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4-H & Open Class

Exhibitor Book Of Events

111th Annual Seward County 5-State Fair

August 7th – 11th, 2024

Welcome to the 111th Annual Seward County 5-State Fair. I would like to invite everyone to come out to Liberal, Kansas and experience the Seward County 5-State Fair.

With the new changes this year we look forward to the new opportunities we have to provide the citizens of our community with a fun mixture of old and new, from Livestock Shows to Hand Baked Goods. The 2023-2024 Fair Board has worked long and hard the past 12 months to make the Fair enjoyable for everyone. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the County Commissioners, Fair Board Members, Event Center Staff and all Volunteers for making the 2024 Fair the best Fair around. Without you, we would not be able to host such a fun-filled event!

Sincerely,
Racheal
Fair Board President

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The management of the Seward County 5-State Fair is in the hands of the Seward County 5-State Fair Association. The board is composed of eleven elected members. All correspondence concerning the fair should be addressed to:

Seward County 5-State Fair
1617 West 8th St, Liberal, Kansas 67901 or call
620-482-6100

PREMIUM LIST OPEN CLASS

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00

PREMIUM LIST 4-H & LIVESTOCK

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00

Seward Co. 4H Only

Overall Grand	Overall Reserve
\$50	\$25

(Unless otherwise posted at the time of exhibit entry)

**2024 Seward County 5-State Fair
4-H/5-State/Open Class EVENTS**

**August 7th-10th – 8:00am- 9:00pm 4-H/Open Class Exhibits Open to Public, Ag Building
6:00am-9:00pm Animal Barns Open to Public**

<u>Saturday, July 28th</u>	<u>Ag. Building Closed to Public for Judging</u>
10:30 am	Seward County 4-H Shotgun Trap Fair Shoot, Shooting Range
<u>Sunday, August 4th</u>	<u>Ag. Building Closed to Public for Judging</u>
4:00-6:00 pm	Open Class Entries Due, Ag Building West Side
<u>Monday, August 5th</u>	<u>Ag. Building Closed to Public for Judging</u>
8:00 am	Enter Quilts, Ag Building West Side
2:00 pm	Quilt Judging, Ag Building West Side
10:00 am-2:00 pm	Open Class Entries Due, Ag Building West Side
1:00 pm	Seward County Fashion Revue Consultation, 4-H Building
2:30 pm	SW 4-H Set Up Ag Building & Livestock Barns
3:00 pm-6:00 pm	Open Class Judging, Ag Building West Side
<u>Tuesday, August 6th</u>	<u>Ag. Building to Public for Judging</u>
9:00am-12:00pm	SC4-H Consultation Judging, Ag Building East Side
10:00am-12:00pm	All 5-State / FFA Exhibits Due, Ag Building East Side
1:00pm -4:00pm	5-State/FFA Judging, Ag Building East Side
5:30 pm	SC 4-H Archery Fair Shoot, Rodeo Arena
6:00 pm	5-State Livestock Jackpot Hog Show, Livestock Show Arena
<u>Wednesday, August 7th</u>	<u>Ag. Building Open to Public</u>
8:00 am	SC 4-H, 5-State 4-H/FFA & Open Class Rabbit & Poultry Check In, Poultry Barn
9:00 am	SC 4-H, 5-State 4-H/FFA & Open Class Rabbit & Poultry Judging, Poultry Barn
5:30 pm	Family Night - Ice Cream Social - 4-H Bake Sale, Activity Center
6:00 pm	5-State Livestock Jackpot Sheep & Goat Show, Livestock Show Arena
<u>Thursday, August 8th</u>	<u>Ag. Building Open to Public</u>
9:00 am	Seward County 4-H/FFA Livestock weigh-in
2:00 pm	SC 4-H Dog Show & Hand Pet Judging, Ag Building East Side
5:30 pm	Seward County Commissioner Free Pork Burger Feed, Ag Building East Side
6:00 pm	5-State Livestock Jackpot Cattle Show, Livestock Show Arena
6:00 pm	Antique Tractor Pull, Grandstands
<u>Friday, August 9th</u>	<u>Ag. Building Open to Public</u>
9:00am	Seward County 4-H Livestock Show, Livestock Show Arena
10:30am	Seward County 4-H Round Robin Showmanship, Livestock Show Arena
5:00pm	Seward County Livestock Buyers Meal/Parade of Champions, 4-H Building
6:00 pm	Demolition Derby Gates Open, Grandstands
6:30pm	Seward County Livestock Auction, Livestock Show Arena
<u>Saturday, August 10th</u>	<u>Ag. Building/Activity Center Open to Public</u>
8:00 am	SC/5-State/Open Class Horse Show Check-in, Rodeo Arena
9:00 am	SC/5-State/Open Class Horse Show, Rodeo Arena
10:00 am	KIDS DAY, Activity Center
10:00 am	KSCB Home Show, Activity Center
2:00 pm	Seward County 4-H Public Fashion Revue, Activity Center
6:00 pm	Demolition Derby Gates Open, Grandstands
<u>Sunday, August 11th</u>	<u>Ag. Building Open to Public</u>
11:00 am	KSCB Home Show, Activity Center
12:00pm	Release Open Class and 4-H Exhibits, Ag Building

Rule 1. No unworthy entry shall be accepted.

Rule 2. Articles or animals will not be placed on exhibition unless properly entered with the superintendent and with entry cards attached.

Rule 3. Exhibitors should note carefully special rules published for application to the various departments in which their entries may be made.

Rule 4. Unless otherwise designated, all animals and articles must be in place no later than the time listed in the schedule, with record of entry made in entry blank under the name of the owner. Any exceptions to or deviations from this rule are published in the special rules hereinafter stated as applying to departments.

Rule 5. All division/class rules apply in addition to these general rules.

PREMIUM AWARD PAYMENTS: The Seward County 5-State Fair does not guarantee premium money, merchandise prizes or special awards, except for those offered by the Fair.

Because the Seward County 5-State Fair Board is without constitutional or legal authority to borrow money for its operation, it reserves the right to prorate premium money because of lack of funds. **Social Security Number or Federal Identification Number** of each exhibitor is required before a check will be issued if the total amount of premium will exceed \$600. The social security number or federal identification number should be for the person to whom the check is made payable. Payments cannot be made without correct numbers. The Seward County 5-State Fair is required to report payments over \$600 to the Internal Revenue Service. The Seward County and 5-State Fair Judging Sheets are the final results, from which all relative decisions and reports are based. This record will stand as official. Premium checks in all departments will be paid as soon after the close of the fair as possible. **Any discrepancies in the amounts of premium checks must be called to the attention of The Seward County 5-State Fair Competitive Exhibit Department before September 3. No claims for error after that date can be honored.**

Premium checks must be cashed within 6 months to insure payment.

PRIZES & AWARDS: Ribbons and trophies will be presented to the exhibitors at the time of judging. The Seward County 5-State Fair will not be responsible for loss. Duplicates may not be issued. The superintendent is required to see that the exhibitors have no communication with the judge that is engaged in making the awards, except when called upon for information relating to their exhibits. When an entry is not worthy of first place, judges may, at their discretion, award a prize or prizes as they see fit for the entry. There must be more than one exhibitor showing in a Class to pay more than one placing in premiums.

RELEASE: All exhibits shall remain in place until the release time listed in each Department. A request for early release, based on a valid emergency, shall be presented to the superintendent of the department. The Superintendent is empowered to authorize and schedule the release of exhibitors. Exhibitors must have an entry form to pick up entry.

Exhibitors must claim their properties by 1:00 P.M. on

Sunday. Seward County 5-State Fair Board is not responsible for exhibits left in the building or on the grounds.

SEWARD COUNTY 4-H/FFA GENERAL RULES

All 4-H/FFA & 5-State entries are to PRE ENTER all general projects by

Friday, July 28th at 11:59 pm

www.fivestatefair.com

This policy is mandatory.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Seward County Departments Open to all 4-H Members enrolled in Seward County 4-H. Must be enrolled in the project area to exhibit.

5-State/FFA Departments Open to any enrolled 4-H members in the 5-State Area. Must be enrolled in the project area to exhibit.

1. Some exhibits require additional labels (See department rules), available at the extension office.
2. Seward County 4-H exhibits are judged by consultation that allows judges to visit with exhibitors about projects. Parents are encouraged to attend as observers only. **4-H'ers are responsible for their project and answering the judge's questions.** Parents are not to talk with judges or superintendents during consultation judging. Exhibitors are required to be at consultation judging. **Failure to comply will result in a lower ribbon.**
3. **Parents and 4-Her's are not to be present while judges and superintendents are trying to place ribbons on exhibits and finish paperwork.**
4. Check the schedule in front of the fair book for judging dates and times.
5. Each Seward County 4-H club member is encouraged to have at least one exhibit of their "**current year**" project work. They also have to have been enrolled in the project since May 1st unless they enrolled in 4-H for the first time after May 1st.
6. 4-H'ers exhibit and are judged in their age division: 4-H age is their age as of January 1, of the current year.
 - a. **Junior—ages 7-9**
 - b. **Intermediate—ages 10-13**
 - c. **Senior—ages 14-18**
7. Disputes are settled by county agents, superintendents and the superintendent's committee in charge according to Kansas 4-H and fair rules. Decisions are final.
8. Exhibits entered in this Class are not eligible for Open Class. 4-H'ers wanting to exhibit in the 5-State Open Class **MUST** have a separate entry item.
9. Blue, Red and White ribbons are awarded as the judge deems worthy. Prize money, unless otherwise noted, corresponds to the premium list.
10. State Fair stickers are placed on the blue ribbons of any exhibit the judge deems State Fair worthy. Entries with State Fair stickers are eligible to exhibit in the Kansas State Fair if the exhibitor meets the current age and exhibit requirements of the State Fair. Exhibitors must be 9 years old 4-H age (as of January

1 of the current year), and the exhibit must be in the state fair book. Corresponding Divisions/Classes are Marked with an asterisk (*). Exhibits from the Arts & Crafts Department can go on to the State Fair for display purposes only. (Number to go on is determined by the State 4-H Office.)

11. Champion and Reserve Champion Ribbons may be awarded in each age division. One Grand and Reserve Overall per department may be awarded.
12. Guidelines follow those of the Kansas State Fair unless otherwise noted.
13. Copyright Laws: Exhibitors should avoid using copyrighted materials whenever possible by originating his/her own work. (For more details see the Kansas State Fair Book, 4-H and FFA Rules.)

SEWARD COUNTY 4-H & 5-State 4-H/FFA DEPARTMENTS

Department 100 Seward County 4-H Foods & Nutrition Department 700 5-State 4-H/FFA Foods & Nutrition

1. Read all the general rules and regulations.
2. The purpose of this project is to teach 4-H'ers how ingredients react in baked products. Other lessons include technique, safety, nutrition, ethnic differences, etiquette, menu planning, table setting and recipe modification.
3. May enter a maximum of 8 items. Each item per Class will be a different recipe. **With recipes included.**
4. For food safety purposes, any food with custard and dairy-based fillings and frostings (ex. Cream cheese) fresh fruit, raw eggs, flavored oils, "canned" bread, bread or cakes in a jar, or any food requiring refrigeration (ex. Bacon) will be disqualified and not be judged. Refer to K- State Research and Extension publication, 4-H488, Judge's Guide for Foods and Nutrition Exhibits, for information to help you make informed safe food exhibit decisions.
5. Alcohol is not allowed as an ingredient in food entries. Entries with alcohol in the recipe will be disqualified and not be judged.
6. All baked goods must be left whole and uncut. Items must be removed from pans. Small items such as cookies and rolls should be the same shape and from the same recipe. Exhibit 3 cookies, 3 muffins, 3 breadsticks, 1 loaf bread, etc.
7. Under baked entries will be lowered one or more ribbon placing.
8. All un-frosted cakes should be exhibited in an upright position with crust showing. The exception is for cakes made with special designs such as Bundt cakes. They should have the top crust side down.
9. *Quick breads are made without yeast
10. Place all food in a clear plastic bag on covered cardboard or sturdy paper plates. Cakes may be in a cake box.
11. 4-H'ers are encouraged to make all entries as nutritious as possible, using whole wheat flour, oatmeal, powdered milk, etc.
12. There are two labels per exhibit. Attach one to the bottom of the display plate. Place the other loose on the display plate next to the entry.
13. Modified non-perishable food product. Products must

be modified from original recipe to nutritionally enhance the food product. Attach one – 8 ½ x 11-inch page (front and back) that includes Original Recipe, Modified Recipe, and Narrative to describe modifications made, why modifications were made, and lessons learned such as nutritive value, or changes in appearance, doneness, aroma, flavor, tenderness and/or texture. Example: a standard blueberry muffin recipe that is modified to make it gluten free. Suggested resources:

Altering Recipes for Better Health, Purdue University <http://www.extension.purdue.edu/extmedia/cfs/cfs-157-w.pdf> Altering Recipes for Good Health, Texas A&M University - http://fcs.tamu.edu/food_and_nutrition/pdf/altering-recipes.pdf

14. For food safety purposes, any entries with frostings or fillings must calculate the amount of sugar in the frosting/filling recipe only. Calculation must be attached to entry, or the placing will be lowered by one ribbon when judged. Frosting and fillings need to contain more than 65% sugar for safety. Examples on how to calculate this percentage are included in the publication located at; <https://www.kansas4-h.org/tipsheet/announcement/?id=89411/>

Division 1	Senior
Division 2	Intermediate
Division 3	Junior
Class 01*	Quick Bread*
Class 02	Recipe Collection (1st year 5; add 5 new recipes each year)
Class 03*	Cookies (3)
Class 04*	Nutritious Snack Mix, 1/2 cup (Junior Only)
Class 05*	Muffins (3)
Class 06*	Miscellaneous
Class 07	Flop Class (Seward County Only)
Class 08*	Yeast Bread (Senior & Intermediate Only)
Class 09*	Modified Recipe (Senior Only)
Class 10	Table Setting

Entrants will set their table in front of the judge for consultation purposes.

Table setting scorecard:	
Choice of centerpiece,	20 points
Tablecloth or placemat and napkin,	10 points
Color combination,	20 points
Harmony of dishes, glassware, silver,	15 points
Arrangement of dishes, glassware, silver	20 points
Menu	15 points
Total points	100

Department 105 Seward County 4-H Food Preservation Department 705 5-State 4-H/FFA Food Preservation

1. Read general rules and regulations.
2. Exhibits must have been preserved since the member's previous year's county fair, and not been exhibited at the previous State Fair.
3. Recommended method of processing must be used. Follow guidelines in K-State Research and Extension Food Preservation publications or "USDA's Complete Guide to Home Canning", or "So Easy to Preserve, 6th

Edition, Cooperative Extension Service the University of Georgia", or "Ball Blue Book of Preserving" (2012 or later). Open kettle canning and oven canning will be disqualified. Low acid products must be pressure processed properly for the altitude of residence. Refer to following K-State Research and Extension publications for more information: 4H712, Food Safety Recommendations for Food Preservation Exhibits (<http://www.ksre.ksu.edu/bookstore/pubs/4H712.pdf>), MF3170 "10 Tips for Safe Home-Canned Food" (<http://www.ksre.ksu.edu/bookstore/pubs/MF3170.pdf>) MF3171 "Sassy Safe Salsa at Home" (<http://www.ksre.ksu.edu/bookstore/pubs/MF3171.pdf>), MF3172 "What's Your Elevation?" (<http://www.ksre.ksu.edu/bookstore/pubs/MF3172.pdf>),

4. **Homemade recipes or other untested recipes will be disqualified for safety reasons.**
5. Alcohol is not allowed as an ingredient in food preservation entries. Entries with alcohol in the recipe will be disqualified and not be judged.
5. Each member may enter up to 8 exhibits.
6. Each exhibit must have the complete recipe and instructions attached with the entry card, or it will be lowered one ribbon placing. Recipe must include exhibitor name, recipe source, date of publication, and altitude of residence.
7. Exhibits must be sealed in clean, clear standard canning jars, with matching brand (ex: use Ball lids on Ball jars, or Kerr lids on Kerr jars, etc.) two-piece lids. Do not use colored jars. Do not add fancy padded lids, fabric over wraps or cozies as they interfere with the judging process. NO fancy packs unless the recipe states to do so (ex: Pickled asparagus). Jars must be sealed when entered. The jelly must be in half pint or pint jar. All other products must be in pint or quart jars. Note: There are 12-ounce and 24-ounce canning jars available and may be used. Use pint jar canning process recommendations for 12-ounce jars. Use quart jar process recommendations for 24-ounce jars.
8. Each jar exhibited must be labeled. The label must not cover the brand name of the jar. The label must give, class #, Altitude, Residence, Canning Method (water bath, weighted gauge or dial gauge pressure method), Process Time, Pressure (psi), date processed including month and year. Name and County/District. Templates to make adhesive labels can be found at: <http://www.kansas4h.org/p.aspx?tabid=46>
9. Dried Foods: One kind of dried food product exhibited in a small canning jar. If dried food product is not in a canning jar, it will be lowered one ribbon rating. Suggested amount: 1/3 - 1/2 cup, or three or four pieces per exhibit. All meat jerkies must be cooked to an internal temperature of 160° F before or after drying. Dried products must include a recipe and preparation steps. Jerky not heated to an internal temperature of 160° F will be disqualified and not be judged. Heating information can be found in "Dry meat Safely at Home" <http://www.ksre.ksu.edu/bookstore/pubs/MF3173.pdf>

Division 1 Senior
Division 2 Intermediate
Division 3 Junior

- Class 01* Sweet Spread Fruit and/or Vegetable, Syrups. 1 jar
 Class 02* Fruit, Juices, Fruit mixtures (Salsa, Pie filling, etc.); 1 jar
 Class 03* Low Acid Vegetables (Green Beans, Corn, etc. or vegetable mixtures); 1 jar
 Class 04* Pickles (Fruit or Vegetable), Fermented Foods, Relishes and Chutney; 1 jar.

- Class 05* Tomato/Tomato products, Tomato Juice and Tomato Salsas; 1 jar
 Class 06* Meats, 1 jar
 Class 07* Dried Foods: One kind of dried food product exhibited in a small canning jar (see Rule 9)

Department 110
Seward County 4-H - Cookie Jar & Gift Basket
Department 710
5-State 4-H/FFA - Cookie Jar & Gift Basket

1. Exhibitor must be enrolled in Foods & Nutrition
 2. Different kinds of homemade cookies, all visible in a 1-gallon wide mouth, clear jar, decorated as desired. **Must include a recipe for each different cookie.**
 3. Cookies are to be individually wrapped and the jar is to be filled completely. Bring one of each cookie in a small container, wrapped individually, so the judge will not need to open the jar.
 4. Jars are judged 50% for the jar and 50% for the cookies.
 5. Only one entry per exhibitor.
 6. Intermediates and Seniors are encouraged, but not required, to try fancier types of cookies.
 7. Gift Basket-No alcoholic beverages will be accepted. A gift Basket must contain at least 3 different food items (prepared for *human consumption*), made by the 4-H member, in a suitable container no larger than 18"x18"x18". Prepared food items must have **Recipes** attached with the entry. Additional homemade food items beyond the 3 minimum or purchased items may also be included in the gift package. Also include the answers to these questions: a) What is the intended use? b) What food safety precautions were taken during and after preparation? Home canned foods must follow Food Preservation rules. Canning jars should not be used for baking according to the manufacturer's instructions. They could break during baking. Seward County Overall Grand Champion & Reserve Champion Cookie Jars & Gift Baskets may be sold at the fair, if the judge deems worthy. **Inform the superintendent if you are NOT willing to sell your entry.**
- Division 1 Senior**
Division 2 Intermediate
Division 3 Junior
 Class 01 Cookie Jar: At least 2 kinds of cookies
 Class 02 Gift Basket

Department 115
Seward County 4-H - Sewing & Textiles
Department 715
5-State 4-H/FFA - Sewing & Textiles

1. Read general rules and regulations.
2. Clean and press previously worn garments and articles before exhibiting.
3. Bring all the garments on hangers and in plastic bags.
4. May enter a maximum of 8 items.
5. Garments may also be used for the Fashion Revue Construction.
6. 4-H'ers should know how to care for the garment.
7. Attach labels to the back neck and back waistband.
8. Textile articles are items made from any type of fabric, i.e., purse, tote bag, hat, slippers, pillow

cover etc.

9. For original articles include the original pattern.
10. Recycled Clothing Project: An item made of at least 50% recycled material (recycled means reusing an existing item in a new way). Could be remaking/redesigning a garment, repurposing a clothing item for a new use, etc. Must include sewing of some kind. A 3" x 5" index card MUST accompany an entry describing the recycled materials and how they were used in the item.

Division 1 Senior
Division 2 Intermediate
Division 3 Junior

Class 01 Any Garment, or outfit
 Class 02 Textile Article
 Class 03 Sewing Box
 Class 04 Recycled Clothing Project

Department 120
Seward County 4-H Fashion
Revue/Shopping in Style

The purpose of the project is to demonstrate the ability to care for garments and accessories, so the wearer gets the maximum wear. Members also acquire skill and knowledge in appropriate, healthful and economical dressing. They develop good grooming habits, grace and poise. Knowing cost per wear encourages responsible use of family budgets, as well as how to figure cost per use of future purchases.

1. Read all the general rules and regulations.
2. May enter a maximum of 6 constructed and/or purchased items, **only one outfit per Class.**
3. Garments and outfits do not have to be new but must be in good condition and well cared for.
4. Fashion Revue Construction outfits are judged on presentation, fit, external finishing and cost per wear.
5. Fashion Revue Buymanship outfits are judged on presentation, cost per wear, and care of outfit.
6. Two Seward County 4-H'ers 14 and over are eligible for the State Fair competition in Fashion Revue.
7. To receive premiums, all participants must model in the public fashion revue. (Check date & time in front of the book).
8. Garments cannot be modeled more than 1 year.
9. Purchased Garments Revue: Majority of outfit is purchased and modeled by the 4-H'er; or it may be made by someone else if the fabric and pattern were chosen by the 4-H'er. Sweaters, blouses, or shirts may be purchased or made.
10. The budget Class teaches 4-H'ers how to purchase clothing and accessories on a limited budget.
11. All buymanship Classes are judged on the entire outfit, including outer garments, shoes, and accessories.
12. Exhibitors must be enrolled in clothing and textiles.
13. No swimming suites allowed.

Scorecard for all levels is as follows:

1. To understand and demonstrate a wardrobe plan.
2. To understand how selected garment(s) and accessories enhance their personal/public presentation.
3. To understand the value of this garment and how it fits into the family's clothing budget.

4. To describe how they have accepted personal responsibility in caring for their garment.
5. To visually demonstrate personal fitness, grooming and clothing/accessories comfort and safety.
6. To describe how they cared for the garment and how it has proved to fit into their wardrobe plan.

I. General Appearance and Knowledge 70%

- A. Posture, Poise
- B. Personal Grooming
- C. Garment Condition
- D. Fit of Garment
- E. Modeling Skills
- F. Accessories used to create a total look.
- G. Knowledge of wardrobe plan
- H. Able to calculate cost per wear.

II. Construction Appearance & Lifecycle Knowledge 30%

- A. Quality of construction
- B. Appropriate finishing techniques used.
- C. Plan for clothing care and life cycle
- D. Able to calculate cost per wear, Construction and Buymanship are judged separately. Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion ribbons are awarded in each age division for both boys and girls, if the judge deems an exhibit worthy.
- E. Constructed Garments Revue: Majority of outfit is constructed and modeled by the 4-H'er who made it.
- F. Blouses or shirts may be purchased or made.

Division 1	Senior (State Fair Eligible)
Division 2	Intermediate (State Fair Eligible)
Division 3	Junior
Class 01	Girls Constructed Garment or Outfit
Class 02	Boys Constructed Garment or Outfit
Class 03	Girls Buymanship Recreation-type outfit (i.e. jogging & tennis outfits, ski clothes, etc.)
Class 04	Girls Buymanship Casual Clothes (casual slack outfits or dresses, jeans/tops etc.)
Class 05	Girls Buymanship Dress Outfit (church, weddings, special occasions, etc.)
Class 06	Girls Buymanship Western Attire
Class 07	Girls Buymanship Budget Outfit - Not to Exceed \$20
Class 08	Girls Buymanship-Other
Class 09	Boys Buymanship Recreation-type outfit (i.e. jogging & tennis outfits, ski clothes, swimsuits, etc.)
Class 10	Boys Buymanship Casual Clothes (casual slack outfits or jeans/tops etc.)
Class 11	Boys Buymanship Dress Outfit (church, weddings, special occasions, etc.)
Class 12	Boys Buymanship Western Attire
Class 13	Boys Buymanship Budget Outfit - Not to Exceed \$20
Class 14	Boys Buymanship-Other
Class 15	Any Knitted Garment
Class 16	Any Crocheted Garment

**Department 725
5-State 4-H/FFA—Fiber Arts**

1. Fiber Arts is defined as any method of creating a unique design with fiber, fabric, or yarn. This may include making fabric (such as weaving, crochet, knitting, needlepoint); or when existing fabric is changed into something quite different (such as quilting or embroidery or ethnic art).
2. No exhibit will be released for any other use.
3. Identification Label:
 - a. Type or print on 3" X 2 1/2" piece of cloth: Class number, county, and exhibitor's name.
 - b. Sew or safety-pin this ID label on the corner of flat articles.
 - c. For garments, attach an ID label to the front left shoulder seam, or left side of waistband, as if you were wearing the garment.
4. When articles which are normally worn as a pair are exhibited, both articles must be shown together. Fasten articles together securely with yarn.
5. Special consideration will be given to articles which are of original design. Such articles should have a note attached explaining the original design.
6. The exhibitor may attach an index card, no larger than 3" x 5", with the entry form to give the judge any information which the exhibitor thinks would be helpful for the judge to know. Explain whether you created the fabric for a knitted article by hand or by a knitting machine. Explain if the exhibit contains any recycled materials or is made of at least 90% wool.
7. Exhibitors are expected to be enrolled in the Fiber Arts project in which they are entered. When the exhibit is a sewn garment that also includes one or more Fiber Art techniques (i.e. knitting, crochet, needle arts, or patchwork and quilting), the determination of what Department (Clothing or Fiber Arts) and Class in which to enter, will be left with the 4-H participant, however the judge has the ability to make the final determination.
8. All exhibits that need to be hung MUST have the appropriate hanger, rod, wire or other mechanism attached in order to be properly displayed.

Division 1	Senior
Division 2	Intermediate
Division 3	Junior
Class 01*	Crochet, an article
Class 02*	Knitting, an article made either by hand or by knitting machine (See #6 above)
Class 03*	Needle Arts, an article created by hand. using any of the following techniques: a) embroidery and cross-stitch; b) needlepoint; c) candle wicking; d) crewel; e) lacework; and or f) appliqué.
Class 04*	Patchwork and Quilting, an article
Class 05*	Rug making, an article.
Class 06*	Spinning, a skein
Class 07*	Weaving, a woven article
Class 08*	Ethnic Arts, an article
Class 09*	Macramé, an article

**Department 130
Seward County 4-H – Interior Design & Architecture
Department 730
5 State 4-H/FFA – Interior Design & Architecture**

1. An entry card must be attached to the exhibit with safety pin(s) or tape and string.
2. A member may make three exhibits in this division.
3. Single Exhibit: An article made or refinished by the 4-H member for the home.
4. Attach a 3" x 5" index. Card explaining how the item was made or refinished, costs involved and how it fits into the color and design of the room.
5. Articles may be hand-made or purchased.

Division*	Single Exhibit
Class 1	Senior
Class 2	Intermediate
Class 3	Junior

**Department 135
Seward County 4-H - Educational Display
Department 735
Five State 4-H/ FFA - Educational Display**

1. Read all the general rules and regulations.
2. Each banner should illustrate a phase of 4-H/FFA work which is being practiced by youth in 4-H/FFA or promote 4-H/FFA generally.
3. Banners are at least 3 feet long, no less than 12 sq. feet and no more than 16 sq. feet.
4. Banners must be hung on a rod and attach a 6" chain to each end of it. Attach an "S" hook to the other end of the chain so the banner hangs. Attach a label to the front lower left-hand (as you face it) corner of the banner giving the name of the club and county. Letters should be 2" in height.
5. One booth per club or individual.
6. The booths are 6 ft. square with a 5 ft. height at the back and a 2 ft. height at the front.
7. Clubs are responsible for covering the sides and back of the booth.
8. Club notebooks are judged separately from project displays.
9. **4-H/FFA exhibitors (individual or group) should avoid using copyrighted materials whenever possible by originating their own work. Copyrighted and/or trademarked materials utilized in banners for endorsement or promotion instead of educational purposes will be disqualified and will not be displayed.**
10. Record books must be up to date.
11. Educational poster or display or notebooks: may include swatches, colors, stories, photographs, and Project records which detail what was accomplished this year with a given indication of long-term plans.
12. Project Display Posters must be no larger than 22" x 28" poster board.
13. Project Displays are not to exceed a standard commercial 3' x 4' tri-fold display board.

Division	Booths	
	Scorecard:	
	Educational Value	40%
	Interest and Originality	20%
	Appearance	20%

Class	Quality of Display Material	Total	20%
01	Club Booth	100%	
02	Project Club Booth		

Division 2 * Banners

Banners will be critiqued with comments on the message, appearance, artistic arrangement, & quality of materials.

Class 03	Club Banner
Class 04	Individual 4-H Banner
Class 05	Team Banner

Division 3 Club Notebooks

Class 06	Secretary's
Class 07	Treasurer's
Class 08	Reporter's
Class 09	Historian's

Division 4 Senior

Division 5 Intermediate

Division 6 Junior

Class 10	Record Book
Class 11	Project Posters
Class 12	Project Notebook
Class 13	Posters Promoting a 4-H Event (Style Revue, 4-H Week, etc.)
Class 14	Miscellaneous Project Displays

**Department 140
Seward County 4-H - Entomology
Department 740
5-State 4-H/FFA - Entomology**

- This department will follow State Fair rules. Rules can be picked up from the Extension Office or emailed to you.

Division 1 Senior

Division 2 Intermediate

Division 3 Junior

Class 01*	Beginning I Entomology Collection
Class 02*	Beginning II Entomology Collection
Class 03*	Intermediate Entomology Collection
Class 04*	Advanced Entomology Collection
Class 05*	Entomology Notebook
Class 06*	Educational Display

**Department 145
Seward County 4-H - Photography
Department 745
5-State 4-H/FF - Photography**

- Read all the general rules and regulations.
- May enter a maximum of 8 items.
- The photographs entered must be the result of the current year's project work by the 4-H member. Photos must be taken by the 4-H Member (exhibitor).
- Remove the white border from the photo print before mounting.
- All photos must be no larger than 8" x 10" and no smaller than 7" x 9", after trimming. Snapshots size photographs will be accepted (this size is NOT eligible to go to the State Fair). Mount as you would the larger prints.
- All photos are to be mounted across the narrow (11") dimension of an 11" x 12.5" sheet of white or cream

studio mount. These can be purchased at the Extension Office.

- Photos must be mounted with the top edge of the print 1" below the top of the mount. (Board is always oriented narrow side up). The sides of the print must be equal distance from the two sides of the mount.
- No lettering, including dates, is permitted on the front of the mount or on the photo, only on the entry card. No underlays or borders are to be used. Make permanent mounts by using photographic adhesive.
- To protect exhibits from dust and moisture, place mounted photos in a protective, clear, photo bag, available for purchase at the Extension Office.
- On the back of the mount, write: The exhibitor's name, address, county, location where the photograph was taken and a brief description of the photo.
- Improperly mounted photos, oversized or undersized photos or photos with the white border not removed or lettering (including dates) on the photo will be awarded a ribbon one placing lower than the placing determined by the official judges.
- Photographs taken with a digital camera and having no more adjustments than exposure, color intensity or correction, one click filter effects, red eye removal, cropping, dodging and burning should be entered in standard color or black and white classes.
- The black and white Class is for black and white prints only. Monochromatic prints, including sepia prints, are considered color photos and must be entered in the appropriate color photo class.
- Digital Composite Image: Finished photo must be created from two or more original sources created by the exhibitor. Exhibitors must include a second 11 x 12 1/2 matte board (Explanation Board mounted with standard size prints of the original photos. 3 x 5 card (s) explaining what manipulation was done and a standard size print of the final photo. Optional, may include prints of editing steps. Photos showing editing steps may be layered. Please put the name and County on the front of the second board. Explanation Boards will be displayed as a group to explain and promote the class. Place both matte boards in the same protective plastic bag Photos will be judged on photographic merit as well as manipulation technique and process.
- Video: Entries must be full motion not a series of still images with pan or zoom motion added by a software program. All content must be the result of the current year's project work. All content must be original and created by the exhibitor(s) unless signed copyright, use and/or performance releases are provided. Entries may be created by an individual or by a team. Talent, computer editing, titles, graphics, animation and music are allowed and recommended. Entries must be one of the following production types: Instructional, Informational, Documentary, Persuasive/PSA, Story or Ryder. Length must be no longer than three minutes with the exception of Persuasive/PSA which must either be 30 seconds or 60 seconds. Entries will be evaluated on design characteristics, technical content, production quality, and effectiveness. Entries not adhering to the rules and requirements will be awarded a ribbon one placing lower than the placing determined by the official judges.
- A champion and reserve champion will be selected

for each Class. One overall grand and reserve champion will be selected from the Class champions.

Division 1	Senior
Division 2	Intermediate
Division 3	Junior
Class 01*	Landscape (water related)
Class 02*	Landscape
Class 03*	Domestic Animal
Class 04*	Wild Animal
Class 05*	Plant Life
Class 06*	Architecture
Class 07*	Unusual Features
Class 08*	People Portrait
Class 09*	People Candid
Class 10*	Black and White
Class 11*	Digital Composite Image (see rule 14)
Class 12*	Video (see rule 15)

Department 150
Seward County 4-H - Woodworking
Department 750
5-State 4-H/FFA - Woodworking

1. Read all the general rules and regulations.
2. May enter a maximum of 8 items.
3. Include plans, blueprints, drawing or sketch and the materials bill with each exhibit. If plans are not with the entry, the entry receives automatic white ribbon.
5. Label each item showing its intended use.
6. Judges will consider usefulness, design, workmanship, choice of wood, suitability and quality of finish.

Division 1	Senior
Division 2	Intermediate
Division 3	Junior
Class 01*	Lawn Furniture
Class 02*	Household Furniture
Class 03*	Repaired and Refinished
Class 04*	Other

Department 155
Seward County 4-H - Self-Determined
Department 755
5-State 4-H/FFA - Self-Determined

1. A summary sheet is required. Three articles may be shown.

Division 1	Senior
Division 2	Intermediate
Division 3	Junior
Class 01	Agriculture related
Class 02	FCS related
Class 03	Other

Department 160
Seward County 4-H – Electric & Renewable Energy
Department 760
5-State 4-H/FFA – Electric & Renewable Energy

1. Read all the general rules and regulations.
2. Exhibitors will meet the requirements of the electric project before showing them at the fair.
3. May enter a maximum of 8 items.
4. Used items should be completely cleaned

- before exhibiting.
5. If exhibits are supposed to work, they should be workable in the exhibit. Exhibitor supplies the power.
6. Exhibits will be disassembled to check workmanship, soldering etc.
7. Design, suitability, usefulness, neatness, safety and electrical code regulations will be considered in judging.
8. Indicate on pre-entry whether this is an original idea or a kit and include operation instructions.
9. Solder all points before the exhibition.

Division 1	Senior
Division 2	Intermediate
Division 3	Junior

Class 01*	Household wiring and indoor lighting; original, kit, or restoration.
Class 02*	Outdoor wiring and shop lighting; original, kit or restoration.
Class 03*	Extension cords and trouble lights; original, kit or restoration.
Class 04*	AC demonstration projects: such as household wiring of switches/outlets/entrance panels.
Class 05*	DC battery projects: such as series/parallel lighting, motors, and household bells.
Class 06*	Motors, fans, heaters or blowers: original, restoration, or kits which utilize AC or DC power.
Class 07*	Electronic projects from kits. Include instruction manuals.
Class 08*	Electronic projects not from a kit. May be constructed using printed circuit board, wire wrap, or breadboard techniques such as light meters, security systems, etc. Include plans.
Class 09*	Educational activity projects. Includes AC or DC projects for activities with an educational emphasis, such as types of wiring or identification of components, or testing of one's knowledge.

Department 165
Seward County 4-H - Agronomy
Department 765
5-State 4-H/FFA - Agronomy

1. Read all the general rules and regulations.
2. May enter a maximum of 8 items with each entry per class being different.
3. Threshed seed and grain are displayed in a round, clear, glass gallon jar with a lid. One entry per class.
4. Must be enrolled in plant science.

Division 1	Senior
Division 2	Intermediate
Division 3	Junior
Class 01*	Corn
Class 02*	Sorghum
Class 03*	Wheat
Class 04*	Threshed seed
Class 05*	Bundle of grasses
Class 06	Panel of at least eight different grasses

Department 170
Seward County 4-H - Horticulture
Department 770
5-State 4-H/FFA - Horticulture

1. Read all the general rules and regulations.
2. Exhibitors will meet the requirements of the electric project before showing them at the fair.
3. May enter a maximum of 8 items.
4. Used items should be completely cleaned

1. Secure entry form to plate or container with string or tape. Use a sturdy plate, bowl, or container that will support the weight of the produce.
2. May enter a maximum of 8 items with each entry per class being different.
3. Must be enrolled in plant science.
4. Information about exhibiting produce is available online in the publication "Exhibiting Fruits and Vegetables" at <http://www.ksre.ksu.edu/library/hort2/c405.pdf>.

**Department 180
Seward County 4-H- Geology
Department 665
5-State 4-H/FFA - Geology**

Division 1	Senior
Division 2	Intermediate
Division 3	Junior
Class 01*	Small Vegetable Specimen Plate (12) – Green Snap Beans, Radishes, Yellow Wax Beans, or other small vegetables.
Class 02*	Medium Vegetable Specimen Plate (5) – Beets, Cherry Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Decorative Gourds, Miniature Pumpkins, Red Carrots, Tomatoes, White Onions, Yellow Onions, or other medium vegetables.
Class 03*	Large Vegetable Specimen Plate (1) – Cabbage, Cantaloupe, Eggplant, Large Type Pumpkin, Summer Squash, Watermelon, Winter Squash, or other large vegetables.
Class 04*	Fresh Culinary Herbs (6) – Basil, Dill, Parsley, etc. Six stems (or a comparable quantity) of one variety of fresh herbs must be exhibited in a disposable container of water. Dried herbs are not accepted.
Class 05*	Small Fruits (One half pint box) – Strawberries, Blackberries, Raspberries, or other similar sized fruits.
Class 06*	Tree Fruits (Plate of 5) – Apples, Peaches, Pears, or similar sized fruits.
Class 07*	Grapes (Plate of 2 bunches)

**Department 175
Seward County 4-H - Floriculture
Department 775
5-State 4-H/FFA - Floriculture**

1. Read all the general rules and regulations.
2. Enter a maximum of 8 items, and each entry in a class must be different, i.e., 1 rose, 1 tulip, 1 daisy, 1 mum.
3. House plants and specimens must have been grown by the Exhibitor.
4. Flower arrangements may be obtained from any source. Flowers must be arranged before exhibiting.
5. Must be enrolled in plant science.

Division 1	Senior
Division 2	Intermediate
Division 3	Junior
Class 01*	Garden Flower, Single Stem, Annual
Class 02*	Garden Flower, Single Stem, perennial
Class 03*	Flower Arrangement, Fresh Flowers
Class 04*	Flower Arrangement, Dried Plant Material, No Fabric or Plastic Material
Class 05	Houseplant, Foliage or Flowering

1. Read all the general rules and regulations.
2. Collection is in a wooden box (18"x24"x3½") with removable Plexiglass covers.
3. Separate boxes with collections of purchased and/or polished stones are displayed as exhibition only.
4. Separate boxes with collections from foreign countries are displayed as exhibition only.
5. Each specimen should be about 1-2 inches in length, width and depth.
6. Arrange specimens across the narrow (18") side of the box, so the exhibit is 18" wide and 24" deep.
7. Attach two labels to each box with name, county and class: one inside the upper left corner and one outside the lower right corner.
8. Specimens are labeled with the number of the specimen, date collected, specimen name or description and locality where collected.
9. Specimens **collected** in Kansas only are eligible for judging.
10. 1 exhibit per class.

Division 1* - Collections

- Class 01 Beginning: 15 different specimens in one box; Fossil identified to the phylum level.
- Class 02 2nd year: 30 different specimens, at least 5 each of minerals, rocks, and fossils; 15 collected this year; one box; fossils identified to the phylum level.
- Class 03 3-4 years: 45 different specimens, at least 5 each of mineral, rocks, and fossils; 15 collected this year; two boxes; fossils identified to the phylum level.
- Class 04 5th year and up: 60 different specimens, at least 5 each of mineral, rocks, and fossils; 15 collected this year; two boxes; fossils identified to the phylum level; identify class and genus levels if possible.

Division 2* - Special Exhibit

- Class 05 Special exhibit: relating to everyday living; a mineral test, a rock formation, geological history, species of fossil, forms of one mineral, a variation of one kind of rock, archaeological artifacts or Indian artifacts. (4 ft. of table space)

**Seward County 4-H & 5-State 4-H
Visual Arts**

1. Read all the general rules and regulations.
2. May enter a maximum of 8 items per department.
3. Seward County can only send 1 item from the following Class (Fine Arts, Clay and Ceramics, Leather and Jewelry, Three Dimensional, and General Crafts) to the State Fair to be judged. *New for 2021*
4. All visual arts exhibits are evaluated using a visual arts rubric, which takes into account correct use of design elements, craftsmanship, and creativity.
5. All exhibits which need to be hung (including all fine arts) must have a wire or sawtooth hanger attached (no string or tape).
6. Multi-piece items should be marked accordingly.
7. No plants or plant materials needing watering can be entered as an art display or item.
8. Copyright *Kits and performed molds are not considered original and are not acceptable in any Visual Arts Class. Combining parts of different patterns (pictures, photographs, images from the internet or a magazine) with the member's own ideas can result in an original design, but simply changing the color, pattern, and/or size of the pattern does not make the design original. If you create a replica of what you see somewhere else, (i.e. Pinterest), it is not your original design. If a photo, sketch, or other idea source was used, submit it with your entry, firmly attached to your exhibit.

Department 185
Seward County 4-H - Visual Arts
Department 785
5-State 4-H/FFA - Visual Arts

Division 1 Senior
Division 2 Intermediate
Division 3 Junior

- Class 01 Fine Arts Oil, chalk, charcoal, dyes, pastels, pencil, ink, acrylic, or watercolor on canvas, canvas board, paper, wood, metal, or textiles, framed as a picture, prepared for hanging. Stretched canvas art on a wooden frame is considered prepared for hanging provided that frame has a hanger.
- Class 02 Clay and Ceramics any original item made of clay; may be fired or unfired, hand formed, or thrown on a wheel. Self-hardening, fire/oven-cured, and/or cornstarch clays are acceptable. Items can include, but are not limited to, clay statues, bowls, etc.
- Class 03 Leather and Jewelry any leather stamping, carving, tooling, lacing, or stitching piece or any jewelry piece made from any medium are acceptable exhibits.
- Class 04 Three-Dimensional The piece must be observable on at least three sides and should be either free-standing or prepared to be hung. Craft and pre-formed or assembled projects are not acceptable.
- Class 05 General Crafts This category incorporates miscellaneous pieces that do not correspond to the four above-mentioned categories.
- Class 06 Legos- Personal Design
- Class 07 Legos – Built from a kit

Department 190

Seward County 4-H – Engineering & Technology
Department 790
5-State 4-H - Engineering & Technology

1. Read all the general rules and regulations.
2. 4-H members must be currently enrolled in the corresponding STEM project to exhibit in this Department.
3. Include plans, blueprints, drawing or sketch and the materials bill with each exhibit.
4. Label each item showing its intended use.
5. Judges will consider usefulness, design, workmanship, suitability and quality of finish.

Division 1	Senior
Division 2	Intermediate
Division 3	Junior
Class 01	Ag Mechanics & Welding
Class 02	Astronomy
Class 03	Building Block Engineering
Class 04	Computer Science
Class 05	Small Engines
Class 06	Uncrewed Aircraft Systems

Department 195
Seward County 4-H - Robotics
Department 795
5-State 4-H - Robotics

1. 4-H members must be currently enrolled in the Kansas 4-H Robotics project to exhibit in this Department.
2. Each exhibitor may enter one robot per class. Exhibits must have been constructed and/or completed during the current 4-H year.
3. Each robot must be free-standing, without the need for additional support in order to be moved or exhibited.
4. Robot dimensions should not exceed 2 feet high, by 2 feet wide, by 2 feet deep. Weight may not exceed 15 pounds.
5. All electric components of the robot must be adequately covered or concealed with a protective enclosure. Paper is NOT considered an adequate enclosure or covering for electrical components.
6. Robots may be powered by an electrical, battery, water, air or solar source only. Robots powered by fossil fuels/flammable liquids will be disqualified. Robots that include weaponry of any kind will be disqualified.
7. Each robot must be in operable working condition. The judges will operate each robot to evaluate its workmanship and its ability to complete the required tasks for this current 4-H year.
8. The exhibit must include written instructions for operation and construction plans.
9. Team project notebooks must be organized in a 3-ring binder and should highlight information/roles of each team member, drawings, charts, photographs, goals and objectives of your robotics project, and all robotic competitions your team has competed in during the current 4-H year.
- 10.* Class is determined by the age of the oldest member of the team.

Division 1	Senior
Division 2	Intermediate
Division 3	Junior
Class 01	Robot made from a commercial (purchased) kit.
Class 02	Robot designed and constructed by exhibitor.
Class 03	Programmable robot made from a commercial (purchased) kit.
Class 04	Team Robotics Project* Robot designed and constructed by two or more 4-H Robotics project members.

**Department 200
Seward County 4-H – Aerospace/Rocketry
Department 800
5-State 4-H/FFA – Aerospace/Rocketry**

1. Read all the general rules and regulations.
2. 4-H'ers must be currently enrolled in the Aerospace/Rocketry project.
3. May enter a maximum of 8 rockets.
4. Engines, igniters or launch pads of any kind will disqualify the exhibit.
5. Launch rockets before exhibiting. Rockets are to be supported on a wooden base, no larger than ¾" thick x 8" square. Support rods do not extend past the tip of the nose cone and will remain upright, not angled.
6. The report that accompanies the rocket must be limited to the 4-H Rocket exhibit Information Form which is glued to a 10" X 13" envelope.
7. Plans (or a photocopy of) must be placed inside the envelope. One or more photographs of the rocket at the launch site are required. Photographs showing rockets at the moment of ignition are preferred. Photograph(s) should be mounted on one single-sided 8½ x 11 "page.
8. For original design rockets, describe in summary how the model was tested for stability prior to flying.
9. Assemble, paint and finish smoothly, according to plans.
10. Beginner kits with prefabricated plastic fin assemblies and pre-finished rockets requiring no paint are not acceptable.

Division 1	Senior
Division 2	Intermediate
Division 3	Junior
Class 01*	Rocket Made from a Kit
Class 02*	Rocket from Original Plans

**Department 205
Seward County 4-H – Wildlife
Department 805
5-State 4-H/FFA - Wildlife**

1. A member may make only one entry in this Department.
2. Exhibitors must comply with state and federal laws. It is illegal to possess threatened or endangered wildlife, or the feathers, nests, or eggs of non-game birds. Game birds and game animals taken legally during an open season may be used. The use of live wild animals in educational exhibits is prohibited.
3. KSRE, 4-H Youth Development and the Kansas State Fair are not responsible for damage during the exhibition period.
4. Name, county or district, age and year in the project should be in a prominent location on the exhibit.
5. Notebooks and Educational Displays will be judged on the following points:

Stopping Power. 15
Is the main idea specific? Is the idea presented clearly, simply, forcefully?

Interest, Holding Power. 15
Does the exhibit give the observer additional facts in a clear, concise, informative way?

4-H Project Application Is the subject matter an effective showcase?	15
Mechanical Power. Correct letter size, pleasing color combination, appropriate symbols, and models.	15
Personal Growth How much knowledge was gained by the exhibitor? Was enthusiasm shown?	25
Educational Value Knowledge Shared. Note: Credit all citations, websites or other resources used in creating your exhibit.	25
6. Posters will be judged on the following points:	
General Appearance	30
Information	50
Organization	20
7. Notebook contents pertain to some phase, results, story or information about the wildlife project.	
8. Poster must be related to something learned in the wildlife project. (Flat poster board or foam board no larger than 22" x 28")	
9. Educational display must be directly related to the wildlife project. (Maximum tri-fold size is 3' x 4')	
10. Taxidermy/Tanning exhibit should include an attachment that shows the work in progress through photos with captions, detailed journaling of the process.	

- Division 1 Senior**
Division 2 Intermediate
Division 3 Junior
Class 01* Notebook
Class 02* Promotional Poster
Class 03* Educational Display
Class 04* Taxidermy/Tanning Exhibit

**Department 210
Seward County 4-H Shooting Sports**

1. Educational Exhibit projects must be entered in the Educational Display Department. Please refer to department 115/615 for entering these projects.
2. Exhibitors must comply with state and federal laws. No "live" ammunition containing propellant or explosive powders may be used in any display. Artistic substitutes must be used in lieu of powder and "live" ammunition. Please remember that neither the Fair nor the Department of 4-H Youth Development, Kansas State University Research and Extension is liable for the loss or damage of any personal property included as part of your display.
3. Exhibits will NOT be accepted if they are related to reloads.
4. Exhibitors competing in the Seward County Shoots (Denoted with **) MUST be enrolled in the related discipline to shoot.

Division 1	Senior
Division 2	Intermediate
Division 3	Junior
Class 01	**BB Gun Shoot
Class 02	**Air Rifle Shoot
Class 03	**Archery-Recurve Shoot
Class 04	**Archery-Compound Shoot
Class 05	**Shotgun Trap Shoot

**Seward County 4-H only - 4-H Shoot

SEWARD COUNTY LIVESTOCK

GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS

1. The Seward County 5-State Fair Board reserves the right to interpret these rules and regulations and arbitrarily settle all questions arising in connection with the Fair that shall be held under the management of the board.
2. Each exhibitor of livestock must furnish their own feed and care for their own animals.
3. Each exhibitor must show his or her own livestock or project exhibit. In Classes where an exhibitor has 2 or more entries, the other entry must be shown by a Seward County 4-H or FFA member. The exhibitor must show his or her own animals in the Showmanship Division.
4. Any exhibitor failing to properly care for, clean, and feed livestock will forfeit premium awards on the project.
5. All animals entered in the 4-H and FFA Livestock Show must have been properly identified and weighed at the county weigh in, with the Kansas 4-H ear tag or the Seward County 4-H ear tag with numbers identical to those on record with the County Agents and FFA Teachers in order to be eligible to show.
6. All livestock exhibits are to be from current projects that have been started and owned on or before 120 days prior to fair for the beef project and 90 days for sheep, swine, and meat goat projects.
7. Animals that cannot be controlled by the exhibitor should be removed from the fairgrounds as soon as possible. The Seward County Fair Board, with the assistance of the county agent, will determine the removal.
8. The same animal may not be shown in market and breeding Classes.
9. All livestock must abide by the Kansas Animal Health Department Guidelines for County and State Fairs.
10. All livestock shows will be a no fit show. No fit at the Seward County Fair is defined as using, no adhesive, glue, paint, or powder products.
11. Tranquilizing of animals is prohibited.
12. Traffic aisles and stalls must be kept clear and clean, for the safety of exhibitors and the people attending the fair. It is a goal of the Seward County 5-State Fair Board to make sure participants do this on a timely basis. Exhibitors are asked to keep their area clean and help others if needed.
13. Any exhibitor that does not keep their area clean may lose the right to any premium money due them.
14. Livestock barns will be unlocked at 6:00am and locked at 10:00 pm each day.
15. Underweight and overweight animals will not be eligible for Grand or Reserve Overall and will participate in a Class prior to the start of the show.
16. All livestock exhibitors must complete YQCA training in order to exhibit in the Seward County Fair.

Seward County Livestock Sale Rules

1. Minimum and maximum show weights established under department rules will also be followed for the sale. No under or overweight animals will be allowed to be sold.
2. Each exhibitor may sell two animals. Animals include market beef, market sheep, market goats, and market swine.

3. Intent to sale information is due 30 minutes after the end of all livestock shows prior to the start of Round Robin.
4. No animal sold may re-sell at another fair or show.
5. Unsound animals will not be allowed to sell.
6. Any 4-H member with the intent to sell livestock in the Seward County Youth Livestock Sale must attend the majority (1 over ½) of his or her 4-H club monthly meetings from October to July.

Herdsmanship Contest

Eligible participants of the Herdsmanship Contest are Seward County Livestock participants. Exhibitors are encouraged to house animals at the fairgrounds. Judging will take place throughout the day of the show, and the winner will be notified after. Judging will be on an individual basis, unless siblings are stalled together, then they will be judged together. The winner(s) will be awarded \$50. The following is judging criteria for the Herdsmanship Contest.

- **Safety**

animals are properly tied, penned or caged (quick release knots on all tied animals); animal had a secure neck rope; cages and stall doors properly secured; animals not tangled in ropes or leads; walkways clear of any obstructions; pitchforks, rakes, shovels and brooms stored with point safely away; ropes, halters and leads stored away to prevent tripping.

- **Management**

Cleanliness - clean bedding for animals; area free of trash; manure is removed frequently.

Neatness - overall visual appearance; storage of supplies and equipment is attractive.

Bedding - free of manure and urine; bedding is confined to the area of the animals and not the walkway.

Animal care and handling - feed and water clean if present; no empty buckets or feed pans with animals; animals are clean; the handler works quietly and calmly; animals are moved with care for public safety.

Courtesy to public and fellow 4-H members - polite to members and public; no inappropriate language or actions; members willing to educate the public.

Attractiveness of Exhibit

arrangement of exhibit - is exhibit educational; attractive, eye-catching; easy to view and understand; exhibit clearly identifies who the owner of the animal is.

tack area - attractive storage; out of public way

Department 215 Seward County 4-H & FFA Beef

Division 1 Bucket Calves

1. Only members 7-12 years of age, as of January 1st of the current year, may exhibit. Bucket calf must be owned by the 4-H member by county weigh-in to be exhibited.
2. Calf must be a steer or heifer.
3. Animals will not be judged on conformation, but instead emphasis is on showmanship, health, and husbandry.
4. Limited to one entry per 4-H exhibitor.
5. There is no separate showmanship Class for bucket calves. They may be shown in Junior or Intermediate Showmanship
6. Neck ties are required on all animals at all

times in the beef barn.

Class 01 1st year Bucket Calf
Class 02 2nd year Bucket Calf (under 1000 pounds)

Division 2 Market Steer

1. Follow the general livestock rules.
2. An animal may be shown in one Class plus showmanship.
3. Market steer minimum weight is 1000 lbs. No Maximum weight. (Market Heifers 900 lb. minimum). Miniature breeds will not have a minimum weight requirement.
4. *Underweight animals will not be eligible for Breed Champs or Grand or Reserve Grand Overall.
5. Any unruly animals can be dismissed from the show ring by the superintendent.
6. This will be a blow and go show. Defined as using no adhesive, glue, paint, or powder products. Steers will be wiped at the arena gate to check for such products.
7. Beef will be shown by breeds if there are at least 3 animals per breed. Show management reserves the right to combine Classes.
8. Neck ties are required on all animals, at all times, in the beef barn.

Class 03 Underweight*
Class 04 English
Class 05 Continental
Class 06 Crossbred
Class 07 Miniature Breeds
Class 08 Market Heifers*

Division 3 Breeding Heifers

1. Follow the general livestock rules.
2. An animal may be shown in one Class, plus showmanship.
3. All breeding animals must have health papers that comply with current health regulations.
4. Registration papers must be in the exhibitor's name by July 1st. of the current year.
5. Classes will be broken by the superintendent.
6. Neck ties are required on all animals, at all times, in the beef barn.

Class 09 Breeding Heifers
Class 10 Cow/Calf Pair

Division 4 Showmanship

1. Contestants must show their own animal.
2. Age divisions will be determined by age on January 1st of the current year.
3. Jr. and Int. Bucket calves can be shown in showmanship.
4. Any unruly animals can be dismissed from the show ring by the superintendent.

Class 11 Senior Beef Showmanship
Class 12 Intermediate Beef Showmanship
Class 13 Junior Beef Showmanship

Department 220 Seward County 4-H & FFA Sheep

Division 1 Market Lambs

1. Follow the general livestock rules.
2. All market lambs will have baby teeth in.
3. All lambs must be born after January 1st of the current year.

4. Wethers and ewes will be allowed to show as market lambs.
5. An animal may be shown in only one class plus showmanship.
6. Market lamb minimum weight is 100lbs. Hair sheep minimum weight is 85 lbs.
7. *Underweight animals will be shown in an underweight class, and are not eligible for Breed Champs, or Grand or Reserve Grand Overall.
8. All lambs will be slick shorn with not more than two (.2) tenths of an inch of wool above the hock and knee to show.
9. The use of artificial coloring, except on hooves, is prohibited.
10. **All sheep and goats must have a scrapie tag.**

Class 01 Underweight*
Class 02 All other breeds
Class 03 Dorset
Class 04 Hampshire
Class 05 Natural
Class 06 Shropshire
Class 07 Southdown
Class 08 Speckle Faced
Class 09 Suffolk
Class 10 Crossbreds

Division 2 Breeding Ewes

1. Follow the general livestock rules.
2. An animal may be shown in only one class plus showmanship.
3. Breeding ewes may be either fitted or slick shorn. Wether dams must be slick shorn.
4. Classes will be broken by the superintendent.

Class 11 Ewe lambs, under 1 yr.
Class 12 Aged ewes, over 1 yr.
Class 13 Wether Dams, under 1 yr. of age
Class 14 Wether Dams, over 1 yr. of age

Division 3 Showmanship

1. Contestants must show their own animal.
2. Age divisions will be determined by age on January 1st of the current year.
3. Any unruly animals can be dismissed from the show ring by the superintendent.

Class 15 Senior Sheep Showmanship
Class 16 Intermediate Sheep Showmanship
Class 17 Junior Sheep Showmanship

Department 225 Seward County 4-H & FFA Swine

Division 1 Market Swine

1. Follow the general livestock rules.
2. Market swine minimum weight is 220lbs.
3. *Underweight animals will be shown in an underweight class, and are not eligible for Breed Champs, or Grand or Reserve Grand Overall.
4. *Animals exceeding 300 lbs. will be shown in an overweight class and are not eligible for Breed Champs, Grand or Reserve Grand Overall.
5. The use of paint, oil or powder on swine is prohibited.
6. An animal may be shown in one Class plus showmanship.
7. Bedding will be allowed only if a \$20 per deposit is paid.
8. Hogs must remain at the fairgrounds after they are weighed in. They must also be stalled in the

barns. Hogs are not allowed to stall in their trailer.

Class 01	Underweights *
Class 02	Overweights *
Class 03	Berkshire
Class 04	Chester White
Class 05	Duroc
Class 06	Hampshire
Class 07	Poland China
Class 08	Yorkshire
Class 09	All Other Breeds
Class 10	Crossbred

Division 2 Breeding Gilts

1. Follow the general livestock rules.
2. An animal may be shown in only one class plus showmanship.
3. Classes may be divided by breed at the discretion of the superintendent.
4. Classes will be broken by the superintendent.

Class 11 Gilts farrowed after January 1 of the current year.

Division 3 Showmanship

1. Contestants must show their own animal.
2. Age divisions will be determined by age on January 1st of the current year. Age divisions will be; Junior 7-9 yrs., Intermediate 10-13 yrs., Senior 14 and older.
3. Any unruly animals can be dismissed from the show ring by the superintendent.

Class 12	Senior Swine Showmanship
Class 13	Intermediate Swine Showmanship
Class 14	Junior Swine Showmanship

Department 230 Seward County 4-H & FFA Goats

Division 1 Meat Goats

1. Follow the General Livestock Rules.
2. Market goat minimum weight is 40lbs
3. *Underweight animals will be shown in an underweight class, and are not eligible for Breed Champs, or Grand or Reserve Grand Overall.
4. *Animals exceeding 115 lbs. will be shown in an overweight class and are not eligible for Breed Champs, Grand or Reserve Grand Overall.
5. All meat goats must have baby teeth in place with no visible signs of permanent teeth.
6. All meat goats must be "slick shorn" with an equal amount of hair above the knee and hock (head and belly excluded) prior to weigh-in time. A maximum of 3/8" hair length is permitted.
7. Artificial coloring, paint, or powder will not be permitted.
8. Wethers and does are allowed to show in the meat show.
9. Goats are suggested to arrive without horns. If horned, the horns must be tipped and rounded (not less than the diameter of a dime at the end)
10. All sheep and goats must have a scrapie tag.

Class 01	Underweight
Class 02	Overweight
Class 03	Meat Goats

Division 2 Breeding Goats

1. Follow the General Livestock Rules
2. Slick shearing is not required and is not

recommended.

3. Classes will be broken by the superintendent.

Class 04	Breeding Does under 6 months
Class 05	Breeding Does over 6 months

Division 3 Goat Showmanship

1. Contestants must show their own animal.
2. Age divisions will be determined by age on January 1st of the current year.
3. Any unruly animals can be dismissed from the show ring by the superintendent.

Class 06	Senior Goat Showmanship
Class 07	Intermediate Goat Showmanship
Class 08	Junior Goat Showmanship

Department 235 Seward County 4-H Round Robin

1. Each contestant will be responsible for getting the animal or animals they represent ready for Round Robin. The extension agent will choose the animals to be used in the Round Robin competition.
2. If a judge determines that there are no qualified contestants in a species, then that species will not be represented that year.
3. Contestants will not receive premium money for Round Robin.
4. No person may enter the show ring or assist 4-Hers showing animals except ring stewards, Superintendents or Fair Board members.
5. Age divisions will be determined by age on January 1st of the current year.

Division 1 Round Robin

Class 01	Senior Round Robin
Class 02	Intermediate Round Robin
Class 03	Junior Round Robin

Department 240 Seward County 4-H & FFA Horse Show Department 840 5-State 4-H & FFA Horse Show

1. The 4-H Shows Handbook will be used for all rules and regulations including a dress code for all events. There will not be competition between the age groups within a class.
2. Participants must indicate their age at entry.
3. The judge will announce all patterns including the reining pattern, which will be one of the patterns describe in the handbook for Kansas 4-H Horse
4. 4-H horses shown must be suitable and owned by the 4-H member, member family, or may be leased according to the guidelines in the Kansas 4-H Horse Shows Handbook. 4-H horses shown must have a 4-H horse identification certificate on file in the County Extension Office.
5. 4-Hers must qualify by State 4-H Horse project guidelines to be eligible to go to the Kansas State Fair 4-H Horse Show.
6. Age Divisions are Senior 14-18 years; Intermediate 10-13 years; and Junior 7-9 years. Ages are as of January 1 of the current year.
7. All 4-H horses shown in the 4-H Horse division may not be shown in any Open horse division class.
8. Class order will be posted at the beginning of the show.
9. There will be a Grand and Reserve Grand 4-H High Point Award given. Points earned in: Showmanship, Trail, Walk Trot, Western Pleasure, Western Horsemanship,

Reining, Working Ranch Horse, Barrel Racing, Poles and Flag Race. Points are based on one horse and one rider.

10. Points will be awarded based on the number of entries in each class. For example, if there are 6 entries in a class, the class winner will receive 6 points, the 2nd place entry will receive 5 points, etc., etc., the 6th place entry will receive 1 point. At the end of the show the points will be added up and based on the 3 age divisions. (Senior, Intermediate, and Junior). 4-H High point Grand and Reserve Grand Awards will be given to each of the 3 age divisions. In case of a tie the 4-Her that placed the best in Showmanship will win the High Point Award.
11. There will be no Pee Wee Showmanship.
All exhibitors must be a 4-H or FFA member in good standing

Division 1 Stock Type (QH, Paint, Appaloosa, etc.)
Division 2 Non- Stock Type (Morgan, Arabian, Other, etc.)

Division 3 Ponies & Donkeys
 Class 01 Foals born this year
 Class 02 Mare with foal this year
 Class 03 Fillies 2 & under
 Class 04 Mares 3 & over
 Class 05 Geldings 2 & Under
 Class 06 Geldings 3 & over

Division 4 Showmanship
 Class 07 Senior Horse Showmanship
 Class 08 Intermediate Horse Showmanship
 Class 09 Junior Horse Showmanship

Performance

Division 5 Senior (14-19 years)
Division 6 Intermediate (10-13 years)
Division 7 Junior (7-9 years)
 Class 10 Trail
 Class 11 Walk Trot
 Class 12 Western Pleasure
 Class 13 Western Horsemanship
 Class 14 Reining
 Class 15 Barrel Racing
 Class 16 Poles
 Class 17 Flag Race
 Class 18 Working Ranch Horse

Department 245
Seward County 4-H Poultry
Department 845
5-State 4-H & FFA Poultry

1. Each exhibitor is limited to a maximum of 15 total birds.
2. Exhibitors will feed and water animals daily and clean out pens.
3. Young birds are classified as born in the current calendar year. Old birds are born prior to this calendar year.
4. Exhibitors will be expected to visit with the judge about their project.
5. All poultry, except waterfowl, must show proof that they are pullorum-typhoid clean by one of the following methods.
 - Originate from a U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid clean flock as evidenced by an official VS Form 9-2, certifying all birds in the flock over four months of age have had a negative test for pullorum-typhoid within the designated testing year. **Seward County Poultry to be tested in 2027.**
 - Present evidence that the entries were purchased from

a
 U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid clean source and have been the only poultry on the premises (Presentation of a VS 9-3 Form received when poultry were purchased)

Division 1 Standard Breeds Chickens
 Class 01 Standard Breeds, Large Fowl, Young
 Class 02 Standard Breeds, Large Fowl, Old
 Class 03 Standard Breeds, Bantams, Young
 Class 04 Standard Breeds, Bantams, Old
 Class 05 Production Pullet (White or tinted eggs)
 Class 06 Production Hen (White/tinted eggs)
 Class 07 Dual Purpose Pullet (Brown/colored eggs)
 Class 08 Dual Purpose Hen (Brown/colored eggs)
 Class 09 Meat type Chickens

Division 2 Other Poultry
 Class 10 Turkeys-all breeds
 Class 11 Ducks-all breeds
 Class 12 Geese-all breeds
 Class 13 Pigeons-all breeds

Division 3 Eggs (Scored on appearance, texture, cleanliness, size, uniformity, and quality)
 Class 14 Eggs-one dozen

Department 250
Seward County 4-H
Rabbits
Department 850
5-State 4-H & FFA
Rabbits

1. There must be more than one exhibitor in a class to pay more than one premium placing.
2. Superintendents and judges will determine Classes, if shown by breeds
3. Crossbreeds are not allowed to go to the State Fair, however they are still eligible for Grand or Reserve at the Seward County Fair.
4. All Kansas 4-H'ers 9-18, receiving a blue ribbon or better are eligible to compete in the Kansas State Fair.
5. Purebred is defined as any breed recognized by the American Rabbit Breeders Association (ARBA)
6. All rabbits must be legibly and permanently tattooed in the left ear for identification.
7. Individual rabbits must be tattooed and on record at the Extension Office by June 1st to be eligible to be shown in the 4-H division. Meat pens must be on record by July 1st.
8. **Exhibitors will feed and water their own animals and provide their own feed. Pens must be cleaned daily.**
9. **Exhibitors will be expected to visit with the judge about their project.**

Division 1 Breeding Rabbits
 Class 01 Senior Buck
 Class 02 Intermediate Buck*
 Class 03 Junior Buck, under 6 months
 Class 04 Senior Doe
 Class 05 Intermediate Doe*

Class 06 Junior Doe, under 6 months

* Only breeds having a minimum senior weight of 9 pounds or more will have an Intermediate Division.

Division 2 Meat Rabbits

Class 07 Meat Pen*
Class 08 Single Fryer
Class 09 Roaster
Class 10 Stewer

* Only 3 animals of the same breed and variety, not over 10 weeks old and weighing between 3 and 5 pounds)

Division 3 Showmanship

Class 11 Senior Rabbit Showmanship
Class 12 Intermediate Rabbit Showmanship
Class 13 Junior Rabbit Showmanship

1. Open only to 4-H members enrolled in 4-H Cloverbuds
2. All exhibits are to be labeled.
3. The food display should contain 3 items on a paper plate or in a plastic sack. The snack mix should be one cup in a plastic sack.
4. 4-H does not allow Cloverbuds to receive premium money. Ribbons will be given.
5. Only 2 entries per Division.
6. No animals will be allowed to exhibit.

Division 1 Cloverbuds

Class 01 Visual Arts and Crafts
Class 02 Food and Nutrition
Class 03 Plants and Science
Class 04 Poster
Class 05 Miscellaneous

**Department 255
Seward County 4-H—
Dogs**

1. All dogs must be the property of the exhibitor at least 60 days prior to the fair.
2. Dogs must have a collar and be on a leash or be crated except when performing.
3. Exhibitor must be with the dog at all times
4. Required vaccinations include: Bordetella, Distemper, Hepatitis, Parvovirus, Parainfluenza, and Rabies. These must be signed by a licensed accredited veterinarian.
5. No females in season will be allowed to compete or be on the show grounds.
6. Only open to 4-H'ers enrolled in the Dog Project in Seward County.
7. All entries must be in good health and free of fleas.
8. Any abuse of dogs on grounds or in the ring will result in disqualification.

Division 1 Showmanship

Class 01 Senior Dog Showmanship
Class 02 Intermediate Dog Showmanship
Class 03 Junior Dog Showmanship

**Department 260
Seward County 4-H—Hand or Aquarium
Pets**

1. Exhibitors must have owned the pet for at least 8 weeks.
2. Pets will be judged for the following:
 - a. Cleanliness.
 - b. Alertness and personality.
 - c. General health (fat, skinny,.)
 - d. Knowledge of proper care of pets.

Division 1 Hand or Aquarium Pets

Class 01 Fin or Scales (includes reptiles and amphibians)
Class 02 Feather
Class 03 Fur
Class 04 Cats

**Department 265
Seward County 4-H Cloverbuds Division
Department 865
5-State 4-H Cloverbuds Division**

SEWARD COUNTY 5-STATE FAIR

OPEN CLASS Department

Open Class Rules and Regulations

1. All general rules and regulations governing the Seward County 5-State Fair apply.
2. Check the schedule in front of the fair book for all dates and times of judging.
3. Blue, red and white ribbons will be awarded in each class, if the judge deems worthy. Prize money matches the ribbon awarded, as stated in the premium list.
5. Grand and reserve champion purple ribbons are awarded in each division if the judge deems an exhibit worthy.
6. One Overall Champion and Overall Reserve Champion will be awarded per department
6. No prize money will be given for the champion ribbons.
7. Disputes are settled by Fair board members. All decisions are final.
8. Copyright Laws: Exhibitors should avoid using copyrighted materials whenever possible by originating his/her own work.

Department 500 -Gardening

1. Only products produced during this year may compete for prizes in this department with the exception of those crops which will be immature at the date of the fair. In these cases, last year's crop may be exhibited.
2. Exhibitors may replace with fresh vegetables any specimens that show a tendency to decay at any time during the fair except when the Judge is working upon the Class to which they belong.
3. Exhibits will be entered as listed in Fair Book.
4. Exhibits must be grown by the exhibitor. No purchased or borrowed specimens.

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under

Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10

Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13

Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.

Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience

Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.

Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally

VEGETABLES

Class 01	Beans, 5
Class 02	Beets, 3
Class 03	Black-Eyed Peas, 12
Class 04	Cabbage/Lettuce, 1
Class 05	Carrots, 3
Class 06	Melons, 1
Class 07	Sweet Corn, 3 Ears
Class 08	Cucumbers, 3
Class 09	Eggplant, 1
Class 10	Onions, 2 (Leave 1" to ½" top trim off root) do not peel
Class 11	Okra, 5
Class 12	Peppers, 5
Class 13	Potatoes, 3
Class 14	Pumpkin, 1
Class 15	Radishes, 12
Class 16	Rhubarb, 5
Class 17	Squash, 1

Class 18	Swiss Chard, 5
Class 19	Tomatoes, 5 Large Ripe
Class 20	Tomatoes, 5 Small Ripe
Class 21	Turnips, 3
Class 22	Broccoli, 1
Class 23	Celery, 3
Class 24	Oriental Gourd, 2
Class 25	Zucchini, 3
Class 26	Any Other Worthy Entry Not Listed

FRUITS

Class 27	Apples, 3
Class 28	Peaches, 3
Class 29	Pears, 3
Class 30	Plums, 3
Class 31	Berries, 5
Class 32	Currants, 5
Class 33	Nectarines, 3
Class 34	Apricots, 3
Class 35	Any Other Entry Not Listed Above

Department 505 - Big Plants

The Seward County/5-State Fair will be holding a contest on who can raise the heaviest tomato, the largest zucchini and the biggest Dahlia in the land.

General Rules:

One entry per person per Specie

Each Specie must be grown by the exhibitor and not purchased

The rules are: *Heaviest Tomato*

Blemishes, cracks, bruises do not matter, only weight.

Largest Zucchini

Bruises and cracks do not matter, only length.

Zucchini will be measured lengthwise.

Biggest Dahlia

Freshly cut specimens only.

The diameter of the Dahlia will be measured.

Class 1: Heaviest Tomato

Class 2: Largest Zucchini

Class 3: Hugest Dahlia

Department 510 – Crops

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following.

1. Only products produced during this year may compete for prizes in this department with the exception of those crops which will be immature at the date of the fair. In these cases, last year's crop may be exhibited.
2. Exhibitors may replace with fresh vegetables any specimens that show a tendency to decay at any time during the fair except when the Judge is working upon the Class to which they belong.
3. Exhibits will be entered as listed in Fair Book.
4. Exhibits must be grown by the exhibitor. No purchased or borrowed specimens.

Instructions For Exhibiting

1. All exhibits are clean. No foreign material, no insects, no dirt - but don't skin onions and cabbage. Do not cut out bad spots, automatic disqualification.
2. The following should have stems: Stems should be cut - not broken.
3. Average size specimens.

- Uniform in size, shape, color, quality, texture, and degree of maturity.
- Type – Typical or Variety.

Small Threshed Grains

Exhibits consist of one gallon of grain.

Class 01	All Other Wheat
Class 02	Rye
Class 03	Barley
Class 04	Oats
Class 05	Agri-Pro Varieties
Class 06	Public Varieties
Class 07	Quantum Varieties

Crops in Head or Ear

Field corn and popcorn will be displayed without husks. Exhibits consist of ten heads or ears.

Class 08	Grain Sorghum, Irrigated
Class 09	Grain Sorghum, Dry land
Class 10	Yellow Field Corn, Irrigated,
Class 11	Yellow Field Corn, Dry land
Class 12	White Field Corn, Irrigated,
Class 13	White Field Corn, Dry land
Class 14	Popcorn
Class 15	Broomcorn
Class 16	Any Other Entry Not Listed Above
Class 17	Large Sunflower, 1 (Oil)
Class 18	Large Sunflower, 1 (Confection)

Threshed Seed

Exhibits consist of one gallon of seed.

Class 19	Grain Sorghum
Class 20	Sweet Clover
Class 21	Alfalfa
Class 22	Soybeans
Class 23	All Other Seeds.

Bundle Exhibit

Exhibits shall consist of a medium sized bundle of fresh material.

Class 24	Bundle feed
Class 25	Big Bluestem
Class 26	Blue Grama
Class 27	Brome Grass
Class 28	Buffalo Grass
Class 29	Canadian Wild Rye
Class 30	Hairy Grama
Class 31	Indian Grass
Class 32	Little Bluestem
Class 33	Millet
Class 34	Sand Love Grass
Class 35	Sand Bluestem Grass
Class 36	Side Oats Grama
Class 37	Switchgrass
Class 38	Western WheatGrass
Class 39	Any Other Entry Not Listed Above.

Grass Display Panel

Class 40 Display to consist of eight or more varieties of grasses of commercial importance, to be properly labeled and each variety to be in bundles of approx. - one inch in diameter. This panel to be judged on attractiveness, neatness, quality, and quantity of varieties.

Department 515 -Houseplants

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the

following.

- Plants entered for prizes must have been in possession of the exhibitor at least sixty (60) days prior to the fair and cannot have won a blue ribbon the previous year.
- No entry can compete for more than one premium, nor can more than one entry be made in any Class by one exhibitor.
- All plants must be potted in soil and in suitable containers, provide saucers if necessary.
- All horticulture is not to be cleaned with any artificial cleaner.
- Blooming plants must be in bloom. All buds showing color count as blossoms.
- All horticulture must be free of insects and disease to be worthy of exhibit.
- Exhibitors should check entries daily and water, if necessary, unless arrangements are made with the superintendent.

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under

Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10

Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13

Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.

Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience

Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.

Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally

Foliage Plants

Class 01	Foliage Plant Under 3 Feet
Class 02	Foliage Plant Over 3 Feet

Houseplant Hanging/ Non-hanging

Class 03	Foliage - Ivy, Wandering Jew, Lipstick
Class 04	Succulent - Hoya, Burros Tail, etc.
Class 05	Foliage, Evergreen, Croton, Peperomia Dracaena, etc.
Class 06	Succulent (Aloe Vera, African Milktree, Living Stones.

Indoor Blooming

Class 07	Geranium, Fuchsia, Lily
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Cactus (One Variety)

Class 08	Small, Under 8-in.
Class 09	Large, over 8-in.

Herbs, Must Be Potted and Labeled

Class 10	Single
Class 11	Collection of 3 or More Varieties.
Class 12	Any worthy Entry Not Listed Above

Department 520 - Cut Flowers

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following.

- Cut Flower specimens must have been grown by the exhibitor.
- Exhibitor may not have more than one entry in the same Class But a duplicate may be used in an artistic arrangement.
- Only one exhibit of specimens in each Class can be entered from one family.
- Horticultural specimens must be exhibited in soft drink or large glass bottles furnished by the exhibitor.
- All buds showing color count as blossoms,
- Specimens shall be judged solely by excellence, color size and freshness of blossoms, stems and foliage, with the foliage removed below the water line in the container.
- COLLECTIONS: (a) A collection of three must be all the same color and will be judged according to uniformity of color, size, and freshness. (b) A collection of five must be a variety of

colors and sizes and will be judged on a variety of colors, sizes, and freshness. Flowers exhibited in Collections should be of excellent quality as well as individual flower specimens.

- All exhibitors should check entries daily and replace with fresh flowers when the original specimen wilts.

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under

Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10

Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13

Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.

Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience

Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.

Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally

Class 01	Annuals: Celosia Cosmos, Marigolds, Marigolds, Pansies, Petunias, Phlox, Snapdragons, Larkspurs, Lantana, Nicotiana, Salvia, Verbenas, Zinnias
Class 02	Perennials: Carnations, Delphiniums, Gaillardia, Phlox, Shasta Daisies, Asters, Scabiosa, Rudbeckia, Russian Sage, Purple Coneflower, Liatris, Bee Balm, Obedient Plant, Day Lily, Joe Pye Weed
Class 03	Flowering Bulbs, Tubers or Corms: Lilies, Tuberose, Cannas, Begonia, Tuberous, Dahlias, Gladiolas
Class 04	Roses
Class 05	Flowering Shrubs
Class 06	Wild Flowers

Department 525 -Flower Arrangements

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following.

- All fresh flowers and foliage used in arrangements must be garden grown.
- Accessories will be permitted.
- Driftwood and material used in dried arrangements need not be native to the high plains' region.
- No artificial flowers or foliage permitted.

Judging Criteria

Individuality, catching the judge's eye
Harmony of color and balance
Condition of flowers and foliage

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under

Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10

Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13

Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.

Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience

Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.

Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally

Fresh Flower Arrangements

Class 01	Kitchen Arrangement, Using Kitchen Utensil
Class 02	Arrangement in Oriental Manner

Arrangement of Garden Flowers:

Class 03	Large
Class 04	Small
Class 05	Miniature, Not Over 7" in Any Dimension
Class 06	Seasonal or Special Occasion (Must be labeled as a special occasion; Christmas, anniversary, birthday, etc.)
Class 07	Kansas Heritage, Using Sunflowers
Class 08	Artistic Fruit and/or Vegetable Arrangement
Class 09	All foliage Arrangement

Class 10	Potpourri (Leftover Flowers)
Class 11	Dried Arrangements

Department 530 - Foods

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following.

- All articles displayed in the department shall be homemade.
- Each entry must be accompanied by a recipe.
- The Following are ineligible because of food safety considerations: Custard and cream cheese type fillings and frostings, flavored oils, "canned" bread, bread or cakes in a jar, and food requiring refrigeration. Refer to K-State Research and Extension publication, Judge's Guide for Foods and Nutrition Exhibits, Page 7.

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under

Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10

Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13

Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.

Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience

Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.

Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally

Whole Loaf

Class 01	White
Class 02	Whole Grain Bread
Class 03	Holiday Breads
Class 04	Yeast Rolls, (3)
Class 05	Sweet Rolls, (3)
Class 06	Other Entry Not Listed

Quick Breads

Class 07	Any Whole Loaf Quick Breads (1)
Class 08	Biscuits, (3)
Class 09	Muffins, (3)
Class 10	Other Entry Not Listed

Pie - One Whole Pie

Class 11	One Crust Pie - Cream
Class 12	One Crust Pie - No cream
Class 13	Two Crust Pie

Cookies – 6 Cookies

Class 14	Bar Cookies
Class 15	Drop Cookies
Class 16	Molded or Shaped Cookies
Class 17	Other Entry Not Listed

Candy – 6 Pieces

Class 18	Caramels, (6)
Class 19	Taffy (6)
Class 20	Fudge, (6)
Class 21	Peanut Brittle, (6)
Class 22	Fondant, (6)
Class 23	Divinity, (6)
Class 24	Fruit and Nut Roll, (6)
Class 25	Other Entry Not Listed.

Cakes - One Whole Cake

Class 26	Layer Cake
Class 27	Bundt
Class 28	Cupcakes (6)
Class 29	Angel Food Cake
Class 30	Other Entry Not Listed

Decorated Cakes

All decorations shall be handmade and edible with the exception of Bridal Ornaments. Covering not required. Dummies are acceptable.

- Class 31 Holiday (All Holidays from New Year's Day to Christmas)
- Class 32 Special Occasion (Example: Anniversary, Wedding Shower, Baby Shower, Religious, Lodge, Scouts, etc.)

Department 535 -Food Preservation

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following.

1. Open kettle and paraffin seals will not be accepted
2. Must be canned in the year exhibited.
3. Exhibits must be in standard, clean, clear (**colored jars are NOT allowed**) canning jars and sealed with two-piece lids.

Judging Criteria for Canned Fruits, Vegetables and Meats

- Appearance
- Preservation
- Quality

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under

Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10

Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13

Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.

Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience

Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.

Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally

- Class 01 Canned Vegetables
- Class 02 Canned Fruit
- Class 03 Spiced Fruits & Vegetables
- Class 04 Canned Meats

Dried Fruits, Vegetables & Meats

1. All entries must be in standard regulation canning jars with regulation bands and lids.
2. Lids on jars do not need to be sealed. Fruits, vegetables and meats will be judged according to the following: All dried fruits and vegetables should retain their natural color and smell. All fruits should be uniform in size, shape and ripeness.

Peaches- Leathery and somewhat pliable.

Apricots- Leathery and pliable. No moisture in the center when cut.

Apples- Leathery, suede-like, no moisture in center when cut.

Parsley- Should have a nice green color, leaves brittle and crumbles easily.

Onions- Brittle and light color.

Peppers- Crisp and brittle.

Squash- Tough to brittle.

Meat- Leathery tough.

Dried Fruits, Vegetables & Meats

- Class 05 Fruits
- Class 06 Vegetables
- Class 07 Meats
- Class 08 Other Entry Not Listed
- Class 09 Jellies Must Be in Pints, ½ Pints. May Be Opened for final Judging.
- Class 10 Preserves
- Class 11 Butter & Jams

Department 540 -Clothing Construction

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following.

1. All articles must be homemade and not soiled.
2. No article which has been exhibited can be entered again.
3. Articles made in 4-H projects cannot be entered in open Class.
4. No prize money will be given for the champion ribbons.
5. All exhibits must remain in place until Sunday. No exceptions will be made. Look at the events in front of the book.
6. All macramé will be entered in hobbies and crafts.
7. All items must be made within the past 3 years with the exception of Division 1, which is to be made after August of last year.
8. All items must be entered under the name of the party who made it.
9. All work in this division will be judged on: suitability of material for use of article, design and color, and neatness on underside, as well as finished side.

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under

Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10

Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13

Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.

Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience

Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.

Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally

- Class 01 Slacks
- Class 02 Shorts
- Class 03 Dress
- Class 04 Blouse
- Class 05 Skirt
- Class 06 Jumper
- Class 07 Men's Wear
- Class 08 2 or more piece coordinated outfit
- Class 09 Suit, Lady or Man
- Class 10 Jacket
- Class 11 Vest
- Class 12 Lounge Wear or Robe
- Class 13 Beach Wear (Swimsuit, Beach Coat, Etc.)
- Class 14 Apron
- Class 15 Formal Dress
- Class 16 Infant's Dress
- Class 17 Child's Garment, Dress Clothing
- Class 18 Child's Garment, Play Clothing
- Class 19 Fleece Garment
- Class 20 Doll Clothing (3 Pieces on Display Board)
- Class 21 Other, Not listed

Department 545 - Knitting and Crochet

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following.

1. All articles must be homemade and not soiled.
2. No article can be entered in more than one Class.
3. No article which has been exhibited can be entered again.
4. Articles made in 4-H projects cannot be entered in open Class.
5. All macramé will be entered in hobbies and crafts.
6. All items must be made within the past 3 years with the exception of Division 1, which is to be made after August of last year.
7. All items must be entered under the name of the party who made it.
8. All work in this division will be judged on: suitability of material for use of article, design and color, and neatness on underside, as well as finished side.

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under

Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10

Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13

Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.

Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience

Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.

Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally

Fashion Accessories, Knitted

Class 01 Afghans and Throws

Class 02 Small Articles

Department 550 - Handwork

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following.

1. Handwork includes any one of the following: Counted Cross-stitch embroidery, needlepoint, crewel, tatting, plastic canvas, macramé, latch hook, or cutwork.

2. All articles exhibited must be in a clear plastic bag.

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under

Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10

Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13

Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.

Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience

Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.

Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally

Class 01 Misc. (Pillows, Vest, Etc.)

Class 02 Framed articles

Class 03 Finished other than framed

Class 04 Plastic / Canvas stitching

Class 05 Miscellaneous

Department 555 -Fine Arts

The Fine Arts Department seeks to recognize and encourage honest quality and creative ability. These factors will be the major concern in judging exhibits. All names or signatures will be blocked out until after judging.

The management of the Art Department will use diligence, care and reasonable precautions for the safety of articles accepted for exhibit entry, but in no case will they be responsible for any loss or damage which might occur during the fair.

Department Rules:

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following.

1. All pieces entered must be the original work of the exhibitor. No copies or impressions of the artist will be accepted for consideration. Although artists may use photos as an aid in composition and rendering.
2. All 2-dimensional adult entries are to be framed and wire attached for wall hanging. No metal tooth hooks. No exceptions.
3. All 2-dimensional pictures should have rigid backing and a suitable device for wall-hanging. If no hanging device, the work will be hung with thumb tacks or staples.
4. All work must have been done in the last 2 years.
5. No work will have been exhibited at the Five-state Fair in prior years.

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under

Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10

Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13

Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.

Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience

Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.

Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally

Painting:

Class 01 Oil Painting

Class 02 Watercolor Painting

Class 03 Acrylic Painting

Drawing:

Class 04 Pencil

Class 05 Charcoal

Class 06 Chalk, Pastel

Class 07 Ink

Class 08 Mixed Media (Mixture of any above listed)

Sculpture/Carving:

Class 09 Metal

Class 10 Stone

Class 11 Wood

Ceramics:

Class 12 Wheel Thrown

Class 13 Hand Built

Department 560 - Photography

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following:

1. The photographs entered must be the result of the current years' work. Photos must be taken by the exhibitor.
2. Remove the white border from the photo print before mounting.
3. All photos must be no larger than 8" x 10" and no smaller than 5" x 7", after trimming. Mount as you would the larger prints.
4. All photos are to be mounted across the narrow (11") dimension of an 11" x 12.5" sheet of white or cream studio mount. Available for purchase at the Extension Office
5. Photos must be mounted with the top edge of the print 1" below the top of the mount. (Board is always oriented narrow side up). The sides of the print must be equal distance from the two sides of the mount.
6. No lettering, including dates, is permitted on the front of the mount or on the photo, only on the entry card. No under lays or borders are to be used. Make permanent mounts by using photographic adhesive.
7. To protect exhibits from dust and moisture, place mounted photos in a protective, clear, photo bag, available for purchase at the Extension Office.
8. On the back of the mount, write: The exhibitor's name, address, county, location where the photograph was taken and a brief description of the photo.
19. Improperly mounted photos, oversized or undersized photos or photos with the white border not removed or lettering (including dates) on the photo will be disqualified.
10. Photographs taken with a digital camera and having no more adjustments than exposure, color intensity or correction, one click filters effects, red eye removal, cropping, dodging and burning should be entered in standard color or black and white classes.
11. The black and white Division is for black and white prints only. Monochromatic prints, including sepia prints, are considered color photos and must be entered in the appropriate color photo Division.
12. Digital Composite Image: Finished photo must be created from two or more original sources created by the exhibitor.

Exhibitors must include a second 11 x 12 ½ matte board (Explanation Board mounted with standard size prints of the original photos. 3 x 5 card (s) explaining what manipulation was done and a standard size print of the final photo. Optional, may include prints of editing steps. Photos showing editing steps may be layered. Please put the name and County on the front of the second board. Explanation Boards will be displayed as a group to explain and promote the Division. Place both matte boards in the same protective plastic bag. Photos will be judged on photographic merit as well as manipulation technique and process.hanging.

- Division 1** **Ages 6 and Under**
- Division 2** **Ages 7 to 10**
- Division 3** **Ages 11 to 13**
- Division 4** **Ages 14 to 17**
- Division 5** **Adult Amateur**
- Division 6** **Adult Intermediate**
- Division 7** **Adult Professional**

- Class 01 Landscape (water related)
- Class 02 Landscape
- Class 03 Domestic Animal
- Class 04 Wild Animal
- Class 05 Plant Life
- Class 06 Architecture
- Class 07 Unusual Features
- Class 08 People Portrait
- Class 09 People Candid
- Class 10 Black and White
- Class 11 Digital Composite Image (see rule 13)
- Class 12 Kansas Landscapes
- Class 13 Kansas Flowers
- Class 14 Kansas Lifestyles (farming/industry)
- Class 15 Kansas Insects
- Class 16 Drone Photography

Department 565 – Antiques 1965 or older

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following:

1. An antique is an item that is 50 years or older.
2. An antique has a certain value.
3. To be acceptable for Class entry, articles should be pre-1965. Restored articles will be accepted if not altered from their original form.
4. Articles brought for exhibit will be entered into the Class in which they more nearly qualify, according to the judgment of a qualified entering judge.
5. There can be only one entry per Class from each household unless otherwise stated.
6. Articles will not be accepted for entry if they are reproductions or are cracked, badly chipped, broken or in poor condition. Article also must be clean.
7. Any article which has received a first prize at the Seward County 5-State Fair within the past five years will not be accepted for entry.
8. Any item too large for the cases can be refused entry. The superintendent of the Antique Department will use diligence, care and reasonable precautions for the safety of articles accepted for exhibit entry, but in no case will they be responsible for any loss or breakage which might occur during the Seward County 5-State Fair.

Judging Score Card for Antiques

- Rarity - 25%**
- Appeal - 25%**
- Condition - 25%**

Value - 25%

- Class 01 Banks
- Class 02 Book, Album, Catalog, Etc.
- Class 03 Bowl or Tureen
- Class 04 Brass, Bronze, Copper, Tin ware
- Class 05 Clocks
- Class 06 Cracker Jar, Tobacco Jar or Canister Set (Not Over 3 Pieces)
- Class 07 Cup and Saucer, Presentation Cup, Mustache Cup or Souvenir Cup
- Class 08 Figurine or Statue
- Class 09 Handmade Items, Crochet or Embroidery (Limit 3 piece in set)
- Class 10 Jewelry or Watch
- Class 11 Paper Item, Document or Certificate
- Class 12 Glass; Clear
- Class 13 Glass; Colored
- Class 14 Personal Item, Purse, Fan, Eyeglasses, Etc.
- Class 15 Pottery-
- Class 16 Quilt or Coverlet
- Class 17 Silverware (Limit 6 Matching Pieces) Put In a Box
- Class 18 Small Tools
- Class 19 Teapot, Chocolate Pot (One Matching Cup and Saucer or Cream and Sugar May Accompany).
- Class 20 Toy
- Class 21 Vase (One Only)
- Class 22 Whims (Collection of 4 Items Only) Such as Salt & Pepper Shakers, Individual Salts, Small Shoes, Etc. Must Display in Shoebox Lid or Smaller Lid.
- Class 23 Doll
- Class 24 All other items not listed above

Department 570 - Collectibles / Hobbies 1966 and newer

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following:

1. To be acceptable for Class entry articles must have been made after 1965.
2. Articles brought for exhibit will be entered into the Class in which they more nearly qualify, according to the judgment of the qualified entering judge.
3. Articles must be owned by the exhibitor.
4. Articles will not be accepted for entry if they are reproductions or are cracked, badly chipped, broken or in poor condition.
5. Any item too large for the cases can be a refused entry.
6. Any article which has received a first prize at the Seward County 5-State Fair within the past five years will not be accepted for entry.

The superintendent of the Collectibles Department will use diligence, care and reasonable precautions for the safety of articles accepted for exhibit entry, but in no case will they be responsible for any loss or breakage which might occur during the Seward County 5-State Fair.

Judging Score Card for Collectibles And Hobbies

- Rarity - 25%**
- Appeal - 25%**
- Condition - 25%**
- Value - 25%**

Class 01	Banks
Class 02	Book, Album, Catalog, Etc.
Class 03	Bowl or Tureen
Class 04	Brass, Bronze, Copper, Tin ware
Class 05	Clocks
Class 06	Cracker Jar, Tobacco Jar or Canister Set (Not Over 3 Pieces)
Class 07	Cup and Saucer, Presentation Cup, Mustache Cup or Souvenir Cup
Class 08	Figurine or Statue
Class 09	Handmade Items, Crochet or Embroidery (Limit 3 pieces in set)
Class 10	Jewelry or Watch
Class 11	Paper Item, Document or Certificate
Class 12	Glass; Clear
Class 13	Glass; Colored
Class 14	Personal Item, Purse, Fan, Eyeglasses, Etc.
Class 15	Pottery
Class 16	Quilt or Coverlet
Class 17	Silverware (Limit 6 Matching Pieces) Put In a Box
Class 18	Small Tools
Class 19	Teapot, Chocolate Pot (One Matching Cup and Saucer or Cream and Sugar May Accompany).
Class 20	Toy
Class 21	Vase (One Only)
Class 22	Whims (Collection of 4 Items Only) Such as Salt & Pepper Shakers, Individual Salts, Small Shoes, Etc. Must Display in Shoebox Lid or Smaller Lid.
Class 23	Doll
Class 24	Coins
Class 25	Dolls (3)
Class 26	Plates (3)
Class 27	Bottles (3)
Class 28	Stamps (3)
Class 29	Rocks or Shells
Class 30	Indian Artifacts
Class 31	Wood Carved Articles (3)
Class 32	Buttons
Class 33	Match-Book Covers
Class 34	Spoons
Class 35	Bells
Class 36	Key Chains (3)
Class 37	Stick Pins (3)
Class 38	Hat Pins
Class 39	Tractors
Class 40	Thimbles
Class 41	Elvis Memorabilia
Class 42	Football Memorabilia
Class 43	All Other Items Not Listed

Department 575 - Porcelain Arts

The china painting division of fine arts stresses the painting techniques and originality of fine, hand decorated porcelain. General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following:

1. All china must be painted by the exhibitor. (No exhibit shall have an instructor's painting - honor system).
2. All articles must have been painted by the exhibitor within the last three years and must not have been shown previously at the Seward County 5-State Fair.
3. All signatures will be blocked out until after the judging.
4. A collection must have continuity (related subject matter, etc.) A collection shall have not less than

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under

Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10

Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13

Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.

Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience

Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.

Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally

Class 01	Plates
Class 02	Vases & Pitchers
Class 03	Collection 3 or more Pieces
Class 04	Special Techniques
Class 05	Miscellaneous
Class 06	Soft Body Baby
Class 07	Soft Body Adult
Class 08	Five Piece Body Baby/Toddler
Class 09	Five Piece Body Child/Adult
Class 10	Multi-Joined Baby/Toddler
Class 11	Multi-Joined Child/Adult

Department 580 - Stain Glass

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following:

1. Article must be the work of the exhibitor, not shown previously at the Seward County 5-State Fair and done within the last three years.

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under

Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10

Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13

Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.

Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience

Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.

Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally

Windows

Class 01	Leaded Panel
Class 02	Copper Foil (Tiffany Method)
Class 03	Dalles De-Vere (Slab-Faceted)
Class 04	Ornaments (Originals)
Class 05	Boxes
Class 06	Lamps (No kits)
Class 07	Clocks
Class 08	Etched Glass
Class 09	Glass combined with unusual materials
Class 10	Hobby and Craft Section (Includes Kits)
Class 11	Stained Glass Kits

Window Hangings

Class 12	Scenic
Class 13	Figures
Class 14	Other entries not listed.

Department 585 - Crafts

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following:

1. All crafts must be made during the year and must be the property of the exhibitor.
2. An article entered last year cannot be entered this year.
3. All number paintings and plaques must be mounted on frames and ready for hanging.

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under

Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10

Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13**Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.****Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience****Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.****Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally**

Class 01	Candles
Class 02	Metal Art
Class 03	Mosaics or Tile
Class 04	Plaster & Paper Mache Article
Class 05	Paper Crafts
Class 06	Duct Tape Craft
Class 07	Leather
Class 08	Latch Hook
Class 09	Yarn Craft
Class 10	String Art
Class 11	Decoupage
Class 12	Model kit
Class 13	Furniture
Class 14	Woodcraft, excluding furniture
Class 15	Wood Burning
Class 16	Wheat Weaving
Class 17	Jewelry — Single Item
Class 18	Jewelry — Set
Class 19	Other Jewelry Item
Class 20	Fabric
Class 21	Ornaments
Class 22	Wreaths
Class 23	Artificial Floral
Class 24	Stencil & Stamped Art
Class 25	Fair Theme Craft
Class 26	Miscellaneous Craft Item

Scrapbooking

Class 27	4-H/FFA/Scouts
Class 28	Family
Class 29	Sports
Class 30	Animals
Class 31	Miscellaneous

Department 590 - Ceramics

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following:

1. The article must have been made during the past year
2. One entry in each Class division.
3. Limit of three items per set and groups.

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under**Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10****Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13****Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.****Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience****Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.****Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally**

Class 01	China Painting
Class 02	Plain Glaze
Class 03	under Glaze
Class 04	Lustra
Class 05	Translucent
Class 6	Crystal Tone
Class 07	Combinations of Glazes and Techniques
Class 08	Stain
Class 09	Porcelain

Class 10	Rip and Tear
Class 11	Figurines, Human, Animal, or Other
Class 12	Banks
Class 13	Steins
Class 14	Wall Plaques
Class 15	Vase or Bottles
Class 16	Fantasy
Class 17	Chess Sets, Completed
Class 18	Nativity Set, 6 or more pieces
Class 19	Cookie Jar, Candy Dish
Class 20	Holiday Items
Class 21	Ornaments
Class 22	Box with Lid
Class 23	Dry Brush
Class 24	Chalk Finish
Class 25	Miscellaneous

Department 595 - Special Needs

General rules and regulations will govern entries in addition to the following:

1. No more than one entry per Class.
2. Prize money and ribbons may be awarded in each Class.
3. Items must be entered under the name of the person who made it.
4. Include a note card explaining the handicap to the judge so they may effectively judge the difficulty of the task.

Division 1 – Ages 6 and Under**Division 2 – Ages 7 to 10****Division 3 – Ages 11 to 13****Division 4 – Ages 14 to 17.****Division 5 - Adult Amateur - Under 5 years' experience****Division 6 - Adult Intermediate – Over 5 years' experience but not sold professionally.****Division 7 - Adult Professional – Sold professionally**

Class 01	Crocheted Item
Class 02	Knitted Item
Class 03	Embroidered Item
Class 04	Painting on Fabric
Class 05	Latch hook
Class 06	Yarn Object
Class 07	Jewelry
Class 08	Ceramics, Stain
Class 09	Ceramics, Glaze
Class 10	Ceramics, Dry Brush
Class 11	Painting
Class 12	Pencil Sketch
Class 13	Stained Glass Kit
Class 14	Needlepoint
Class 15	Pipe Cleaner Item
Class 16	Model Kits
Class 17	Puzzle Picture
Class 18	Miscellaneous

Department 600 - Quilts

Check the Schedule of Events in front of the book for when Quilts will be entered.

Best of Show Rosette.**Needles & Friends Quilt Guild (large quilt)**

Award \$25.00 Chosen by the Guild Membership

Needles & Friends Quilt Guild (small quilt)

Award \$25.00 Chosen by the Guild Membership

1. All articles must be homemade and not soiled.

2. No article can be entered in more than one Class in the Seward County Fair.
3. An exhibitor may enter only one article in each Class.
4. No article which has been exhibited can be entered again.
5. No prize money will be given for the Champion Ribbons.
6. All exhibits must remain in place until Commercial booths are removed. Exact date & times to be determined by check in day. No exceptions will be made.
7. All quilts larger than 36 -inches in width, must have a sleeve for hanging, **Sewn On No Pins**. To add a sleeve to the back of the quilt, cut a strip of fabric 8 inches wide and as long as the width of the quilt. Finish the ends by overcasting, zigzag, or use the selvage edge. Fold the strip in half lengthwise and stitch together. Press seam down the center of the sleeve. Tack the top edge of the sleeve about one inch from the top of the quilt. Then roll the sleeve up and tack the lower edge about 1/2-inch from the fold. This will leave enough room to insert a rod without distorting the front of the quilt. The sleeve may be made from fabric matching the back, with any long strip of fabric, or the top hem of a discarded bed sheet.
8. All articles must have labels attached with name, address, and phone number attached.

Professional Quilted

Class 01	Original Picture or Design
Class 02	Multimedia
Class 03	Hand Appliqué
Class 04	Machine Appliqué
Class 05	Whole Cloth
Class 06	Embroidered or Cross Stitch
Class 07	Piecework 4 or Less Fabrics
Class 08	Piecework 5 or More Fabrics
Class 09	Scrap Quilt
Class 10	Sampler
Class 11	Seasonal
Class 12	Paper Pieced
Class 13	Pre-Printed Fabric
Class 14	T-Shirt
Class 15	Modern
Class 16	Machine Embroidery
Class 17	Antique
Class 18	Miscellaneous

Amateur Machine Quilted

Class 18	Original Picture or Design
Class 19	Multimedia
Class 20	Hand Appliqué
Class 21	Machine Appliqué
Class 22	Whole Cloth
Class 23	Embroidered or Cross Stitch
Class 24	Piecework 4 or Less Fabrics
Class 25	Piecework 5 or More Fabrics
Class 26	Scrap Quilt
Class 27	Sampler
Class 28	Seasonal
Class 29	Paper Pieced
Class 30	Pre-Printed Fabric
Class 31	T-Shirt
Class 32	Modern
Class 33	Machine Embroidery
Class 34	Antique
Class 35	Miscellaneous

Hand Quilted

Class 36	Original Picture or Design
Class 37	Multimedia

Class 38	Hand Appliqué
Class 39	Machine Appliqué
Class 40	Whole Cloth
Class 41	Embroidered or Cross Stitch
Class 42	Piecework 4 or Less Fabrics
Class 43	Piecework 5 or More Fabrics
Class 44	Scrap Quilt
Class 45	Sampler
Class 46	Seasonal
Class 47	Paper Pieced
Class 48	Pre-Printed Fabric
Class 49	Modern
Class 50	Tie Quilt
Class 51	Antique
Class 52	Miscellaneous

Quilts Completed by Senior Citizen (Over Age 75) Any Size Quilt

Class 53	Piecework
Class 54	Appliqué
Class 55	Miscellaneous

Children's Division

Note: Item Must Be Made by a Child.

Class 56	Preschool through Age 6
Class 57	Age 7 through Age 8
Class 58	Age 9 through Age 11
Class 59	Age 12 through Age 14
Class 60	Age 15 through Age 18

Small Quilts (36x36 or Less)

Class 61	Multimedia
Class 62	Hand Appliqué
Class 63	Machine Appliqué
Class 64	Whole Cloth
Class 65	Embroidered or Cross Stitch
Class 66	Sampler
Class 67	Seasonal
Class 68	Piecework
Class 69	Paper Pieced
Class 70	True Miniature
Class 71	Original Design
Class 72	Non-Stitch Appliqué
Class 73	Modern
Class 74	Machine Embroidery
Class 75	Miscellaneous

Wall Quilts (36x36 or More)

Class 76	Original Design
Class 77	Multimedia
Class 78	Hand Appliqué
Class 79	Machine Appliqué
Class 80	Whole Cloth
Class 81	Embroidered or Cross-Stitch
Class 82	Sampler
Class 83	Seasonal
Class 84	Pre-Printed
Class 85	Piecework
Class 86	Paper Pieced
Class 87	Non-Stitch Appliqué
Class 88	Modern
Class 89	Machine Embroidery
Class 90	Scrap
Class 91	Miscellaneous

Quilt Groups

Class 92	Original Design
Class 93	Multimedia
Class 94	Hand Appliqué
Class 95	Machine Appliqué
Class 96	Whole Cloth
Class 97	Embroidered or Cross-Stitch
Class 98	Piecework 4 or Less Fabrics
Class 99	Piecework 5 or More Fabrics
Class 100	Scrap Quilt
Class 101	Sampler
Class 102	Seasonal
Class 103	Paper Pieced
Class 104	Modern
Class 105	Machine Embroidery
Class 106	Miscellaneous

First Time Quilters Division

Note: If this is the first quilted item you have made, you are encouraged to enter this division. You may only enter one year in this division. Any size quilt

Class 107	Original Design
Class 108	Multimedia
Class 109	Hand Appliqué
Class 110	Machine Appliqué
Class 111	Whole Cloth
Class 112	Embroidered or Cross-Stitch
Class 113	Piecework 4 or Less Fabrics
Class 114	Piecework 5 or More Fabrics
Class 115	Scrap Quilt
Class 116	Sampler
Class 117	Seasonal
Class 118	Paper Pieced
Class 119	Modern
Class 120	Machine Embroidery
Class 121	Miscellaneous

Section J: Home Décor

Class 122	Pillow
Class 123	Table Toppers
Class 124	Table Cloth
Class 125	Placemats
Class 126	Tea Towels
Class 127	Rug
Class 128	Ornaments
Class 129	Stockings
Class 130	Tree Skirts
Class 131	Pot Holders
Class 132	Miscellaneous
Class 133	Table Runner
Class 134	Candle Mat
Class 135	Seasonal
Class 136	Paper Pieced
Class 137	Modern

Section K: Wool

Class 138	Penny Rugs
Class 139	Candle Mats
Class 140	Rugs
Class 141	Quilt (any Size)
Class 142	Seasonal
Class 143	Miscellaneous

Section L: Wearing Apparel

Class 144	Hand Quilted
Class 145	Machine Quilted
Class 146	First Time Quilter
Class 147	Antique

Class 148	Children (Up to 17 years)
Class 149	Hand Appliqué
Class 150	Embroidered or Cross Stitch
Class 151	Machine Embroidery
Class 152	Multimedia
Class 153	Original Design
Class 154	Seasonal
Class 155	Paper Pieced
Class 156	Modern
Class 157	Piece work
Class 158	Machine Appliqué
Class 159	Raw Edge
Class 160	Miscellaneous

Department 605 Open Horse Show

- The 4-H Shows Handbook will be used for all rules and regulations including dress code for all events.
- Only mares and geldings may be shown at halter and under saddle by youth exhibitors 18 and under except for weanling halter colts
- Horse shall be of any breed or combination of breeds, serviceably sound, and in good condition
- Horse to be shown at owners' own risk.
- The judge will announce all patterns including the reining pattern, which will be one of the patterns describe in the handbook for Kansas 4-H Horse Shows
- Performance classes will be divided into two age divisions- 18 and under and 19 and over.
- Adult and Youth High Point awards will be given for points earned in Showmanship, Trail, Walk Trot, Western Pleasure, Western Horsemanship, and Reining.
- In the case of a tie the contestant that placed the best in Showmanship will win the High Point Award.
- Points will be awarded based on the number of entries in each class. For example, if there are 6 entries in a class, the class winner will receive 6 points, the 2nd place entry will receive 5 points, etc., etc., etc., the 6th place entry will receive 1 point. At the end of the show the points will be added up and based on the 2 age divisions. (18 and under and 19 and over). High point Adult and Youth Awards will be given to each of the two age divisions.
- Horses shown in any 4-H horse division class may not be shown in any Open Horse division class.

Division 1	Stock Type (QH, Paint, Appaloosa, etc.)
Division 2	Non- Stock Type (Morgan, Arabian, Other, etc.)
Division 3	Ponies & Donkeys
Class 01	Foals born this year
Class 02	Mare with foal this year
Class 03	Fillies 2 & under
Class 04	Mares 3 & over
Class 05	Geldings 2 & Under
Class 06	Geldings 3 & over

Division 4 Showmanship
 Class 07 18 and Under
 Class 08 19 and Over

Performance

Division 5 18 and Under
Division 6 19 and Over

Class 10 Trail
 Class 11 Walk Trot
 Class 12 Western Pleasure
 Class 13 Western Horsemanship
 Class 14 Reining
 Class 15 Barrel Racing
 Class 16 Poles
 Class 17 Flag Race
 Class 18 Working Ranch Horse

**Department 610
 Open Poultry**

6. Each exhibitor is limited to a maximum of 15 total birds.
7. Exhibitors will feed and water animals daily and clean out pens.
8. Young birds are classified as born in the current calendar year. Old birds are born prior to this calendar year.
9. Exhibitors will be expected to visit with the judge about their project.
10. All poultry, except waterfowl, must show proof that they are pullorum-typhoid clean by one of the following methods.
 - Originate from a U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid clean flock as evidenced by an official VS Form 9-2, certifying all birds in the flock over four months of age have had a negative test within the designated testing year. Seward County Poultry to be tested in 2027.
 - Present evidence that the entries were purchased from a U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid clean source and have been the only poultry on the premises (Presentation of a VS 9-3 Form received when poultry were purchased)

Division 1 Standard Breeds Chickens

Class 01 Standard Breeds, Large Fowl, Young
 Class 02 Standard Breeds, Large Fowl, Old
 Class 03 Standard Breeds, Bantams, Young
 Class 04 Standard Breeds, Bantams, Old
 Class 05 Production Pullet (White or tinted eggs)
 Class 06 Production Hen (White/tinted eggs)
 Class 07 Dual Purpose Pullet (Brown/colored eggs)
 Class 08 Dual Purpose Hen (Brown/colored eggs)
 Class 09 Meat type Chickens

Division 2 Other Poultry

Class 10 Turkeys-all breeds
 Class 11 Ducks-all breeds
 Class 12 Geese-all breeds
 Class 13 Pigeons-all breeds

Division 3 Eggs (Scored on appearance, texture, cleanliness, size, uniformity, and quality)
 Class 14 Eggs-one dozen

**Department 615
 Open Rabbits**

10. There must be more than one exhibitor in a class to pay more than one premium placing.
11. Superintendents and judges will determine Classes, if shown by breeds
12. Purebred is defined as any breed recognized by the American Rabbit Breeders Association (ARBA)
13. All rabbits must be legibly and permanently tattooed in the left ear for identification.
14. **Exhibitors will feed and water their own animals and provide their own feed. Pens must be cleaned daily.**
15. **Exhibitors will be expected to visit with the judge about their project.**

Division 1 Breeding Rabbits

Class 01 Senior Buck
 Class 02 Intermediate Buck*
 Class 03 Junior Buck, under 6 months
 Class 04 Senior Doe
 Class 05 Intermediate Doe*
 Class 06 Junior Doe, under 6 months

* Only breeds having a minimum senior weight of 9 pounds or more will have an Intermediate Division.

Division 2 Meat Rabbits

Class 07 Meat Pen*
 Class 08 Single Fryer
 Class 09 Roaster
 Class 10 Stewer

* Only 3 animals of the same breed and variety, not over 10 weeks old and weighing between 3 and 5 pounds)

Division 3 Showmanship

Class 11 18 and Under
 Class 12 19 and Over