



2019 CASS COUNTY 4-H/FFA OPEN DOG SHOW

Friday July 19, 2019 check in: 8:00 am

Livestock pavilion 58- HWY Pleasant Hill, MO 64080

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ALL DOGS MUST BE ON A LEASH. DOGS MUST NOT BE TAKEN NEAR OTHER LIVESTOCK OR IN EXHIBIT BUILDING.

ENTERIES ARE OPEN TO PUREBRED OR MIXED BREED DOGS

MUST BE OWNER BY THE EXHIBITOR OR IN THE PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENT OR GUARDIAN.

GENERAL RULES:

1. General livestock rules and regulations and general rules and regulations apply in this department.
 - a. Entries are open to dogs identified in 4-H Online as 4-H projects by Feb 1 of the current year that meet the division and class qualifications.
 - b. Each dog must be identified as 4-H or FFA, not both.
 - c. Each dog may enter ONLY one obedience class
 - d. Each dog is allowed ONLY one entry per class.
 - e. Proof of vaccinations MUST be presented at check in.
2. All exhibitors/dogs are highly encouraged to attend 4-H training and MUST compete in obedience to be eligible to compete in agility or showmanship classes.
 - a. The county fair dog show is NOT an AKC sanctioned show; while AKC rules have been used as guidelines, class descriptions may differ.
3. Class Determination
 - a. Exhibitor AND dog experience in conjunction with show scores from previous county fair will be used to determine class level.
 - b. Years completed is every year dog has been shown plus current year.
 - c. A qualifying score is achieved when a dog earns a minimum of 170 out of 200 points and at least 50% of points for each class exercise.
 - d. Dogs with qualifying scores must advance to the next class with the exception of Graduate novice and open classes
4. Health Requirements
 - a. Bring proof of vaccinations. Including Vaccination dates and Rabies certificate number required.
 - b. Any bitch in season or nursing will not be allowed to show (unless previously discussed with superintendents and deodorized)

5. Housing
 - a. Will not be provided on fairgrounds; exhibitors should plan to arrive with dogs Friday morning and leave at the conclusion of the show.
 - b. Only dogs exhibiting in the 4-H/FFA dog show are allowed on fairgrounds
 - c. All dogs must remain in designated areas at all times
 - d. All dogs will be released upon completion of their classes.
6. Check-In procedures
 - a. Exhibitors should report to the show ring with dogs beginning at 8:00 am and no later than 9:00 am
 - b. Process will include verification of class entries, jumping height measurements, review of vaccination records and inspection of dog
 - c. All dogs must be shown by 4-H or FFA member
7. Exhibitor conduct
 - a. No practicing will be allowed in show ring
 - b. Be ready when class is called
 - c. Exhibitors participating in showmanship and obedience classes must give precedence to showmanship.
 - d. Judges do not have to hold classes for a single exhibitor
 - e. Do no strike dogs or use any other unnecessary/harsh physical means to discipline dogs while on fairgrounds
 - f. Bating is not allowed in obedience or agility, any evidence of bating will result in severe scoring penalty
8. Exhibitor Dress
 - a. All 4-H and FFA dog project exhibitors will wear an official Cass County Fair exhibitor t-shirt, tucked in, and in its original form while showing in obedience and agility.
 - b. Showmanship well-dressed appearance for both dog and exhibitor. No shorts or capris. Girls should have shirts or dresses. Boys should have dress slacks and preferably a suit coat and tie. Exhibitors should always look neat and well groomed. Flat shoes with non-slip soles.
9. Equipment
 - a. Tents, canopies, awning, ext. may NOT be set up prior to 7 am on show day; all must be removed upon completion of the dog show.
 - b. All dogs must be leashed or crated while waiting for their class to be called.
 - c. Owners are responsible for providing water and food to their dog(s).
 - d. Exhibitors may choose to use choke chains, buckle collars, or martingales in obedience classes. Show leads are to be used when handling dog in showmanship class. Flat buckle collars are to be used in agility.
 - e. No dog will be allowed to show with prong or pinch collars, gentle leaders, or harnesses.
 - f. Exhibitors are responsible for providing their own dumb bell as applicable.
 - g. Jumps will be provided by the project; all dogs will be measured at shoulder height (withers) for applicable classes.
 - h. Request to use additional equipment will be handled on a case by case basis.
10. Grooming expectations
 - a. All dogs need to be well groomed and evaluated for
 - i. Free of loose hair, fleas, lice and other insects
 - ii. Toenails of suitable length
 - iii. Ears and eyes clean and clear
 - b. Any exhibitor/dog team, regardless of age, may choose to participate in agility at the discretion of the owners; trainers, volunteers, superintendents and fair board members are not responsible /liable for injuries/accidents.

OBEDIENCE

1. Dog must be trained, cared for and managed by exhibitor.
2. Dogs with AKC titles may ONLY enter classes above secured title.
3. There is no limit to the number of dogs entered per exhibitor.
4. Each dog may enter Only one obedience class.
5. Exhibitors may enter ONLY one dog per obedience class.
6. Awards
 - a. Group Ribbons: Blue 200-170 points, Red 169.5-150 points, White 149.5 or less points
 - b. Overall High scoring dog
7. If the exhibitor is in the first year at the county fair he/she can show in the Beginner novice. However, if the dog is titled, the exhibitor must show in the class above the degree. A dog may show in Beginner Novice for 1 year; Novice 2 years; Graduate Novice 3 years; Open no limit in years.

Class Number and description

700 Youth Class (under 8 years of age)

Participation Ribbon ONLY

701-703 Obedience Beginner Novice (701: 8-10 years of age/702: 11-13 years of age/703: 14 years & over)

- Heel on leash.....40 points
- Figure 8 on leash.....40 points
- Sit for examination.....40 points
- Recall on leash.....40 points
- Long sit (1 min).....40 points

704-705 Obedience Novice (704: 8-12 years of age/705: 13 years & over)

- Heel on leash.....30 points
- Heel off leash.....30 points
- Figure 8 on leash.....30 points
- Stand for examination.....25 points
- Recall off leash.....30 points
- Sit Stay.....25 points
- Group Exercise: Down Stay.....30 points

706-707 Obedience Graduate Novice (706: 14 years of age & under/707: 15 years of age & over)

- Heel off leash.....30 points
- Figure 8 off leash.....30 points
- Drop on Recall.....30 points
- Dumbbell Recall30 points
- Dumbbell Recall over high jump.....30 points
- Recall over broad jump.....30 points
- Sit Stay.....10 points
- Group exercise: Down Stay.....10 points

708-709 Obedience Open (708: 14 years of age & under/709: 15 years of age & over)

- Heel off leash.....30 points
- Figure 8 off leash.....30 points
- Drop on recall.....30 points
- Retrieve on flat.....20 points
- Retrieve over high jump.....30 points
- Recall over broad jump.....20 points
- Sit Stay.....20 points
- Group Exercise: Down Stay.....20 points

Showmanship

1. Exhibitors (handlers) who enter a showmanship class MUST ALSO exhibit in at least one obedience class
2. Each exhibitor (handler) may only enter one showmanship class.
3. Class determination based on age of handler.
4. Exhibitor (handler) must enter class that reflects school grade most recently completed.
5. Showmanship will be judged according to the following 100 point score card:
 - Exhibitor (appearance, attitude).....15 points
 - Dog grooming and condition.....25 points
 - Handling.....30 points
 - Questions.....30 points
6. Award Groups
 - a. Blue 100-90 points, Red 89-70, White 60-less

710 Novice showmanship- Junior

1st year dog and child between 8-11 years of age

711 Novice showmanship – Intermediate

1st year dog and child between 12-14 years of age

712 Novice Showmanship – Senior

1st year dog and child over 15 years of age

713 Open Showmanship – Junior

2nd year or greater and child between 8-11 years of age

714 Open Showmanship – Intermediate

2nd year or greater and child between 12-14 years of age

715 Open Showmanship – Senior

2nd year or greater and child over 15 years of age

Overall showmanship

For 1st place exhibitors from each showmanship class

Agility

1. There is no limit to the number of dogs entered per exhibitor
2. Each dog may enter only one agility
3. Exhibitors may enter only one dog per agility class

716 Pre-Novice Agility

1st year dog and on leash

717 Novice Agility

2nd year-4th year dog and optional off leash

718 Open Agility

5th year or greater and off leash

Entry Deadline: Entries must be received by June 26, 2019 to guarantee the exhibitor will receive a t-shirt
Late Entry Fee: An additional \$5.00 per head

Please Submit or Mail the Entry Form to:
Cass County Fair
c/o Livestock Entries
203 Paul Street
Pleasant Hill, MO 64080

Dairy Cattle - A
Beef Cattle - B
Sheep - C
Goats - D
Rabbit - E
Poultry - F
Swine - G
4-H/FFA Dog Show - H

Please see entry rules/information for each species Class Numbers

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County: _____	
4-H Club or FFA Chapter: _____	
Date of Birth: _____	T-SHIRT SIZE (Circle One) Youth S M L XL Adult S M L XL XXL

PLEASE USE A SEPARATE FORM FOR EACH SPECIES

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Junior Section Letter	Junior Class Number	Breed	Sex	Animal Identification	Date of Birth

YOUTH LIVESTOCK ENTRY FEES

Please accept the entries indicated above, subject to the rules and classifications governing the exhibits as published in your premium list of the current years. I hereby release the Cass County Fair and City of Pleasant Hill from any liability from loss, damage or injury to person, livestock or other property, while said property is on the Cass County Fairgrounds.

Exhibitor's Signature _____

Number of Beef Cattle @ \$10.00 per head = \$

Number of Goats @ \$5.00 per head = \$

Number of Sheep @ \$5.00 per head = \$

Number of Dairy Cattle @ \$5.00 per head = \$

Number of Hogs @ \$5.00 per head = \$

Number of Rabbits @ \$2.00 per head = \$

Number of Poultry Entries @ \$0.00 per head = \$

Number of Dogs @ \$5.00 per dog = \$

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$

All fees must accompany Entry Form

Make Checks payable to Cass County Fair

*Online Entries are also available at www.casscountymfairmo.com