

4-H Department

RULES:

1. Open to recognized members of a Napa County 4-H Club. 4-H members may enroll after they have entered Kindergarten and can exhibit as a member until the end of the calendar year in which the member turns 19 years of age.
2. Only exhibits which are made, collected or prepared by the exhibitor in accordance with the requirements or recommendations of that project program may be entered.
3. Exhibitors may make entries only in the unit in which they are currently enrolled or were enrolled in the immediately preceding 4-H Club year, but not both.
4. Entries which require packaging and labeling, such as food preservation and entomology, must be done in accordance with directions and recipes in project manuals and outlines.
5. Only standard containers specifically designed for the purpose will be accepted.
6. Entries completed not under official project status should enter in the Junior department.
7. All entries will be judged based on the **DANISH SYSTEM OF JUDGING** unless otherwise noted.
8. Items should be brought to the Fair on/in disposable containers, i.e. aluminum tins, cardboard cake forms, paper plates, etc. Do Not Bring items in or on something that you want returned.

4-H AWARDS

The following special awards will be presented to outstanding projects and/or Exhibitors for entries in the Napa Town & Country Fair. Winners list will be posted in Zinfandel Hall by 4:00 pm on August 15th. Winners of any Special Awards are encouraged to attend the Awards Program on Sunday, August 16th at 2:00 pm in the Livestock Show Arena.

Awards will be determined by a count of ribbons received in a certain division(s). The count will be as follows:

- 10 Points for each Best of Show
- 5 Points for each Blue Ribbon
- 3 Points for each Red Ribbon
- 1 Point for each White Ribbon

Exhibitors must have at least 2 entries in a category to be considered for a special award. In case of a tie, the award will be divided. In the event that the award cannot be divided, a committee of two will be asked to break the tie. An exhibitor can only receive one Special Award, from #1 through 16 below, in the Junior Department (other than livestock).

4-H Clothing Award - presented by the Soroptomist International of Napa.

4-H Linda Evans Memorial – presented by Mr. and Mrs. Robert McIntire to the outstanding 4-H Clothing or Home Furnishing exhibitor.

4-H Arts and Crafts Award

4-H Foods Award - presented by the Napa County Farm Bureau.

4-H Agriculture/Horticulture Award - presented by Grace Methven.

4-H Miscellaneous Project (except photography) Award - presented by Joyce Trentacoste.

4-H William C. Joens Memorial Photography Award - \$25.00 will be presented to each of the two most outstanding photography entries. One will be awarded to a 4-H member ages 9 thru 13, the other will be awarded to a 4-H member ages 14 thru 18. Photographs must be a minimum size of 5" x 7" and must be matted and framed.

4-H Kim Atchley Memorial Award - presented for the Best 4-H Panel Display by Frank and Flora Atchley.

4-H or FFA Feature Booth Award - presented by Richard Brockmeyer of Wine Industry Investment Consulting.

4-H Country Store Award in Memory of Claire Del Santi and Janet Collins - presented for member and club participation by Grace Methven.

The Evelyn Botelho Memorial Outstanding Female and Male Exhibitor - presented by the 4-H County Council of Napa.

A plaque and \$50.00 will be presented to each of the winners. Please note that this award may not be received by the same exhibitor two years in a row, i.e. an exhibitor who received this award in 2008 will not be eligible in 2009.

Cecil Herrick Award - The Napa Town and Country Fair is pleased to announce the 29th Annual Cecil Herrick Award; a special 4-H Club Sweepstakes Program. The Cecil Herrick Award is designed to encourage participation of 4-H members and 4-H groups at the Napa Town and Country Fair.

A total of \$200.00 in premium money will be paid to the 5 outstanding 4-H clubs, including \$60.00 to the 1st place club, \$50.00 for 2nd, \$40.00 for 3rd, \$30.00 going to the 4th place club, and \$20.00 being awarded for 5th place.

The scoring system and club tally sheet will be mailed to each community leader in mid-June. This will assist you in preparing your entries for the 2009 Napa Town and Country Fair.

4-H AGRICULTURE / HORTICULTURE

Entry Forms Due: Friday, July 10th
Delivery of Exhibits: Monday, August 10th
12:00 noon - 6:00 pm
Zinfandel Hall

Premiums Offered Per Class

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
\$1.50	\$1.00	\$.50

Entry Fee : \$.50 per entry

Best of Show- Rosette

RULES:

1. Only one entry per variety please.
2. Each entry must be listed separately on an entry form. Please list species and variety.
3. See the Senior Agriculture/Horticulture Department for number of each item per entry needed.

Division 800 Fruits & Vegetables

Class

- 1 Any Fruit (specify type on entry form)
- 2 Any Vegetable (specify type on entry form)

4-H ARTS & CRAFTS

RULES:

1. All items must be hand made. (If an item is precut or prestamped, the exhibitor must attach a note to the exhibit stating which portion was completed by the exhibitor.)
2. Members should select articles to do within their ability and will be judged on the neatness and artistry of the exhibit.
3. Art entries must be matted, however frames are preferred. Sturdy, prewired frames are appreciated. No taped or glued wires will be accepted.

Entry Forms Due: Friday, July 10th
Delivery of Exhibits: Tuesday, August 4th
12:00 noon - 6:00 pm
Zinfandel Hall

Premiums Offered Per Class

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
\$1.50	\$1.00	\$.50

Entry Fee : \$.50 per entry

Best of Show- Rosette

Division 802 - Ceramics

Class

- 1 Beginning Project Members (1st - 2nd year)
- 2 Intermediate Project Members (3rd - 4th year)
- 3 Advanced Project Members (5th year & over)

Division 803 - Other Arts & Crafts

Class

- 1 Beginning Project Members (1st - 2nd year)
- 2 Intermediate Project Members (3rd - 4th year)
- 3 Advanced Project Members (5th year & over)

4-H CLOTHING, HOME FURNISHINGS & TEXTILES

Entry Forms Due: Friday, July 10th
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12:00 noon - 6:00 pm
Zinfandel Hall

Premiums Offered Per Class

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
\$1.50	\$1.00	\$.50

Entry Fee : \$.50 per entry

Best of Show- Rosette

Division 804 - Single Item

Class

- 1 Beginning Project Members (1st - 2nd year)
- 2 Intermediate Project Members (3rd - 4th year)
- 3 Advanced Project Members (5th year & over)

Division 805 - Two Piece Outfit

Class

- 1 Beginning Project Members (1st - 2nd year)
- 2 Intermediate Project Members (3rd - 4th year)
- 3 Advanced Project Members (5th year & over)

Division 806 - Coordinated Exhibit

Class

- 1 Beginning Project Members (1st - 2nd year)
- 2 Intermediate Project Members (3rd - 4th year)
- 3 Advanced Project Members (5th year & over)

Division 807 - Needlework

Class

- 1 Beginning Project Members (1st - 2nd year)
- 2 Intermediate Project Members (3rd - 4th year)
- 3 Advanced Project Members (5th year & over)

4-H FOODS & NUTRITION

RULES:

1. Entry form must specify type of entry.
2. Foods requiring refrigeration may not be entered.
3. Exhibitors are limited to entering in only one class in Division 808.
4. Each entry must contain the minimum quantities:
 - Muffins, biscuits, rolls, cookies and candies - 1/2 dozen
 - Cakes - 1/2 cake plus one slice
 - Breads - 1/2 loaf

Entry Forms Due: Friday, July 10th
Delivery of Exhibits: Monday, August 10th
12:00 noon - 6:00 pm
or
Tuesday, August 11th
8:00 am - 9:00 am
Zinfandel Hall

Premiums Offered Per Class

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
\$1.50	\$1.00	\$.50

Entry Fee : \$.50 per entry

Best of Show- Rosette

Division 808 - Foods And Nutrition

Class

- 1 Beginning Project Members (1st - 2nd year)
- 2 Intermediate Project Members (3rd - 4th year)
- 3 Advanced Project Members (5th year & over)

Division 809 - Cake Decorating

Class

- 1 All Levels

4-H FOOD PRESERVATION

RULES:

1. Only standard canning jars will be accepted. No paraffin seals please.
2. An entry consists of two (2) 1/2 pint jars or (2) pint jars; one jar is used for judging and one jar is used for display purposes.
3. Please list on your entry form the type of items entered; i.e.: Blackberry Jam, Beef Jerky, etc.
4. Dried food consists of 10 - 12 pieces. They may be presented in a sealed jar or under plastic wrap on a plate.

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12:00 noon - 6:00 pm
Zinfandel Hall

Premiums Offered Per Class

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
\$1.50	\$1.00	\$.50

Entry Fee : \$.50 per entry

Best of Show- Rosette

Division 810 - Canning

Class

- 1 Beginning Project Members (1st - 2nd year)
- 2 Intermediate Project Members (3rd - 4th year)
- 3 Advanced Project Members (5th year & over)

Division 811 - Drying

Class

- 1 Beginning Project Members (1st - 2nd year)
- 2 Intermediate Project Members (3rd - 4th year)
- 3 Advanced Project Members (5th year & over)

4-H MISCELLANEOUS PROJECTS

Entry Forms Due: Friday, July 10th
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12:00 noon - 6:00 pm
Zinfandel Hall

Premiums Offered Per Class

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
\$1.50	\$1.00	\$.50

Entry Fee : \$.50 per entry

Best of Show- Rosette

Division 812 - Miscellaneous 4-H Projects

Class

- 1 Computer Projects
- 2 Forestry/Wildlife
- 3 Photography
- 4 Plant Science
- 5 Quail, 1 pair, exhibitor to provide pen (See Rabbit receiving information)
- 6 Woodworking
- 7 Any Other

4-H FLORICULTURE

Entry Forms Due: Friday, July 10th
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Zinfandel Hall

Premiums Offered Per Class

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
\$1.50	\$1.00	\$.50

Entry Fee : \$.50 per entry

Best of Show- Rosette

Division 815 - 4-H Floriculture

Class

- 1 Floriculture, Cut Flowers or Potted Plants
- 2 Floral Arrangement
- 3 Mini Gardens

4-H PANEL DISPLAY

RULES:

1. Each entry will be arranged by the exhibitor on a 3' x 4' panel provided by the exhibitor.
2. Materials may be flat or three dimensional and must be sturdy enough for hanging.
3. The exhibit should illustrate a single theme or idea and should include some indication of learning experienced by the 4-H member.
4. The Panel display must include a hook or wire and be suitable for proper hanging.

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Zinfandel Hall

Premiums Offered Per Class

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
\$1.50	\$1.00	\$.50

Entry Fee : \$.50 per entry

Best of Show- Rosette

Division 813 - Panel Display

Class

- 1 Agricultural Theme
- 2 Home Economics Theme
- 3 Other 4-H Activity Theme

4-H TABLE SETTINGS

Entry Forms Due: Friday, July 10th
Delivery of Exhibits: Monday, August 10th
12:00 noon - 6:00 pm
Zinfandel Hall

Premiums Offered Per Class

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
\$1.50	\$1.00	\$.50

Entry Fee : \$.50 per entry

Best of Show- Rosette

Rules:

1. One place setting to be on an appropriate placemat to carry out the theme.
2. Place mat to be 12" x 18"
3. No silverware please.
4. Care will be taken to insure safety of the table setting, however, the Napa Valley Exposition assumes no responsibility to damaged or stolen items from the tablesetting.
5. One card at least 5" x 7", explaining your table setting, is required.
6. The fair will move all table settings into their final display location after judging.

Division 814 - Table Settings

Class

- 1 Children's Party
- 2 Fair Theme
- 3 Favorite Holiday
- 4 Summer Picnic