

4-H Club

DEPARTMENT 23

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE DONE THROUGH:
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QUESTIONS ON SPECIFIC PROJECTS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO APPROPRIATE COMMITTEE MEMBER.

Entry Fee: There are no charges for entries to any 4-H Section.

Entries Close: August 26, 2024 and must be done on Assist Expo.

Prize Money: Standard prize money unless otherwise stated in individual sections: 1st, \$8.00; 2nd, \$6.00; 3rd, \$4.00.

Age Groupings: Standard age groupings unless otherwise stated in individual sections: Cloverbud Ages 6-8, Junior 9, 10 and 11 years; Intermediates, Ages 12, 13 and 14 years; Senior, Ages 15 and up.

All inanimate entries, posters, educational boards, etc. must be in place by Friday, August 30, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. to be judged prior to the opening of the Fair

1. *Open to 4-H Clubs recognized by 4-H B.C.*
2. *Rules and Regulations of the British Columbia 4-H Provincial Council will apply.*
3. *Entries in the 4-H show must be the registered 4-H project for the current year. Tag/ID's will be checked with District Awards Coordinator.*
4. *Admission to 4-H members and leaders (minimum 4-hour shift) with pre-approved wristbands.*
5. *Hay and bedding will be provided for 4-H members.*
6. *Judging will take place throughout the weekend.*
7. *All 4-H exhibits are subject to the inspection of the 4-H Committee.*
8. *All inanimate small animal projects must be in place by 9:00 a.m. Saturday morning. All exhibits will stay in place until the conclusion of the Fair, Monday evening or as stabling permits. Early release will be given to those not from the South Malahat District, on a rotational basis at the discretion of the Superintendent of stock and MUST be requested in writing by August 30, 2024.*
9. *Lunch will be provided for all 4-H competitors, on 4-H show day, in the form of a \$12.00 meal ticket.*
10. *Entry forms and class lists for each section are available from the South Malahat 4-H Senior Council or Saanich Fair office.*
11. *Prize money will be made **payable to the Club** and sent to the leader.*
12. *Two 4-H leaders or one 4-H leader and one screened volunteer must accompany all 4-H clubs in district or out of district.*
13. *Any member entering open class must follow proper procedure and pay the fees as listed in individual sections at the Fair office.*
14. *Camping is permitted on the Fairgrounds outside fenced area (parking lot) by registered 4-H members and/or clubs, each member must have at least one adult/parent/two 4-H leaders/one leader and one screened leader chaperone that will be supervising their entire stay. To register contact 4-H Leader or 4-H Convenor. **No Dogs Allowed.***
15. *Cloverbuds may only participate in designated Cloverbud Programs.*
16. *All animals should arrive clean, trained and ready to show.*
17. *All clubs must have stall duty for their areas and be in attendance during the fair.*
18. *All entries are to be identified by some form (cage cards, sign, etc.).*

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Fibre Arts	Sunday	9:30 a.m.
Poultry	Saturday	10:00 a.m.
Sheep	Saturday	9:30 a.m.

FITTING COMPETITION

Prize Money: 1st, \$10.00; 2nd, \$8.00; 3rd, \$6.00; Ribbons to 6th place. Two entries from each club in each Junior, Intermediate and Senior category. The animals must be a registered 4-H project. Member and animal must be from the same club.

THIS IS A CLUB ENTRY.

Fitting will be scored out of 100 points:

- A. Knowledge of needs and reasons of fitting/clipping animal: 15 pts
- B. Knowledge and ability to describe tools, equipment and their use: 10 pts
- C. Proficiency in using tools and preparing equipment: 45 pts
- D. Actual showing of the animal: 30 pts

SHOWMANSHIP DIVISION

Members must show their own registered projects and all fitting must be completed by the member.

Class 1 Junior Members

Class 2 Intermediate Members

Class 3 Senior Members

Class 4 Overall Showperson—top two placings from class 1, 2, & 3.

STANDING IN THE RING

See full description of classes under individual project sections.

INTERCLUB COMPETITIONS

Prize Money: 1st, \$10.00; 2nd, \$8.00; 3rd, \$6.00

Interclub Project: Any four 4-H registered projects constitute an entry—3 entries minimum with a maximum of two entries per club.

Interclub Fitting: Any registered 4-H member 3-entries minimum with a maximum of two entries per club.

Interclub Trimming: Any registered 4-H member with their 4-H registered project constitutes an entry 3-entries minimum with a maximum of two entries per club.

JUDGING CLASSES

Prize Money: 1st, \$6.00; 2nd, \$5.00; 3rd, \$4.00; 4th to 8th, \$2.00

Members will judge a 4-H class as selected by the Project committee.

STALL COMPETITION

Prize Money: 1st, \$10.00; 2nd, \$8.00; 3rd, \$6.00

Special Award: for club decorations best depicting the theme: "TAKE A SPIN AT THE FAIR".

Feature of this year's Fair: Needle Arts

All Clubs competing must enter into Stall Competition.

All stalls are to have some form of interactive activity for children. All decorations to be done by 4-H members. Points to be awarded: Cleanliness, 25; Neatness, 25; Decoration, 10; Courtesy, 20; Informative, 20.

CLUB DISPLAY COMPETITION

Special prizes and Rosettes awarded by the District Council. Each Club is responsible to create a unique, informative, educational display area of their club and projects. Display is to be at your stall and part of your decorations.

POSTER COMPETITIONS

Prize Money: Rosettes, 1st, \$10.00; 2nd, \$8.00; 3rd, \$6.00

Topic related to: 1. 4-H or Club; 2. Theme of Fair; 3. Safety
Size of Poster should be poster board 14" x 17" or larger. 4-H

emblem must be included on poster. Club name and/or member's name and category must be included on the back of the poster. Entries will be separated into two categories: computer generated and hand-drawn. To be considered hand-drawn all parts of the board must be done by free hand and not just pictures. **All posters must be in place by Friday, August 30, 2024 at 6:00 pm.**

EDUCATIONAL DISPLAY COMPETITION

Prize Money: 1st, \$10.00; 2nd, \$8.00; 3rd, \$6.00.

Provincial rules and sizes will apply. Open to all Clubs. Ribbons and prizes will be awarded (a) by a member (b) club entry. Each club will be responsible for taking time to host the 4-H booth. Entries will be separated into two categories: Computer generated and hand-drawn. To be considered hand-drawn all parts of the board must be done by free hand and not just pictures. All boards must be in place by **Friday, August 30, 2024 at 6:00 pm.**

DEMONSTRATIONS

Prize Money Each: 1st, \$10.00; 2nd, \$8.00; 3rd, \$6.00

Provincial rules and regulations will apply. Open to all Clubs. Competition will take place in the Beef Ring on Sunday, September 1st at 1:00 pm.

SPEAK AND SHOW COMPETITION

Prize Money Each: 1st, \$10.00; 2nd, \$8.00; 3rd, \$6.00

Provincial rules and regulations will apply. Open to all Clubs. Competition will take place in the Beef Ring on Sunday, September 1st at 1:00 pm.

HALTER MAKING COMPETITION

Prize Money: 1st, \$10.00; 2nd, \$8.00; 3rd, \$6.00

Nylon Rope will be supplied by the Convenor. Halters should be made for specific projects.

PUBLIC INFORMATION DEMONSTRATIONS

Each Club should try to provide 3 public information times, during which you will demonstrate an aspect of the 4-H program; i.e. Fitting for Show, Shearing, Weaving. Completion of 3 demonstrations—\$20.00.

PROJECT DISPLAYS

Members who are completing their project display boards may have them judged at the Fair by the Educational Display judges. Appropriate Project Display Board Scorecard must be supplied by the "A" Leader to the club hosting the event.

BEST OVERALL RECORD BOOK

All record books are due to South Malahat Key Leaders no later than **8:00 p.m. August 15th, 2024** in order to be judged prior to Fair opening. **Prize Money: 1st, \$10.00; 2nd, \$8.00; 3rd, \$6.00 (not judged by Danish system).** Two Classes: Senior and Junior
Book must be up to date, will take into consideration that project not yet completed.

BEST OVERALL EXECUTIVE OR REPORTER BOOK

Prize Money: 1st, \$10.00; 2nd, \$8.00; 3rd, \$6.00

All Executive or reporter books are due to South Malahat Key Leader no later than 8:00 pm August 15th, 2024 in order to be judged prior to Fair opening. Judged on: Club Activity Reports, Photos, Newspaper (or other media) inserts. Submissions from club members only. Pages should be mounted in clear plastic, inserted in binder so public can view.

AWARDS

Best Club Display
\$30.00 Gift Certificate from PENINSULA CO-OP

Highest Aggregate of Club Participation
Gift Certificates from PENINSULA CO-OP
1st, \$25.00, 2nd, \$15.00, 3rd, \$10.00

PROJECT CLASSES

ALL 4-H PROJECT

SECTIONS:

Standing in the Ring, Showmanship, Judging Classes and Interclub Competitions should be entered on the 4-H entry forms. RIBBONS OR PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED IN EACH SECTION.

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DISPLAY ONLY FOR 2024

HORSE

DISPLAY ONLY

Come and visit us at our stalls to learn more.

SWINE

DISPLAY ONLY

POULTRY

All 4-H birds must be in place by Friday at 6:00 p.m. for judging. All birds must be watered and fed before barn opening at 8:00 a.m. and before barn closing in p.m. Members are responsible for projects care and displays at all times. Prize money for single entry and trio/best entry will remain as stated at beginning of 4-H Section.

Showmanship will be on Saturday, starting 10:00 a.m.. Judging, Fitting and Interclub classes will be held on Sunday - times to be determined at the fair.

Classes:

- Showmanship
 - Junior
 - Intermediate
 - Senior
- Fitting (team of two)
- Interclub (team of four)
- Judging
- Chicken
 - Bantam
 - Large Fowl
- Duck
 - Bantam
 - Light
 - Medium
 - Heavy
- Geese
 - Light
 - Medium
 - Heavy
- Turkey
- Specialty Project
 - Quail
 - Pheasant
 - Pidgeon
 - Dove
 - Other
- Poultry Breeder
- Market Layer
- Market Meat

SHEEP

Show: Saturday, 9:30 a.m.

All sheep must be current year registered 4-H projects.

(Vet Checks will be done on all sheep projects)
(No artificially coloured sheep will be permitted)

Animals must be in place by 8:00 a.m. Saturday.

- Fitting Class - 9:30 - 10:00 a.m.
- Showmanship
 - Junior
 - Intermediate
 - Senior
 - Overall Champion
- Ewe Lamb
 - Black Face
 - White Face
 - Full Fleece
 - Overall Champion
- Yearling
 - Black Face
 - White Face
 - Full Fleece
 - Overall Champion Yearling
- Ewe with Lamb at foot
 - Black Face
 - White Face
 - Full Fleece
 - Overall Champion
- Overall Champion, Breeding Ewe,
\$25 Gift Certificate Donated by BORDEN MERCANTILE
- Market Lamb
- Carcass Lamb
- Inter-club Class
- Judging Class - Immediately following the end of the sheep show.

Team Trimming Competition Sunday 9:30 - 11am

Participating clubs will provide a lamb in FULL VIRGIN FLEECE. Lambs may be washed and carded but NOT trimmed prior to the competition. Each team will be responsible for washing their own animal. Members will work in teams of 2, but only one member is allowed to do the trimming. The trimmer will determine the age category. Lambs will be judged on their trimming and overall cleanliness.

Teams have a maximum of 90 minutes

- Junior Trimming
- Senior Trimming

4-H FIBRE ARTS

All projects to be in place by 9:00 am Saturday. All members entering the Fibre Arts projects must have their display boards present.
Show: Sunday 9:30 am

1. Showmanship

A. Juniors B. Intermediates C. Seniors

2. Projects

a. Unit 1 A

- i. One skein
- ii. Knitted or Crocheted Item using yarn prepared from raw fleece
- iii. Knitted or Crocheted Item using dyed yarn prepared from raw fleece

b. Unit 1 B

- i. One skein
- ii. One felted article
- iii. One woven article

c. Unit 2 - Felting - 2 items

- i. Needle Felted Article
- ii. Wet Felted Article

d. Unit 3 - Weaving - 2 items

- i. Woven Item
- ii. Woven Item

e. Unit 4 - Advanced Spinning, Knitting and Felting - 3 items

- i. Knitted or Crocheted Item
- ii. Knitted or Crocheted Item
- iii. Knitted or Crocheted Item

f. Unit 5 - Advanced Felting - 3 items

- i. Felted Item
- ii. Felted Item
- iii. Felted Item

g. Unit 6 - Advanced Weaving - 3 items

- i. Woven Item
- ii. Woven Item
- iii. Woven Item

h. Unit 7 - Alternative Fibres - 3 projects each created with a different fibre and different technique

- i. Fibre Project
- ii. Fibre Project
- iii. Fibre Project

i. Unit 8 - Senior Management

3. Project Display - all members entering Fibre Arts projects must have their display board present.

4. Judging Class

