

DIVISION 17: WOOL FLEECE

Coordinators, Steve and Joan Hobbs, 301-384-3150

1. **PURPOSE:** To encourage the production of better wool; for producers to learn more about the qualities of better wool; and for the public to learn more about the miracle fiber - wool.
2. **ELIGIBILITY:** Any producer may enter one fleece per breed, provided the producer owned the sheep at time of shearing. Open to any Montgomery County 4-H member.
 - a. Fleece must have been shorn in the past year.
 - b. A yearling fleece may be 16 months growth.
 - c. Fleeces entered by breed should be shorn from a sheep clearly representative of that breed. A commercial fleece may be from any sheep.
 - d. In case of controversy, the decision of the sheep superintendent and the judge is final.
3. **PREPARATION:** Fleece should be rolled properly, flesh side out and tied with paper twine in such a way as to allow adequate handling, yet not affect the character or attractiveness. Each fleece must be tagged with the following:
 - Name and address of exhibitor
 - Exhibitor number
 - Breed and sex and class entered
 - Number of months growth
 - That you are a 4-H Exhibitor
4. **ENTRY:** Fleeces must be delivered to the display area in Barn 32 between noon and 3 pm on Sunday, Aug. 14, 2011. The fleeces will be released on Saturday, Aug. 20, 2011, after 2 pm.
5. Fleeces will be judged 15 minutes after the wool show ends on Sunday, Aug. 14, 2011.

PREMIUMS:

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th
\$13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4

CLASSES:

1. White Wool, fine count
2. White Wool, medium count
3. White Wool, long count
4. Natural Wool, fine count
5. Natural Wool, medium count
6. Natural Wool, long count
7. Commercial Fleece
8. Champion Fleece - Rosette
9. Reserve Champion Fleece - Rosette

4-H DOG SHOW Department 15

SUPERINTENDENT

Julie Tune, 301-770-9149

Show Secretary: Pat Schaap, 301-854-2702

ENTRY DEADLINE

July 10, 2011

NO ENTRY FEE**JUDGES**

Obedience: Kathleen Brunner

Agility and Promotion: Linda L. Hulburt

JUDGING

Monday, Aug. 15: 9:00 am

in the Cattle Show Pavilion

enter through Dalamar St. entrance

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. All exhibitors must comply with General Rules and Regulations.
2. A 4-H Dog Project Registration and Verification must be on file with the 4-H Office no later than June 1 of the current year.
3. The dog show will follow AKC rules unless otherwise specified.
4. Any dog holding an AKC title may not compete in that class for which a title has been awarded.
5. Mixed breed or unregistered dogs are eligible for competition in this show.
6. Each exhibitor may compete in one showmanship class, one obedience class, one promotion class, and one agility class per dog.
7. See notes at the beginning of each section regarding required advancements for first place class winners at previous 4-H County Fair competitions. Previous winners who choose not to move up, may show with FEO (For Exhibition Only) Status. FEO Exhibitors will not be paid premiums.
8. All dogs shall be immunized for Parvo Viral Enteritis and have had a valid Rabies Vaccination within the past three years. Rabies Vaccination number and date shall be listed on the 4-H Dog Entry form available at the 4-H and Fair Offices. Rabies Certificate must be shown the day of show.
9. Dogs must be on a leash and under the control of the 4-H member during the event. All dog training within 12 months of the event must be done by the 4-H member. Dogs not completely trained by the 4-H member within this time frame must show FEO.
10. Following the show, 4-H members are requested to take their dogs home as soon as possible. Anyone planning to return may have their hand stamped at any of the entrances for a same-day re-entry admission.
11. Dogs will be issued a special pass to be allowed through the Fairground's gates. The pass must be retained by exhibitor at all times. The dogs must be off grounds at the end of the dog show. All Dog Exhibitors and family members must enter through the Dalamar Street entrance if entering Fairgrounds prior to 10 am on the day of show.
12. Any dog requiring a muzzle will not be allowed in the 4-H Dog Show.
13. Owners will be liable for any dog that bites. A dog that bites will be disqualified immediately and MUST be removed from the grounds promptly after owner completes a report in the Fair Office.
14. Fitting and Showing Junior, Intermediate, and Senior ribbons will be given out at the discretion of the judge.

15. Proper attire must be worn. No sandals or flip flops.
 - a. Boys: Khaki or dark trousers and a white shirt.
 - b. Girls: Khaki or dark slacks or skirt (worn at or below the knee) and a white blouse.

AKC Companion Dog or Companion Dog Excellent title (or equivalent) may only participate in the Open Class.

PREMIUMS:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$8	7	6	5	5

SPECIAL AWARDS:

- **Moody H. Sanders Memorial Trophy**, is offered to the Fitting and Showing Grand Champion by his daughter, Barbara Ridge.
- **Delta Theta Tau Sorority, Nu-Beta Chapter**, offers a trophy to the Grand Champion of the Promotion class.
- **Bobbie Ridge Hogleund** offers a trophy in memory of the first Obedience Grand Champion, Princess Pink Jade, to the Pre Novice Obedience Grand Champion.
- **Delta Theta Tau Sorority, Nu-Beta Chapter**, offers a trophy to the Novice Obedience Grand Champion.
- **Pat Schaap**, offers a trophy to the Graduate Novice Obedience Grand Champion.
- **Delta Theta Tau Sorority, Nu-Beta Chapter**, offers a trophy to the Open Obedience Grand Champion
- **The Delta Theta Tau Sorority, Nu Beta Chapter** offers a trophy for the Mahan Memorial Agility Course, first year Novice Grand Champion.
- The **Delta Theta Sorority, Nu Beta Chapter** offers a trophy to the Mahan Memorial Agility, Course Novice Grand Champion.
- **The Tune Family** offers a trophy to the Mahan Memorial Agility Course, Open Grand Champion.
- **The Tune Family**, offers a trophy to the Mahan Memorial Agility Course, Elite Grand Champion.
- **The Barbara Ridge Versatility Trophy** offered to the Kids N' Dogs 4-H Club is awarded to the member with the best participation — highest number of points — in fitting and showing, obedience, promotion and agility, all with the same dog.
- **Delta Theta Tau Sorority, Nu-Beta Chapter** offers an award in memory of Mae DiGuistino Mal, 4-H Alumni, to the exhibitor who moves up an obedience class from last year.
- The Highest Scoring In Obedience trophy is offered by **Dog Sense Unlimited** to the exhibitor with the highest score in the Obedience Division.

1. First Year Pre-Novice
2. Junior, Pre-Novice (age 8-10)
3. Intermediate, Pre-Novice (age 11-13)
4. Senior, Pre-Novice (age 14-18)
5. Pre-Novice Grand Champion - Rosette and Trophy
6. Pre-Novice Reserve Grand Champion - Rosette
7. Junior, Novice (age 8-10)
8. Intermediate, Novice (age 11-13)
9. Senior, Novice (age 14-18)
10. Novice Grand Champion - Rosette and Trophy
11. Novice Reserve Grand Champion- Rosette
12. Junior, Grad-Novice (age 8-10)
13. Intermediate, Grad-Novice (age 11-13)
14. Senior, Grad-Novice (age 14-18)
15. Grad-Novice Grand Champion - Rosette and Trophy
16. Grad-Novice Reserved Grand Champion - Rosette
17. Junior, Open A & B (age 8-10)
18. Intermediate, Open A & B (age 11-13)
19. Senior, Open A & B (age 14-18)
20. Open Grand Champion - Rosette and Trophy
21. Open Reserve Grand Champion - Rosette

DIVISION 3: MAHAN MEMORIAL AGILITY COURSE

NOTE: Exhibitors with dogs placing first in any previous County Fair Agility competition must move up to the next class level if their score is a qualifying score under NADAC rules until reaching and continuing to show in the Elite Class. Beginner classes are for entry level dogs still working on leash. Dogs with a NADAC or equivalent title in any level must move up to the next level until reaching the Elite Class.

Contact the 4-H Office for specific agility event rules.

PREMIUMS:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$8	7	6	5	5

1. Beginner Small Dog Division
2. Beginner Medium Dog Division
3. Beginner Large Dog Division
4. Beginner Grand Champion - Rosette and Trophy
5. Beginner Reserve Grand Champion - Rosette
6. Novice, Small Dog Division
7. Novice, Medium Dog Division
8. Novice, Large Dog Division
9. Novice, Grand Champion - Rosette and Trophy
10. Novice, Reserve Grand Champion - Rosette
11. Open, Small Dog Division
12. Open, Medium Dog Division
13. Open, Large Dog Division
14. Open, Grand Champion - Rosette and Trophy
15. Open, Reserve Grand Champion - Rosette
16. Elite, Small Dog Division
17. Elite, Medium Dog Division
18. Elite, Large Dog Division
19. Elite, Grand Champion - Rosette and Trophy
20. Elite, Reserve Grand Champion - Rosette

DIVISION 4: PROMOTION

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. See General Rules and Regulations for Promotion Classes.
2. No cross-entering between Classes 1 and 2.

DIVISION 1: FITTING AND SHOWING

NOTE: Exhibitors placing first in any previous County Fair Fitting and Showing competition must compete in the Open Class. (All but first year Fitting and Showing).

PREMIUMS:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$8	7	6	5	5

1. Junior, first year, (age 8-10)
2. Intermediate, first year, (age 11-13)
3. Senior, first year, (age 14-18)
4. Junior, novice (age 8-10)
5. Intermediate, novice (age 11-13)
6. Senior, novice (age 14-18)
7. Junior, Open (age 8-10)
8. Intermediate, Open (age 11-13)
9. Senior, Open (age 14-18)
10. Grand Champion - Rosette and Trophy
11. Reserve Champion - Rosette
12. Junior Champion - Ribbon
13. Intermediate Champion - Ribbon
14. Senior Champion - Ribbon

DIVISION 2: OBEDIENCE

NOTE: Exhibitors with dogs placing first in ANY previous County Fair Obedience competition must move up to the next class level or age group (unless they are the only exhibitor in the class) if their score is an AKC qualifying score until reaching and continuing to show in the Open Class. Dogs with an

3. Each exhibitor must prepare a script or narration to accompany his/her exhibit. The script should be 1 page double spaced or hand written, it should include information about the exhibitor, the exhibitor's family, care of the dog, and theme of the costume.
4. Dog and 4-H Promotion classes will be held simultaneously.
5. Dog and exhibitor must be in costume.

PREMIUMS:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$8	7	6	5	5

1. Dog Promotion - Ribbons 1-15
2. 4-H Promotion - Ribbons 1-15
3. Grand Champion - Trophy and Rosette
4. Reserve Grand Champion - Rosette

All Dog exhibitors and family members must enter through the Chestnut Street entrance if entering Fairgrounds prior to 10 am on the day of show.

4-H PET SHOW Department 16

SUPERINTENDENT
Randy Shay, 301-585-3637

ENTRY DEADLINE
July 10, 2011

NO ENTRY FEE

•• JUDGING ••
Wed, Aug. 17: 8 am
in the Cattle Show Pavilion
enter through Dalamar St. entrance

CATEGORIES:

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| 1 = Fish, Reptiles & Unique Pets | 5 = Cats |
| 2 = Birds | 6 = Dogs |
| 3 = Gerbils, Hamsters,
Mice, Rats, and Cavies
(Guinea Pigs) | 7 = Promotion |
| 4 = Rabbits | 8 = Hermit Crabs |
| | 9 = Overall Champion |
| | 10 = Dog Rally Obedience |

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. All dogs and cats, including dogs participating only in Dog Rally Obedience, must have a certificate of good health signed by a veterinarian. If your vet does not have a certificate of good health that he/she prefers to use, a blank copy of this form can be obtained from the superintendent. All pets must be vaccinated, if appropriate, according to their species. Dogs should be vaccinated for DHLPP, Rabies and Parvo; cats should be vaccinated for RCP and Rabies. All equine species require a negative coggins. **Copies of all veterinary health certificates must be turned in with each entry prior to the show.**
2. All pets, except dogs, must be confined to appropriate containers or pet carriers. All dogs must be on a leash and controlled. **No prong collars allowed.**
3. All pets must have access to their own water dishes while at the show.
4. Cats and dogs must be four months of age or older. Other pets: three months of age or older.
5. **Only two pets may be entered per exhibitor.**
6. Each exhibitor can enter only one pet in any one division. Any animal entered in a division should be entered in all classes within the division, with the exception of the Promotion division. In the Promotion division, one animal can be entered in either Pet Promotion or 4-H Promotion,

but not both. An exhibitor can enter both Pet Promotion and 4-H Promotion classes as long as different animals are used for each.

7. Judging: 30%, Health and Condition (coat, skin, eyes, weight, etc.); 20%, Disposition, 20% Personality; 20%, Appropriateness of age of 4-H'er; and 10%, Individual Class specifications (see classes listed below).
8. Animals competing in other 4-H departments cannot compete in the Pet Department. Exception: Dogs who have competed in other 4-H departments may participate in Dog Rally Obedience only.
9. Pet owners will be held responsible for their pet's conduct while on the Fairgrounds.
10. Dogs will need a special pass to be allowed through the Fairground's gates. Exhibitors are to keep their pass with them while their dog (s) are on the grounds. Dogs must be off grounds by ending time on the dog pass.
11. Any dog requiring a muzzle will not be allowed in the Pet Show or Rally Competition.
12. If a pet bites either a person or animal, it will be immediately disqualified. The owner must go immediately to the Fair Office to file a report and then promptly remove the animal from the premises.
13. Following the Pet Show, pet owners should take their animals home as soon as possible. If you want to return to the Fair, have your hand stamped before leaving for same-day free re-entry.
14. Ferrets, wild, non-domesticated, and animals deemed by the superintendent to be inappropriate for use by a child as a pet will not be allowed.
15. Except as noted below, all pets shown must be owned by the 4-H'er or his or her immediate family, and must have been so owned for at least the preceding two months.

PROMOTION CLASSES:

See rules under "Promotion Classes" in the general rules and regulations 4-H Agricultural Department. A 4-H'er may enter in both Class 1 and 2 of Division 7 as long as a different animal is used for each class of the Promotion Class.

16. Promotion classes are meant to be fun classes for the participant and educational to the public. The 4-H members and their animal dress in coordinating or complementary costumes. Animals need not be owned by the exhibitor but must meet health regulations for that species to show.
17. Costumes to be created by the 4-H'er.
18. Each exhibitor must prepare a script or narration to accompany his or her exhibit. The script is limited to one page double space (12 pt.). The Script should promote the species or 4-H and its connection to the costume's theme. Participants name, age, and costume title should appear at top of script. PLEASE NOTE: Scripts that do not adhere to this rule will be adversely affected in the judging of the entries.
19. A hard copy of the script is to be turned in to the superintendent at check-in time. The script will be read aloud by a person designated by the superintendent as the 4-H'er strolls around the ring with his or her animal.

DOG RALLY OBEDIENCE:

20. An exhibitor may show 2 dogs in different Rally classes in the same age division (not more than 1 per class). If it turns out that there are an abundance of exhibitors, time constraints may necessitate that an exhibitor who has registered to exhibit two dogs may be requested to select just one of their dogs to exhibit, in the interest of providing the opportunity for the maximum number of 4-H'ers to participate. Additionally, due to the limited time available for rally obedience to take place, a time limit of 2 minutes for each dog to complete the course will be in place. A dog that has won a Rally class in a previous State Fair 4-H Dog Show