

CATS Department 13

Check-In:

Friday, 10 - 10:45 a.m., Exhibition Hall D

Judging:

Friday, 11 a.m. Conference Judging, Ex. Hall D

Department Chairperson: ****Chairperson & Superintendents Needed. Please email the Fair office at info@danecountyfair.com.**

Eligible 4-H Project Areas: Animal Sciences - Cats

Regulations:

- All Cat exhibitors **must enter through the loading dock** of the Exhibition Hall and proceed to the front of Hall D for check-in.
- Cats in carriers ONLY, no harnesses or leashes.** Display cages will be provided. Each exhibitor must provide water. Each cat will be allocated one cage space 25 1/2" long, 22" wide and 22" high. Name, address and phone number of the exhibitor must be attached to the cage.
- Dane County Fair requires that all cats must be immunized for rabies, rhinotracheitis virus, calici virus and panleukopenia virus at least three weeks prior (no later than July 1)** to the fair and within the past year. Booster shots must be given at least three weeks prior to the Dane County Fair (no later than July 1). **A certificate of immunization proof is required.** Any animals vaccinated within three weeks prior to the fair will be sent home. This includes Ragdoll Cats. **For questions regarding health requirements, contact your veterinarian.**
- All exhibitors must read and adhere to the Youth Animal Exhibitor Code of Practice as stated on page 12.
- Cats displaying signs of external parasites or infectious diseases will be disqualified and sent home immediately. Check your cat for ear mites and fleas prior to coming to the Fair.
- All cats, except kittens, must be under the daily care, feeding and supervision of the exhibitor by March 1 to enter. Kittens must be at least 4 months old by Fair time and under exhibitor supervision by May 15 to enter.
- Whole adult males and nursing cats are not eligible for show.
- Judging: Animals will be cage judged.
- All cats must be removed from the Exhibition Hall immediately following the cat show and taken home. **Do not leave cats in vehicles after the show.**
- Judging will include general appearance, health and condition, temperament, grooming, knowledge of pet and pet care.
- Cat project members are encouraged to enter under Animal Science, Department 10, Class A.
- No Cloverbuds may participate in Department 13 Cats.

Premiums:	Blue	Red	White	Pink
Lots 1 - 12	\$2	\$1.75	\$1.50	\$1.25

Terms:

Long Hair: Hair coat more than 1" in length on the tail.

Short Hair: Hair coat 1" or less in length on the tail.

CLASS A. Cat

Short Hair Long Hair

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| 1) | 2) | Male - altered (12-84 months) |
| 3) | 4) | Senior Male - altered (over 84 months) |
| 5) | 6) | Female - whole (12-84 months) |
| 7) | 8) | Female - altered (12-84 months) |
| 9) | 10) | Senior Female - (over 84 months) |
| 11) | 12) | Kitten (under 12 months) |
| 13) | | Cage decoration (no premiums) |

PLANT AND SOIL SCIENCE Department 14

Check-In: **NEW THIS YEAR**

Tuesday, 1 - 7 p.m., Exhibition Hall

Judging: **NEW THIS YEAR**

Tuesday, 1 - 7 p.m. Individual Conference Judging, Exhibition Hall:

Class A: All lots

Class C: All lots

Class D: Fruits - all lots

Class F: Other Projects - all lots

Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. Danish Judging: All Other Classes/Lots

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Superintendents: **Superintendents needed. Please email the Fair office at info@danecountyfair.com.

Eligible 4-H Project Areas:

Corn, Forage, Grains, Fruits, Vegetables, Soil Science

****Exhibitors may only enter in the department/classes that correspond with the 4-H projects they are enrolled in.**

Regulations:

- If an entry is deemed to be in the wrong lot by the judge, the exhibitor will receive one placing lower and will not be awarded a premium.

Premiums:	Blue	Red	White	Pink
Class A	\$1.75	\$1.50	\$1.25	\$1
Class B, C, D	\$2	\$1.75	\$1.50	\$1.25
Class E, F	\$2	\$1.75	\$1.50	\$1.25

CLASS A. Vegetables Crop Display

Grades

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| 3-5 | 6-8 | 9+ | |
| 1) | 2) | 3) | Vegetable Crop Display - An exhibit of one vegetable grown other than potatoes (Select from Garden List in right column). Display on a paper plate or garden box. Exhibitor may include all the same vegetables for the garden display. |

CLASS B. Potatoes

Regulations

- Potato varieties **must be named**. Varieties can include, but are not limited to - **early varieties:** Early Gem, Irish Cobbler, Norland, and Red Warba; the **mid-season varieties:** Chippewa, Red Pontiac and Superior; and the **late season varieties:** Katahdin, Kennebec, Ontario, Red Lasoda, Russet Burbank, Russet Sebago, and Sebago.
- State variety on entry tag.

Grades

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| 3-5 | 6-8 | 9+ | |
| 1) | 2) | 3) | Potato, any early variety - 10 |
| 4) | 5) | 6) | Potato, any mid-season variety - 10 |
| 7) | 8) | 9) | Potato, any late variety - 10 |

CLASS C. Vegetable Garden Box (No Cloverbuds)

Regulations

- Vegetables in this class must be from the **Garden List**.
- All garden box exhibits must be grown and arranged by the exhibitor.
- Aluminum foil is the only material that will be permitted in the bottom of the vegetable boxes.
- Boxes (18"x18") will be provided.** Judging will be based on variety, quality and arrangements. **NOTE: vegetables need to be placed in boxes by exhibitor so that items do not move around prior to judging.**