

Junior Forester's



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Registration Deadline September 15, 2020

Participants must register through the online registration system on vaffa.org

State Fair of Virginia 2020 Official Schedule

Date: Tuesday, September 29, 2020

Location: Contest will be held virtually.

Contestants Meeting: 10:00 a.m.

Awards: Zoom Awards Ceremony – October 6th, 7:00 PM

Contest Fee: \$2 per student

Junior Registration: Click ["here"](#)

Senior Registration: Click ["here"](#)

Contest Rules

1. Information can be found on the **Virginia FFA Site** <http://www.vaffa.org>.
2. Each 4-H county/city unit or FFA chapter is invited to enter a team(s) of three or four members. When four members are entered, the three with the highest overall individual scores will make up the team's total score. The fourth member will be the alternate. All contestants will be eligible for individual awards. All work needs to be completed on an individual basis.
3. This contest is open to any bona fide 4-H or FFA member in Virginia. Contestants must be 19 years of age or younger to be eligible to compete in the events.
4. Each contestant will compete individual in each event. Each contestant should have access to a clip board, scan sheet, and pencil. Use of calculators optional.
5. In case of a tie for individual or team awards, ranking will be determined by the team (individual with the highest score in Class 1. If still tied, Class 2 will be used, and so on until broken.)

Class

1. Fifty questions concerning total forest industry, regeneration, inventory, thinning, harvesting, marketing and products.
2. Identification of 25 tree species found in Virginia.
3. Identification of 10 insects/diseases of forest trees found in Virginia and identification of 15 forestry tools.
4. Measurement activities (virtual format) can include any of the following:
 - a. Board—Bd. ft.
 - b. Logs—Volume
 - c. Tree—Bd. ft. volume
 - d. Tree—Cu. ft. volume
 - e. Given Land Area

Each class will be worth 50 points except Class 4 which will be worth 100 points. A minimum of 30 minutes will be allowed for each class.

Awards

The State Fair of Virginia will award ribbons to the eight high teams and the ten high individuals.

State Fair Scholarship Program

Contestants will be eligible to participate in the State Fair Scholarship Program. **Please see the State Fair website, www.statefairva.org, for more information regarding the State Fair of Virginia Scholarship Program and eligibility requirements for other available scholarships.** The following scholarships will be awarded to the top four individuals:

Level	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Junior	\$300.00	\$200.00	\$100.00
Senior	\$400.00	\$300.00	\$200.00

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