

Demonstration Day

Registration & Sign In 8:30 - 9:00 a.m.

Demonstrations (as scheduled) 9:00 a.m.

Awards 12:00 p.m.

General Demonstration Requirements:

1. All contests will consist of three divisions: Elementary (grades 4-5)
Junior (grades 6-8)
Senior (grades 9-12 or 14 by January 1)
2. 4-H'ers may participate in any demonstration contest.
3. Contestants must present a method demonstration - not an illustrated talk.
4. There is a time limit of 15 minutes for all demonstrations.
5. There is no limit to the number of demonstration contestants from each club. No individual may enter more than one demonstration in each category. No individual or team may enter the same demonstration in more than one category.
6. Members of a team demonstration must be from the same club.
7. All demonstrations and speeches must be prepared and practiced prior to Demonstration Day.
8. A demonstration which was presented for area and/or state competition may not be presented by the same person or team on Demonstration Day.
9. There will be one easel and two tables in each contest room. 4-H'ers must furnish all other equipment and supplies. 4-H'ers are responsible for clean-up after each demonstration they give.
10. All demonstrations must be pre-registered. Registration coupons will be attached to the November and December Cloverleaves. Demonstrations that are not pre-registered will not be allowed to compete. There will be no exceptions.
11. All contestants must sign in between 8:30 - 9:00 a.m. on Demonstration Day.
No video-taped demonstrations will be accepted.
12. An awards program will immediately follow the demonstration contests. The program will start at 12 noon.
13. First and second place winners in all divisions will receive an award of \$10 and \$5 respectively to be presented at the end-of-the-year recognition program.
14. First place senior winners will be eligible for State 4-H University (in contests indicated with *).

Demonstration Categories: * Indicates a 4-H University contest

Agriculture Individual or Team *

1. Open to any 4-H member.
2. In the individual category only 1 person can compete. In the team category there must be 2 4-H'ers competing.
3. May include: livestock and crop production, conservation of natural resources, wildlife management, marine science, poultry science, agricultural engineering, forestry, horticulture, etc. Examples: Care of lawn equipment, cleaning a saddle, how to plant potatoes, grooming a dog, making an insect collection, etc.

Home Economics Individual or Team*

1. Open to any 4-H member.
2. In the individual category only 1 person can compete. In the team category there must be 2 4-H'ers competing.
3. Subjects may include clothing, family life, family resource management, health, safety, housing, house furnishings, etc. This does not include foods demonstrations. Examples: Cleaning a sewing machine, making play dough, proper way to exercise, making a first aid kit, removing stains, etc.

General Individual or Team

1. Open to any 4-H member.
2. In the individual category only 1 person can compete. In the team category there must be 2 4-H'ers competing.
3. Demonstrations may not be related to another category. Demonstrations that are not allowed in this category include: any foods demonstration, entomology, energy management, Horticulture topics, small engines, etc. Examples: How to chart a hurricane, using the computer, how to make a necklace, how to clean a camera, garnishing, how to make any craft, etc.

Foods Individual or Team

1. Open to any 4-H member.
2. In the individual category only 1 person can compete. In the team category there must be 2 4-H'ers competing.
3. Contestants must give a method demonstration on the preparation of a food dish. This category includes demonstrations in rice cookery, fruits and vegetables, breads, dairy foods, etc.
4. Time limit - 15 minutes.

Horse Demonstration Individual or Team

Two Divisions: Junior - 13 & under Senior – 14 & over

1. May be a demonstration or illustrated presentation.
2. May be individual or team. Team can be from different clubs.
3. Subject must pertain to the horse industry.
4. Twelve minutes will be allowed for each demonstration.
5. Notes will not be used when giving demonstrations.
6. Live animals may be used.
7. Judges may ask questions after demonstrations.
8. Winners qualify to compete in LSU State Horse Show in July