DOG SHOW
Superintendents: Rachel Hanna, Keri McEntire

1. Read “General Rules”.
2. Show regulations, scoring procedures and class requirements will be followed in accordance with the latest edition of the Official Kansas 4-H Dog Show Guidelines (S-46). Copies are available at the County Extension Office.
3. No identifying uniform can be worn in the show ring.
4. Any outward abuse of a dog on the fairgrounds will result in disqualification.
5. It will be required that proof of rabies vaccination, signed by a veterinarian, be shown at show time. It is recommended that dog’s distemper, hepatitis and leptospirosis vaccinations be up-to-date. Females in season will not be allowed to show. Dogs exhibiting signs of illness will be disqualified.
6. Classes marked with an asterisk (*) are ineligible for State Fair competition.
7. Baiting dogs is not allowed.
8. Once a 4-H’er scores 170 points or greater with the same dog under two different judges, the member must advance to the next obedience level at the start of the next 4-H year. At any time that the leader, parent and member agree that the 4-H’er and dog are ready to move to the next level, they may; but once that is done, they cannot regress back to a lower level.
9. State Fair Qualification: To exhibit at the Kansas State Fair, the exhibitor must qualify at any 4-H invitational or county fair show and shall present a certificate to the county Extension Office. The certificate shall be signed by the show judge and dog project leader or show superintendent at the show in which the dog qualified.

OBEDIENCE COMPETITION
A 4-H’er may enter only one dog per obedience class. See Rule 9 to enter the proper class. A score of 170 points or greater is qualified score, with at least 50% in each exercise. In case of tie, a sudden death run-off on the heel free exercise will be held.

*Class 0480 - Subnovice A: First year handler exhibiting a first year dog. All exercises done on leash.
*Class 0481 - Subnovice B: Experienced handler exhibiting a first year dog.
Class 0482 - Novice: For all project members who have qualified through Subnovice B and Second year project members and above.
Class 0483 - Graduate Novice: For experienced 4-H'ers with dogs who have scored at least 170 points in Novice A or Novice B.
Class 0484 - Open A: For all 4-H’ers and dogs who have qualified in graduate novice.
Class 0485 - Open B: For all 4-H’ers and dogs who have qualified in preliminary Open A.
Class 0486 - Utility A: For all 4-H’ers with a dog that qualified in Open B and passed. All exercises off leash.
Class 0487 - Utility B: For all 4-H’ers with a dog that qualified in Utility A and passed. All exercises off leash.

DIVISION - SHOWMANSHIP
Entries will be judged on fitting of dog: clean and well brushed, tone and condition of coat, healthy appearance, teeth, toenails, and eyes. Handler will be
judged on alertness, grace, and ease, coordination with dog and reaction of dog to handler with straight and even gait and movement of dog.

Class 0488 - Senior Showmanship (14-18)
Class 0489 - Intermediate Showmanship (10-13)
Class 0490 - Junior Showmanship (7-9)
*Age classifications are before January 1 of the current year.

Showmanship is based on 100 points, with 95-100 for Purple; 90-94 for Purple/Blue; 80-89 for Red; and 79 and less for white.

**DIVISION - RALLY OBEDIENCE**

Note: Rally Level I is on lead and for local shows only

Class 0491 - Rally Level I (on lead and for local show only)
Class 0492 - Rally Level II
Class 0493 - Rally Level III

Advancement: After receiving two qualifying scores (blue or purple) from two different judges, a rally obedience team must advance to the next level at the start of the next 4-H year.

**DOG SHOW PREMIUMS**

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