



2011 Stratham Fair

July 21 - 24, 2011

4-H Department Premium List

At Stratham Fair, the finished results of many 4-H member and volunteer leader efforts are on display. The 4-H Positive Youth Development program focuses on the practice of practical life skills through a broad variety of projects and activities. Many of these projects are displayed in the 4-H Building. These exhibits include individual and club/program displays of projects as well as educational displays developed to inform fair-goers.

If you are a first time exhibitor, please get in touch with the 4-H office so we can help you be prepared! (603) 679-5616 and visit us at: <http://bit.ly/RockCty4H>

The 4-H exhibit building was built in 1977 and dedicated to Lynn Garland upon her retirement as 4-H Extension Educator in 2008.

General Rules

1. Premiums or the permission to exhibit in future years may be withheld from anyone not complying with any rule or regulation in any 4-H class, or whose behavior is disrespectful to Fair property, judges, superintendents, Extension Educators, volunteers or other 4-H members, or whose behavior is not appropriate to standards and image of the NH 4-H program. 4-H members can be expelled from the Fair for not complying with these expectations.
2. **Reserve space by July 5th** with the Rockingham County 4-H, UNH Cooperative Extension office, 603-679-5616.
3. 4-H building premiums listed are being offered to 4-H clubs, programs and members enrolled in Rockingham County 4-H. Exception: 4-H animal exhibitors not enrolled in Rockingham County can do individual member educational displays at Stratham Fair, and participate in judging events and action exhibits in the building.
4. 4-H Cloverbuds, ages 5-7, enter projects completed in only Division IV.
5. Products and articles must represent work completed since last year's Stratham Fair.
6. Exhibits are shown at members own risk.
7. Exhibits must be set up on Wednesday, July 20, 3-8 p.m., with judging done during that time. Exhibits must be judged by 8 p.m. Your club's articles may be judged prior to the fair by contacting the 4-H office to make arrangements.
8. Exhibits must be taken down promptly Sunday evening, July 24, 7-8 p.m. or Monday morning, July 25, 9:30-10:30 a.m. Any item removed prior to take down time will forfeit premiums and/or ribbons at decision of the 4-H building superintendent.

9. Clubs/Programs entering the fair are responsible for setup, take-down, and for completing exhibit sheets correctly. Club/Program exhibits sheets must be returned to the 4-H office with signatures of the 4-H'ers after they have received their payments.
10. Projects done for a school grade, as school class projects, or for other organizations, cannot be exhibited unless significantly modified.
11. Projects or exhibits deemed unsatisfactory, that don't have sufficient quantities, or are improperly labeled, may be disqualified. 4-H exhibit tags and canning labels are available at the Rockingham County UNH Cooperative Extension office. Exhibits that spoil will be removed.
12. All decisions of judges and 4-H superintendents are final.
13. Duplicate entries in any class will not be allowed, e.g., two pin cushions may not be entered by the same member. Items with similar skill/techniques will be grouped as a set with one ribbon and one premium awarded for the set. However, member may enter multiple different items in the same class, e.g., 1 sewing box, 1 pin cushion, and 1 needle book in the same class, Div. E, Class 1. Depending on the class, different techniques may qualify as a separate entry.
14. 4-H clubs are expected to have leaders and members volunteer to help at the fair i.e., 4-H information desk and the 4-H auction, participate in judging events, and do action exhibits.
15. To remove a project from the 4-H building for use in a fair activity (e.g. the sheep lead line class), obtain permission from the building superintendents. Return project no later than one hour after completion of the activity or lose building premiums.
16. Entering exhibits in 4-H, authorizes UNH Cooperative Extension, 4-H to have and use any photographs or slides taken of participants, projects, or animals as is necessary for reports and public relations.

Premiums

Division I & II: 4-H Club/Program Project and Educational Displays

Clubs/programs may enter both a project display and an educational display. In the project display members may enter projects in any listed class with the overall effect judged. If entering both the educational display and the project display, they must register for two separate spaces. Educational exhibits should be planned and set up by a committee and these displays may cover any theme desired, such as: Pet Safety, Healthy Snacks, Sitter's Know, All in Knots

Division I - Club/Program Project Display

Scoring criteria

1. Preparation & Condition of articles exhibited, quality of workmanship.	30 points
2. Exhibit attracts and holds attention.	20 points
3. Presents a pleasing general appearance	20 points
4. An effective sign with club name, county/town.	10 points
5. Creativity of member's talents shown.	10 points
6. Percent of club members participating	10 points
Total	100 points

Club Premium:	Blue ribbon \$15.00	Red ribbon \$12.50
Family Program Premium:	Blue ribbon \$12.00	Red ribbon \$10.00

Division II - Club/Program Educational Display

Scoring criteria

1. Conveys educational message (accomplishes purpose of display, accurate information).	40 points
2. Attracts attention (eye-catching with stopping power).	25 points
3. General overall appearance (simple, yet original in design and quality workmanship).	25 points
4. Effective title (short, active, using words large enough to see from a distance).	10 points
Total	100 points

Club Premium:	Blue ribbon \$12.50	Red ribbon \$10.00
Family Program Premium:	Blue ribbon \$10.00	Red ribbon \$7.50

Division III - Educational Display by 4-H Member(s)

Rockingham County 4-H members or out-of-county 4-H animal exhibitors showing at Stratham Fair may request a 4-8 ft. space to present an educational display designed around a theme which will be prominent. Judging will be based on club/program education display scoring criteria and special ribbons are presented. Educational displays should be on different topics each year or a major revision of a theme used previously. ***Displays must be set up by the 4-H member in order to receive premium.*** Remember to fill the 3D space with posters, samples, themes, sub-themes. Place your name, age, and town sign on your display.

Advanced Display:	Blue ribbon \$10.00	Red ribbon \$7.50
Basic Display:	Blue ribbon \$7.50	Red ribbon \$5.00

Division IV - 4-H Cloverbuds

This division is open to all Rockingham County 4-H Cloverbuds, ages 5-7. Cloverbuds may exhibit any project completed as part of their 4-H program for a participation ribbon. **Because there is a national "ribbon only" policy for cloverbuds, no premiums will be given.** Cloverbuds must use the separate Cloverbud exhibit card and listing pages **for inventory** purposes.

4-H Member Exhibits
For members 8 to 19 as of 1/1/2011

Division A- Aerospace

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Beginner: marshmallow rocket with label & part explanation, space suit & activity chart, space station, drawing of airplanes with parts, edible balloon, straw rockets, aerospace games.	1.00	.50	.25
2. Intermediate: model rockets, gnome rocket, mosquito rocket, diamond kites, hot air balloon model, paper helicopter	1.50	1.00	.75
3. Advanced: drinking straw and balloon rocket, report and photos of model rocket launch, flight simulators, feather wing or controllable gliders, shuttle demonstrator, Nagasaki Hata Fighter Kites, remote control devices, altitude trackers, flat style box kites	3.00	2.00	1.50

Division B - Art

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Posters for demonstration, 4-H poster contest promoting 4-H or explaining a project	1.00	.50	.25
2. Creative Sketching - matted or framed ; in pen and ink, pastels, pencils, charcoal. Notebook with a minimum of 6 sketches. Sculptures or collages.	1.25	.75	.50
3. Creative oils or water color free-hand, must be <u>matted or framed</u> (12"x16" & under).	3.00	2.00	1.50
4. Creative oils or water color free-hand, must be <u>matted or framed</u> (over 12"x16").	4.00	3.00	1.75

Division C - Child Care and Babysitting

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Scrapbooks or original books used with children while babysitting.	1.00	.50	.25
2. Homemade toy, game, play activity or garment made for child. List age of child.	1.25	.75	.50
3. Babysitting surprise bag of 10 items (minimum of 3 homemade). List age of child and reason why articles were selected.	1.50	1.00	.75

Division D - Citizenship

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Family tree or genealogical research.	1.00	.50	.25
2. Scrapbook giving details on completed club, family or individual 4-H community service project.	1.25	.75	.50
3. 4-H Pen Pals - notebook with pictures and information on pen pals. Information on his/her culture and place they live.	1.25	.75	.50
4. Notebook or display on state or national government, or other topics relating to state, national or international topics.	1.25	.75	.50

Division E - Clothing and Textiles

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Simple garment alterations, fix ups, make overs. List what you did to change garment ie shorten/remake hem, patch knee, mend side seam.	1.00	.50	.25
2. Intermediate garment fix ups or alterations and make-overs. List what you did to change the garment.	1.25	.75	.50
3. Sewing boxes identifying and describing use of notions, scarf, pin cushion, bean bag, needle book, pot holders, scrunchies, simple ties, or simple pillows.	1.25	.75	.50
4. Doll clothes, stuffed animals, apron, slippers, tote bag, fabric lunch bag, laundry bag, clothing/textiles scrapbook, wardrobe inventory, 3 original fashion designs, hats, purses, bags, or puppets.	1.50	1.00	.75
5. Advanced stuffed animals, applique bags, pocket quilts, simple packs, duffle bags, gaiters, or fabric wreaths.	2.00	1.50	1.00
6. Simple, easy to sew clothes, skirts, vests, halters, shirts, shorts, jumpers, pants, simple dress, cape, nightgown.	3.00	2.00	1.50
7. Intermediate clothes, pajamas, robes, beachwear, overalls, jumpsuits, detailed dress/garment, unlined jacket.	4.00	3.00	1.75
8. Intermediate outdoor gear, down or fiber filled vest.	5.00	3.50	2.00
9. Two or more piece coordinated outfit, leather, fur fashion, lined jacket or coats not tailored. Advanced outdoor gear and parkas, formal or semi-formal gowns.	6.50	4.50	2.50
10. Tailored and lined wool jackets, blazers, coats, suits.	8.00	6.00	4.00

Division F - Craft Projects

Categorize crafts into classes by the general nature of craft, easy to do project skills to complex skills, as well as, actual work time excluding drying or waiting times to complete craft. *Long term needs approval of 4-H building superintendent or 4-H Extension Educator.

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Easy to do craft (work time 2 hours or less)	1.00	.50	.25
2. Beginner crafts (work time 2-5 hours)	1.25	.75	.50
3. Intermediate crafts (work time 5-8 hours)	1.50	1.00	.75
4. Advanced crafts - creative crafts deemed advanced by the 4-H club leader or Extension Educator, 4-H, (8-15 hrs.)	2.50	1.75	1.25
5. Long term crafts (over 15 hours)*	5.00	3.50	2.00

Division G - Electricity/Electronics/Computers

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Original computer generated graphic arts, banners, cards, or signs.	1.00	.50	.25
2. Electric article repaired with description of repair.	1.00	.50	.25
3. Reports/drawings related to electricity or electronics.	1.00	.50	.25
4. Beginner electricity projects with explanation: circuit board, compass, extension cord, trouble lamp, electromagnet, galvanometer.	1.25	.75	.50
5. Intermediate project with explanation - lamps, electronic devices, electric tool kit, momentary switches, 3-way switch board, rocket launchers, alarms, home-made toy with motor.	2.50	1.75	1.25
6. Advanced projects with explanations, flashing devices, photocell devices, light meters, SCR intruder alarm, 6-8 watt amplifier.	3.50	2.50	1.75

Division H - Entomology

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Killing jar.	1.00	.50	.25
2. Insect net, or one package comb honey.	1.00	.50	.25
3. Display of insect life cycle or entomology science exhibit.	1.25	.75	.50
4. Glass jar strained honey.	1.25	.75	.50
5. Collection of 10-25 identified and mounted insects.	1.50	1.00	.75
6. Beehive display -precut kit.	3.00	2.00	1.50
7. Collection of 26-50 identified and mounted insects.	3.00	2.00	1.50

Division I - Foods and Nutrition

Include recipe card for all food entries. Cakes, cookies and breads must be on paper plates, appropriate to the size of food. Pies should be displayed in disposable aluminum pie plates. All foods should be securely wrapped in plastic bags or zip-type bags. **Food mixes allowed only under Class 4.** Baked food items should be properly disposed of at the end of the fair.

Class & Description

1. Lunch box with menu on 3 x 5 card. Dip and drink mixes.	1.00	.50	.25
2. International foods and foods for special diets. Notebook on a special diet.	2.00	1.50	1.00
3. Cookies - dropped, refrigerator, bars, molded, or pressed; biscuits, doughnuts, muffins, tarts, pretzels, frosted or glazed cupcakes, or candy. These foods must have 6 on a plate. Nutrition or food science information display. Flavored vinegars or oils - 1 pt. Sprouts - 1 pint jar with directions for growing, storing and serving. Raw vegetable tray.	3.00	2.00	1.50
4. Bread machine breads & rolls. Variations to a mix - use a mix as the basis to create a new recipe such as using a cake mix to make cookies. Homemade mixes/food gifts in a jar. Recipe card must be included.	3.00	2.00	1.50
5. Whole cakes or fancy quick breads (Ex banana/nut); layer cake any kind.	3.00	2.00	1.50
6. Cake decorating display, may use shapes, molds or cakes.	4.00	3.00	1.75
7. Chiffon, angel food, or sponge cake	4.00	3.00	1.75
8. Pies, yeast bread - 1 loaf, 6 yeast rolls, fancy yeast sweetbreads.	4.00	3.00	1.75

Division J - Food Preservation

Canned foods will be judged on the condition, color, and pack of the product, consistency, cleanliness, amount of liquid, seal cleanliness and free from rust on container. Labels must be attached on every jar. **All entries must have two matched jars of same size of the same product.** Includes jams, jellies, relishes, canned fruits, vegetables, and meats. Follow Extension's USDA recommendations. All jams and jellies must be water bath processed.

1. Food preservation done by 4-H'er & adult together , 2 jars of each product, or dried food (6 on a plate) or pint jar of dried beans.	2.00	1.50	1.00
2. Food preservation done entirely by 4-H'er alone , 2 jars of each product, or dried foods (6 on a plate) or one pint of dried beans.	3.50	2.50	1.75

Division K - Forestry & Conservation

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Twig, leaf, cone, seed, and wood collection <i>mounted and labeled</i> , at least 10-19 specimens.	1.00	.50	.25
2. One jar (4 oz minimum) of maple syrup in clear glass canning jar, or 4 samples of maple sugar.	1.00	.50	.25
3. Forestry, wildlife, soil science, or conservation display or notebook.	1.00	.50	.25
4. Pictorial record of landscaping home or community building.	1.00	.50	.25
5. Wood lot maps, plans, and pictorial records of work accomplished.	1.00	.50	.25
6. Multiple use of forest display.	1.25	.75	.50
7. Bird house, feeding station, or bat box.	2.00	1.50	1.00
8. Twig, leaf, cone, seed, or wood collection, <i>mounted and labeled</i> , at least 20 specimens for each collection.	2.00	1.50	1.00

Division L - Gardening

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Fruits or vegetables, flowers or herbs, from family garden . Vegetables in quantities listed below. For flowers: 3 stems of each garden flower variety exhibited. For herbs: 8 stems or dried herbs labeled in small jars.	2.50	1.75	1.25
2. Fruits or vegetables from 4-H'ers own garden in quantities listed below. Flowers or herbs from 4-H'ers own garden in quantities listed in class 1. 4.00	3.00	1.75	
3. Decorated or carved vegetable or pumpkin for special occasions or centerpiece.	1.50	1.00	.75
4. Basket of mixed vegetables from 4-H'ers own garden, must include at least 3 types of vegetables with a minimum of 6 vegetables displayed; container gardens.	4.00	3.00	1.75

Quantities needed to qualify for a horticultural exhibit.

ONE big Hubbard squash or big pumpkin (25 lbs or more) Put weight on **Quantities needed** label and attach to vegetable entry.

ONE large sunflower (10").

TWO on a plate if: broccoli, cabbage, cauliflower, celery, citron, cucumbers, egg plant, watermelons, pumpkins, squash, cantaloupe, sugar beets, turnips small/medium sunflowers.

THREE each of Indian corn.

FIVE on a plate if: beets, carrots, onions, parsnips, peppers, popcorn, potatoes, sweet corn, radishes, tomatoes, Brussel sprouts, gourds, field corn, apples, peaches, pears.

TEN on a plate if: lima, shell, or string beans, beans in pods, cherry tomatoes, pea pods.

ONE PINT of berries, ONE-HALF GALLON of cider.

One quart of dry beans.

If you do not have these quantities, see class #4 basket description.

Division M - Home Arts, Needlework Arts

All articles except quilt squares must be finished - pillows are stuffed and pictures are mounted or framed. If not finished, entry will receive ribbon only, no premium. Entries may be embroidery, candlewicking, cross stitch, needlepoint, felted, bargello, weaving, punched/hooked or braided rugs/articles, quilting, patchwork, knitting, crocheting, hand spinning, hairpin lace, tatting, or netting article.

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Small size articles, coasters, belts, pin cushion, edging, small handbag.	1.25	.75	.50
2. Beginner articles - decorated yokes, eye glass covers, toys, doilies, quilt squares, mini pictures or mini pillows, place mats, towels, 4 oz. home spun yarn, socks, slippers, hats, scarf, mittens, pocketbooks.	2.00	1.50	1.00
3. Intermediate articles - picture, pillow, racquet cover, chair cushions, vests/halters, baby sweaters, panel baby quilts.	3.50	2.50	1.75
4. Advanced articles - medium size rugs (2'x3'), large pictures or wall hangings, tablecloth, pieced baby quilts, shawl, sweaters, simple afghan, cape.	5.00	3.50	2.00
5. Long term articles - large rugs (3'x5'or larger). Bedspreads, large quilts, fishermen knit or detailed ski sweaters, detailed pattern afghans.	8.00	6.00	4.00
6. Home arts creative design - original sketch with layout card and notes explaining how design was transferred to make an article in Class 1-5.	1.25	.75	.50

Division N - Health, First Aid, Safety

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Project notebook explaining a topic or accomplishments.	1.00	.50	.25
2. Device made for first aid or health project.	1.25	.75	.50
3. Survival or first aid kit for backpacking, camping, or animal shows.	1.50	1.00	.75

Division O - Home Improvement

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. A better room plan including room layout or pictures before and after project. List changes made in the room.	1.25	.75	.50
2. Room accessories, tablecloth, placemat and napkin set for four, curtains, window shades, chair seat covers.	2.50	1.75	1.25
3. Furniture, stained, painted, refinished, caned or rushed.	7.00	5.00	3.00

Division P - Horsemanship - (Exhibit posters under Division B, Class 1)

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Educational information on breed, colors, training, or medical problems or displays on riding, training or grooming equipment with explanation	1.25	.75	.50

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Division P - Horsemanship (...continued)

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
2. Original, detailed and labeled drawings of internal or external anatomy of the horse; basic report books on equine topic.	1.25	.75	.50
3. Scrapbook on equine topic, management or breed history. More detailed than Class 2.	1.50	1.00	.75
4. Originally designed and constructed stable plan models or basic card board structure.	1.75	1.25	1.00
5. Detailed wooden stables, originally designed and constructed.	2.50	1.75	1.25

Division Q - Horticulture

Class & Description			
1. Cut, dried, or silk floral arrangement. House plant, flowering or non-flowering. Potpourri jar or articles, berry bowls.	1.50	1.00	.75
2. Terrarium, holiday arrangement (list holiday), window box. Landscaping design model with explanation.	2.50	1.75	1.25
3. Wreaths dried, floral, cone, or evergreen wreaths. Wreaths on purchased base are entered in Division F Crafts.	5.00	3.50	2.00
4. Decorated scarecrows.	5.00	3.50	2.00

Division R - Leadership

Class & Description			
1. Simple learning games or activities created to teach a project.	2.25	1.75	1.25
2. Notebook or collection of samples, at various stages from beginning to completion of a project taught to younger 4-H members, i.e. seam finish notebook, embroidery stitches, furniture finishes. Advanced learning games or activities created to teach projects.	4.00	3.00	1.75
3. Teaching display utilizing posters, visuals, and/or samples to teach how to make a project.	5.00	3.50	2.00

Division S - Leisure Education

Include explanatory comments telling what you did to create the collection and labels for all collections and models so others can learn more about your hobby or special interest. **If there is no explanation you will receive ribbon only and no premium.**

Class & Description			
1. Beginner collection (minimum of 20) with explanation made into notebook, scrapbook or display, such as buttons, stamps, stickers, rocks and minerals.	1.00	.50	.25
2. Advanced collections (50 or more) with explanation.	1.50	1.00	.75
3. Static models - airplanes, ships, cars, rockets.	1.00	.50	.25
4. Working models.	1.75	1.25	.75
5. Miniature dollhouse furniture, three or more articles.	1.25	.75	.50
6. Furnished dollhouse.	2.75	2.00	1.50
7. Advanced furnished dollhouse.	3.50	2.50	1.75

Division T - Livestock Equipment

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Basic articles made for your 4-H animal: halters, lead lines, leg wraps, boot bags, saddle pads, hay nets, four homemade animal treats on a plate in a zip type bag with recipe.	1.25	.75	.50
2. Intermediate articles made for 4-H animal projects, show boxes, chaps, or saddlebags.	2.50	1.75	1.25
3. Advanced articles for 4-H animal projects.	4.00	3.00	1.75

Division U - Mechanical Sciences: Auto, Bicycle, Small Engine, Tractor, Metal Work, Wind Power, Alternative Energy

Class & Description			
1. Simple metal work, scoops, breadbox	1.25	.75	.50
2. Intermediate metal work or forged items.	1.50	1.00	.75
3. Small engine project with poster or workbook showing diagrams, repair steps and/or explanation.	1.50	1.00	.75
4. Bicycle trip notebook/diary list routes and activities or display showing bike parts or repair information.	1.25	.75	.50

Division V - Photography

All photos must be taken by 4-H member ***ALL SINGLE PHOTOS MUST BE MATTED OR FRAMED***. Pictures will be judged for: Quality (correct focus, exposure, processing); theme (does picture show what title indicates, does anything detract from theme?); balance (not crowded, top heavy, lopsided); and picture appeal (does it attract attention etc.)

Class & Description			
1 Your best black and white or color photo, 4 x 6 and under.	1.25	.75	.50
2 Set of three black and white or set of three color picture or slides, of animals, people landscapes or seascapes, buildings.	1.50	1.00	.75
3 Set of five color or set of five black & white photos that tell a story.	1.75	1.25	.75
4 Experimental photo, action photo, or portrait, with explanation.	1.75	1.25	.75
5 Small photo album, minimum 10 pictures and captions.	1.75	1.25	.75
6 Your best examples of digital cropping showing before and after cropping.	1.75	1.25	.75
7 Your best enlargements (5x7 minimum size).	2.50	1.75	1.25
8 Large photo album, minimum of 25 pictures and captions.	4.00	3.00	1.75

Division W - Outdoor Education, Fishing, & Camping

Class & Description			
1. Outdoor cookery device. Five individually tied fish flies, with labels. Small whittled items. Display of five different knots, listing purposes. Camping or hiking trip diary, chart on using map or compass describing actual hike taken Handmade camping tools, safety notebook.	1.25	.75	.50

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Division W - Outdoor Education, Fishing, & Camping (...continued)

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
2. Animal track collections, notebook or casts from 10 or more animals, wildlife habitat improvement plans and photos on implementation. Large collection of 12 or more fishing flies with labels.	1.75	1.25	1.00
3. Water quality/stream study report. Water quality: Water molecule-model analysis of ground water or seawater, stream study, type of insects, fin fish, and other animals found in streams, other projects related to streams, ponds and water.	1.75	1.25	1.00
4. Marine Science/Aquaculture/Hydroponics Projects relating to beaches, estuaries, seawater, habitats, etc., fresh or salt water aquaculture rearing crayfish or any freshwater animal; rearing clams, oysters, or other types of marine animals in an aquaculture system.	1.75	1.25	1.00

Division X - Poultry

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Half dozen eggs, can be from multiple breeds. Label eggs according to breed.	1.00	.50	.25
2. One dozen eggs classified according to New Hampshire laws.	2.00	1.50	1.00
3. Incubators or devices made for poultry project.	2.50	1.75	1.25

Division Y - Resume, Record & Memory Book

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Club Secretary/Treasurer's book or Reporter's Scrapbook of printed news articles.	1.25	.75	.50
2. Completed 4H CCS project books.	1.25	.75	.50
3. Original creative stories, poems, speeches, or story books.	1.25	.75	.50
4. Junior member, age 8-13, 4-H Youth Development record and story. Senior 4-H resumes and narrations following Marketing You procedures.	1.50	1.00	.75
5. 4-H Memory Book featuring photos with captions, newspaper clippings, souvenir materials from 4-H events and activities, 4-H club scrapbook, or complete 4-H portfolio.	2.50	1.75	1.25
6. Senior member 4-H Youth Development Record form, skill sheet and story.	5.00	3.50	2.00

Division Z - Woodworking

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Simple articles: napkin, key or letter holder, sand paper block, sandbox; cutting board, desk organizer; wood box; airplane, picture frame, simple puzzle, etc.	1.25	.75	.50
2. Beginner articles: tool box, bird feeder, bird house, foot stool, saw horse, whistle, etc.	1.75	1.25	1.00

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Division Z - Woodworking (...continued)

Class & Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
3. Intermediate articles: shadow boxes, book rack/case, hardware organizer, etc.	4.00	3.00	1.75
4. Advanced articles: picnic table, book case desk, work bench, purple martin house, hockey board, step stool, etc.	7.00	5.00	3.00

Division SP - Special 4-H Project Display

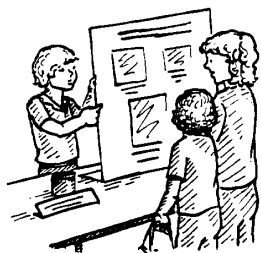
Any project not included in any other division. Must have approval of Extension Educator, 4-H. For a team display, attach card identifying what each 4-H'er accomplished.

Class & Description

1. Beginner level.	1.25	.75	.50
2. Intermediate level.	3.00	2.00	1.50
3. Advanced level.	6.00	4.00	2.50

Division AA - 4-H Leader Display

For 4-H leaders only. Any project made by a leader to display on the separate Leaders' Table for a special 4-H ribbon. A fun way to show the many talents of our leaders. Also consider entering the Stratham Fair Adult Home Economics Division for those 19 and older who live or work in Rockingham County. For rules, premium class list, and entry form contact the 4-H office. **Home Ec Division entries must be received by July 15.**



Division BB - 4-H Action Exhibits

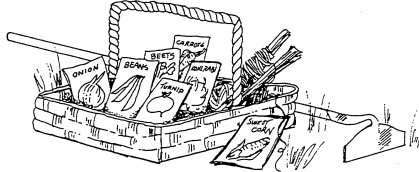
Each club should have members participating with action exhibits so they can share what is learned in 4-H, and answer questions. 4-H'ers make a title poster, including your name and town. Bring all material needed to work on a project for ½ hour. Examples; cut out and begin to construct a skirt; bring tack to clean; work on a decoupage box top; prepare nutritious snacks, etc. Action exhibits show a wide variety of what young people can do in 4-H.

You can work individually or in teams. Members can present more than one action exhibit, just be sure it's on different projects. Action exhibit times: Thursday, 3-6 p.m., Friday, 1-3 or 6-8 p.m., Saturday, 12-3 p.m., and Sunday, 1-4 p.m.. Leaders can do this just for fun.

Premiums: Advanced: \$3.00 Basic: \$2.00

Division CC - Horticultural Judging - Thursday, July 22, 1-6 p.m.

4-H building. **Sign up by July 15 with the 4-H office to get Fair pass.** Call or email 4-H office 679-5616 or Anne.Atwater@unh.edu. Learn more about the exciting world of plants. How green is your thumb? Includes identification of flowers, vegetables, fruits, trees, and shrubs; judging of vegetables and plants; and general knowledge of horticulture. Special ribbons to all participants. Top scoring Juniors, ages 8-10; Intermediates, ages 11-13; and Seniors, ages 14 and up; will receive special recognition. Cloverbuds participate for ribbons only.



Division DD-4-H Consumer Judging-Saturday, July 24, 10 a.m.- 3 p.m. ,

4-H building. **Sign up by July 15 with the 4-H office to get Fair pass.** Call or email 4-H office 679-5616 or Anne.Atwater@unh.edu.

Consumer Judging is open to any 4-H member showing at the fair or enrolled in Rockingham County 4-H. Cloverbuds participate for ribbon only. Members will judge and place 4 articles in a class, do a poster class, or take a knowledge quiz. Written reasons are expected for class placing. Participants will receive special ribbons. Top scoring junior, intermediate, and senior receive special recognition.

Project & Class

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| 1. Clothing & Textiles | 5. Consumer Education |
| 2. Foods & Nutrition | 6. Child Care & Babysitting |
| 3. Arts & Crafts | 7. Home Improvement & |
| 4. Photography | Room Design |

Seniors, ages 14 and older, judge 4 complete project classes of choice. Intermediates, ages 11-13, judge only 1 area in each of 4 project classes of choice. Juniors, ages 8-10, and Cloverbuds members, judge only 1 area of any 3 project classes. ***If you judge more classes, your best scores will be taken.***

Judging Divisions CC & DD - All Ages and Classes

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| 1 st & 2 nd\$15.00 | 6 th , 7 th , 8 th\$10.00 |
| 3 rd , 4 th , 5 th ... \$12.50 | 9 th & 10 th\$ 7.50 |
| All others.....\$5.00 | |

Division EE - 4-H Tractor Driving Contest - Friday, July 23, 10 a.m.

Superintendent - Cameron & Joan Sewall

Open to Rockingham County 4-H members and 4-H members showing at the fair. Contestants must participate in both the written and driving parts of the contest. There will be two divisions: novice and experienced. Preregister on separate form by July 1st.

1 st place \$15.00	6 th place\$10.00	11 th place\$5.00
2 nd place 14.00	7 th place9.00	12 th place4.00
3 rd place 13.00	8 th place8.00	13 th place3.00
4 th place 12.00	9 th place7.00	14 th place2.00
5 th place 11.00	10 th place6.00	15 th place1.00

Division FF - Youth Baking Competitions

Class 1 - Stratham Fair Baking Competition

Banana Bread

Class 2 -King Arthur Flour® Baking Competition Youth Division

No-Knead Whole Wheat Bread

	1st	2nd	3rd
Premiums for Class 1 & 2	4.00	3.00	1.75

Stratham Fair Baking Competition - Banana Bread

This recipe was submitted by Robin Weeks of Greenland, NH. Robin grew up as a 4-H member. She is an active 4-H alumni, participating in the planning of statewide 4-H events. Robin and John Weeks have been the Stratham Fair 4-H Dairy Show superintendents for five years. Remember to say hi to them when you see them walking around the fair.

Ingredients:

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| 1/4 cup butter | 3 ripe bananas, mashed fine |
| 3/4 cup sugar | 1 egg |
| 1 teaspoon baking soda | 1½ cups flour |



Preheat oven to 325°F. Grease and flour a 4"x8" loaf pan.

Cream together bananas, sugar, and butter. Add egg, mix; then add dry ingredients. Mix just enough to moisten. Bake at 325°F for 45 minutes. Cool in pan for 10 minutes. Remove from pan. Makes one 4"x8" loaf. All participants: Submit one loaf on a paper plate in a zip-type plastic.

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**King Arthur Flour® Youth Baking Competition
No-Knead Whole Wheat Bread**

Youth must bring the opened bag of King Arthur Flour or submit a UPC label from the flour bag when submitting the entry. If more than one member of a family is entering, one flour bag is sufficient. King Arthur Flour provides the following prizes. 1st place: \$50 gift certificate to their Baker's Catalogue, 2nd place: \$25 gift certificate to their Baker's Catalogue, 3rd place: brownie pan.

Ingredients:

1 cup lukewarm water	¼ cup orange juice
¼ cup melted butter	3 tablespoons molasses
2 teaspoons instant yeast	¼ cup nonfat dry milk
3 cups King Arthur white whole wheat flour	1¼ teaspoons salt

Heavily grease an 8½" x 4½" loaf pan. This loaf tends to stick, so be sure to grease the pan thoroughly with non-stick vegetable oil spray.

Combine all ingredients in a large bowl. With an electric mixer on high, beat the mixture vigorously for about 3 minutes. You should have a very sticky dough. It won't be pourable or kneadable. Scoop it into the prepared pan. Cover the pan with lightly greased plastic wrap, and let it rise for 60-90 minutes; it should just about rise to the rim of the pan perhaps just barely cresting over the rim. While the dough is rising, preheat the oven to 350°F.

Uncover the bread, and bake it for about 40 – 45 minutes, tenting it with aluminum foil after 20 minutes. The bread is done when it's golden brown on top, and an instant-read thermometer inserted into the center registers between 190°F and 195°F. Remove it from the oven, and after 5 minutes turn it out onto a rack. Brush with melted butter; this will keep the crust soft. Cool the bread completely before cutting.

Submit one loaf on a paper plate in a zip-type plastic food storage bag. Bring to Stratham Fair's Lynn Garland Exhibit Hall, Wednesday, July 20th, between 3-5 p.m.

Adults, 4-H leaders, parents, alumni, and friends of 4-H, register by July 15 through Adult Home Economics Division for the baking competitions. Contact the 4-H office, 679-5616, for more information. Intent to show/registration must be done by July 15. Recipes are also listed on the web at www.strathamfair.com. Click on events, then baking competitions.

Stratham Fair Adult baking contest - Banana Bread recipe above.

King Arthur Flour baking contest - No-Knead Crust White Bread - recipe on page 18

**King Arthur Flour® Yeast Bread
Adult Baking Competition
No-Knead Crusty White Bread**

Enter through Adult Home Economics by July 15th. Contact the 4-H office, 679-5616, for entry information. Exhibitor must bring the open bag of King Arthur Flour or submit a UPC label from the flour bag when submitting their entry.

Prizes provided by **King Arthur Flour®**

- 1st place: \$75 gift certificate to King Arthur Flour® Baker's Catalogue
- 2nd place: \$50 gift certificate to King Arthur Flour® Baker's Catalogue
- 3rd place: King Arthur Flour® Large Tote Bag.

Ingredients:

3 cups lukewarm water
1½ tablespoons instant yeast
6½ to 7½ cups King Arthur Unbleached All-Purpose Flour
1 tablespoon salt

The flour/liquid ratio is important in this recipe. If you measure flour by sprinkling it into your measuring cup, then gently sweeping off the excess, use 7½ cups. If you measure flour by dipping your cup into the canister, then sweeping off the excess, use 6½ cups. Combine all of the ingredients in a large 6-quart capacity mixing bowl. Mix and stir everything together to make a very sticky, rough dough. Stir with a big spoon or dough whisk till everything is combined. Grease a large bowl and place dough in to rise. Cover the bowl; let dough rise at room temperature for 2 hours. Then refrigerate it for at least 2 hours. To make the bread, sprinkle the top of the dough with flour. Grease your hands, and pull off about ¼ to 1/3 of the dough (the size of a softball). Plop the sticky dough onto a floured work surface and round it into a ball. Place the dough onto a lightly greased or parchment-lined baking sheet. Sift a light coating of flour over the top. Let the dough rise for about 45-60 minutes. It won't appear to rise upwards; it'll seem to settle and expand.

Preheat your oven (and baking stone if using one) to 450°F. Place a shallow metal or cast iron pan (not glass, Pyrex, or ceramic) on the lowest oven rack, and have 1 cup of hot water ready to go. When you're ready to bake, take a sharp knife and slash the bread 2 or 3 times, making a cut about 1/2" deep. The bread may deflate a bit; it'll pick right up in the hot oven. Place the bread in the oven, and carefully pour the 1 cup hot water into the shallow pan. It'll bubble and steam; close the oven door quickly. Bake the bread for 25 to 35 minutes, until it's a deep, golden brown. Remove the bread from the oven, and cool it on a rack. Yields about 3 or 4 loaves.

Submit one loaf on a disposable plate in a zip-type/sealing plastic food storage bag or covered in clear plastic wrap. Bring entry to Lynn Garland Exhibit Hall at Stratham Fair, Wednesday, July 20th, between 3-5 p.m.

**Rockingham County 4-H Benefit Auctions
Lynn Garland 4-H Building
Live Auction Saturday, July 23, 5:30-8 p.m.,
Silent Auction and Raffle, Thursday-Sunday**

Bring donations from businesses, individuals, or 4-H clubs to the 4-H office before the fair, or to the 4-H building at the fair on Wednesday, July 20, during setup time, 3-8 p.m. Your help by inviting friends and relatives or advertising the auction is appreciated. Runners and helpers are needed to help with the auction. Call the 4-H office or drop by the 4-H information desk at Stratham Fair to volunteer. Thank you for supporting our annual 4-H Benefit Auction.