

Animal Science Project Guidelines

Each 4-H member entering animal science projects will read and acknowledge the following guidelines relating to the Coos County Fair. In addition to the information contained in this set of rules, members are also expected to follow guidelines provided by the department superintendent.

1. I have read the section on animal health requirements printed in the front of the 4-H section of the Coos County Exhibitors Fair Book, and realize that my exhibits must meet all vaccination and age requirements outlined.
2. I have provided the necessary preparation for my stall, pen or cage. Cleaning, painting and decorations are the responsibility of 4-H members and clubs.
3. Stall or cage cards identifying my 4-H exhibit are complete and in place before the fair opens Tuesday morning.
4. Bedding materials, wash racks, holding pens and warm-up areas are to be used as explained by the department superintendents and fair management.
5. Care of the project animals will be provided throughout the week, and will follow specific guidelines outlined in each department. Lack of care will be noted by the herdsmanship judge, and failure to comply with recommended changes may require the removal of your project.
6. Any project that becomes injured or ill must be reported to the department superintendent or veterinarian on call. Removal of an injured or ill animal will be at the request of the veterinarian.
7. Manure, bedding and excess feed will be removed as needed in each department. All waste materials shall be placed in designated pits. Daily cleaning of pens and stalls shall be completed by 9:00 A.M.
8. All 4-H animal science exhibits will be maintained in a clean, groomed condition throughout the county fair.
9. All 4-H animal science exhibits will be displayed with the safety of the public in mind, following the guidelines of the department superintendent.
10. No animal science exhibits, unless injured or ill, will be released from the fairgrounds before **9:00 A.M. on Sunday**. Pens are to be taken down after **10:00 A.M. or as scheduled by the Superintendent**. Exhibitors will be released by the Superintendent after club areas are dismantled and cleaned up.

Members Signature

Please read, sign and return to Coos County Extension Office prior to fair. Horse members must also sign the Horse Barn Rules and turn in with entry form.
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