



4-H Pet Fun Show

Tuesday, July 26, 4:30pm
Large Arena

General Rules:

1. Cat/Dog/Pet exhibitors must be enrolled in the 4-H Cat, Dog, or Pet Care project.
2. **Cloverbuds** taking a small animal project may also participate in the Pet classes only (Pet Photo, Musical Dog Houses, Best Dressed, Egg & Spoon, Best kept, Best trick, Most loveable, cutest Pet, Best look alike, waggiest tail, most unique pet) Cloverbuds will receive a participation ribbon for participating in any or all the Pet classes.
3. 4-Hers, ages 8-18, must have received at least a **white ribbon** during 4-H Roundup. Requirements include:

Cat – Members care for and keep records on one or more cats.

Along with a 4-H Activity Book, members must complete:

1. **Four** complete activities plus the goals and highlights, **initialed and dated in pen,** in: *one per exhibitor*
 - a Purr-fect Pals – Level 1
 - b Climbing Up – Level 2
 - c Cat Connections – Level 3
2. Dog and Cat Project Record – *one per animal*
3. Poster or educational display about something learned in the a Project Activity Guide **or** bring animal(s) to the pet show on July 28.

Dog – Members care for and keep records on one or more dogs:

1. 4-H activity Book
2. **Four** complete activities plus the goals and highlights and achievement program, **initialed and dated in pen,** in: *one per exhibitor*
 - a Wiggles and Wags – Level 1
 - b Canine \Connection – Level 2
 - c Leading the Pack – Level 3
3. Dog and Cat Project Record – *one per animal*
4. Quality Assurance Certificate

Pet Care Pet Care* - Members learn about responsible pet care by caring for and keeping records about a pet of their choice for at least three months and by doing activities to find, share, and use information about their type of pet.

Along with 4-H Activity book members must complete:

1. At least 4 activities plus goals and highlights and achievement program, **dated and initialed,** in:
 - a. Pet Pals, Level 1
 - b. Scurrying Ahead, Level 2

c. Scaling the Heights, Level 3
2 All activities in Pet Care Project Member's Guide and Record Level 1
Quality assurance Certificate

4. Ownership of the project animal is not mandatory, but each member must have use of a pet. Two or more members can not share the same pet.
5. Show entries must be received in FairEntry by **July 1st**.
6. Cruelty or rough handling of dogs or pets will not be allowed at any time. The judge may disqualify anyone mistreating an animal.
7. Pets must arrive on a leash or in a carrying case.
8. Members shall act as young ladies and gentlemen at all times. Politeness and good sportsmanship is mandatory. No exceptions.
9. Participants may compete in one or more classes for which they are eligible.
10. Failure to adhere to the foregoing rules will result in forfeiture of any awards won.

Health Rules:

1. All **dogs and cats** must have proof of rabies vaccination at the show. PDA will only recognize a rabies vaccination administered by a licensed veterinarian or under the direct supervision of a licensed veterinarian. Therefore, **exhibitors must submit a rabies certificate signed by a licensed veterinarian as proof of vaccination.**
2. Pets must be healthy and free from parasites.

Arrival Time/Check Out:

1. Pets must arrive and be checked in at the Large Arena between **4:00pm and 4:15pm.**
2. Pets will be released at the conclusion of the show.

Dress Code: Individuals should give careful consideration to personal grooming:

1. Closed-toed shoes will be required.
2. Clothing should be neat, clean, and 4-H appropriate:
 - i. no torn jeans
 - ii. all shorts and skirts must be fingertip length or longer
 - iii. all tops must cover at least TWO inches of both shoulders and completely cover the midriff

Classes

Pet Classes.....\$10.00 \$8.00 \$6.00 \$4.00 \$2.00

1. Musical Dog Houses – Exhibitors and their pets will play a version of musical chairs.
2. Best Kept Pet – All animals will be judged on cleanliness of eyes, teeth, ears, nails, coat/skin, body condition, and mannerisms.
3. Best Trick – All participants will perform their best trick.
4. Egg & Spoon Race – Pets and owners will compete in an egg and spoon race.
5. Best Dressed - All competitors should bring a costume for their pet or their pet’s carrier.
6. Pet Photo Contest – Bring your favorite 8X10 photo of your pet to be judged.
7. Categories: Members will have one minute to show that their pet is the best in the following categories:

Ribbons only for #7

- a. Most Loveable Pet
- b. Cutest Pet
- c. Best Look Alike (looks like their owner)
- d. Waggiest Tail
- e. Most Unique Pet

Dog Show.....\$10.00 \$8.00 \$6.00 \$4.00 \$2.00

1. Rally Obedience Class – Dogs will be judged on how well they sit, down, stay, come and other basic commands using AKC Rally-O format with signs. If you need information on signs, contact 4H Extension office 570-265-2896 .
2. Beginner Agility Class (Obstacle Course) – Dogs will be asked to run or walk through several obstacles on leash. Beginner level is for the exhibitors first two years showing in agility.
3. Advanced Agility Class – Prerequisite: Any introductory agility class. Handler directs a dog through an obstacle course in a race for both time and accuracy. Dogs may run off-leash with no food or toys as incentives..