

Warren County Farmers' Fair
August 1 – August 7, 2010

Trustworthiness

**Want to be trusted?
Tell the truth**

*REPUTATION IS WHAT YOU THINK YOU ARE:
CHARACTER IS WHAT YOU ARE.*

Trust comes after honesty is practiced and maintained

Courage to stand for what is right brings about trust

Kindness and respect for others helps trust grow

4-H/FFA Shows and Exhibits
Rules and Regulations

May, 2010

Dear 4-H and FFA Club Members:

Attached are the official rules for the 2010 4-H/FFA events at the Warren County Farmers' Fair. Please be sure to look over the General Rules. We have also included a schedule of all the 4-H/FFA events to take place this year at the fair.

The 2010 4-H Fair Theme is: Trustworthiness. Keep this in mind when your club creates their display!

Don't forget, all entry forms are due **Wednesday, June 30th**.

We look forward to seeing you at the fair! Have a great year!

Sincerely,

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73rd ANNUAL WARREN COUNTY FARMERS' FAIR
August 1 – 7, 2010
SCHEDULE OF 4-H/FFA EVENTS

SATURDAY, JULY 31

12-2 pm Items brought to the 4-H Building
12-5 pm Horticulture brought to the 4-H Building
12-5 pm Club booths set up

SUNDAY, AUGUST 1

9-10 am Fresh cut flowers and herbs or arrangements can arrive at 4-H Building
10:00 am Horticulture Judging
All day Club booths set up

MONDAY, AUGUST 2

10:00 am 4-H/FFA Sheep Show, Livestock Show Building
10:00 am 4-H/FFA Games on Horseback, Horse Ring
11:00 am 4-H/FFA Goat Show, Livestock Show Building
12:00 pm 4-H/FFA Swine Show
1:00 pm Public Presentations
2:00 pm All club booths must be set up – Judged today
2:00 pm 4-H/FFA Beef Show, Livestock Show Building
4:30 pm 4-H/FFA Small Animal Show, Small Animal Building
6:00 pm 4-H/FFA Rabbit Show, Livestock Show Building
7:00 pm 4-H Seeing Eye Dog Show, Dance Floor

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3

10:00 am 4-H Public Presentations, 4-H Building
10:30 am 4-H/FFA Cat Show, Dance Floor
1:00 pm 4-H/FFA English & Western Horse Trail Class, Horse Ring

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4

10:00 am 4-H/FFA Dairy Show, Livestock Show Building
2:00 pm 4-H Public Presentations
6:00 pm 4-H/FFA Poultry and Game Bird Show, Small Animal Bldg.
6:00 pm 4-H/FFA Open Jousting Tournament
7:30 pm 4-H/FFA Dressage Demo, Horse Ring

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5

8:00 am 4-H/FFA Horse Show, Horse Ring
7:00 pm 4-H Public Presentations, 4-H Building
7:00 pm 4-H/FFA and Open Horse Costume Class, Horse Ring

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6

1:00 pm 4-H Public Presentations, 4-H Building

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7

1:00 pm 4-H Public Presentations, 4-H Building
8:00 pm All 4-H Animals may leave fairgrounds - earlier departure forfeits premiums
8:00 pm Pick up entries and premiums in the 4-H Building

GENERAL RULES FOR ALL EXHIBITS

1. All exhibits and shows are open to Warren County 4-H club members grades 4-13. 4-H Cloverbud club members (grades 1-3) may enter only non-competitive Cloverbud classes and events. Warren County FFA members are invited to participate in all agricultural shows and exhibits.
2. Cloverbud exhibits are for 4-H members in grades 1-3. These exhibits will not be judged, but will be placed on display only.
3. All exhibits and animals must be pre-registered in the 4-H office on or before **Wednesday, June 30th**. You may obtain a registration form from your 4-H leader, FFA instructor or by calling the 4-H office at 908-475-6502. Entry forms may also be downloaded at www.warren4-h.org.
4. All articles must be made by the exhibitor during the 2009-10 year which runs September to August.
5. You may exhibit as many articles or animals as you wish, however, each article must be different in some way.
6. When determining grade level for fair events, use grade from school year just completed (NOT GRADE YOU WILL BE ENTERING IN SEPTEMBER).
7. The opening of the fair is Sunday, August 1. Check individual exhibits/shows for times to be set up.
8. Arts & Crafts, Fine Arts, Woodworking, Needlework, Clothing, Photography, Foods & Nutrition, Foods Preservation, Dairy Foods must by pre-judged prior to the fair. Check specific rules for any exhibit that you wish to enter.
9. Building Watch Rule - Each 4-H member that exhibits in the 4-H Building is responsible for a two-hour segment or segments totaling two hours of Building Watch, or premiums will be withheld. 4-H Herdspeople are the only 4-H'ers who are exempt from this rule.
10. Rutgers Cooperative Extension of Warren County and Warren County Farmers' Fair Association will not be responsible for any items exhibited.
11. Premiums for shows where animals stay overnight at the fair (example: dairy, swine, rabbit, horse) will be given out on Saturday night at 8:00 pm in the 4-H Building. 4-H'ers who take their animal exhibits home before 8:00 pm on Saturday will forfeit 4-H premiums.
12. Public presentation and shows where animals are taken home immediately following the event (example: cat, dog, small animal) will receive premiums at the event.
13. Premiums for items in the 4-H building will be given out at pickup 8:00 pm on Saturday. 4-H'ers or clubs who take their exhibits home from the 4-H Building before 8:00 pm on Saturday will forfeit premiums.

4-H CLUB BOOTH EXHIBITS

Valuable items should not be included in the display; insurance will not cover any loss.

1. All booth exhibits must be pre-registered by JUNE 30.
2. The space to be filled is approximately 30" deep, 4' wide and table height. Display should be designed to fill this space. The space in front and above tables can be utilized for club exhibit. Limited electricity is available.
3. No product in the display will be eligible for individual member award.
4. Posters and signs may be used and must be made by the members.
5. Members must make, plan & set up display with parent or leader guidance.
6. Displays will be judged on the following points:
 - a. Power to attract and hold attention
 - b. Club project and/or 4-H theme portrayed
 - c. General appearance
 - d. Workmanship (quality) and originality
 - e. Bonus points for incorporating Fair 4-H Theme
7. Displays may be set up on Saturday before fair week from 12 PM to 5 PM or Sunday – all day /Monday of fair week 12:00 noon to 2:00 pm. All displays must be completely displayed by 2:00 pm on Monday of fair week.
8. Judging will take place Monday of fair week.
9. All exhibits must display an index card listing club name, project areas, age range of members, leader phone number or 4-H office number if you do not want your home number publicized.
10. **Displays must remain in place until 8:00 PM, Saturday end of fair week in order to receive premiums.**

Stencils and other materials are available to borrow from the 4-H Office. Call to reserve in advance.

Premiums & Ribbons

Excellent - \$10.00 Very Good - \$8.00 Good - \$6.00
Best of Show - Rosette Honorable Mention - Rosette

4-H PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

Monday,	August 2	1 pm – 3 pm	4-H Building
Tuesday,	August 3	10 am – 12 pm	4-H Building
Wednesday,	August 4	2 pm – 4 pm	4-H Building
Thursday,	August 5	7 pm - 9 pm	4-H Building
Friday,	August 6	1 pm - 3 pm	4-H Building
Saturday,	August 7	1 pm - 3 pm	4-H Building

Rules and Regulations

1. All presenters must pre-register by June 30.
2. Warren County 4-H club members may perform a presentation on any topic, for 3-15 minutes in length.
3. Either individual or team presentations may be given.
4. Three types of presentations may be given: demonstration, illustrated talk or formal speech. Info available in 4-H office explaining each type.

AWARDS

90-100	Excellent = \$2.00	80-89	Very Good = \$1.00
70-79	Good	Below 70	Fair

4-H CLOVERBUD EXHIBIT

There is a separate area in the 4-H Building to display Cloverbud members' handiwork. Participants are asked to display any craft items, poster, sewn item or projects they have made over the 4-H year.

1. This exhibit is open to all Warren County 4-H Cloverbuds (grades 1-3).
2. Members should not exhibit the same item as in previous years.
3. All entries will be accepted on Saturday, July 25 from 12 PM – 2 PM in the 4-H Building at the fairgrounds. Entries must remain on exhibit until **8 PM, Saturday end of fair week.**
4. All entries must be pre-registered by **June 30.**
5. Each entry will receive a Cloverbud participation ribbon.
6. Members may enter as many different items as he/she wishes.

All cloverbud exhibit items must be brought to the 4-H Building on Saturday before fair from 12 pm to 2 pm.

4-H FOOD AND NUTRITION FOOD PRESERVATION EXHIBIT

1. The 4-H Food and Nutrition exhibit will be set up Saturday, prior to fair.
2. All items must have been previously judged at one of the county food and nutrition judgments.
3. 4-H participants must submit a picture of themselves to be used for display purposes.
4. All exhibitors will be required to participate in 4-H Building Watch in order to earn premiums.
5. One jar of canned entry will be on display at fair and may be picked up at 8 PM, Saturday end of fair.
6. Participants with freezing entries must bring one empty container labeled for exhibit for each entry submitted. These will be used for fair display and **may be picked up at 8 PM on Saturday end** of fair week along with premiums.

4-H CLOTHING & TEXTILES

1. This exhibit is open to all Warren County 4-H club members enrolled in the clothing and textiles project.
2. All items entered must have been previously judged at the county clothing and textile judgments.
3. Each clothing and textile member must exhibit items at fair and fulfill Building Watch to receive premiums.
4. Members should not exhibit the same item they exhibited in previous years.
5. The clothing exhibit will be set up on **Saturday** prior to fair. Clothing should be brought to the 4-H Building between **12 - 2 PM**. All clothing must be on metal hangers and covered with a plastic bag.
6. All items and premiums should be **picked up at 8 PM on Saturday** of fair week.

ARTS & CRAFTS/ FINE ARTS/ NEEDLEWORK PHOTOGRAPHY/ WOODWORKING

1. Pre-judged items must be brought to the 4-H Building on the fairgrounds between 12 - 2 PM, on Saturday before fair.
2. All items must have been previously judged at the county judgments and have entry tags securely attached.
3. All exhibitors are required to do a two-hour building watch during the fair (or send a replacement) in order to receive premiums for their entries.
4. All articles must be left on display until **Saturday at end of fair week at 8 PM** in order to receive premiums and awards. Pick up Premiums at 8 PM Saturday.

4-H/FFA HORTICULTURE EXHIBIT

Judging – Sunday, August 1 - 10 AM

Superintendent: Delia McEllen

1. Exhibits may be brought to the 4-H Building on Saturday, July 31 between 12 noon and 5:00 pm. Fresh cut flowers and herbs or arrangements can arrive at 9 -10 am Sunday of fair week. All exhibits must have been selected by exhibiting member and be **market quality**. The exhibit may have been grown independently by member, or with adult help. If you have started your projects from seed, please indicate this on your entry form. It is to your benefit to let the judge know that you have done this extra work. Potted plants must have been under member's care since May 1. An exhibit, which requires more than one of the same species, should have all specimens uniform in size, shape, and color.
2. Exhibitor is responsible for exhibits that require special care during fair week (example: potted plants that must be watered.) The Horticulture Superintendent reserves the right to reject any entry that is disease or pest ridden. All exhibits should be clean and wilt-free. All containers should be free of excess soil.
3. Member must provide correct container for all exhibits. Masking tape nametag on bottom of container is advisable. Paper plates supplied.
4. All entries must be labeled with a 4-H/FFA tag. Tags and judging sheets will be provided and must be filled in by member when registering at the 4-H Fair building, or may be picked up at the 4-H Office. All exhibits should have common name and scientific name whenever possible.
5. Include on the entry form all entries you think will be ready.
6. All exhibits must be picked up at **8 PM Saturday evening**. Rosettes, ribbons, judges' sheets and **premiums** will be given out at this time. Disposal will be made of any exhibit not claimed by the closing of the 4-H Building, **9 PM, Saturday of fair week.**
7. Judges will select the exhibits to receive Best of Show, Honorable Mention and Best of Division. A Premier Exhibitor Award will be presented to the member with the most excellent ribbons in the show.
8. An exhibitor may enter every class in all divisions. A member may enter more than one entry in a class if the entries are of different varieties. Label the separate entries in the same class number with an alphabet letter, for example: class 1.a., 1.b., 1.c., and indicate variety. Please be sure to use this format on your registration form.

Excellent - \$2.00 Very Good - \$1.00 Good - Ribbon only

DIVISION I. HOME GARDEN VEGETABLES

CLASSES: In this division, judges are looking for market quality. List variety name whenever possible.

1. Beans - 5 specimens
2. Beets - 3 specimens, tops trimmed to 1 inch
3. Carrots - 3 specimens, tops trimmed to 1 inch
4. Celery - 1 head, roots removed in a straight cut
5. Corn, sweet - 2 ears, husk and silk intact excess shank removed
6. Cucumbers - 3 specimens
7. Eggplant - 1 specimen
8. Garlic - 2 bulbs, top trimmed to 1 inch, base roots trimmed, dry outer scales intact
9. Lettuce - 1 head
10. Melons, etc. - 1 specimen
11. Kale - 5 leaves
12. Onions - 3 specimens, tops trimmed 1 inch, roots trimmed, outer scales intact
13. Peppers - 3 specimens, stems trimmed
14. Potatoes - 3 specimens
15. Pumpkins - 1 specimen
16. Rutabagas (turnips) - 3 specimens, tops trimmed
17. Squash, Summer - 1 specimen
18. Squash, Winter - 1 specimen
19. Swiss Chard - 5 leaves

20. Tomatoes - 3 specimens – no leaves or stem
21. Kohlrabi – 1” stem – no leaves
22. Any other vegetable

DIVISION II. FRUITS

Judges are looking for market quality. All exhibits must have variety name whenever possible

CLASSES

22. Rhubarb - 3 pulled stalks, trimmed, leave 2 inches of leaf at base
23. Grapes - 1 bunch
24. Berries - ½ pint
25. Any other fruit

DIVISION III. HERBS

CLASSES

26. 3 specimens. Please bring in a small jar to display them in.
 - a. Basil
 - b. Spearmint
 - c. Chives
 - d. Dill
 - e. Oregano
 - f. Lavender
 - g. Thyme
 - h. Other

**DIVISION IV. SPECIAL CLASSES
CLASSES**

27. Largest on exhibit, by weight. One specimen from each vegetable and fruit variety will be chosen from all exhibits in Division I, II, and III. You may also bring a separate exhibit just for this class, no pre-registration will be required.
28. Unusually shaped vegetable or fruit.
29. Vegetable and fruit creatures.
Must be made of either a fruit or vegetable.
30. Vegetable and/or fruit collection. Both the color scheme and the container will be judged as part of the exhibit. Use best market quality specimens. Any size exhibit.
31. Miscellaneous

DIVISION V. DECORATED WREATHS using dried or fresh plant materials only (no silk plants or flowers)

32. Grapevine
33. Straw
34. Dried flowers or herbs
35. Any other wreath

DIVISION VI. OUTDOOR PLANTS

Container will not be judged as part of the exhibit except in classes 43 and 45.

CLASSES

36. Annuals and perennials - 5 stems or blooms of one specie in container.
37. Perennials and annuals together
10 specimens; 5 specimens each; judged on quality of blooms and color scheme.
38. Dahlia - 1 bloom over 8 inches in diameter
39. Hollyhocks - 1 spike
40. Rose - 1 bloom or stem of blooms
41. Lily - 1 bloom
42. Gladiolus - 1 spike
43. Cut flower arranging may use purchased fresh flowers. Container will be judged as part of the exhibit.
44. Corsage fresh or dried flowers
45. Winter bouquet or arrangement Flowers must have been dried by exhibitor. No silk flowers allowed.
46. Any single variety potted outdoor plant
47. Any group or combination of outdoor potted plants
48. Miscellaneous

DIVISION VII. INDOOR GARDENING

Container will be judged as part of the exhibit.

CLASSES

49. Flowering plants - (in or out of bloom) one variety per container
50. Foliage plants - 1 variety per container
51. Potted herbs - 1 variety per container
52. Dish gardens
53. Terrarium
54. Miscellaneous

DIVISION VIII. GOURDS

CLASSES:

55. Bird house
56. Spoon
57. Any other gourds

**DIVISION IX. SPECIAL PROJECTS - INDOOR AND OUTDOOR
PLANTS**

CLASSES:

58. Flower seedling - flowerpot of young annuals/perennials
59. Annuals to transplant - flower pot of annuals started from seed, ready to transplant
60. Perennials to transplant - flower pot of perennials started from seed, ready to transplant
61. Drying flowers - exhibit showing how to dry flowers
62. Dried flowers - 5 specimens in container - no purchased material
63. Pressed flowers - 5 specimens in container - no purchased material
64. Pressing flowers - exhibit showing how to press flowers

65. Dividing perennials - exhibit showing how to divide perennials
66. Flower bed diagram or model - indicate names, colors, heights of plants including in drawing or model; mount drawing on poster board, heavy cardboard, etc. -- Item will not be judged on ability to draw, but neatness does count
67. Annuals - identification of at least 5 different varieties sketched and labeled with common and scientific names
68. Perennials - identification of at least 5 different varieties, sketched and labeled with common and scientific names
69. Wildflowers - identification of at least 5 different varieties, sketched and labeled with common and scientific names
70. Potted house plants - identification of at least 5 different varieties sketched and labeled with common and scientific names
71. Propagated plants - any plant started by any propagation method any time after Sept. 1 the previous year
72. Miscellaneous

DIVISION X. LANDSCAPING

NOTE: Classes 81-87 should be well rooted and set in pots approximately 4 weeks before fair. All fair exhibits must have scientific name.

CLASSES:

73. Photographic exhibit - before and after color photos of lawn improvement project
74. Lawn samples - 2 different species of seeded lawn each 12" x 12"
75. Landscape drawing - drawing of front or back lawn mounted on poster or cardboard
76. Landscape model - model of front or back lawn
77. Landscape drawing - drawing of a lawn improvement project
78. Landscape model - model of a lawn improvement project
79. Planting a shade tree - exhibit of how to plant a shade tree
80. Pruning a shade tree - exhibit of proper pruning of shade trees
81. Ground cover - rooted cuttings of different species in 3 inch pots, include variety names
82. Hardy ornamental - 1 specie in 4 inch pot - include variety name
83. Ground cover collection - 2 or more different species in 3 inch pots, include variety names
84. Hardy ornamental collection - 2 or more species each in a 4 inch pot, include variety names
85. Second season ground cover - rooted cuttings in gallon container, include variety name
86. Second season hardy ornamental - gallon container; include variety name
87. Miscellaneous

DIVISION XI. MISCELLANEOUS PROJECTS

CLASSES:

88. Any exhibit, display, poster, essay, homemade equipment, photographic history, diorama, experiment, collections, diagram, etc. which illustrates any principle or idea related to horticulture.

4-H/FFA WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES
(including Marine Science)

1. Any member can exhibit items relating to wildlife and fisheries projects including, specimens or drawings of animals, plants or habitats, lifecycles, etc. Classes are listed below:

CLASSES 1. Habitat 2. Organisms 3. Career Exploration 4. Community Involvement 5. Miscellaneous
a. geology b. other marine related entry

4-H/FFA ENTOMOLOGY

1. All exhibits must have common and scientific names listed.
2. Exhibits relate to the study of insects. Items: collecting nets made by the exhibitor, posters of the life cycle of an insect, photo story or picture board, collections, etc. All insects should be identified by their common and species name.

4-H/FFA CONSERVATION OF NATURAL RESOURCES

1. All exhibits must have common and scientific names listed.
2. Items related to conservation of natural resources including: conserving land, clean air, clean water, natural habitats, etc.

Exhibits can include sketches, photo stories or displays relating to recycling, land use, air pollution, animal extinction, etc. The story should identify the concern and present a possible solution to the problem or educate the public about a conservation problem.

4-H/FFA FORESTRY EXHIBIT

All exhibits must have common and scientific names listed.

CLASSES

1. Twig collection - at least 10 different native species, mounted and labeled with common and scientific name
2. Leaf collection - same as above
3. Fruit collection - (cones, nuts, etc.) same as above
4. Bark collection - at least 5 different native species, mounted and labeled with common and scientific name
5. Woodblock collection - same as bark
6. Forest tree/wildlife shrub seedling - enter one of these and indicate age; include variety name
7. 4-H seedlings - 2 average seedlings in appropriate containers raised from seed by member, include variety name
8. Balled and burlapped tree - started from seed, 3 or more years old, indicate age; include variety name
9. Miscellaneous - any display relating to the forestry project

ANIMAL / VETERINARY SCIENCE

Entries may be submitted, but are not limited to the following areas:

- * Parts of animals: the circulatory, respiratory, digestive or reproduction systems.
- * Animal health: including disease characteristics and identification of diseases, animal nutrition or animal husbandry practices.
- * Posters, charts and table displays will be accepted.

If real specimens are used they must be preserved and presented in an appropriate manner. It is not necessary that the member draw animals or parts. Pictures, models, magazine cutouts, and other facsimiles can be used.

Entries will be judged on the following criteria:

Accuracy of information presented	30 points
Includes common and scientific names	20 points
Eye appeal of entry	15 points
Presentation	15 points
Neatly labeled	10 points
Mounting and arrangement	10 points

All projects on this page!

**Items/Displays must be
brought to fairgrounds
between 12 – 2 pm
on Saturday, July 31st**

AWARDS FOR FORESTRY & ANIMAL/VETERINARY SCIENCE

Excellent \$2.00 Very Good \$1.00 Good - ribbon
Best of Show and Honorable Mention - rosette

RABBIT, POULTRY, GAME BIRD, SMALL ANIMAL, and CAT/ KITTEN

GENERAL RULES

1. Open to Warren County 4-H and FFA members.
2. Members must own and care for their animal for at least 60 days prior to the show or animal will be disqualified from show.
3. Participants must read and understand the rules of the show in which they choose to participate.
4. Cooped animals (rabbit, poultry and some game bird) must be on exhibit by 10:00 AM on Sunday and may not be removed from exhibit area before Saturday at 8:00 PM, but must be removed by 9:00 PM Saturday. All cages are taken down and washed by rabbit, poultry and game bird owners, and stacked in the barn. Superintendents are not responsible for animals left after 9:00 PM on Saturday.
5. All carrying cages must be taken home.
6. Poultry and rabbit exhibitors are required to check that their animal has feed and water at least once daily. A sign-in sheet will be available for this purpose. Feed and water containers should be large and heavy enough not to tip or must be attached to the cage. Animal care will be the responsibility of the exhibitors. Sipper bottles are suggested for rabbits.
7. Each 4-H member that exhibits in the rabbit or poultry show is responsible for a two-hour segment of Barn Watch. There will be a sign-in sheet. Herdsmen who are assigned to another area will be exempt.
8. No breeding will be allowed at the fair.
9. Substitutions may be made only in the class that the animal was registered.
10. Animals must have a tag on their cage to identify breed and owner. See superintendent for tag.
11. Special Cloverbud Classes will be held at the beginning of each show for all cloverbud 4-H members (grades 1-3). They may bring one animal to exhibit at the show. All cloverbuds will receive a participation ribbon. **Due to space limitations, cloverbud age exhibitors may not be allowed to leave their rabbits at the fair.**
12. All participants (as well as Cloverbud members) must be pre-registered.
13. Look in specific rules on the following pages, for each show.

Excellent \$2.00 Very Good \$1.00 Good - ribbon

SMALL ANIMAL SHOW – MONDAY, AUGUST 2 - 4:30 PM

Superintendent: Lynda Matthews

Rules

1. General rules for rabbit, poultry, small animal, and cat shows apply.
2. Gerbils, mice, cavy, rats, hamsters, chinchillas, ferrets and other warm blooded small animals/cavies may be entered in this show. They will be judged separately by species. These animals may be brought to the fair prior to the show and must be removed following judging. Animals must stay in their own cages. Cloverbud classes will be held
3. Litter Classes: a) **Guinea Pigs:** must be at least 3 weeks b) **Small Animal:** 2 to 3 weeks
4. Best of Breed

CAT SHOW – TUESDAY, AUGUST 3 – 10:30 AM

Superintendent: Lynda Matthews

Rules

1. General rules for rabbit, poultry, and small animal shows apply.
2. Cat and kitten entries must be handled by owner and wear collar at all times. Owners are responsible for control of their cats at all times.
3. You are advised to use carrying cages for your animal.
4. All cats must have current vaccinations, please bring proof of vaccinations for rabies, calicivirus, rhinotracheitis and distemper.
5. No flea collars to be worn during show.
***NOTE:** Kittens must be at least 4 months old. Any feline over 10 months old is considered a cat.
6. Cats and kittens will be judged on a danish system. Example: Excellent, Very Good, Good, Fair and on a numerical placing within their class. Judging sheets will be issued.

Divisions: **Kitten -- Ages 4 mos - 1 year**
 Adult Cat -- Ages 6 - 10 years

Young Cat -- Ages 1 year to 5 yrs
Elder Cat -- Over 10 yrs

POULTRY AND GAME BIRD SHOW - WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4 - 6:00 PM

Superintendent: Delia McEllen

POULTRY Show Rules

1. General rules for rabbit, small animal, and cat shows apply.
2. Exhibitors may bring in their poultry on Saturday, July 31st from 12:00 – 5:00 pm. At this time you will receive your exhibitor tags and be assigned cage(s).
3. For the Poultry Division purebred, mixed breed, commercial, fancy or meat birds may be exhibited. Poultry will be judged according to The Standard of Perfection of the American Poultry Assoc and the American Bantam Assoc.
4. The area will be roped off during judging. Only exhibitors will be allowed in the area with the judge to hear his comments. Parents are asked to refrain from asking questions before and during the judging.
5. Poultry exhibitor must inspect case daily for cleanliness and dry shavings (shavings are provided by the Fair Association.) The Superintendent reserves the right to request the exhibitor clean cage if necessary.
6. Birds must be pullorum tested prior to arrival at fair. Only negative birds may be exhibited. **Pullorum testing will be done on Saturday, July 31st at the fairgrounds from 3:00 to 6:00 pm ONLY.**
7. Each 4-H member may submit 1 dozen white, brown and/or green eggs to be judged.

Division 1 – STANDARD CHICKENS

1. commercial

2. ornamental

3. mixed breeds

Division 2 – BANTAM CHICKENS

1. commercial

2. ornamental

3. mixed breeds

Division 3 – WATERFOWL/LARGE FOWL

1. ducks

2. geese

. turkeys

Division 4 – OTHER POULTRY

1. doves

2. pigeons

POULTRY SHOWMANSHIP WORKSHOP & CLASSES
to be held during fair week.

Check at the poultry exhibit to find out date and time.

GAME BIRD Show Rules

1. General rules for rabbit, small animal, and cat shows apply.
2. The area will be roped off during judging. Only exhibitors will be allowed in the area with the judge to hear his comments. Parents will be asked to refrain from asking questions before and during the judging.
3. Game birds must be kept in cages at all times.
4. Only NJ owned birds may be exhibited.
5. Some game birds require a permit from NJ Fish Game and Wildlife. For permit call 609-292-2965.
6. Game Birds bred for sport that are not normally caged and are raised for minimum human contact – may arrive day of show and leave after judging is completed.

Classes: 1. Peafowl 2. Quail 3. Pheasant 4. Other

RABBIT SHOW - MONDAY, AUGUST 2 - 6:00 PM

Superintendent: Tracy Smith

Rules

1. General rules for poultry, small animal, and cat shows apply.
2. Mixed and purebred rabbits may be entered. List the breed of the rabbit on the entry form. If mixed breeds indicate so. Before entering the fairgrounds, all rabbits must be tattooed in the left ear or rabbit will be disqualified.
3. Rabbits must arrive on the fairgrounds by 10:00 am Sunday, July 31. Each member will be allowed to keep up to four rabbits at the fair. These rabbits must stay until 8:00 pm Saturday or premiums will be forfeited. Any rabbit that needs to be removed from the fair must get approval from the superintendent.
4. Special rabbit classes: a) Doe and Litter: Does must have bunnies between the ages of 6 and 8 weeks. Doe and Litter will not stay at fairgrounds; they should be removed after show.
5. Special Cloverbud rabbit class (for youth in grades 1-3) starting at 5:30 pm. Due to space limitations, Cloverbud age exhibitors may not be allowed to leave their rabbits at the fair.
6. Awards will be presented for all rabbit breeds (Best of Show and Best Reserve). A special showmanship award will be presented to best first year exhibitor (non-Cloverbuds).
7. Exhibitors must see superintendent two hours prior to show for scratches and changes.
8. Showmanship classes will be held. Information on proper procedure for showmanship is available from your 4-H leader or the 4-H Office.
9. Water containers **MUST** be either sipping bottles secured to cage side or **HEAVY** ceramic bowls in cage. No plastic water bowls - they tip over.

GENERAL RULES FOR 4-H/FFA HORSE MEMBERS

1. 4-H horse club members may keep a horse at the fair if they are a member in good standing and have an up-to-date record book. Those members who attend the qualifying show will have first option at staying at the fair and the remaining stalls will be divided among the remaining members by a lottery method.
 2. The Open Horse Show is Sunday, July 31st. All participants please adhere to the following arrival schedule: Campers being used during fair week must arrive between 1:00 – 4:00 PM on Thursday, July 29th. Horses' arriving on Friday or Saturday **must be** in place by 9:00 pm that evening. All horses must remain on exhibit until 8:00 pm Saturday, August 7th or premiums will be forfeited.
 3. Exhibitors will be asked to leave the fair for violation of rules or for inappropriate behavior, at the discretion of the 4-H Staff.
 4. 4-H/FFA members who keep their horses at the fair must participate in the 4-H/FFA Horse Show on Friday and select at least two more events scheduled as 4-H/FFA horse activities in which to participate.
 - a. Conflicts between 4-H/FFA horse activities and other 4-H activities may be resolved with written notification provided to the County 4-H Agent prior to the event.
 5. If a member is staying at the fair with his/her horse, he/she is responsible for his/her horse at all times. If, for any reason, the member must leave the barn area, he/she must sign out with the barn manager, and sign in upon his/her return and ask another member or leader to care for his/her horse. A clipboard will be posted for sign-ins.
 6. By 11:00 pm each night, members must be in sleeping area for the night.
 7. Riding in flat-soled sneakers will not be permitted. Youth may only ride in healed shoes or sneakers. **ASTM/SEI helmets are required for all mounted classes at 4-H events.**
 8. No bareback or double riding of any horse will be allowed, except in games.
 9. Only 4-H/FFA members are to be riding the horses on exhibit.
 10. Horses will not be allowed to run free in the ring under any circumstances.
 11. Horses will remain in their stalls while the fair is open except when the barn is closed for the horses to move to and from the ring.
 12. Horses should be fed at 7:00 am and by 6:00 pm each day.
 13. The entire barn must be neat and clean at all times, this includes stalls, barn aisles, and tack area.
 14. RESPECT other people's property and do not leave anything on the ground, where it can be destroyed.
 15. **NO ONE EXCEPT FOR THE MEMBER, LEADER OR PARENT WILL BE ALLOWED IN ANY HORSES'S STALL AT ANY TIME, FOR ANY REASON!**
 16. Schooling will be allowed from 8-10 am and 4-6 pm. Schooling must be done under the direct supervision of a leader, parent or riding instructor. Barn gates will be closed during this time.
 17. Shoes must be worn in the barn area.
 18. No dogs are allowed on the fairgrounds except at the dog/pet show.
 19. An unthrifty horse is ineligible to be exhibited or shown at fair.
 20. The State 4-H Horse Show rulebook governs this show.
- These rules were created for the safety of all members, project animals, exhibitors, and spectators and they must be abided by.
 - ** Leaders will always be in the barn area to help any member needing assistance.
 - *** Problems that arise during the fair will be taken care of by a vote of the Warren County 4-H Horse Club Leaders present at the fair.

The original Coggins certificate must be presented to Wanda Kinney or Ann Thomas prior to a horse entering the horse barn. Immediately post a copy on the front of the horse's stall for the duration of the fair. Original Coggins must accompany horses when traveling to and from fairgrounds.

GAMES ON HORSEBACK - MONDAY, AUGUST 2 - 10:00 AM

Superintendent: Wanda Kinney

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|----------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Ride-a-buck | 4. Ribbon Race | 7. Barrel Race | 10. Break your gait and out |
| 2. Egg & Spoon | 5. Run & Lead | 8. Pole Bending | |
| 3. Key Hole | 6. Cup Cake Race | 9. Water Race | |

Rules

1. See general rules for 4-H/FFA Horse Members, these rules apply to this show.
2. **ASTM/SEI approved helmet, and proper riding boots required.**
3. Gate must be latched before starting.
4. The eligibility of a 4-H horse club member to participate will be determined by the Games Superintendent and will be based on the member's abilities.
5. Horses may be trucked in for this event, but must be pre-registered.

OPEN HORSE COSTUME CLASS - THURSDAY, AUGUST 5 - 7:00 PM

Superintendent: Joan Wolfe

There is no fee to enter this event. Only equines are allowed in the classes. An exhibitor may enter any and all classes in the division that may be appropriate to the costume being presented. Not limited to 2 classes.

DIVISION A. Junior Division – open to all exhibitors through grade 8.

Classes: 1. Beautiful 2. Original 3. Funny 4. Authentic

DIVISION B. Senior Division - youth and adults grades 9 and over.

Classes: 5. Beautiful 6. Original 7. Funniy 8. Authentic

Trophies are awarded to 1st-4th places in each class. All participants will receive a ribbon.

OPEN DRESSAGE DEMO - Wednesday, August 4 - 7:30 pm - designating this on 4-H/FFA Horse Entry Form. Please plan to bring your own music if you desire to have some played.

STALL DECORATING - must be up by Monday, August 2nd – will be judged that night. 1st, 2nd, 3rd prize

4-H/FFA INVITATIONAL JOUST TOURNAMENT

Wednesday, August 4 – 6:00 p.m.

Superintendent - John Ponczek

Held in Horse Ring

Rules:

1. Show is open to all individuals (youth and adult) who register
2. ASTM/SEI Approved Helmets and proper riding boots required.
3. No special equipment/tack/dress required
4. Horses may be trucked in for this event, but must be preregistered
5. Lances provided day of show, however, entrants may use their own.
6. There is no fee to enter this event.

Divisions:

Clover Bud – (4-H policies apply)	Classes: 1. 2” Rings	2. 4” Rings
Jr. (4 th Grade thru 7 th Grade)	Classes: 1. 2” Rings	2. 4” Rings
Sr. (8 th Grade thru 13 th Grade)	Classes: 1. 2” Rings	2. 4” Rings
Adult (2 Years Out Of High School & Up)	Classes: 1. 2” Rings	2. 4” Rings

WARREN COUNTY FARMERS' FAIR 4-H/FFA HORSE SHOW

Thursday, August 5 - 8:00 am
Superintendent - Ann & Stacy Thomas

Held in Horse Ring

Rules:

1. Only Warren County 4-H/FFA members may enter. General rules for 4-H/FFA horse club members apply.
2. Member who have their horse stalled at the fair must enter this contest.
3. Members may compete in either or both English and Western Divisions.
4. Proper show attire must be worn. **ASTM/SEI helmets MUST be worn in all mounted classes (Western & English).**
5. Horses may be trucked in if stall availability is exceeded with 4-H/FFA animals.
6. Youth must show in the first four classes of their division. In Western they may chose to enter Barrels, Trail or both. In English they may chose Hunter Hack, Trail or both.
7. Horse shown in this event must be animal kept on the fairgrounds the whole week except in case of illness or death of horse and with a veterinary certificate.
8. If a member has a horse at the Fair and the horse is not eligible for a class (age, injury, etc.) another horse at the fair may be borrowed with permission from both parents and/or legal guardian and a 4-H staff member

Junior (Grade 4-8 as of September 2009)

Senior (Grade 9-13 as of September 2009)

Cloverbud Division (Grades 1-3 / Participation Ribbons Only)

***English and Western Trail Classes will be held Tuesday, August 3 at 1:00 pm.**

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| 1. Jr.English Grooming & Showmanship | 18. Small Fry Western Halter Horse |
| 2. Jr. English Halter Horse | 19. Small Fry Western Pleasure Horse |
| 3. Sr English Grooming & Showmanship | 20. Small Fry Western Equitation |
| 4. Sr English Halter Horse | 21. Small Fry Western Trail |
| 5. Jr Western Grooming & Showmanship | 22. Small Fry English Grooming & Showmanship |
| 6. Jr Western Halter Horse | 23. Small Fry English Halter Horse |
| 7. Sr, Western Grooming & Showmanship | 24. Small Fry English Pleasure Horse |
| 8. Sr. Western Halter Horse | 25. Small Fry Hunt Seat Equitation |
| 9. Jr. Western Pleasure Horse | 26. Small Fry English Trail |
| 10. Jr. Western Equitation | 27. Jr. English Pleasure Horse |
| 11. Jr. Barrels | 28. Jr. Hunt Seat Equitation |
| 12. Jr. Western Trail * | 29. Jr. Hunter Hack |
| 13. Sr. Western Pleasure Horse | 30. Jr. English Trail* |
| 14. Sr. Western Equitation | 31. Sr English Pleasure Horse |
| 15. Sr. Barrels | 32. Sr Hunt Seat Equitation |
| 16. Sr. Western Trail* | 33. Sr. Hunter Hack |
| 17. Small Fry Western Grooming & Showmanship | 34. Sr. English Trail* |

4-H/FFA MEMBERS WHO STALL A HORSE AT THE FAIR FOR THE WHOLE WEEK
AND DO NOT LEAVE BEFORE 8:00 PM ON SATURDAY WILL RECEIVE A \$10.00 PREMIUM

4-H AND FFA SHEEP SHOW
MONDAY, AUGUST 2 - 10:00 AM
Superintendent: Anna Sodtalbers

Rules

1. Sheep must be on grounds by Sunday of fair week by 10:00 AM and remain at the Fair until 8:00 PM Saturday of fair week or premiums will be forfeited.
2. Exhibitors must belong to a Warren County 4-H Club or FFA Chapter.
3. Only designated shepherds and adults authorized by the County 4-H Agent, FFA Advisor or Warren County Fair Association will be allowed to remain on the Fairgrounds overnight.
4. Purebreds must be able to show proof of registry to Show Superintendent.
5. Members must own the animal by May 1 of the current year.
6. The superintendent shall consult with the attending veterinarian regarding removal of any unhealthy animal. 4-H Staff must be notified of unhealthy animals leaving the fairgrounds within 24 hours. See health regulations in front of book.
7. Sheep may be shown at halter or hand in all classes including showmanship classes. Whether or not a halter is used will be left to the judgment of the exhibitor, and will have no bearing on judging any class.
8. All exhibitors are expected to clean the straw from their pens and help take down the pens.
9. All sheep must be identified by USDA approved official identification (ear tag and/or approved registry tattoo).
10. The Wool and Meat Breeds will be held separately. Meat classes will follow the wool classes.
11. Dress for the show and sale will be a plain, clean, white collared short sleeved shirt tucked into clean blue jeans, neatly groomed. Suitable footwear required. Attire should not denote a herd, farm, 4-H club or FFA Chapter.
12. A special Cloverbud Class will be held in the beginning of the show.

- AWARD -

Excellent - \$6.00

Very Good - \$4.00

Good - \$2.00

DIVISION I SHEEP SHOWMANSHIP

1. Experienced - six or more years of showing
2. Intermediate - fourth and fifth years showing
3. Beginner - second and third years showing or first year if 8th-13th grade
4. Novice - first year showing if in 4th - 7th grade
5. Grand Champion Showman
6. Cloverbud Showmanship for grades 1-3 only
7. Best Fitted Meat Breed - Animals in Best Fitted Sheep Class must be owned and fitted by the 4-H'er showing the animal.
8. Best Fitted Wool Breed - 7 and 8 will be selected after Grand Champion in each category.

SHEEP CLASSES (The following classes will be held for wool and meat classes.)

DIVISION II. PUREBRED RAMS

9. Aged - born before September 1, 2008
10. Yearling - born between September 1, 2008 and August 31, 2009
11. Fall Lambs - born between September 1, 2009 and December 31, 2009
12. Spring Lambs - born between January 1, 2010 and June 1, 2010 (60 days before show)
13. Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Purebred Ram

DIVISION III. PUREBRED EWES

14. Aged - born before September 1, 2008
15. Yearling - born between September 1, 2008 and August 31, 2009
16. Fall Lambs - born between September 1, 2009 and December 31, 2009
17. Spring Lambs - born between January 1, 2010 and June 4, 2010 (60 days before show)
18. Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Purebred Ewe

DIVISION IV. GRADE RAMS

19. Aged - born before September 1, 2008
20. Yearling - born between September 1, 2008 and August 31, 2009
21. Fall Lambs - born between September 1, 2009 and December 31, 2009
22. Spring Lambs - born between January 1, 2010 and June 1, 2010 (60 days before show)
23. Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Grade Ram

DIVISION IV. GRADE EWES

24. Aged - born before September 1, 2008
25. Yearling - born between September 1, 2008 and August 31, 2009
26. Fall Lambs - born between September 1, 2009 and December 31, 2009
27. Spring Lambs - born between January 1, 2010 and June 1, 2010 (60 days before show)
28. Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Grade Ewe

DIVISION V. PEN OF THREE LAMBS

29. Three lambs (3 rams, 3 ewes, or combination of ewes and rams) owned by exhibitor and born between September 1, 2009 and June 1, 2010. All rams must be registered and paper checked for them. No Grade Rams will be shown.

DIVISION VI. EXHIBITOR FLOCK

30. A flock is three animals, one ram and two ewes. One animal must be a mature animal. All animals owned by the exhibitor.

DIVISION VII. BEST ANIMAL BRED, OWNED AND SHOWN

31. Best Animal Bred, Owned and Shown by Exhibitor - (Dam must have been owned by exhibitor at time of breeding)

DIVISION VIII. MARKET LAMB

32. Market Lambs for State 4-H Sale.

4-H/FFA GOAT SHOW

MONDAY, AUGUST 2 - 11:00 AM

Superintendent: Tracy Smith

Rules

1. State Health Recommendations will be followed (see front of book).
2. All animals must arrive at fairgrounds by 10:00 AM Sunday of fair week. Milking animals **only** - released following the show. Non-milking animals must remain at the Fair until 8 PM, Saturday of fair week. Premiums will be forfeited for leaving early.
3. The superintendent shall consult with the attending veterinarian regarding removal of any unhealthy animal. 4-H Staff must be notified of unhealthy animals leaving the fairgrounds within 24 hours. See health regulations in front of book.
4. Bedding will be supplied. 4-H'ers supply feed and buckets and are responsible for feeding their own animal or making arrangements for them to be fed.
5. Animals or the dam must be owned by 4-H/FFA members by **MAY 1** of the current year.
6. Exhibitors must wear white short sleeved shirt tucked into long white pants. No shirts with herd name logos will be permitted.
7. Goats must have USDA approved official identification. (ear tag and/or approved registry tattoo)
8. Exhibitors will be required to clean their pens before leaving the fairgrounds. All 4-H'ers are responsible to help put up and take down pens prior to and after the fair. Pens will be erected and taken down at times to be announced by the superintendent.
9. Classes will be judged by individual breeds.

SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES Animals shown in showmanship must be owned or leased by exhibitor.

1. Cloverbud Showmanship – 1st – 3rd grade (will receive a participation ribbon)
2. Novice Showmanship – First year showing if in 4th – 7th grade
3. Beginner Showmanship – Second and third year showing or first year showing if in 8th – 13th grade
4. Intermediate Showmanship – Fourth and Fifth year showing
5. Experienced Showmanship – Six or more years of showing
6. Champion Showman (best of 2, 3, 4 and 5)

Fainting and Pygmy Classes

7. 0–6 months Buck (February 1, 2010 - July 30, 2010)
8. 6-12 months Buck (August 1, 2009 - January 31, 2010)
9. 12-24 months Buck (February 1, 2009 - July 30, 2009)
10. Champion & Reserve Buck – winners 7,8, and 9
11. 0–6 months Doe (February 1, 2010 - July 30, 2010)

12. 6-12 months Doe (August 1, 2009 - January 31, 2010)
13. 12-24 months Doe (February 1, 2009 - July 30, 2009)
14. Jr. Champion Doe (winners 11, 12, 13)
15. Sr. Doe 2-5 years old
16. Mature Doe over 5 years
17. Sr. Champion (winners 15 & 16)
18. Grand Champion winners 10, 14 and 17
19. Dam and Offspring – both must be owned by 4-H'er
20. Wether Class

Meat Type Classes

21. 0-4 months Buck – born April 1, 2010 to July 30, 2010
22. 4-8 months Buck – born December 1, 2009 to March 31, 2010
23. 8-12 months Buck – born August 1, 2009 to November 30, 2009
24. Champion & Reserve Buck – winner classes 21-23
25. 0-4 months Wether - born April 1, 2010 - July 30, 2010
26. 4-8 months Wether - born December 1, 2009 - March 31, 2010
27. 8-12 months Wether - born August 1, 2009 - November 30, 2009
28. 12-24 months Wether - born August 1, 2008- July 31, 2009
29. Champion & Reserve Wether (winner classes 25-28)
30. 0-4 months Doe – born April 1, 2010 to July 30, 2010
31. 4-8 months Doe – born December 1, 2009 to March 31, 2010
32. 8-12 months Doe – born August 1, 2009 to November 30, 2009
33. 12-24 months Doe - born August 1, 2008 to July 31, 2009
34. Jr. Champion & Reserve Doe (winner classes 30-33)
35. Sr. Doe 2-5 years
36. Mature Doe over 5 years old
37. Jr. Dry Doe 2-4 years old (must have kid)
38. Sr. Dry Doe 5 years and older
39. Sr. & Reserve Champion Doe (winners classes 35-38)
40. Grand & Reserve Champion (winners classes 24, 29, 34 & 39)
41. Dam and Offspring (both must be owned by 4-H'er)

Dairy Type Classes

42. 0-4 months Buck – born April 1, 2010 to July 30, 2010
43. 4-8 months Buck – born December 1, 2009 to March 31, 2010
44. 8-12 months Buck – born August 1, 2009 to November 30, 2009
45. Champion & Reserve Buck – winner classes 42-44
46. 0-4 months Doe- born April 1, 2010 - July 30, 2010
47. 4-8 months Doe - born December 1, 2009 - March 31, 2010
48. 8-12 months Doe - born August 1, 2009 - November 30, 2009
49. 12-24 months Doe - born August 1, 2008 - July 31, 2009
50. Jr. Champion & Reserve Champion (winner classes 46-49)
51. Jr. Milkers Under 2 years old
52. Sr. Milkers 2-5 years
53. Mature Milkers over 5 years old
54. Jr. Dry Doe 2-4 years old (must have kid)
55. Sr. Dry Doe 5 years and older
56. Sr. & Reserve Champion (winners classes 51-55)
57. Grand & Reserve Champion (winners classes 45, 50 & 56)
58. Dam and Offspring (both must be owned by 4-H'er)

AWARDS

Excellent \$6.00

Very Good \$4.00

Good \$2.00

4-H/FFA SWINE SHOW
Superintendent: Michael Sodtalbers
MONDAY, AUGUST 2 – 12:00 PM

Rules

1. All swine must be owned and/or transferred to exhibitor by May 1 of the current year.
2. Each exhibitor must provide their own feed and feed utensils.
3. Animals must be on the grounds by Sunday at 10:00 am of fair week and remain at the fair until at least 8:00 pm on Saturday. 4-H'ers who remove their animals before this time forfeit premiums.
4. The superintendent shall consult with the attending veterinarian regarding removal of any unhealthy animal. 4-H Staff must be notified of unhealthy animals leaving the fairgrounds within 24 hours. See health regulations in front of book.

A. Breeding Classes

1. Bred Gilts
2. Senior Boars - born before February 28, 2009
3. Senior Gilts - born before February 28, 2009
4. Junior Boars - born March 1, 2009 or after
5. Junior Gilts - born March 1, 2009 or after

B. Market Hog Classes

1. up to 150 pounds
2. 151-200 pounds
3. over 200 pounds

SWINE AWARDS: Excellent: \$6.00, Very Good: \$4.00, Good: \$2.00

4-H/FFA DAIRY CATTLE SHOW
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4 - 10:00 AM
Superintendent: Anna & Rick Sodtalbers

Rules

1. All entries must be owned (and transferred) or leased to the exhibitor by May 1 of the current year. Only exception will be Junior calves born in May to dams registered to the member before the time of breeding.
NOTE: Leases must conform to rules stated on the Warren County 4-H/FFA Dairy Lease. A copy of the lease and photocopy (front and back) of the registration must be on file in the 4-H office as of **MAY 1** of the current year. A copy must also be available for the superintendent to see at check-in.
2. Exhibitors must wear a clean white short sleeved shirt tucked into long white pants. Attire should not denote a herd, farm, 4-H Club or FFA Chapter.
3. Milking animals **only** may be brought to the fairgrounds Wednesday at 8:00 AM and return home immediately after the show.
4. The exhibitor must provide his own hay and feed.
5. All animals must be on the grounds by Sunday of fair week by 10:00 AM and remain on the grounds until 8:00 PM on Saturday of Fair Week or 4-H'er forfeits premiums.
6. The superintendent will check registration and health papers for all animals 10 am to 12 noon on Sunday. **The registration and transfer date on registration papers must be by May 31.**
7. The superintendent shall consult with the attending veterinarian regarding removal of any unhealthy animal. 4-H Staff must be notified of unhealthy animals leaving the fairgrounds within 24 hours. See health regulations in front of book.
8. **HEALTH RECOMMENDATIONS:** Check State Health Requirements in front of book.
 1. All animals must be free of ringworm and pinkeye. Animals can be vaccinated for pinkeye.
 2. It is recommended that all females be immunized at least two weeks before the first local show or within six months of that show for IBR-PI3. Consult your veterinarian for BVD.
 3. In the event an animal is sick and the owner cannot be located, the Show Superintendent is authorized to call the veterinarian to attend this animal at cost of the owner.
 4. Other health recommendations shall be those designated by the State Department of Agriculture.
9. Both full registered and grade animals identified by National Association may show, papers are required.
10. Championship ribbons will be awarded only to animals that hold a blue ribbon for their class.
11. Only designated herdspeople and approved adults authorized by the FFA Advisor or County 4-H Agent will be allowed to remain on the fairgrounds overnight.
12. No horned cattle will be shown.

- AWARDS -

Excellent - \$10.00

Very Good - \$8.00

Good - \$6.00

SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES Animals shown by 4-H members (grades 4-13) in showmanship must be owned or leased by exhibitor.

1. CLOVERBUD – grades 1-3 – comments only, 4-H Cloverbud Member does not have to own the animal. Animal shown by a Cloverbud Member must be calf or younger.
2. NOVICE - First year showing if in 4th - 7th grade
3. BEGINNER - Second and third year showing or first year showing if in 8th - 13th grade
4. INTERMEDIATE - Fourth and fifth year showing
5. EXPERIENCED - Six or more years of showing
6. CHAMPION SHOWMAN - 1st place of 1, 2, 3 and 4.

TYPE CLASSES

7. Junior calves born between March 1, 2010 and May 31, 2010
8. Senior calves born between September 1, 2009 and February 28, 2010
Class 8A, born between December 1, 2009 and February 28, 2010
Class 8B, born between September 1, 2009 and November 30, 2009
9. Junior yearlings born between March 1, 2009 and August 31, 2009
Class 9A, born between June 1, 2009 and August 31, 2009
Class 9B, born between March 1, 2009 and May 31, 2009
10. Senior yearlings born between September 1, 2008 and February 28, 2009
Class 10A, born between December 1, 2008 and February 28, 2009
Class 10B, born between September 1, 2008 and November 30, 2008
(Senior yearlings in milk will be shown in the 2 year old class)
11. Junior Champion - winners of classes 7, 8, 9 & 10
12. Two Year Olds -
12a) 2 year olds (not fresh) born between Sept. 1, 2007 and August 31, 2008
12b) 2 year olds (in milk) born between Sept. 1, 2007 and August 31, 2008
13. 3 year olds born between September 1, 2006 and August 31, 2007
14. 4 year olds born between September 1, 2005 and August 31, 2006
15. Aged cows, 5 years old and older, born before September 1, 2005
16. Dry cows, 3 years old and older (must have freshened at least once)
17. Senior Champion - winners of classes 12, 13, 14, 15, & 16.
18. Grand Champion - winners of class 11 and 17.
19. Supreme Champion - the champion of each breed represented will be asked to compete for this Best of Show Class.
20. BEST ANIMAL BRED, OWNED AND SHOWN
21. Dam and Daughter – Two animals, a dam and her female offspring.
22. Produce of Dam – Two daughters of the same dam.
23. Animals presented as awards during the past few years to outstanding 4-H Dairy Club members will be judged on best overall fitting and showing (Animals sponsored by Phillipsburg National Bank and First Pioneer Farm Credit only)
24. Club Herd - 3 animals from a club or chapter, one born after September 1, 2009: one born between September 1, 2008 and August 31, 2009; one born before September 1, 2008. This class to be judged on the basis of type. Animals entered as 4-H animals can only be shown in a 4-H herd. Animals entered as FFA animals can only be shown in a FFA herd.

All breed classes, which are split, will be combined if inadequate number of entries come in.

4-H AND FFA BEEF SHOW
TUESDAY, AUGUST 3 - 4:00 PM
Superintendent: Rick Sodalbers

Rules

1. Exhibitors must belong to a Warren County 4-H Club or FFA Chapter.
2. All entries must be owned by the exhibitor, a Warren County 4-H Club or FFA Chapter or leased as of May 1 of the current year. The only exception to this is calves born in May can be shown only by the member who owns the dam before the time of breeding.
3. Dress for the show will be plain, clean, white collared short sleeved shirt tucked into clean, neat blue jeans. Attire should not denote a herd, farm, 4-H Club or FFA Chapter.
4. The exhibitor must provide his own hay and feed.
5. All animals must be on the fairgrounds by 10:00 AM Sunday of fair week and are to remain on the fairgrounds until Saturday at 8:00 PM or premiums will be forfeited.

6. The superintendent shall consult with the attending veterinarian regarding removal of any unhealthy animal. 4-H Staff must be notified of unhealthy animals leaving the fairgrounds within 24 hours. See health regulations in front of book. Animals must be free of external parasites, ringworm, pinkeye and contagious or infectious diseases.
7. All state health requirements for shows and fairs will be in effect. All animals including steer must have identification (including tag or tattoo).
8. Animals in breeding classes over 1 year of age must have registration papers. These will be shown to the Superintendent or a designated person Monday of fair week.
9. Only designated herdsmen and adults, authorized by the Warren County Farmers' Fair Association, FFA Advisor, and County 4-H Agent, will be allowed to remain on the fairgrounds over night. It is up to leaders and advisors to find responsible herdsmen.
10. Market Show:
Dairy-Beef - Sire and/or dam of the steer **must** be one of the six recognized dairy breeds to show in this class.
Beef - All other beef steers will be shown in this class. There will be three weight classes in each division: lightweight, middleweight and heavy weight. The weights of these divisions will be determined after the weigh-in so as to equally distribute the steers in the show.
11. Unruly animals can be removed from the ring at the judge's discretion.

- Awards -

Excellent - \$10.00

Very Good - \$8.00

Good - \$6.00

- SHOWMANSHIP -

Animals shown in classes 1-5 must be owned or leased by exhibitor

1. NOVICE - First year showing if in 4th - 7th grades
2. BEGINNER - Second and third year showing, or first year showing if 8th - 13th grade
3. INTERMEDIATE - Fourth and fifth year showing
4. EXPERIENCED - Six or more years of showing
5. CHAMPION SHOWMAN - first place of classes 1, 2, 3, and 4
6. BEST FITTED CLASS - Any animal fit by the exhibitor may be brought into the ring for this class.

BREEDING SHOW - FEMALES -

7. JUNIOR HEIFER CALVES - Calved Jan. 1, 2010 - May 31, 2010
8. LATE SENIOR HEIFER CALVES - Calved Nov. 1 - Dec. 31, 2009
9. EARLY SENIOR HEIFER CALVES - Calved Sept. 1 through Oct. 31, 2009
10. HEIFER CHAMPION (winners of class 7 through 9)
11. SUMMER YEARLING HEIFER - Calved May 1 through Aug. 31, 2009
12. JUNIOR YEARLING HEIFERS - Calved March 1 through April 30, 2009
13. EARLY JUNIOR YEARLING HEIFERS - Calved Jan. 1 through Feb. 28, 2009
14. JUNIOR CHAMPION (winners of class 11 through 13)
15. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE (first and second place winners of class 10 and 14)
16. COW AND HER CALF - Calf of either sex must be born after Jan. 1 of current year

- MALES -

17. JUNIOR BULL CALVES - Calved Jan. 1, 2010 through May 31, 2010
18. LATE SENIOR BULL CALVES - Calved Nov. 1 through Dec. 31, 2009
19. EARLY SENIOR BULL CALVES - Calved Sept. 1 through Oct. 31, 2009
20. CALF CHAMPION (winners of class 17 through 19)

- MARKET SHOW -

21. BEEF MARKET STEER LIGHTWEIGHT - will be weighed and divided into classes after weigh-in.
22. BEEF MARKET STEER MIDDLEWEIGHT - will be weighed and divided into classes after weigh-in.
23. BEEF MARKET STEER HEAVYWEIGHT - will be weighed and divided into classes after weigh-in.
24. DAIRY BEEF MARKET STEER LIGHTWEIGHT - will be weighed and divided into classes after weigh-in.
25. DAIRY BEEF MARKET STEER MIDDLEWEIGHT - will be weighed and divided into classes after weigh-in.
26. DAIRY BEEF MARKET STEER HEAVYWEIGHT - will be weighed and divided into classes after weigh-in.
27. GRAND CHAMPION
28. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION

4-H BUILDING WATCH DURING FAIR WEEK

Building Watch Rule - Each 4-H member that exhibits in the 4-H building is responsible for a two-hour segment or segments totaling two hours of Building Watch or premiums will be withheld. Substitutes are allowable. **NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO BUILDING WATCH TIMES DURING PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS**

NOTE TIMES BELOW

BUILDING WATCH HOURS

Please sign up for two consecutive hours

Monday, August 2 - (shifts) 10 – 12, 2-4, 4-6, 6-8

Tuesday, August 3 - (shifts) 12-2, 2-4, 4-6, 6-8

Wednesday, August 4 - (shifts) 10-12, 12-2, 4-6, 6-8

Thursday, August 5 – (shifts) 10-12, 12-2, 2-4, 4-6

Friday, August 6 – (shifts) 10-12, 2-4, 4-6, 6-8

Saturday, August 7 – (shifts) 10-12, 2-4

RULES

1. Sign up times are on a first come, first served basis -- by returning the building watch registration form only!
2. No premiums will be awarded for items exhibited in the 4-H building if you do not fulfill your watch duty. **Premiums will be given out for items in the 4-H Building at 8 pm on Saturday of the Fair.**
3. Club Booth Exhibits - two hours Building Watch time per club booth exhibit is required; may be divided between all club members.
4. Cloverbud Club - required to sit two hours per club.
5. You must sign in and out to receive premiums.
6. You will be notified by postcard in July of your scheduled time.
7. Segmented times are allowed for 4-H'ers with animal responsibilities at the fair. **ALL OTHERS** sign up for a consecutive two-hour time slot.
8. Parents, grandparents or friends may be substituted for 4-H club member, **IF NECESSARY**.
9. All herdsmen approved by the 4-H office will be exempt from Building Watch.
10. All exceptions to these rules must be presented in writing to 4-H Leaders Association where they will be voted upon at the September meeting.

Building Watch registration forms must be returned by June 30.

Building Watch slots are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis, so get your reply in early.