

DEPARTMENT #44 – JUNIOR DOG CARE & TRAINING

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Judge: Jerry Price

Entries Close:	Friday, June 30, 11:59 p.m.
Arrival Time:	Monday, August 7, 3:00 p.m. – Wilford Ring Vet check upon arrival
Entry Fee:	\$3.00 per entry
Limit:	2 dogs per exhibitor
Judging Time:	Monday, August 7, 4:00 p.m. (Agility, Showmanship, Obedience)
Exhibitor Meeting:	Following show
Departure Time:	Following exhibitor meeting

Open to any exhibitor who is regularly enrolled in a structured dog care and training program exhibiting a dog (mixed or purebred) that is owned by the exhibitor or immediate family (Animals may not be shared by an exhibitor).

Rules

1. Dog must have been trained and fitted for showmanship by exhibitor only.
2. Bitches in season will not be allowed to compete.
3. Dogs should be kept on leash and under control at all times. Dogs must remain in livestock area during show. Dogs are not permitted on grounds following conclusion of show.
4. Exhibitors need to provide bowls and water for their dogs.

Agility Rules

1. Dogs will be measured prior to competition.
2. There will be a 10-minute walk through for all exhibitors prior to the first class (no dogs).
3. All Dogs must be over one year old.
4. Flat collar only, no harness, choke or other type of collar.
5. All dogs must enter/leave the ring on a 6ft. leash.

American System of Judging				
Cash Awards offered per class				
1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$7

Dog Agility

4-H agility course consists of 10 different stations including: several types of jumps, tunnel, weave polls, teeter totter, dog walk, and pause table. This is a timed event; the fastest time with fewest errors wins.

Division 4401 Beginner: 1st year (Either on or off leash)

Division 4402 Intermediate: 2nd or 3rd year (Off leash)

Division 4403 Advanced: 4th year (Off leash)

Division 4404 FFA: All FFA Exhibitors

Class

1. Small Dogs: 15 inches and under
2. Medium Dogs: 16-20 inches
3. Large Dogs: Over 20 inches

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Division 4405 – Dog Showmanship

1. Showmanship, 4-H exhibitors 9-10 years
2. Showmanship, 4-H exhibitors 11-13 years
3. Showmanship, 4-H exhibitors 14 & Over
4. Showmanship, FFA Novice
5. Showmanship, FFA Advanced

Division 4406 – Dog Care & Training Obedience

Beginner

All exercises on six-foot leash, heeling, figure eight, recall, stand for examination, long sit (1 minute), long down (3 minute)

1. **Beginner A:** First year dog/handler
2. **Beginner B:** Second year and over handler and first year dog in project
3. **Beginner C:** Third year and over dog/handler; not ready to go off leash

Novice(Off Leash)

Heel and figure eight on leash, then Heel, stand for exam, recall, long sit (1 minute), and long down (3 minute) off leash.

4. **Novice A:** Any dog/handler ready to go off-leash, but not ready for Graduate Novice

Graduate Novice (All Off Leash)

Same as Novice Exercises, except drop on recall, long sit (3 minute) and long down (5 minute) out of sight.

5. **Graduate Novice**