



## NEW HAMPSHIRE 4-H DAIRY QUIZ BOWL

Walpole Elementary School  
8 Bemis Lane, Walpole, NH 03608  
603.756.4729

Saturday, March 9, 2013  
10:00 A.M.  
(Registration 9:45 A.M.)

### ELIGIBILITY/TEAM FORMATION:

1. Each county may enter unlimited numbers of youth in both junior and senior divisions. Counties sending teams of less than three youth must make their own arrangements with another county to complete the team up to the minimum number of three participants. Each team must have their own coach/supervisor on the day of the contest. Teams will stay together during the contest.
2. Junior contestants must be 4-H members 12-13 years old as of January 1, of the current year, seniors are 14-18 years old as of January 1, of the current year.
3. Members of previous NH state teams that have gone to national competition are not eligible.
4. All contestants must be regularly enrolled 4-H members but not necessarily enrolled in a dairy project.
5. All members of the State team need to have a \$100.00 deposit as well as sign the intent to be a team member form.

### GENERAL:

6. Please bring a bag lunch; no contestant may leave once the contest has started.
7. A non-refundable entry fee of \$2.50 per team member must accompany entry form. Checks should be made payable to: 4-H Foundation of NH, Inc.
8. Each county must submit 75 questions with their team entries. Questions must be designated for the junior or senior division (if a county has both senior and junior entries, they should submit 75 questions for each contest) and must be referenced to the publication and page of the reference where the information can be found. Each county should submit 50 single answer questions, and 25 questions will multiple answers. No true/false, yes/no or similar questions will be accepted. **All questions must be submitted electronically to: [andrea.sawyer@unh.edu](mailto:andrea.sawyer@unh.edu)**

**All youth who qualify for NH state teams may be asked to pay a portion of their trip expenses.**

REFERENCES:

Junior References:

Hoard's Dairyman  
January 201%December 201%

Raising Goats the Modern Way, Jerome Belanger, Storeybooks.com  
OR Storey's Guide to Raising Dairy Goats, Jerome Belanger, Storeybooks.com

Virginia 4-H Dairy Quiz Bowl Study Materials (201%).  
<http://www.dasc.vt.edu/youth/bowlmat.html>

Senior References:

Holstein Workbook Series (9)  
<http://www.holsteinfoundation.org/>

Dairy Herd Management magazine

Hoard's Dairyman  
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Sample:

Q. What is gestation?

A. The term of pregnancy or how long an animal is pregnant.

Reference: VI QB Section 5.

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## RULES OF PLAY

### JUNIOR (12, 13, ) and SENIOR Dairy Quiz Bowl (14 and up)

Competition between teams will be in three phases:

PHASE A: Each individual will take a 25 question written quiz with each question being worth 5 points. No deductions will be made for wrong answers.

PHASE B: Teams are brought in the room individually. Both teams are asked the same set of questions. Each team member is asked three 10 point questions. The member asked the question must answer within 20 seconds. There is no penalty for unanswered questions or incorrect answers and no help from teammates. Partial credit may be allowed at the discretion of the judge.

PHASE C: Double elimination system. Each team will repeat this phase until the team has lost twice. The winning team is the team that is left after all other teams have lost twice.

A total of 15 questions will be asked. Each correct answer will be worth 15 points.

1. The team match up for this phase will be determined randomly.
2. The first team to signal will answer the question within 5 seconds of being acknowledged by the moderator. Any member answering a question without being acknowledged by the moderator will lose 10 points. If an incorrect answer is given, the other team will have the opportunity to answer the question after having it re-read once. The moderator may not ask a contestant to explain an answer. There are no deductions for wrong answers.
3. If neither team can offer an answer to the question within 10 seconds, the moderator will give the answer and the question will be dropped.
4. When a signal is pushed before the question is completely read, the moderator will stop reading the question when the light goes on; the moderator will not finish reading the question. The contestant pushing the signal may answer the question after being recognized. If correct, the team member will receive credit. If the answer is wrong or incomplete, the question will be re-read in its entirety for the other team who will have an opportunity to answer it.
5. To encourage full team participation, bonus questions will be offered to a team when three members of that team have answered a question correctly. This will be indicated by a line drawn under the first correct answer by each participant up to three participants. The staggered line is repeated for each bonus opportunity. A time limit of 20 seconds will be allowed for a team to start their answer to a bonus question. There shall be no penalty for missing a bonus question. Bonus questions are worth 20 points, and partial credit may be awarded for a bonus.

Answers and interpretation of questions will be the sole responsibility and final recall of the judges. A team member will have the privilege to ask the judge to verify an answer he/she feels is correct; this must be done by the team member calling attention to the problem by asking for "time out" before the next question is read. **If a coach challenges a judges' decision, the coach must call "time out" immediately before the next question is read. A decision made by the judges after the answer is verified will be final. Only the team member and coach may call for "time out". Parents and/or spectators who interfere will be asked to leave the room.**

## **DETERMINING INDIVIDUAL SCORES:**

Individual scores are determined by combining score from Phase A and individual highest two scores from double elimination rounds (Both Phase B & C). Team bonus scores are not added to individual scores.

In the event of a tie, a ten-question quiz will be used to determine the winner.

## **State Dairy Quiz Bowl Team**

The four high scoring individuals, fifteen or over on January 1, will be the New Hampshire State 4-H Dairy Quiz Bowl Team with the fifth high scoring individual serving as an alternate. Those individuals selected as top four will be expected to attend practice sessions and submit homework in preparation for the national contest. A \$100 deposit will be collected and returned during the trip to the national contest. Older members who will be entering college in the fall of the national contest are eligible unless they will be taking college-level classes in dairy or animal science. National rules prevent participation of youth taking college courses that relate to a contest.

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**NEW HAMPSHIRE 4-H DAIRY QUIZ BOWL  
JUNIOR TEAM ENTRY**

County: \_\_\_\_\_

\$2.50 per team member – Checks payable to 4-H Foundation of NH, Inc.

	NAME	AGE and DOB	ADDRESS	TELEPHONE
1.	_____	_____	_____	_____
			_____	
2.	_____	_____	_____	_____
			_____	
3.	_____	_____	_____	_____
			_____	
4.	_____	_____	_____	_____
			_____	
Coach:	_____	_____	_____	_____
			_____	

**Please enter one team per form; make additional copies of this form if needed.**

\_\_\_\_\_ Extension Educator or Program Associate Signature

Send your entries and 75 questions per county to:      Andrea Sawyer  
UNH Cooperative Extension  
800 Park Avenue  
Keene, NH 03431

**ENTRY DEADLINE:      February 17, 2012**

## NEW HAMPSHIRE 4-H DAIRY QUIZ BOWL SENIOR TEAM ENTRY

County: \_\_\_\_\_

\$2.50 per team member - Checks payable to 4-H Foundation of NH, Inc.

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State Team  
Intent

	NAME	AGE and DOB	ADDRESS	TELEPHONE	
1.	_____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
			_____		
2.	_____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
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3.	_____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
			_____		
4.	_____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
			_____		

Coach: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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Senior members must also complete the attached form indicating their intent/interest in representing New Hampshire on the state 4-H Dairy Bowl team if they are selected. Each senior team member must read and sign the form, whether or not they intend to participate with the state team.

## 4-H STATE DAIRY BOWL TEAM INTENT FORM

Upon completion of the State 4-H Dairy Bowl Contest, the four highest scoring senior 4-H contestants, plus the fifth highest-designated alternate that have not previously competed in national bowl competition will be eligible to receive further coaching in dairy bowl. These four candidates will be on the State 4-H Dairy Bowl Team that represents New Hampshire in regional and national competition.

All five candidates and coaches will participate in a mandatory orientation meeting within two weeks after the conclusion of the contest.

The State 4-H Dairy Bowl Team Candidates that will work with the coach and the assistant coach and other interested members and leaders at periodic, pre-scheduled practices. The final team will be named by July 1. The decision is made by the coaches using pre-announced, objective selection criteria. A calendar for all required practices and selection criteria will be determined at the first meeting and shared with all contestants.

As this opportunity requires a great deal of commitment, we ask that you consider this carefully and indicate now whether or not you are interested in pursuing a spot on the state team if selected. This doesn't yet commit you to a team, but simply indicates your interest.

\_\_\_\_ I am only interested in participating in the State Dairy Quiz Bowl Contest and do not want to qualify for the state team and go on to Louisville.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am interested in qualifying for the State Quiz Bowl Team.

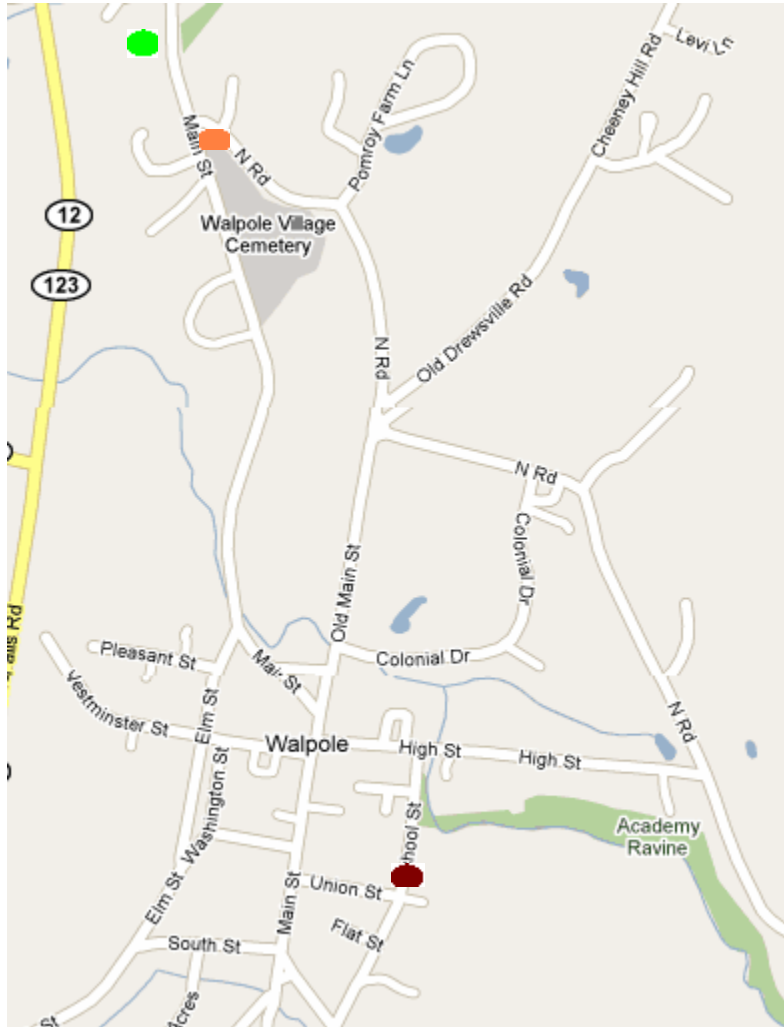
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Participant Signature

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Parent Signature

# Map of Walpole, NH



- Town Offices
- Walpole School
- Fire Department