

YOUTH DOG SHOW

DEPARTMENT #27

ENTRIES CLOSE:	Wednesday, April 14th	before 5:00 p.m.
ENTRIES RECEIVED:	Saturday, May 8th	Animals must check-in by 8:30 am
JUDGING:	Saturday, May 8th	9:00 a.m.
EXHIBITS RELEASED:	Saturday, May 8th	After the conclusion of the show.

Local Rules:

1. Must be pre-entered.
2. Enter according to age in school as of Jan. 1, 2010.
3. All dogs must have proper verification of Rabies (1-3 years) and current **DHL PPC** vaccination.
4. Veterinarian Certificate verifying all required vaccines **must** accompany entry form or entries will not be accepted.
5. All dogs must remain in the Youth Dog Show area. NO BITCHES IN SEASON allowed on show grounds. NO EXCEPTIONS! A different dog may be substituted in this case.
6. All dogs entered in obedience must wear a well-fitted chain or collar. Leashes must be 6' in length and made of fabric or leather. Chain leashes will not be permitted.

DIVISION 1: 4-H & FFA Dog Showmanship

Entry Fee: 3.00

- CLASS:
1. Mini Member Showmanship—7-9 years of age (must be enrolled in a supervised Mini-Member project)
 2. Junior Showmanship—Grades 4 & 5
 3. Intermediate Showmanship—Grades 6, 7 & 8
 4. Senior Showmanship—High School

Dog Showmanship Criteria

Presentation of Handler: A neat overall picture should be presented to the judge. A complete uniform is recommended.

Knowledge: Exhibitors should be able to answer questions regarding feeding, grooming, etc. and be knowledgeable about the parts of the dog.

Presentation of Dog: this part is self-explanatory.

Condition: Teeth should be clean and white. Ears should be clean inside and out. The eyes are not to be runny.

Body and Coat: The important emphasis is that the dog has been well groomed and has had a bath. All dogs should be Groomed to meet Breed Standards. The nails should be trimmed.

Group Showing: Points awarded by how well they do against each other in a group.

Senior winner will be eligible to compete in Small Animal Master Showmanship

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