Get of Sire 3 does from 1 sire; sire to be named

<u>Section D: Meat / Market Goat (specify breed)</u> Classes 25-29 are for meat goat breeds. In Classes 20-33, exhibitors may enter no more than two animals per class.

- 25. Market Goat animal entered in this class may not be entered in any other class in Section C. Animal must be part of a recognized 4-H Market Group Program.
- 26. Junior Wether up to 6 months old
 27. Senior Wether 6 to 12 months old
 28. Doe Kid I up to 3 months old
 30. Senior Doe Kid 9 to 15 months old
 31. Doeling 15 months to 2 years old: never freshened
 32. Junior Milker up to 3 years old
- 29. Doe Kid II 3 to 9 months old 33. Senior Milker 3 years or older

Specialty Classes: 1 entry per exhibitor per class

- 34. Dam and Daughter
- 35. Exhibitor's Herd 3 does of 1 breed; at least 1 in milk
- 36. Produce of Dam 2 daughters from one dam; dam to be named
- 37. Get of Sire 3 does from 1 sire; sire to be named

Section E: Fiber Goat (angora, cashmere breeds) limit 2 entries per exhibitor

38. Fiber goat - under 2 years old; doe or wether 39. Fiber goat - over 2 years old; doe or wether

Section F: Utility Goat Danish Points: 15 - 10 - 5

Animal may not be entered in any class in Sections B, C, D or F. One entry per exhibitor per class.

- 40. Pack Goat Obstacle Course Competition animal must carry a pack with weight in it. Pack weight will be determined based on animal age and weight. A doe or wether may participate. Exhibitor must provide pack; obstacle course provided.
- 41. Driving Goat Class animal to be in harness pulling a cart or wagon. A doe or wether may participate. Exhibitor must provide equipment; obstacle course provided.

Section G: Ribbon Only Classes - 1 entry per exhibitor per class

- 42. Companion Goat goat kept for companionship; not for breeding. A doe or wether may participate; no bucks. All breeds and ages shown together. An animal in this class may not be shown in Sections B, C, D, E or F.
- 43. Goat Costume
- 44. Goat Obstacle Course

Section H: Herdsman No premiums paid.

To be judged on the criteria set by the American Dairy Goat Association and 4-H policy.

- 45. Senior exhibitor 14 to 18 years old as of Jan. 1, 2018
- 46. Junior exhibitor 8 to 13 years old as of Jan 1, 2018

Section I: Posters Premium Points: 5-4-3

47. Goat Poster - A poster that presents a goat or goat produce theme. Name and age must be on back of poster

DEPARTMENT #7 POULTRY







Superintendent: Sandra L Brougham

Animals must remain until after the awards ceremony

A COPY OF THE MA SALMONELLA/PULLORUM HEALTH CERTIFICATE WITH ENTRY FORM IS REQUIRED

- Entries are to be postmarked or dropped off by June19th
- There is an entry fee of \$1.00 per bird for entries in Section S,B,P, and X Classes 1-5. (Late entry fee will be \$2.00)
- Please specify the breed/variety of your bird on the entry form for these Classes.
- The Poultry department will be open to receive entries on July 7th from 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. All entries must be in place by 9:30 a.m. for judging.
- · Cages, water, and shavings will be provided.
- All poultry will be inspected upon arrival. All birds must be clean and fully feathered. Any bird showing signs of disease will not be admitted. All poultry must have been blood tested by Mass. State Inspector for 2018. Exhibitors must present proof that birds are pullorum free (certificate or id card) upon arrival or birds cannot be allowed in. Waterfowl, broilers, and birds under 6 months of age do not have to be tested. To schedule testing for Hampshire County call State Dept of Agricultur atb617 626 1795 e. well in advance of show time.
- Poultry area will be supervised, however Exhibitors will be responsible for birds at all times..
- All exhibitors must help with the cleaning of the poultry area at the close of the fair.
- All exhibitors are encouraged to enter in showmanship especially if you are a novice. This is a great learning experience.
- Poultry to be shown in poultry barn
- Show uniform is white dress shirt, or lab coat closed toe shoes black pants

Complete entry forms using the proper letter for the Section and Number for the number Class as listed below.

		Section A: Showmanship									
Class Number	1	2	3	4							
Description	Novice (ages8-19, first year of showing)	Cloverbud	Junior	Senior							

	Poultry E	Intries by Type F	Premium Points: $10 - 8 - 6 - 4$	
SECTION LETTER	S	В	Р	
	Standard (large) Size Fowl	<u>Bantams</u>	Production Poultry (crossbred)	
CLASS NUMBER	1. Cock	1. Cock	1. Production Pullett	
	2. Hen	2. Hen	2. Production Hen	
	3. Cockerel (under 1 year of age)	3. Cockerel (under 1 year of age)	3. Meat type Female	
	4. Pullet (under 1 year of age)	4. Pullet (under 1 year of age)	4. Meat type Male	
"	5. Trio (1 male and 2 female, same breed and age)	5. Trio (1 male and 2 female, same breed and age)	5.Market Turkey (male turkey	

SECTION LETTER	DB	DS	G	Н	Т
	DUCK BANTAM	DUCK STANDARD	GUINEA FOWL	GEESE	Turkey
CLASS NUMBER					
	1.SR. MALE	1.SR. MALE	1.SR. MALE	1.SR. MALE	1. SR. MALE
	2.JR. MALE	2.JR. MALE	2.JR MALE	2.JR. MALE	2. JR. MALE
	3.SR. FEMALE	3.SR. FEMALE	3.SR. FEMALE	3.SR. FEMALE	3. SR. FEMALE
	4.JR. FEMALE	4.JR. FEMALE	4.JR. FEMALE	4.JR. FEMALE	4. JR. FEMALE

DEPARTMENT #8 RABBITS & CAVIES







Show Secretary: Parker Mas Adult Advisor: Nancy Searle

Show Superintendent: Julianna Applegate

Animals must remain until after the awards ceremony

- 1. This is an ARBA Youth sanctioned show and ARBA rules will be followed. This show is open to all youth, you do not have to be an ARBA member to participate.
- 2. All entries must be postmarked by JUNE 19TH. Entry fees must accompany your entry. Entry fee per animal is \$1.00. There is no fee for Classes D, E, and F
- 3. All rabbits must have a permanent and legible tattoo in the left ear. All cavies must be properly ear tagged.
- 4. This is a one day show. Exhibitors are responsible for bringing appropriate carriers to keep their animals safe and comfortable.
- 5. Showmanship class requires a long sleeve shirt or a lab coat
- 6. The rabbit department **check-in will begin at 8:00am on Saturday, July 7th and ends at 9:00 am**. All animals must be in place by 9:00am. Showmanship judging will begin at 9:30 a.m. Breed judging will begin at 10:30 a.m. All exhibitors must assist in the cleanup of the rabbit area.
- 7. All animals showing signs of disease will be barred from the show and must be removed from the area.
- 8. Only youth may carry animals to the judging table. No adults may assist with carrying or grooming.
- 9. The Hampshire County 4-H Fair Association will not be responsible for loss or injury, every precaution will be taken against it.
- 10. Cloverbuds: Youth under 8 years of age as of 1/1/18
- 11. sign up for Cloverbud sections listed for showmanship, rabbit identification,, written test and costume class.
- 12. Entries in Section A and C must include breed, variety (and/or color) and ear number. See sample entry.

Complete entry forms using the proper letters for the Section and number for the Class as listed below.

SECTIONS & CLASSES

Premium Points: 10-8-6-4-2 For Sections A, U, Y, Z

SECTION A: Rabbits Please include breed, variety, class # and tattoo number for each entry.

1. Senior Buck 2. Senior Doe 3. Intermediate Buck 4. Intermediate Doe 5. Junior Buck 6. Junior Doe

SECTION B: Cavies Please include breed, variety class # and ear tag number for each cavy.

7. Senior Boar 8. Senior Sow 9. Intermediate Boar 10. Intermediate Sow 11. Junior Boar 12. Junior Sow

SECTION C: Pets Pet Classes are open only to animals ineligible to be shown in Classes 1 - 12. Tattoos and ear tags are not required for pet Classes.

1. Senior Buck

2. Senior Doe

3. Junior Buck

4. Junior Doe

Senior Boar

6. Senior Sow

7. Junior Boar

8. Junior Sow

SECTION D: Showmanship

1. Cloverbud

2. Novice

3. Juniors

4. Senior

SECTION E: Rabbit Identification

Participants will be asked to identify rabbit breeds, equipment, etc.

1. Cloverbuds

2. Novice

3. Juniors

4. Seniors

SECTION F: Written Test

Test will include questions on care, breeds, etc.

1. Cloverbuds

2. Novice

3. Juniors

4. Seniors

SECTION G: Costume Class

1. Cloverbuds

2. Juniors

3. Seniors

SECTION H: RABBIT HOPPING

1.Cloverbud

2.Juniors

3.Seniors

<u>Premium points for sections C, D, H,</u> These Classes will be judged by the Danish System.

Blue 5 points Red 3 points White 2 points

Special Awards – Will be given for: Best in Show, Best Reserve in Show, Best Pet, Best Cavy, Outstanding Exhibitor (highest combined score from scores in showmanship, written test, and identification contest.

****SAMPLE ENTRY****

Dept	Section	Class	Describe Entry	Entry Fee	Breed	Sex	Color	Ear #
8	Α	3	Junior Buck Black Mini Rex	1.00	Mini Rex	Buck	Black	CJ03
8	D	3	Junior Showmanship					
8	А	2	Senior Doe Rex	1.00	Rex	Doe	Broken Blue	JV545
8	С	2	Senior Doe Pet	1.00	Pet	Doe	Sandy	none
8	Н	2	Rabbit					

Department # 23 Small Engines Premium points 8-6-4

Participation ribbon for all entries

- A. Small Engine Quiz
- B. Poster Display
- C. Engine Project -bring your tractor or small engine for us to see

EXHIBIT HALL







Superintendent: Nancy Searle

Exhibits must remain until after the awards ceremony

Exhibit Hall Classes will be divided as follows: (for age clarification see general rules)

- A) Cloverbud (5 years and under as of 1/1/18)
- **B) Juniors** (8 10 yrs. as of 1/1/18)
- **C)** Intermediate (11 13 yrs. as of 1/1/18)
- **D) Senior** (14 18 yrs. as of 1/1/18)

- **E) Special Needs**
- All entries must be made in writing using the entry blank.
- All entry forms should be received by **June 19th** see general rules.
- All entries will be received from Thursday, July 5th from 2:00 to 7P.M.
- Judging will take place Friday afternoon. Exhibitors are not allowed in the hall during judging.
- No exhibits shall be removed before the awards ceremony on Saturday, July 7th. Exhibits must be removed by 6:00pm.
- The 4-H Fair takes no responsibility for any articles that are not picked up on July 7th.
- Articles must be made or grown within the last 12 months. Articles must be the exhibitors' own efforts.
- The judges' decision will be final. The judge can combine or split Classes due to size.
- Exhibits must be of good quality. The superintendents reserve the right to reject any exhibit due to its poor quality.
- Three or more entries of one project will constitute a new class.
- The 4-H Fair holds no responsibility for loss or damage to exhibits. Every precaution will be taken to safeguard
 exhibits.
- Exhibit hall entries (except Classes 1,2,& 3) will be judged by the Danish System. All quality exhibits will receive a ribbon. Blue ribbon = Excellent, Red ribbon = Very Good, White ribbon = Good. Entries that do not follow the rules as listed in this book will be disqualified.
- Points, unless otherwise stated will be: 8 6 4.
- Only one item per class per exhibitor will be allowed except where specified.
- <u>Cloverbuds (youth under 5 years of age):</u> -will be part of a special Cloverbud division. Cloverbud exhibits will receive Cloverbud ribbons Cloverbud exhibits will be displayed in a special area and special Cloverbud awards will be given.

DEPARTMENT #9

SECTION A

1. <u>Leader or Parent Class</u> The 4-H Program would not be possible without the generous gift of time from many talented adults. We invite these many club leaders to exhibit in the hall. You must be a 4-H volunteer or parent of a fair exhibitor to participate. You may exhibit 1 article in any 1 class listed in the exhibit hall section. (Ribbon Awards).

DEPARTMENT # 10 CLOTHING/ CHILD CARE

SECTION B: Individual

- 1. Apron
- 2. Blouse/shirt
- 3. Dress (formal/informal)
- 4. Jumper
- 5. Any other sewn item garments
- 6. Pocketbook/ tote bag/ backpack
- 7. Doll Clothes
- 8. Accessory (headband, bows, etc)
- 9 . Lined jacket or blazer
- 10. First Year Sewer Any article

Premium points: Classes 1-15 8-6-4

- 11. Slacks
- 12. Sportswear
- 13. Vest
- 14. 2 Pc. Outfit
- 15. Coordinated wardrobe of 3 5

SECTION C: Child Care Classes 1 - 3 must be able to be safely played with by a child (No kits)

1. Doll 2. Stuffed animal or toy

3. Homemade game or toy of wood or metal

DEPARTMENT # 11 CANNING

All products shall be sealed by processing. Bands must be on Mason type jars. Jars must be of uniform size and labeling. Two jars in every class. Jam & jelly should be in 2 pint jars. All others may be pints or quarts.

SECTION D: Premium Points: 8 - 6 - 4

1. Any vegetable (2 jars)
2. Any fruit (2 jars)
3. Any pickle or relish (2 jars)
5. Any jelly (2 jars)
4. Any jam (2 jars)
6. Any relish (2 jars)

DEPARTMENT # 12 FOODS

Recipe must be included with all entries. No package mixes to be used, except class # 5. Entries must be displayed on disposable plates and be covered with clear plastic wrap. All foods will be sold to benefit the fair.

SECTION E: Premium Points: 8 – 6 - 4

1. Quick bread 6. Brownies or bars (6) 10. Decorated cake 14. Homemade candy (6)

2. Yeast bread7. Chocolate Chip cookies(6)11. Pie - one crust3. Muffins, any type (6)8. Any other cookie (6)12. Pie - two crust4. Cupcakes, any type (6)9. Cake, any type13. Fudge, any type (6)

5. Unique Mixes- package mix altered to make it unique. Include recipe telling how mix was altered

15.Lunch Box - Must include a menu for one full day. Food included must be for one meal only. Beverage may be listed, but not included. Nutritional value is important.

16 Fair recipe contest - Place setting, menu, one item prepared with recipe

DEPARTMENT # 13 ARTS & CRAFTS

SECTION A: Needlecrafts Premium Points: Classes 1-12 8-6-4

1. Knitted item 7. Macramé 13. Applique - hand 2. Crocheted item 8. Needlepoint or bargello 14. Applique - machine 3. Crewel & embroidery 9. Candlewicking 15. Plastic canvas 4. Latch hook 10. Counted cross stitch 16. Any other needlecrafts 5. Quilted Potholder 11.Quilted Pillow 17. Quilted Wall Hanging 6. Baby Quilt 12. Any other quilted item 18. Quilt

SECTION B: Crafts All Classes Points 8-6-4

1. Wearable Art 13. Model vehicle 25. Holiday decoration (up to 3 different holidays) (stenciled, appliqué, sponge painting, etc.) 14. Model rocket 26. Needle felted item 2. Stenciling 15. Unsewn fabric craft 27. Reverse painting on glass 3. Candles (2) 16. Rock sculpture 28. Doll (apple, clothespin, etc) 4. Ceramics (from a mold) 29. Dressed/decorated stuffed animal 17. Pompom creature 30. Decorative painting on wood 5. Pottery (wheel or hand formed) 18. Handmade flowers (3) 6. Tie dyed item 31. Paper cutting 19. Handmade jewelry 32. Origami (5 mounted) 7. Woven potholder (cloverbuds only) 20. Metal punch 33. Memory Book (at least 10 pages)

8. Plaster craft 21. Basketry 33. Memory Book (at I 9. Mobile 22. Nature Craft 34. Water Felted Item 10. Fairy Home 23. Bookmark 35. Slate Painting 11. Foam Craft 24. Lego Construction 36. Any other craft 12. Recycled Craft

37. Display of Crafts Premium Points 15-12-8

Collection of 5 or more objects of one type of craft chosen from Classes 60-85. Will be judged on quality, originality, and set up of display. Exhibits should be of high quality. Each display should not exceed 2' x 3' and exhibitors must supply backdrops, etc. if needed.

38. <u>Hobby Collection</u> Premium Points 15-12-8
Collection of 10 or more objects of one type of hobby collection. Will be judged on originality and set up of display.
Exhibits should be of high quality. Each display should not exceed 2' x 3' and exhibitors should supply backdrops, etc. for their display as needed.

SECTION C: Education

1. Individual Educational Exhibit Premium Points 15-12-8

Will be judged on educational value, originality, quality and ability to tell a story. Exhibitor should supply backdrop etc for display as needed. Each display should not exceed 2' x 3'.

2. Club Exhibits Premium Points 75-50-25

A 6' x 3' display which depicts club activities or a learning experience. A central theme should dominate the exhibit and tell a story.

SECTION D: Art Premium Points 8-6-4

Art must be original. No paint by numbers. Must be appropriately mounted or framed for hanging. Up to three entries per exhibitor per class.

1. Pencil Drawing5. Drawing (crayons or pastels)9. Sculpture2. Colored pencil drawing6. Oil painting10.. Calligraphy3. Charcoal drawing7. Acrylic painting11. Collage4. Drawing (markers)8. Watercolor painting12. Any other art

DEPARTMENT # 14 PHOTOGRAPHY

All photos must be mounted, labeled and taken by the exhibitor within the past 12 months. Photos may be color or black and white.

SECTION A: Premium Points: 8 – 6 – 4

1. Animal photo

2. Photo of a person/s

3. Scenic photo

4. Family photo

6. 6 photos taken of a special event or trip

7. 5 photos to show a sequence or tell a story

8. Photo of a Hampshire County landmark

9. Trick photo (ie, double exposure, use of mirrors, etc.)

5. Photo of the 2017 Hampshire County 4-H Fair

DEPARTMENT # 15 POSTERS

Posters are to be 14" x 22" and may be vertical or horizontal

SECTION A: Premium Points 8-6-4

1. 4-H Fair theme 2. 4-H theme 3. Animal theme 4. Recycling Theme

DEPARTMENT #16 CONSERVATION COLLECTIONS

SECTION A: Premium Points all Classes 8 – 6 – 4

1. Leaf prints mounted & named - at least 10

2. Native wildflowers - mounted & named - at least 10

3. Leaves (pressed) - mounted & named - at least 10

4. Insects - mounted & named - at least 10

- 5. Rocks mounted & named at least 10
- 6. Shells mounted & named at least 10
- 7. Seeds mounted & named at least 10
- 8. Any other conservation collection at least 10

DEPARTMENT #17 WOODWORKING

SECTION A: Premium points: Classes 1-8 and 9-12: 8 – 6 - 4; Classes 128-131: 12- 10-8

Wooden toy or game

2. Bird house or bird feeder

3. Breadboard4. Footstool

5. Hanging rack or shelf

9. Chair

6. Table 10. Any other wooden article

7. Bookcase

11. Wood carving

8. Chest or cabinet

12. Wood burning

DEPARTMENT # 18 FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Classes 135-151 must be displayed on a paper plate.

SECTION A: Premium points 8-6-4

1. Beans (green) 15 pods9. Lettuce - 2 heads17. Tomatoes (green, stem on) - 52. Bean (yellow) 15 pods10. Peppers - 518. Tomatoes (red, stems on) - 53. Beans (shell) 15 pods11. Peas - 15 pods19. Tomatoes (cherry) - 104. Beets (cut top to 1") 512. Radishes - 1020. Carrots - 55. Cucumbers (long, green) - 213. Squash (summer) - 221. Any other vegetable

6. Cucumbers (pickling) - 5
7. Raspberries (1pint)
8. Strawberries (1 pint)
14. Squash (zucchini) - 2
15. Blueberries (1pint)
16.Any Other Fruit (1pint)

22. Display of at least 6 kinds of vegetables and/or fruit covering at least 3' x 3' display space. Must bring own peat, soil, or other table covering. (Premiums Points 15 – 12 - 8)

23. Display of at least 5 kinds of vegetables and/or fruits and greens arranged in an appropriate container (ie. basket or bowl)

Premium Points 15 – 12 - 8

DEPARTMENT #19 HORTICULTURE

SECTION A: HERBS Premium points 8 – 6 - 4

1. Pot of herbs (min of 3) identified

3. Ornamental (ie. potted, dried or cut in water)

2. Five herbs minimum of 5 stems each identified

SECTION B: FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS Premium points 8 – 6 - 4

Floral arrangement using wild flowers

- 2. Floral arrangement using dried flowers
- 3. Potted flower
- 4. Live floral arrangement

5. Marigold - small - 5 blooms

- 5. Tiny arrangement -not to exceed 5" in any direction
- 6. Freedom reigns arrangement in a container not intended for flowers

SECTION C: FLOWERS Premium points 8 – 6 - 4

Must be grown, selected and arranged by the exhibitor. To be judged for horticultural perfection. Stems should include sufficient stem and foliage when practical. The number of blossoms is stated by class.

1. Cosmos - 5 blooms 6. Zinnias - large - 5 blooms 10. Rose - single - 1 bloom 2. Daisy - 5 blooms 7. Zinnias - small - 5 blooms 11. Roses - 1 spray

Daisy - 5 blooms
 Zinnias - small - 5 blooms
 Bachelor buttons - 5 blooms
 Snapdragons - 5 stems
 Any other flower - 5

4. Marigold - large - 5 blooms 9. Petunias - 5 blooms

SECTION D: HOUSEPLANTS Premium points 8 – 6 - 4

Foliage houseplant
 Flowering houseplant
 Cactus/ succulent
 Honey-Fall
 Honey-Sprint
 Terrarium
 Dish garden

. Honey-Fall 8. Honey-Sprint

Janet Mollison Memorial Club or family agricultural exhibits

Janet Mollison was an active 4-H member, parent and volunteer. Janet also served as the superintendent of this fair's exhibit hall. At least 50% of class entries must be made/grown by youth. Exhibits are the combined efforts of adults and youth from one family or one club.

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SECTION E: Premium Points 75-50-35

- 1. Agricultural product display- (backdrop to be supplied by exhibitor)
 - 5 different vegetables (from class list)
 - 3 different cut flowers (from class list)
 - 2 baked item (from class list)
 - 2 canned items (from class list)
 - At least 2 other agricultural products (ex. Eggs, herbs, maple syrup)
- 2. Farmers Market Basket to be displayed in a basket suitable for shopping at a farmers market.
- 3 different vegetables, 1 mixed bouquet of flowers, 1 baked item, 1 handcrafted item, 1 any other agricultural item

DEPARTMENT # 20 AGRICULTURE PRODUCTS

SECTION A: Premium Points 8-6-4

- 1. 1 dozen pullet or small eggs (min. 18 oz) A) white B) brown
- 2. 1 dozen medium eggs (min. 21 oz) A) white B) brown
- 3. 1 dozen large eggs (min. 24 oz) A)white B)brown
- 4. 1 dozen extra-large eggs (min. 27 oz)

A) white B) brown

5. 1 dozen any other color

6. 1 dozen duck eggs

7. 1 dozen jumbo eggs (min. 30 oz) A) white B) brown

8. ½ dozen any other eggs

SECTION B: Premium points 8-6-4

1. Light Honey 3.Maple Syrup

2. Dark Honey

DEPARTMENT # 21 COMPUTER SCIENCE

SECTION A: Premium Points 8 – 6 – 4

- 1. Poster- created on your computer (may include graphics- minimum size 81/2" x 11")
- 2. Report computer generated report at least 5 pages (may include computer generated graphs, photos, etc.)
- 3. Computer generated art
- 4. Other computer projects

DEPARTMENT # 22 Animal Science

SECTION A: Premium Points 8-6-4

- 1. Animal equipment made by exhibitor
- 2. Animal first aid kit made by exhibitor (indicate species)
- 3. Homemade animal treat (ex. Dog biscuits, horse cookies) plate of six include recipe
- 4. Homemade educational game-teaches some aspect of animal care, breeds, training, etc.







DEPARTMENT # 22 HAMPSHIRE COUNTY 4-H CHALLENGE DEPARTMENT







Superintendent: Nancy Searle

The Challenge Classes are an exciting addition to the 4-H Fair. In a Challenge Class, everyone starts out with the same materials and instructions, and the results are exhibited at the Fair. Challenge Classes require pre-registration in April. All challenge class participants must send in a written entry to indicate which challenge exhibits they are bringing to the fair. There is no entry fee to enter your challenge items.

Exhibits must remain until after the awards ceremony. All entries must be picked up between 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm on Saturday, July 7th

All challenge entries must be received or postmarked by June 19th.

Class entries must be checked in between <u>2:00 – 7:00P.M. on Thursday July 5th</u> Challenge Classes are judged under the Danish system and all entries receive ribbon awards. Trophies will be awarded to top entries.

SECTION A: YOUTH CHALLENGE CLASSES

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1	Picture Pillow	2	Design a Cap	3	Plaster Craft	4	3-D Scene
5	Egg Art	6	Coloring	7	Wooden Snake	8	Picture Frame
9	Decorated Wood Craft	10	Decorated Plate	11	Thank You Card	12	Bug House
13	Kindness Rocks	14	Gnome	15	Tomato Plant	16	Marigold Plant
17	Petunia Plant	18	Sunflowers	19	Dog Bed	20	Cat Bed
21	Cat Toy	22	Pillow Case	23	Homemade Scarf	24	Totes for Tots
25	Personal Care Holder	26	Ornaments	27	Fabric Bear	28	

SECTION B: ADULT CHALLENGE CLASSES

1	Petunia Plant	2	Marigold Plant	3	Tomato Plant	4	Sunglowers
5	Coloring	6	Lap Blanket	7	Pillow Case	8	Totes for Tots
9	Hospital Bear	10	Dog Bed	11	Cat Bed	12	Personal Care Holder
13	Ornaments	14	Handmade Scarf				

SECTION C: CLUB CHALLENGES

1	Club Banner	2	Club Scrapbook	3	Club Collage	









NAME _____ 4-H MEMBER YES NO

STREET	TOWN/CITY	STATE	ZIP
NAME OF 4-H CLUB CO	DUNTY	COUNTY	
AGE (AS OF 1/1/18)	CELL/PHONE ()	Email address	

DEPT.	SECTION	CLASS	DESCRIBE ENTRY		ANIMAL RIES	FOR RABBITS AND POULTRY		
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Animal exhibitors must be sure to include breed and all other necessary information with their entry. Refer to departmental rules.

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Mail entry forms with fees by June 19, 2018 to:

Laurie Mues 60 Barton Ave. Belchertown MA 01007

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