

DEPARTMENT 13J CATS

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Jr. Fair Board Representative: Heather Wellach

Check General Rules and Judging Schedule and Animal Related Guidelines found in the front of this book, as well as the Animal Health Rules and Regulations, found online at: <https://wood.extension.wisc.edu/4-h-youthdevelopment/central-wi-state-jr-fair/>

BEST OF SHOW	ROSETTE
Blue	\$2.00
Red	\$1.75
White	\$1.50
Pink	\$1.25

Rules:

1. All cats are required to be inoculated for feline distemper at about 10 weeks of age.
2. Cats should not originate from an area under quarantine for rabies. Each cat is required to have rabies vaccination at about 4 months of age and current thereafter.
3. **Official veterinarian verified records of both shots must be brought to the show with a copy given to the superintendent to keep.**
4. Any one exhibitor may bring no more than two cats to the fair. They must be entered in different Lot numbers. Do not bring cats with their kittens.
5. Cats may be purebred (with or without papers), mixed, or household pet.
6. Cats are to be brought to the fair in a carrier. Exhibitors are to provide their own display cages, food, water and litter material.
7. Members will be required to bring their own animals to the judging table.
8. Judging will be based on general appearance and condition, temperament, and proper handling, hair coat, paws, nails and body build.
9. Purebred & non-purebred cats may be shown together unless numbers in class warrant separation. If 6 or more purebreds are shown in one of the above classes, a separate class may be provided for purebreds in such class.

10. Long hair cats shall have a coat of hair more than one inch in length and short hair cats shall have a coat one inch or less in length.

CLASS A: CATS

Lot

1. Long haired kitten, male: 4-12 months old
2. Long haired kitten, female: 4-12 months old
3. Short haired kitten, male: 4-12 months
4. Short haired kitten, female: 4-12 months old Adult Cats: over 12 months of age (no adult whole males may be shown in this class)
5. Females (whole), short hair
6. Females (whole), long hair
7. Altered former females, short hair
8. Altered former males, short hair
9. Altered former females, long hair
10. Altered former males, long hair
11. Creative Cage Contest (ribbons only)
12. Dress A Cat Contest (ribbons only)
13. Cat Show Case (ribbons only); you will be given no more than 90 seconds to show us your cats talent or what makes your cat special. Additional time may be allowed for set-up. Please notify Superintendent of this prior to the fair.

CLASS B: SHOWMANSHIP

Blue	\$2.00
Red	\$1.75
White	\$1.50
Pink	\$1.25

Every cat project member can enter in showmanship. **Pre-entry is required.** Grade as of January 1 of current year.

Lot

1. Senior (Grades 9 & up)
2. Intermediate (Grades 6-8)
3. Beginning (Grades 3-5)

SEE DEPT. 10J CLASS Q FOR CAT NON-ANIMAL EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT

Awards will be announced prior to the release of exhibits on Friday.

3. Grades 9 & up

CLASS D: GOATS

Lot

1. Pygmy goat (under 9 months old)
2. Pygmy goat (over 9 months old)
3. Angora goat (under 9 months old)
4. Angora goat (over 9 months old)
5. Fainting goat (under 9 months old)
6. Fainting goat (over 9 months old)
7. Wether goat (under 9 months old)
8. Wether goat (over 9 months old)
9. Meat goat (under 9 months old)
10. Meat goat (over 9 months old)
11. Nigerian Dwarf goat (under 9 months old)
12. Nigerian Dwarf goat (over 9 months old)
13. Any other exotic goat not listed above (under 9 months old)
14. Any other exotic goat not listed above (over 9 months old)

CLASS E: GOAT SHOWMANSHIP

- Correct showmanship
- Condition of goat for showing
- Performance of the goat in the show ring
- Equipment and clothing of show person, considering cleanliness and utility
- An exhibitor must show his/her entered animal for Showmanship.

Lot

1. Grades 3-5
2. Grades 6-8
3. Grades 9 & up

CLASS F: GOAT OBSTACLE COURSE

The obstacle course will be placed in a pattern and designed around what goats normally do while they are out browsing or just being goats. Each obstacle will be scored on points and not timed. WILL NOT ALLOW GOATS TO BE DRUG/PULLED THROUGH COURSE.

Lot

1. Grades 3-5
2. Grades 6-8

**SEE DEPT. 10J CLASS P FOR LLAMAS/
ALPACAS/EXOTICS/GOATS NON-
ANIMAL EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT**