

## OPEN YOUTH RABBIT AND CAVY EXHIBITS

Fair Event Coordinator: Dr. Reese Williamson  
Entry Deadline: October 7, 2005  
Arrival Time: October 21, 4:00-6:00 p.m.  
Remove Exhibits: Sunday, October 30, 3:00-6:00 p.m.  
Entry Fee: None



### RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. This exhibit is open to youth who have reached their 5<sup>th</sup> birthday by September 1 of the current year and not passed their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday or graduated from high school
2. Rabbits and cavy must be 8 weeks of age or older, well-groomed and clean.
3. No diseased or parasitic animals will be allowed to enter the show. All animals will be inspected.
4. The Fair will feed and water all animals, but will not be responsible for animals after 6:00 p.m. Sunday, October 30, 2005.
5. 4-H and FFA members will be given preference on cage space.
6. Maximum of five entries per youth.

#### Division A - Rabbit - any breed or sex

Class 1 - Exhibition

Premium Schedule - Exhibitor will receive a \$5.00 premium and rosette for each rabbit exhibited.

#### Division B - Cavy - any breed or sex

Class 1 - Exhibition

Premium Schedule - Exhibitor will receive a \$5.00 premium and rosette for each cavy exhibited.



## NORTHWEST FLORIDA FAIR 4-H DIVISION



4-H is an opportunity for boys, girls, parents, grandparents, friends and neighbors to become involved as volunteers to influence the development of youth.

4-H is small town, downtown and uptown; in high rises and suburbs; in the country and on the farm. 4-H members, parents and leaders have fun as they learn and work together in the home, family, neighborhood and community.

People in 4-H operate like a team with common goals and an interest in helping one another. Parents, relatives, neighbors and others provide leadership to 4-H'ers by:

- Assisting them in deciding what they want to learn and do
- Guiding them in deciding what help is needed
- Helping them learn skills to accomplish their goals
- Assisting them in assessing progress toward meeting their goals

4-H members, parents and leaders participate in projects, activities, events and meetings. They learn skills that help them get along better in their families, the community and the world or work.

People interested in 4-H usually form a club. The 4-H Club is one of the major methods of involving people in the 4-H program. It serves as the center of activity which generates enthusiasm for participation in 4-H outside the club. And more importantly, it serves as a center where youth can find the caring and support they need to learn skills they will use throughout their lives.

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4-H Clubs are organized and conducted by the members, parents and volunteer leaders who choose to belong. The major method used to organize and conduct the club is the group meetings - members can participate in the planning and carrying out of the 4-H club projects, activities and events. In turn, they will...

Learn to make decisions \* Develop skills in group discussions \* Try new ideas and methods \* Develop citizenship and leadership skills \* Acquire new knowledge and skills \* Develop confidence in themselves \* Gain a sense of group pride and \* Form a cooperative attitude

### **YOUTH ACTIVITIES**

**(Under the Direction of Okaloosa County 4-H Extension Agent)**

1. AGE REQUIREMENTS – Clover Bud Division – Must have reached their 5<sup>th</sup> birthday before September 1, 2005 and have not passed their 8<sup>th</sup> birthday by September 1, 2005.  
Junior Division - Must be 8 by September 1, 2005 and have not passed their 11<sup>th</sup> birthday by September 1, 2005.  
Intermediate Division – Must be 11 by September 1, 2005 and have not passed their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday by September 1, 2005.  
Senior Division - Must be 14 by September 1, 2005 and have not passed their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday or graduated from high school.
2. PRE-REGISTRATION - is required and should be turned into the County 4-H Office by October 7, 2005. **NO ADDITIONS OR ALTERATIONS OF ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THE REGISTRATION DEADLINE.**
3. REGISTRATION and JUDGING will be by number.
4. ARTICLES ENTERED must follow guidelines established. Items must have been made by youth in last year (since November 2004).
5. REMOVAL OF 4-H LIVESTOCK SHOW EXHIBITS MUST BE APPROVED BY THE FAIR EVENT COORDINATOR. Removal of exhibits without approval may cause forfeiture of premium money, and/or other awards.
6. REMOVAL OF ITEMS FROM FAIR shall be done Sunday - Wednesday, October 30-November 2, 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Removal of items before this time will cause forfeiture of premium money and/or other awards.
7. ALL REASONABLE CARE will be taken of exhibits; however the Okaloosa County Cooperative Extension Service or the Fair Association are **NOT** liable for damage, breakage, theft, etc.
8. UNSUITABLE EXHIBITS or exhibits of poor quality may be refused.

8. When an exhibitor or another person on behalf of an exhibitor is guilty of unsportsmanlike conduct or misbehavior while on the show area/fairgrounds, management may suspend such exhibitor's right to participate in future classes and/or shows as deemed appropriate.
9. **Assistance or coaching of contestants while competing in a class may warrant penalties or disqualification.**
10. In concern for humane treatment of the horse, the judge, at his/her discretion, has the authority to excuse any horse from this event, which is obviously lame. Obvious lameness is: consistently observable at a trot under all circumstances; marked nodding, hitching, or shortened stride; minimal weight-bearing in motion and/or at rest and inability to move.
11. The judge or designated show officials have the authority to require the removal or alteration of any piece of equipment which, in their opinion is unsafe, tends to give unfair advantage or is deemed inhumane.
12. Each exhibitor will be responsible for feeding and watering their animal while on the fairgrounds.
13. Exhibitors will provide their own feed, feed pans and buckets. Please have identification on each pan and container.
14. Exhibitor must provide proof of a current (within 12 months) negative Coggins.
15. **NO RIDING** is permitted on the Fairgrounds.

#### **HALTER CLASSES**

- Class 1: Mares
- Class 2: Geldings

#### **SHOWMANSHIP CONTEST**

- Class 1: 8-10 years old, Junior
- Class 2: 11-13 years old, Intermediate
- Class 3: 14-18 years old, Senior

#### **PREMIUMS**

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|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> - \$35.00 | 5 <sup>th</sup> - \$15.00 |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> - \$30.00 | 6 <sup>th</sup> - \$10.00 |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> - \$25.00 | 7 <sup>th</sup> - \$5.00  |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> - \$20.00 | 8 <sup>th</sup> - \$3.00  |

Additional premium money will be awarded as follows:

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|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| Grand Champion Junior         | \$40.00 and Trophy  |
| Grand Champion Intermediate   | \$40.00 and Trophy  |
| Grand Champion Senior         | \$40.00 and Trophy  |
| Reserve Champion Junior       | \$30.00 and Rosette |
| Reserve Champion Intermediate | \$30.00 and Rosette |
| Reserve Champion Senior       | \$30.00 and Rosette |

**COSTUME CONTEST** Junior, Intermediate and Senior Winner, will receive a prize and ribbon.

## OPEN YOUTH HORSE SHOW



### SHOW SCHEDULE

Fair Event Coordinator: Terry Stout

Entry Deadline..... October 7, 2005

Arrival Time.....Saturday, October 29, 2005 – 12:30 p.m.

Judging Begins.....Saturday, October 29, 2005– 2:00 p.m.

### PURPOSE

1. To use the Horse Program as a tool in the total development and growth of youth in 4-H, FFA and other youth groups.
2. To provide a learning experience in showing.
3. To provide youth a means to provide themselves financial security for their futures.
4. To provide opportunities for demonstrating skills learned in selecting, breeding, fitting and showing horses.

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Youth exhibitors must have reached their 8<sup>th</sup> birthday by September 1 of the current year and not passed their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday or graduated from high school.
2. Horses must be owned or leased by youth exhibitor or member of the immediate family.
3. Horses arriving at time other than stated above must have prior approval of the Fair Event Coordinator.
4. All animals must be broken to lead and in suitable condition for showing in order to compete for premiums.
5. Fair Management, Event Coordinator, or Extension Staff reserves the right to refuse an exhibitor entry into a class if they deem that entry unsafe for the exhibitor and/or other exhibitors or animals.
6. All exhibitors are required to wear an SEI or SEI/ASTM approved safety equestrian helmet with fastened chin harness in all classes and all warm-up and make-up areas. Additionally, appropriate footwear and approved helmets must be worn, with harness fastened, at all times when mounted. This pertains to the entire show area from the time of arrival until departure. Failure to comply may result in disqualification. (SEI – Safety Equipment Institute, ASTM – American Society of Testing and Measures)
7. “Tuning-up” by persons other than the exhibitor is prohibited. Lunging (in halter with no other tack or equipment on the animal) by someone other than the exhibitor is permitted. **Failure to comply may result in disqualification of the contestant.**

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## TIME SCHEDULE

**Wednesday, October 7** - Pre-registration for all your entries due (4-H Fair Entries, Okaloosa Extension Service, 5479 Old Bethel Rd., Crestview, FL 32536-5512). Entry forms are included with this book, in the August 4-H Newsletter or are available at the Okaloosa Extension Service and Fairgrounds.

**Thursday, October 20, 4:00-8:00 P.M.** - All items to be judged must be brought to the Fairgrounds Extension Building. Be sure entry is officially checked in and recorded. DO NOT just set them down and leave.

**Friday, October 21** - 9:30 a.m. JUDGING; 5:00 p.m. FAIR OPENS

**Saturday, October 22** - Open Youth Lamb Show, 5:00 p.m.

**Monday, October 24** - Open Youth Breeding Beef Show, 7:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, October 25** - 4-H Poultry Showmanship Show, 7:00 p.m.

**Wednesday, October 26** - Open Youth Dairy Goat and Market Meat Goat Show, 5:30 p.m.

**Thursday, October 27** - 4-H Dog Show and Costume Contest, 7:00 p.m.

**Saturday, October 29** - 4-H Consumer Choice Judging Contest, 11:00 a.m., Open Youth Horse Show, 2:00 p.m.

**Sunday-Wednesday, October 30-November 2, 8:00- 4:00 p.m.**

Remove exhibits from Fairgrounds.

## 4-H CLUB DEPARTMENT

### PROJECT EXHIBITS

This department is open to all bonafide Okaloosa County 4-H members. Each 4-H member may enter up to 3 exhibits in each project area he/she is interested in. Items must have been made by 4-H'ers in the past year (since November 1, 2004).

Pre-registration is required and should be submitted by October 7 to the 4-H Office. Registration forms are available at the 4-H Office or Fair Office. No additions or alterations of entries will be accepted after the registration deadline. A 4-H project exhibit can be one or more items made in a 4-H project. It can also be a tabletop exhibit consisting of poster, handouts, etc. to depict what a 4-H'er is doing in a project. Project areas are listed below. 4-H'ers are encouraged to develop individual ideas for project exhibits, using the project book as a guide.

## **4-H PROJECT EXHIBIT**

PROJECT EXHIBITS MUST BE NO LARGER THAN 18" WIDE BY 18" TALL BY 18" DEEP. EXHIBITS THAT DO NOT FOLLOW SIZE LIMITATIONS WILL BE REFUSED. POSTERS ALONE ARE NOT CONSIDERED AN EXHIBIT.

All judging will be done by the Danish System. Each project display will be presented a ribbon and premium. There will be Special Merit Awards for 4-H exhibits that demonstrate especially outstanding efforts and excellent quality. However, no more than 5 of these awards will be available. Decisions of the judges will be final.

### **SCORECARD**

1. Quality of workmanship and appearance of finished project display; proper size - 40 points
2. Neatness - 15 points
3. Draws emphasis to what has been learned in project, i.e. clothing construction... submit a garment appropriate for project level skills - 20 points
4. Appropriateness of display in relation to project area, i.e. a box of mounted seashells for Marine Science is inappropriate until they are properly categorized, labeled and shown according to the project manual - 25 points

**TOTAL - 100 Points**

### **4-H PROJECT PREMIUMS**

BLUE RIBBON	\$ 8.00
RED RIBBON	\$ 6.00
WHITE RIBBON	\$ 4.00
HONORABLE MENTION	\$ 2.00
SPECIAL MERIT AWARD	\$10.00



## **AGE REQUIREMENTS**

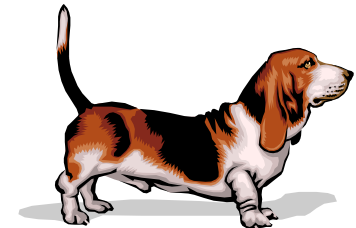
- Clover buds – Must be at least 5 years old by September 1, 2005 and not have reached their 8th birthday by September 1, 2005.
- Junior Division - Must be at least 8 years old by September 1, 2005 and not have reached their 11th birthday by September 1, 2005.
- Intermediate Division – Must be at least 11 years old by September 1, 2005 and not have reached their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday by September 1, 2005
- Senior Division - Must be at least 14 years old by September 1, 2005 and not have reached their 19th birthday by September 1, 2005 or graduated from high school.

## **PREMIUMS**

- 1st Place - \$10.00  
2nd Place - \$8.00  
3rd Place - \$6.00  
4th Place - \$4.00  
Honorable Mention - \$2.00

## **CATEGORIES**

1. Smallest Dog
2. Largest Dog
3. Happiest Dog
4. Dog That Most Resembles His/Her Owner
5. Most Obedient Dog (follows basic obedience commands)
6. Showmanship (grooming and handling)
7. Best Trick
8. Best Costume



## 4-H DOG SHOW AND COSTUME CONTEST

Fair Event Coordinator: Pam Goodwin

Entry Deadline: October 7, 2005

Registration: 6:30 p.m., Thursday, October 27, 2005

Judging: Begins promptly at 7:00 p.m., October 27, 2005



- Exhibitors must be 4-H members.
- Dogs must be owned by 4-H'er or member of the immediate family.
- Pre-registration is required by October 7, 2005.
- No entry fee is required.
- Pure-bred and mixed breed dogs are welcomed as entries.
- Animals must be leashed at all times - no dogs may be left unattended.
- **Each owner/handler must be able to control their dog.**
- Each owner/handler is liable and responsible for his or her dog's behavior. Any dog misbehaving will be excluded from participation and may be required to leave the Fairgrounds.
- All dogs are required to have up-to-date shots. Veterinarian proof of shots is required at show check-in.
- All dogs must be at least six (6) months of age.
- No female dogs in season will be allowed to compete.
- Each exhibitor is responsible for picking up after his or her dog.
- Exhibitors with dogs will be required to stay at area provided for the Dog Show ONLY. Dogs will not be allowed in carnival area or in fair buildings.
- Cloverbud, Junior, Intermediate and Senior entries will be judged in separate divisions and ribbons awarded in each division.
- All entries will receive a ribbon and premium, there may be more than one honorable mention or participation ribbon in each category.
- Cloverbuds will receive a participation ribbon and \$5.00 premium in each category.
- A special Award will be given to the Outstanding 4-H'er and Dog Team. (Based on handler and dog's ability to work together.) They will receive a rosette and \$15.00 premium.
- All decisions of the Judge(s) are final.

## CATEGORIES - 4-H EXHIBITS

1. Aquatic and Marine Environment - no live exhibit
2. Career Exploration, Citizenship and Leadership
3. Clothing
4. Companion Animal - no live exhibits
5. Consumer Education, Family Economics and Home Management
6. Earth Connections
  - A. Includes exhibits on interdependence of air, earth, soil and water; natural resources conservation and quality, soil science, geology, weather, atmosphere and the stars
7. Energy
8. Food and Nutrition (General)
  - A. Must not require refrigeration
  - B. Recipe must be included on 3" X 5" card
  - C. Foods will be judged on appearance, texture, flavor
  - D. Must be entered on disposable containers
  - E. Quantity required: ½ cake, ½ pie, 1 doz. cookies, ½ loaf bread, ½ doz. biscuits, ½ doz. muffins
  - F. Food of any type may be entered but no highly perishable food will be accepted
  - G. No commercially prepared mixes may be used (Exception – Quick Breads)
9. Food Science and Safety
  - A. Includes exhibits regarding food safety topics and food science, such as vacuum packaging, food irradiation, pesticides, food additives and biotechnology in foods
  - B. Food Preservation Exhibit
    - 1) Must be packaged in standard canning jars
    - 2) No rings should be left on jars
    - 3) Recipe procedure must be included on 3" X 5" card
    - 4) Jar must be labeled with contents
    - 5) Pickles, preserves, jams, jellies, fruits, vegetables and meats may be entered
10. Forests and Other Terrestrial Environments
  - A. Includes exhibits on forest ecosystems, forest conservation, wildlife management, entomology and beekeeping
  - B. No live exhibits
11. General Animal Science - no live exhibits
12. General Category
  - A. Includes all exhibits **not** related to other categories listed
13. Health

14. Horse
15. Housing and Home Environment
16. Human Development
17. Leisure Arts/Recreation
  - A. Includes all exhibits on leisure activities and recreation, including, shooting sports, areas of archery and riflery, music, arts & crafts, cake decorating, floral arranging, wood-working, and metal crafts
18. Mechanical and Electronic Science
19. Media Arts
  - A. Includes exhibits on all phases of photography, graphic arts, computer graphics, CAD, video or other current technologies used for communication media
20. Petroleum Power and Small Engines
21. Plant Connections
  - A. Includes all exhibits relating to production and marketing of fruits, vegetables, flowers, turf, ornamental, field crops and forage. landscaping, green houses, propagation soils, hanging baskets, bulbs, citrus and harvesting or processing crops
  - B. Gardening Project
    - 1) Harvested fruits and vegetables
    - 2) Each entry is to be composed of several items arranged in an attractive display; unusual or large specimens may be entered singly
  - C. Ornamental Project
    - 1) Specimens must be owned by member and been in his/her possession for at least three months
    - 2) Plants and flowers must be labeled with common and botanical name
    - 3) All plants must be in good condition. Containers should be covered for attractive display
    - 4) Exhibitors must leave written instructions with event chairman concerning special care of their exhibit
22. Safety
23. Veterinary Science
24. Waste Management
  - A. Includes exhibits relating to the management of solid and hazardous waste such as reducing, reusing, recycling, litter control and composting as a recycling/waste management process
25. Photo Scrap booking
  - A. Youth can exhibit up to six (6) scrap booking pages as one (1) exhibit

### **Division C: Youth Meat Goat Showmanship Contest**

- Class 1: Juniors 8-10 years  
 Class 2: Intermediates 11-13 years  
 Class 3: Seniors 14-18 years

### **Division D: Youth Pet Goat Showmanship Contest**

- Class 1: Juniors 8-10 years  
 Class 2: Intermediates 11-13 years  
 Class 3: Seniors 14-18 years

### **Premium Schedule**

- 1<sup>st</sup> - \$30.00  
 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$25.00  
 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$20.00  
 4<sup>th</sup> - \$15.00  
 5<sup>th</sup> - \$10.00  
 Grand Champion = \$20.00 and Plaque  
 Reserve Champion - \$10.00 and Rosette

### **Division E: Commercial Meat Goats**

- Class 1 – Weight I  
 Class 2 – Weight II  
 Class 3 – Weight III

### **Premium Schedule**

- 1<sup>st</sup> - \$20.00  
 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$17.00  
 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$15.00  
 4<sup>th</sup> - \$10.00  
 5<sup>th</sup> - \$5.00  
 Grand Champion - \$15.00 and Plaque  
 Reserve Champion - \$10.00 and Rosette



**Division A: Dairy Goat Showmanship Contest**

- Class 1: Juniors 8-10 years
- Class 2: Intermediates 11-13 years
- Class 3: Seniors 14-18 years

**Premium Schedule**

- 1<sup>st</sup> - \$30.00
- 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$25.00
- 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$20.00
- 4<sup>th</sup> - \$15.00
- 5<sup>th</sup> - \$10.00
- Grand Showman – \$20.00 and Plaque
- Reserve Showman - \$10.00 and Rosette

**Division B: Youth Dairy Goat Show**

- Class 1 - Junior Doelings 6-12 months
- Class 2 - Junior Doelings 12-24 months
- Class 3 - Senior Milkers 2-3 years old
- Class 4 - Senior Milkers 4 years and over

**Premium Schedule**

- 1<sup>st</sup> - \$20.00
- 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$17.00
- 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$15.00
- 4<sup>th</sup> - \$10.00
- 5<sup>th</sup> - \$5.00
- Grand Junior Doe - \$15.00 and Plaque
- Reserve Junior Doe - \$10.00 and Rosette
- Grand Senior Doe - \$15.00 and Plaque
- Reserve Senior Doe - \$10.00 and Rosette

**Meat Goat Rules and Regulations:**

1. Commercial goats will be weighed and tagged with a show number at 6:30 p.m., October 26, 2005.
2. Youth exhibitors must have reached their 8<sup>th</sup> birthday by September 1 of the current year and not passed their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday or graduated from high school.
3. All goats must be carrying all milk teeth at weigh-in.
4. All goats must be dehorned or have horns tipped.
5. All goats must have I.D. – scrapie tags where applicable.
6. Showmanship goats must be owned by exhibitor for at least 60 days prior to show.
7. NO BUCK GOATS of any age will be accepted.
8. Exhibitors must be clean and neat and dressed in long pants or skirt with a solid white dress shirt or blouse. Closed toe shoes are required.

**4-H CLUB BOOTHS**

The purpose of the club booths is to depict a part of 4-H to non-4-H'ers and to the general public. **It must be in place by Thursday, October 20, 2005, at 8:00 p.m.**

Each club will receive \$100.00 to help offset costs of exhibits.

**THEME:** Each club will select a theme for its booth. This must be submitted along with a sketched plan to the 4-H Office by October 1, 2005.

**SIZE:** The 4-H booth will be approximately 10' wide and 8' deep with a partial divider between booths. Each of the booth's dimensions varies, and measuring is recommended.

**PREMIUMS**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place - \$80.00 - Blue Rosette
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - \$60.00 - Red Rosette
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - \$40.00 - White Rosette
- 4<sup>th</sup> Place - \$20.00 - Honorable Mention

**SCORECARD**

1. Uses effective caption on title sign - short, catchy, appropriate, well placed - 10 points
2. Draws attention, causes people to stop - 15 points
3. Arouses and holds interest, makes people stop long enough to read & study essentials of materials - 20 points
4. Has much educational value. Presents facts worth knowing and using in a way easy to remember - 25 points
5. Has pleasing appearance. Booth appropriately, conservatively and neatly decorated - 20 points
6. Uses explanatory material effectively - 10 points

**TOTAL.....100 POINTS**

## **GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND LIMITATIONS FOR LIVESTOCK EXHIBITS**

1. Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) Required. All Animals for exhibition in Florida, unless specifically exempted, must be accompanied by an OCVI issued by a veterinarian accredited in the state of origin.
  - a. The OCVI must be complete including the breed, name and registration number, and permanent identification such as tattoo, eartag number, microchip number, or brand.
  - b. Results of a specific test requirement or herd certification or validation number for each animal must be recorded on the OCVI with the date of the test or herd certification or validation.
2. For exhibition purposes only, an OCVI is valid for 90 days from the date of issue; or until the expiration of any required tests, whichever is the earliest date. For importation into the State, the OCVI is valid for 30 days pursuant to paragraph 5C-3.002(1)(c), F.A.C.
3. Exemption to Required OCVI. An OCVI is not required for animals originating in the State of Florida and entered in market classes provided that the animals are segregated from other animals and the pens are occupied only by the animals in a market class. Pens used for market classes must not be reused until after cleaning and disinfecting.
4. Prior to acceptance at an exhibition, all animals presented for exhibition must be visually inspected by a veterinarian licensed in the state of Florida, or by a Department representative for:
  - a. The required identification of the animal;
  - b. Clinical signs of disease; and
  - c. Evidence of compliance with test requirements.
5. Any animal which has clinical signs of contagious or infectious disease on visual inspection or any animal which is known to be exposed must be:
  - a. Withdrawn from exhibition and returned to the place of origin, or
  - b. Examined at the owner's expense within 24 hours by a veterinarian licensed in the State of Florida who certifies by a signed written statement that the animal is free of contagious or infectious disease.

Specific Authority 585.002(4), 585.08(2)(a), 585.145(1), (2) FS



## **OPEN YOUTH DAIRY GOAT & MARKET GOAT SHOW**

Fair Event Coordinator: Dr. Reese Williamson

Entry Deadline: October 7, 2005

Entry Fee: None

Arrival Time: October 26, 2005, 5:00 p.m. for check in

Dairy Goat Show: October 26, 2005, 5:30 p.m.

Market Meat Goat Show: October 26, 2005, 7:00 p.m. or

½ hour after Dairy Goat Show (Weighed-in and tagged at 6:30 p.m.)

(Shows are open to youth who reside in the Florida panhandle, and southern Alabama Counties.)



Goats or sheep presented for exhibition in Florida must be accompanied by an Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection dated not more than 90 days prior to presentation. Goats must be accompanied by evidence of completion of the test requirements or certifications listed below.

Tuberculosis - All goats over six months of age must have a negative tuberculin test within 90 days prior to exhibition or must originate from an Accredited Tuberculosis-Free Herd, as defined in rule 5C- 7.016(1), Florida Administrative Code. When accredited, the accredited herd number must be recorded on the Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.

Brucellosis - All goats over six months of age must be negative to a brucellosis test within 90 days prior to exhibition or must originate from a Certified Brucellosis-Free Herd. A Certified Brucellosis-Free Goat Herd is a herd which meets the requirements for a Certified Brucellosis-Free Herd as set forth in 5C-6.002, Florida Administrative Code. When certified, the certified herd number must be recorded on the Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.

Specific Authority 5C-4.005 FS

### **Dairy Goat Rules and Regulations:**

1. All animals shall have a negative TB and Brucellosis test within 90 days and an official health certificate within 90 days.
2. Youth exhibitors must have reached their 8<sup>th</sup> birthday by September 1 of the current year and not passed their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday or graduated from high school.
3. Goats must have been owned and in possession of youth exhibitor for 60 days prior to the date of the show.
4. All animals must be dehorned or have horns tipped.
5. Exhibitors must be clean and neat and dressed in long pants or skirt with solid white dress shirt or blouse. Closed toe shoes are required.

15. Showmanship will be divided into five classes:  
 5-7 years old                      11-13 years old  
 8-10 years old                    14-18 years old

Youth ages 5-7 years old will receive a rosette and \$5.00 premium for participation.

16. All decisions of the judge(s) will be final.



**EXHIBITION PREMIUMS**

Blue Ribbon	\$10.00
Red Ribbon	\$ 5.00
White Ribbon	\$ 3.00
Honorable Mention	\$ 2.00
Best Standard Breed	\$15.00 and Rosette
Best Bantam Breed	\$15.00 and Rosette
Best Exotic Breed	\$15.00 and Rosette
Best Game Bird Breed	\$15.00 and Rosette
Best Miscellaneous Breed	\$15.00 and Rosette
Best Poultry Pair In Show Award	\$20.00 and Trophy

**SHOWMANSHIP SHOW**

**PREMIUMS**

Youth 5-7 years old - will receive a rosette and \$5.00 premium for participation.

Youth 5-7, 8-10, 11-13, and 14-18 years old - will receive show premiums and a rosette for first through third place awards. Premiums and a ribbon will be awarded for fourth and fifth place.

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place - \$10.00 and Rosette
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - \$8.00 and Rosette
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - \$6.00 and Rosette
- 4<sup>th</sup> Place - \$5.00 and Ribbon
- 5<sup>th</sup> Place - \$3.00 and Ribbon
- 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> Place - \$2.00 and Honorable Mention Ribbon

Showmanship Champion	\$25.00 and Trophy
Showmanship Reserve Champion	\$15.00 and Rosette

**GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS  
FOR LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS**

All exhibitors are cautioned to read carefully the following rules and regulations, as they will be enforced strictly, with no deviation.

**Administration of Rules and Regulations**

The Northwest Florida Fair Association and the Okaloosa Extension Service reserve the final and absolute right to interpret these rules and regulations and to arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions, and differences in regards thereto, or otherwise arising out of or connected with or incident to the Show, and right to amend or add to these rules as its judgment may determine. An exhibitor who violates any of the following rules will forfeit all privileges and premiums and be subject to such penalty as the Northwest Florida Fair may order.

**Statement of Liability**

1. All livestock exhibits will be under the direction of the Northwest Florida Fair Association and the Okaloosa Extension Service, but the Northwest Florida Fair Association, University of Florida, Okaloosa Extension Service, its employees and volunteers, and the Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners, will in no case be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur. Each exhibitor will be solely responsible for any consequential or other loss, injury or damage done to, or occasioned by, or arising from, any animal or article exhibited by him/her and for its description as given in the catalog, and shall indemnify the Northwest Florida Fair Association, University of Florida, Okaloosa Extension Service, its employees and volunteers, and Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners, against all legal or other proceedings in regard thereto, as well as damage or injury to any other person or property, caused by the exhibitor, or any of the animals exhibited by him/her, or arising out of, or in any way connected with such exhibition of any of the animals so exhibited.

2. The Fair Management and Okaloosa Extension Service reserves the right to remove from the grounds any exhibit, animal, or fowl that may be falsely entered or may be deemed unsuitable or objectionable.

3. Each exhibitor (and exhibitor's parent or legal guardian) must sign the statement acknowledging that he/she understands and will abide by the liability requirements and rules and regulations of the Northwest Florida Fair and Okaloosa Extension Service. If the exhibitor does not sign this statement his/her application for entry will not be accepted.

## OPEN MARKET LAMB SHOW



### SHOW SCHEDULE

Fair Event Coordinator: Lonnie Steinfath

Entry Deadline.....October 7, 2005

Arrival Time/Weigh in....3:30p.m., Saturday,  
October 22, 2005

Judging Begins.....5:00 p.m., October 22, 2005

### PURPOSE

- A. To use the market lamb project as a tool in the total development of youth in 4-H/FFA/Other Youth Groups. This is especially adapted to rural non-farm and urban situations.
- B. To provide a learning experience in livestock production.
- C. To develop an appreciation of livestock among youth who may not be able to handle other types of large animal projects.

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

Sheep presented for exhibition in Florida must be accompanied by an Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection dated not more than 90 days prior to presentation.

New USDA requirements for sheep effective November 19, 2001 includes – All breeding sheep and sheep over 18 months of age need to be officially identified as not having been exposed to scrapie before they enter interstate commerce. Also, all sexually intact sheep of any age going to any show, demonstration or exhibition “out of state,” or “in state” show, demonstration or exhibition where sheep from another state might be on site must be officially identified. Sheep not wearing official ID tags or other official certified markings approved by the USDA will not be accepted for showing, demonstration or exhibition by the Northwest Florida Fair.

1. Lambs must be owned and in possession of the youth exhibitor at least 60 days prior to the date of the show.
2. Youth exhibitors must have reached their 8<sup>th</sup> birthday by September 1 of the current year and not passed their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday or graduated from high school. Further, the exhibitor must reside in Florida panhandle and south Alabama Counties.

1. Poultry must be owned and in possession of the 4-H or FFA youth exhibitor at least 60 days prior to the date of the show.
2. a. Youth exhibitors in showmanship must be bona fide 4-H or FFA members, and must have reached their 5<sup>th</sup> birthday by September 1 of the current year and not passed their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday or graduated from high school. Further, the exhibitor must reside in Florida panhandle or south Alabama Counties.  
b. Youth exhibitors showing pair exhibits must not have passed their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday or graduated from high school.
3. Poultry must be 6 months of age or older, and it is not recommended exhibiting birds older than 3 years or age depending on body condition and condition of plumage.
4. Each youth exhibitor may show up to five pairs of poultry or game birds.
5. Each pair will consist of one male and one female of the same breed or variety.
6. Bring poultry entries to the Poultry Building located behind and to the left of the main fair buildings. Exhibitors must remain with their birds until veterinary examination has been conducted and birds are accepted for showing.
7. Poultry will remain at the fairgrounds during the duration of the Fair. Poultry can be removed from the fair site Sunday, October 30, 3:00-6:00 p.m. Removal prior to that time will cause forfeiture of premium money and/or other awards.
9. Feed and water for the poultry will be provided by the “Hot Wings 4-H Club”.
10. All animals must be clean and well groomed.
11. Be sure to bring healthy birds to the fair as they will be examined by the State Veterinarian. Birds with external parasites, displaying runny eyes or noses, sneezing or displaying other indications of illness or disease will not be accepted for showing. Bring Showmanship chickens, if different from Exhibition pairs at check in time to be tested as well.
12. All poultry will be tested for negative Pullorum-Typhoid before being caged and accepted for showing.
13. Poultry pairs will be judged by the standard of perfection as described in the “American Poultry Standard of Perfection” guidelines. There will be one Best Poultry Pair In Show awarded, receiving a premium, and trophy.

## OPEN YOUTH POULTRY SHOW EXHIBITS

### EXHIBIT SCHEDULE

Fair Event Coordinator: Darlene Bowden

Entry Deadline.....October 7, 2005

Arrival Time & Veterinary Check in....4:00-6:00 p.m.,  
Thursday, October 20,  
2005

Exhibit Judging.....9:30 a.m., October 21, 2005

Removal of Poultry..... 3:00-6:00 p.m., October 30, 2005



### SHOWMANSHIP SCHEDULE

Entry Deadline.....October 7, 2005

Veterinary Check in.....4:00-6:00 p.m., Thursday,  
October 20, 2005

Showmanship Judging Check in.....6:30 p.m., October 25, 2005

Showmanship Judging.....7:00 p.m., October 25, 2005

### PURPOSE

1. To use the poultry project as a tool in the total development of youth in 4-H. This is especially adapted to rural non-farm and urban situations.
2. To provide a learning experience in livestock production.
3. To develop an appreciation of livestock among 4-H youth who may not be able to handle other types of large animal projects.

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

An Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection is required for all poultry, domestic birds and ratites for movement into Florida and for exhibition at the Northwest Florida Fair. All poultry entered for exhibition must originate from Pullorum-Typhoid clean flocks or hatcheries, as defined in rule 5C-16.008, Florida Administrative Code, or have a negative Pullorum-Typhoid test within 90 days prior to exhibition. However, poultry, domestic birds and ratites may be presented for exhibition without an Official Certification of Veterinary Inspection if inspected as provided in 5C-4.001(4) by a representative from the Florida Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal Industry. A State Veterinarian or representative will be present at the Northwest Florida Fair site to inspect all poultry for disease and test for Pullorum-Typhoid before birds will be caged. Poultry showing any signs of disease, testing positive for Pullorum-Typhoid, or having external parasites will not be accepted for exhibition.

3. Lambs must not be older than 12 months of age and will still have milk teeth. Lambs must be wethers or open ewe lambs.
4. Market classes will be divided by weight.
5. Lambs will be shown with less than .5 inch of wool.
6. Exhibitor may show up to three lambs in the show. All lambs must be trained for show and controlled by the exhibitor.
7. No entry fee is required.
8. All market lambs entered for exhibition must have an official health certificate, and ID tag or certified marking that they have not been exposed to scrapie.
9. All decisions of the judge(s) will be final.

### SHOWMANSHIP CONTEST

Class 1: 8-10 years

Class 2: 11-13 years

Class 3: 14-18 years

### PREMIUMS

Show premiums and ribbons will be awarded in Classes 1 - 3, as follows:

1 <sup>st</sup> - \$20	4 <sup>th</sup> - \$14	7 <sup>th</sup> - \$8	10 <sup>th</sup> - \$5
2 <sup>nd</sup> - \$18	5 <sup>th</sup> - \$12	8 <sup>th</sup> - \$6	
3 <sup>rd</sup> - \$16	6 <sup>th</sup> - \$10	9 <sup>th</sup> - \$5	

Costume Contest – Premiums and Ribbons awarded. All participants will receive a ribbon.

1 <sup>st</sup> - \$15	2 <sup>nd</sup> - \$10	3 <sup>rd</sup> - \$5
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Market Classes (6 weight divisions) will be awarded premiums and ribbons.

Additional premium money will be awarded as follows:

Showmanship Champion - \$40 and trophy  
 Showmanship Reserve Champion - \$25 and trophy  
 Market Champion - \$30 and trophy  
 Market Reserve Champion - \$20 and trophy.

## OPEN YOUTH BREEDING BEEF SHOW

Fair Event Coordinator: Lonnie Steinfath  
Entry Deadline: October 7, 2005  
Arrival time: October 24, 2005 at 4:00-6:00 p.m.  
Judging begins: October 24, 2005 at 7:00 p.m.



### **Purpose**

1. To use the Breeding Beef Cattle Program as a tool in the total development and growth of youth in 4-H, FFA, and other youth groups.
2. To provide a learning experience in production agriculture.
3. To provide youth a means to provide themselves financial security for their future.
4. To provide opportunities for demonstrating skills learned in selecting, producing, breeding, fitting and showing cattle.

### **Rules and Regulations**

1. Cattle arriving at times other than stated above must have prior approval of the Event Coordinator.
2. Early registration would be advisable since space is limited. Entries will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis.
3. All animals must be broken to lead and in suitable condition for showing in order to compete for premiums.
4. The Northwest Florida Fair will not be responsible for damage done by animals or injuries to animals. (Read General Rules and Regulations for Livestock Exhibitors)
5. Youth exhibitors must have reached their 8<sup>th</sup> birthday by September 1 of the current year and not passed their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday or graduated from high school. Further, the exhibitor must reside in the Florida panhandle or south Alabama Counties.
6. Heifers exhibited must be between the ages of 6-24 months.
7. Cattle may be purebred or crossbred.
8. Cattle will be shown in classes based on age.
9. Exhibitors may enter up to three (3) animals.
10. Exhibitors must own or lease an animal a minimum of 60 days prior to show.

### Showmanship

Class 1 – 8-10 years old  
Class 2 – 11-13 years old  
Class 3 – 14-18 years old

### Premiums

1<sup>st</sup> - \$35      5<sup>th</sup> - \$15  
2<sup>nd</sup> - \$30      6<sup>th</sup> - \$10  
3<sup>rd</sup> - \$25      7<sup>th</sup> - \$5  
4<sup>th</sup> - \$20      8<sup>th</sup> - \$3

### Youth Breeding Beef Show

Class 1 – Heifers age 6-12 months  
Class 2 – Heifers age 12-18 months  
Class 3 – Heifers age 18-24 months

Champion Heifer - \$30 and trophy  
Reserve Champion Heifer - \$20 and trophy  
Champion Showperson - \$40 and trophy  
Reserve Champion Showperson - \$30 and trophy

Cattle presented for exhibition in Florida must be accompanied by an Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection dated not more than 90 days prior to presentation.

#### Tuberculosis:

1. Cattle may be entered for exhibition without a tuberculin test provided the OCVI identifies the cattle as originating from a Tuberculosis-Free State, an Accredited Tuberculosis-Free Herd, or a herd not under quarantine in a Modified Accredited Tuberculosis State. When accredited, the herd accreditation number must be recorded on the OCVI.
2. Other cattle may be entered for exhibition provided the cattle originate from a herd not under quarantine and have a negative tuberculin test within 30 days prior to the date of the exhibition.
3. A positive test on any animal in a designated group, disqualifies all animals of the group from exhibition.

#### Brucellosis:

1. Vaccination Required. All female dairy cattle four months of age or older born after January 1, 1984 must be officially calfhooed vaccinated.
2. Test Required. Cattle from herds not under quarantine in Class A Areas must have evidence of a negative brucellosis test within 30 days prior to the date of exhibition.
3. Exemption from Required Test.
  - a. Steers and spayed heifers are exempt from the brucellosis test requirement.
  - b. Cattle identified on the OCVI as originating from a Certified Brucellosis-Free Herd, or a Class Free Area, are exempt from the brucellosis test requirement. When certified, the herd certification number must be recorded on the OCVI.
  - c. Cattle from non-quarantined herds originating from Class A Areas are exempt from brucellosis test requirements provided that the cattle are:
    1. Under 18 months of age; or
    2. Official calfhooed vaccinates of beef breeds under 24 months of age; or
    3. Official calfhooed vaccinates of dairy breeds under 20 months of age; and
    4. Not parturient or post parturient.

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