# 4-H Displays and Activities - Division 42

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Entry Deadline: January 15, 2019

CheckIn: February 28, 2019, 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM in Arnold Hall.

March 2, 2019, 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM in Arnold Hall.

Check Out: April 11, 2019, 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM in Arnold Hall.

Group Entries: Not Accepted

## 4-H Day Activities, March 16, 2019:

Those participating in the 4-H Day Activities (talent, food demos, fashion revue, or cooking competition) must be approved by the 4-H office and also be preregistered with The Youth Fair by January 16, 2018. The entry tag for the 4-H activity must be present at check-in on Saturday, March 16, 2019. To receive approval, the 4-H office requires that the following directions and procedures be followed

#### Class 4201 - 4H Exhibits Rules:

- 1. 4-H Membership Requirement for Entry: Individual entries only; NO GROUPENTRIES. This Division is open to 4-H members who are currently enrolled in Miami-Dade County 4-H program. Entries should relate specifically to the 4-H program mission and guidelines. The 4-H motto is to make the "Best Better"; therefore, all 4-H fair entries should show quality work and will be accepted at the discretion of the superintendents.
- 2. Number of Entries is limited to 60 entries per exhibitor: 4-H Members may submit ONE of each type of exhibit to this Division. Most, although not all, possible exhibits are described in the Divisions in this Rule Book. Exhibitors may use the same material to make different items. For example, if using a clean, empty 2-Liter bottle to make an owl, exhibitor can only submit ONE owl. However, exhibitors can make other items using a clean, empty 2-Liter bottle.
- 3. Entries based on the following Divisions will NOT be accepted in 4-H and should be entered directly into that Division:
  - Boy Scouts
  - Creative Writing (Short Story), ESOL Creative Writing, World Language Creative Writing
  - GirlScouts
- 4. Size and Mounting Specifications: Refer to Rule 5 below for size/weight limits based on other FAIR Divisions and/or refer to that Divisions rules. Clubs are encouraged to artistically group items that are similar and display them together. Examples: birds made by individuals in the club could be displayed in a tree together. Also, baby toys could be displayed in a bassinet together.
- 5. Entry Tag(s), Label(s), and Check-In Procedures: If you are submitting 10 or more exhibits on Thursday, please be at the check-in table no later than 5:00 PM. If you are submitting 10 or more exhibits on Saturday, please be at the check-in table no later than 1:00 PM. Entry tags must be securely attached to the entry before check-in. If the entry tagged exhibit has

- several components (Background of ½ science board limited to 24" x 24", construction or model, written explanation, etc.), each component must be labeled with the name & age of the 4-H member and title/name of the exhibit. Science-type boards must be covered completely in back so that manufacturing information is not visible. If the fashion revue entry has more than one garment, each must be labeled. Accessories must also be labeled.
- 6. Crafts must be made by the exhibitor. Only Cloverbuds (ages 5-7) are allowed to use kits for crafts or woodworking. Proof of exhibitor making crafts themselves may be required at the discretion of the Superintendents. Therefore, please take photos of the exhibitor working on different stages of making their crafts.
- 7. Acceptable Entries: All entries should be clean, neat and dry. Exhibits must be constructed of durable safe materials. Cloverbuds only (ages 5-7): Kits for crafts or woodworking will be accepted as entries.
- 8. Small exhibits such as hair accessories, refrigerator magnets, place settings, or holiday ornaments must come in sets of 3 (in any combination) and each exhibit be secured to their entry tags.
  - Dioramas, sculptures, replicas and other such 3 dimensional exhibits may be no more than 24" x 24" x 24" (length, width and height) or weigh over 10 pounds, unless approved by the 4-H office.
  - Artwork should be a minimum size of 8" x 10" and mounted to measure no more than 18" x 24". Color pages are not accepted.
  - Ceramics should be engraved with the date and initials before firing or drying.
  - Cooking (Baked goods only): Check-in Saturday, March 2, 2019 between 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM only.
    - a. Individual entries only; NO GROUP ENTRIES.
    - Entries are limited to two separate items from the following list: one-quarter loaf bread, two cookies, one slice of cake, two muffins, and/or one slice of pie. Variations of same recipe are not acceptable as the second entry).
    - c. Baked items must be sealed in a zip-top bag and include a copy of recipe. You may use toothpicks to keep the bag from touching decorated or iced baked goods.
    - d. Check-in time is the same as the Saturday check-in for other exhibits. Due to a short shelf life, baked goods will not be displayed.
  - Crafts 2-D made from paper must be framed/mounted. Follow the rules for 2-D Paper Crafts Division 54
  - Cultural exhibits display of other countries could include: maps, flags, food pyramid, housing, crafts and dolls in native costumes.
  - Decorated wearable: All embellishments must be secure and durable. Items must look new and be free of stains, holes, etc.
  - Educational Learning: Examples: board game with pieces (including description of how to play and the rules); nutritional puppet show including dialogue.

- Entrepreneurship: 1 entry per 4-H member Create a product or service which is original in idea, name, design, marketing plan & development. The entry must include: product/service name; the actual product (if possible), display board, portfolio, and business plan. The business plan should include: explanation of what you plan to sell, features of product/service, how it was made, who will use it, how much it will cost to make or provide the service, selling price, marketing ideas or advertising slogan.
- Flower arrangements: 4-H members may enter one of the following: floral arrangement, wreath, nosegay, or corsage. On 3"x 5" description card tell what it means to you, who will use it or where it will be displayed in your home, must use artificial flowers.
- Home Decoration/Interior Design: Items larger than 24"x 24" must have special approval from the 4-H Supervisor.
- Mobiles of artistic quality (3-D with moving parts), ready to hang.
- Renew, Reuse, and Recycle: Items made from recycled materials must include description or purpose card explaining what the item is, materials were used, howit was made, & who will use it.
- Sewing exhibits: Limit of five articles of different types: dress, pants, shirt, shorts, apron, pillow, etc. One outfit may be modeled in the Fashion Revue show; commentary to be read during the show must be provided at check in.
- Stationary Design must be submitted in a box or portfolio. Computer generated designs must include five each of writing paper with matching envelopes. Hand made designs must include two each of writing paper with matching envelopes.
- 9. NOT ACCEPTABLE: Duplicate exhibits from other divisions will not be accepted. Food, food projects, live plants or animals, soft clay, loose sand or other materials that run or spill will not be accepted. No wet paint or glue allowed at check-in. No poster boards or tri-fold is allowed as the total display. Color book and coloring pages will not be accepted.
- 10. Due to limited space, only blue, red, and white ribbon entries may be displayed.
- 11. Any exceptions to the above rules must be cleared with the Superintendents prior to check-in-date.
- 12. ANY ENTRY NOT CONFORMING TO THE ABOVE RULES OR THE OFFICIAL FAIR RULES WILL BE DISQUALIFIED at check-in.
- 13. This Division will accept only those entries made expressly for the 2019 fair. All decisions of the judges are final. The Youth Fair management has jurisdiction over interpretation of these rules. This Division is not responsible for lost/damaged items.
- 14. Original narratives, anecdotes or poems describing the 4-H spirit must be only one page, 12-14 point font, with 1 inch margins, neatly mounted, and ready to be displayed. Attachtag on the back.

# Class 4202 Rules - Demonstration or Illustrated Talks and Public Speaking:

- 1. Limit of one talk per exhibitor.
- $2. \quad Participant \, must \, submit their name, age \, and \, their speech to the \, 4-HOffice$

- by January 16, 2018. Presentations will be held on March 17, beginning at 1:00 PM on the Main Stage in Arnold Hall.
- 3. Demonstration or Illustrated Talks consist of any talk that uses a computer/projector, props, recipe demonstration, or any visual aid.
  - Time Limits:
  - Ages 8-13 years old three to twelve minutes
  - Ages 14-18 years old five to twelve minutes
- 4. Public Speaking consist of any talk that is unaided. Contestants may use index cards only.
  - Time Limits:
  - Ages 8-13 years old—three to seven minutes
  - Ages 14-18 years old five to seven minutes
- 5. Participants will be required to set up their own props, equipment, etc.
- 6. Contact the 4-H Office for detailed rules and rubric.
- 7. Blue ribbon winners of this competition may progress to advanced competition levels.

### Class 4203 Rules - Talent Show/Star Search:

- 1. Limit of one performance per exhibitor.
- 2. Participant must submit their name, age and types of talent act to the 4-H Office, for pre-approval. Talent acts may be presented by an individual or by groups limited to ten participants. No adults permitted.
- 3. The performing act may be Instrumental, Vocal, Dance, Dramatic, or Novelty (e.g., Skits, Songs, Pantomimes, Puppetry, Stunts, etc.) or a combination of the performance disciplines.
- 4. Each act should last three to a maximum of five minutes.
- 5. On 4-H Activity Day, the individual/group must reconfirm their previous Entry registration. At 2:15 PM, report to the Talent Registration table with your Performance Entry Tag.
- 6. Props and instruments will not be provided. Participants must set up their own props, equipment, etc.
- 7. Participants must provide their own CD or flash drive, which must be clearly marked with participants' name. All music MUST be preapproved by 4-H Office, if not, disqualification will occur.
- 8. Contact the 4-H Office for detailed rules and rubric.
- 9. Blue ribbon winners of this competition may progress to advanced competition levels.

#### Class 4204 Rules - Fashion Revue:

In order to enter the 4-H Fashion Revue, the participants must submit a clothing project study form and the application form which is available through the 4-H office.

The Fashion Review is not a competition but individuals will be judged while modeling their outfit and awarded a fair premium. Judging is based on the skills displayed by the 4-H'er in choosing, making and modeling the garment(s) also complementing the outfit by choosing the most becoming accessories. Please remember you are showcasing 4-H on stage.

Participants may model in either the "Fashion Construction" category in which they sewed the garment or in the "Ready-made Fashion" garment and wearable-art-outfit category which includes a minimum of 2 items (e.g. t-shirt/shirt and skirt, or shirt and accessories like hat, shoes or tote bag).

- 1. Limit one entry per exhibitor.
- 2. Participants must submit their name, age, and outfit to be modeled to the 4-H office and pre-register with The Youth Fair by January 16, 2018.
- 3. Must submit the written, complete commentary (to be read during fashion revue) at 4-H Exhibits booth on check-in days. Thursday, March 1, 2018, no later than 7:30 PM or Saturday, March 3, 2018, no later than 3:30 PM. If written commentary is not provided at this time, nothing will be read during the show.

#### Class Number and Title:

Class 4201 - Exhibits

Class 4202 – Nutrition/Health Illustrated Talks and Food Demonstrations

Class 4203 - Talent Show/Star Search

Class 4204 - Fashion Revue

# Premiums, Plaques and Trophies:

Purple l	Ribbon	\$10.00 and R	osette
Blue Ribbon			800
Red Ribbon			6.00
White Ribbon			4.00
Yellow	Ribbon	Ribbon	Only

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4-Hinvolves young people everywhere inbigcities and little towns, in the country and in the suburbs. 4-H members belong to one of the largest organizations in the world. 4-H club work is centered around the school, the community, the home and the family. Call the Miami-Dade County 4-H Extension Office at 305-759-4050 or http://miami-dade.ifas.ufl.edu to find out more about 4-H in Miami-Dade County.

If there are no entries meeting the quality standards for any special awards, no award will be given.