

YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS DEPARTMENT #100 – 4-H

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AREA:	All 4-H clubs and organized youth groups located in Santa Cruz, Monterey, San Benito, and Santa Clara Counties.		
ENTRY DEADLINE:	August 26 & 27, 2017 for all Non-Perishable entries; Sept.9 for foods, agriculture, & live floral arrangements		
ONLINE ENTRY DEADLINE:	August 19, 2017 @ 11:59PM.		
ENTRY FEE:	None		
	Perishable Foods, Foods & Nutrition Agriculture, & Live Floral Arrangements	All other Non-Perishable Entries	Feature booth workdays
RECEIVING DATES:	Sept. 9 th 9 AM – 12 PM	Aug. 26 th 9AM-3PM	Aug. 26 th 9AM-5PM
		Aug. 27 th 10:30AM-3PM	Aug. 27 th 10:30AM-5PM
		Sept. 2 nd 9AM-3PM	Sept. 2 rd 9AM-5PM
		Sept. 3 rd 10:30AM-3PM	Sept. 3 rd 10:30AM-5PM
			Sept. 9 th 9AM-5PM
JUDGING:	Sept. 9 th 1 PM – 3 PM	Sept. 8 th 10 AM	Sept. 10 th 11AM-1PM
ENTRY FORM:	Page 6		
RELEASE DATE:	All entries to be removed Monday, September 18, 2017 , 12 noon to 6 PM. Fair is not responsible for items left after 7:00 PM. A club's entries may be released to one authorized representative of the club. The representative must bring authorization signed by the community leader.		
SYSTEM OF JUDGING:	Danish		

****NOTE: For Monterey County Fair exhibitors**

Non-Perishable Entries due date is:

Thursday, September 7, 2017, 3:00-6:00 p.m.

Perishable due date is September 9th, 9AM-12PM**

RULES:

- No riding toys (bikes, skateboards, scooters, roller blades, etc.)
- Fair rules and safety must be obeyed at all times.
- Shoes must be worn at all times.
- Adults must help members operate electrical tools
- Entries may come from projects completed through clubs, school, home or other areas of creativity.
- All entries not fair ready or not following class rules will not receive a ribbon.
- Entries must be made or produced within one (1) year of opening day of Fair.

HOSTING: Clubs/troops who enter a booth are expected to furnish a team of at least 5 people which will include at least

one adult for a 4 hour shift to act as hosts in the Youth/4-H display. **Sign-up for your hosting time during Feature Booth work days.**

GUIDE DOG PUPPIES

Meet: Saturday, Sept. 16, 2017 10:15 AM @ Crosetti Building

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- This section is open to adult and youth dog/puppy raisers
Dogs and puppies must wear jackets.

FEATURE BOOTHS:

SECTION 1: 4-H CLUBS FEATURE BOOTHS

SPECIAL FEATURE BOOTH INFORMATION:

- **How to Build a Booth meeting will be on Saturday, August 19, 2017 at 4 PM in the Crosetti Building.**

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
\$150.00	\$100.00	\$75.00

Members, with adult supervision and aid in a safety situation, **must construct booths.**

All materials within booth must be fire retardant. Care of plants, vegetables, and animals within a booth is the responsibility of the club, excluding actual entries, which are the responsibility of the entrant.

The Fair supplies Convention Taffeta and Corrugated Paper. The club **must supply all other supplies.**

Booths that are not Fair ready (entries not displayed properly) will lose 20 points off their final judging score. Clubs that do not participate on Booth Judging will lose 20 points off their final booth judging score.

Booth judging by members; judging teams will consist of one more member than adult from each club.

Educational Value	40%
Impact	30%
Artistic Content	20%
Workmanship	10%
TOTAL.....	100%

Class:

1. Feature booth

SECTION 2: 4-H CLUBS PANEL DISPLAY

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- System of Judging: Danish

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00

Classes:

1. 8'x8' Project Panel
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EXHIBITOR AWARD

Exhibitors receiving the most Special Awards will receive a cash award. Ties will be decided by department judges.

1st \$75.00 2nd \$50.00 3rd \$25.00

SECTIONS 3-24:

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
RIBBON	RIBBON	RIBBON

SECTION 3: ARTS AND CRAFTS

SPECIAL INFORMATION

- Member must include a note with the entry stating which portion of the item they completed.

Classes:

- Arts and Crafts
- Camp crafts at 4-H camp.
- Scrapbooks – individual (for club scrapbook see Section 20)
- Decorative clothing.
- Ceramics – painted green ware.
- Ceramics – handmade
- Other

SECTION 4: DECORATED CAKES

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- Maximum base size – 14 inches square.
- No more than three (3) tiers high.
- Styrofoam or cardboard form may be used provided the shape is one that could be reasonably achieved through baking.
- This entry is considered non-perishable.

Class:

- Decorated Cake

SECTION 5: OTHER DECORATED ITEMS

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- All decorations must be edible.

Classes:

- Gingerbread Houses
- Other – Decorated Items, please specify

SECTION 6: PHOTOGRAPHY

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- All exhibits may be a sequence, album, pictures, slides, a pinpoint camera, mounted enlargement (5x7 or larger), and educational display or poster.
- All entries must be matted no glass.
- NOTE:** For digitally enhanced photography see Section 18.

MUST PLACE ON BACK OF ENTRY:

- o NAME
- o AGE
- o TYPE OF CAMERA
- o SIZE OF FILM USED
- o MANUAL OR AUTO FOCUS
- o OPTIONAL NOTE

Classes:

- Photograph
- Album
- Other

SECTION 7: FINE ARTS

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- This section includes painting, drawing, prints, sculpture and graphics
- All entries must be matted (with rigid mat boards, no construction paper or cardboard) and/or framed. For matting techniques see the following website: <http://www.biddingtons.com/content/mrs.html>
- All entries must have secure means of hanging
- Must place name & age of artist on back of entry
- All canvases must be framed or edges painted

Classes:

- Fine Arts

SECTION 8: CLOTHING

Classes:

- Wearable Sewing
- Wearable knitting, crochet, or embroidery work
- Educational Display or Poster

SECTION 9: FOOD PRESERVATION

SPECIAL INFORMATION

- Each entry **must** be a different product or of the same product preserved by a different method. Entry sheet and jar label must list the type of product (fruit, vegetable, preserves, etc.) and the method or process used (Water-bath or pressure canning or drying).
- Low acid foods must be canned under pressure. Dried products should be wrapped in clear plastic or sealed jars.
- No paraffin seals. All canning exhibits must be sealed jars.
- An exhibit consists of two jars, containers or packages except jerky (6 strips), dried fruit (6 to 8 sections), or an education display or poster. Jars or containers must be standard sizes – one for exhibiting and one to be opened for testing. Testing jars may be claimed after judging, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2017 between the hours of 1 PM and 3 PM. PLEASE LEAVE RING ON JAR

Classes:

- Food Preservation
- Poster or Educational Display

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SECTION 10: FOOD & NUTRITION

SPECIAL INFORMATION

- Entries that require refrigeration must be kept cold until the time for judging
- No whipped cream, cream puffs or pudding.
- Exhibiting of perishable entries will be at the discretion of the Fair.
- **All foods must come on a white paper plate.**

MINIMUM QUANTITIES:

Muffins, Biscuits, Rolls, Cookies	½ dozen
Candies	½ dozen
Cakes	½ cake plus 1 slice
Bread	½ loaf
Decorated cookies	½ dozen

Classes:

1. Baked Goods
2. Nutrition Poster or display
3. Confections and Candy
4. Cheeses

SECTION 11: HONEY

Classes:

1. 2 pint jars - one for exhibiting and one for tasting
2. Beeswax – 1 pound
3. Comb Honey – 1 quart

SECTION 12: HOME DECORATING – INFORMAL TABLE SETTING

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- Exhibitor must furnish his/her own china and glassware.
- May use TV tray, bed tray, picnic basket, etc. One place setting plus centerpiece. Tables will be provided. Must fit in area 24"x24".
- Must include menu.
- Handmade setups are encouraged.
- **All table settings must be set up by the member the Saturday before the fair opens between 9 AM & Noon.**
- Utilize theme indicated for each class.
- Table Settings judged on correct placement, functionality, and artistic appeal.

Classes:

1. Fair Theme
2. Holiday
3. Picnic
4. Special Events (i.e., Birthdays, Showers, Graduations, etc.)

SECTION 13: HOME DECORATING

Classes:

1. Fabric Decoration –i.e., non-wearable needlework, macramé, crochet, weaving, spinning and dying of wool, needlepoint and stuffed toys
2. Floral Arrangements –With dry or silk flowers
3. Quilts
4. Other Decorations – please specify

SECTION 14: GARDEN & PRODUCE

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- Each exhibit must be listed separately on entry form by type and variety. Required: a 3"x5" card with the name, type and variety placed on the plate.
- **Exhibits must include five each of small items, or one large item, bunch or head**
- **Small and Medium Horticulture exhibits must come on a white paper plate.**

Classes:

1. Garden & Produce

SECTION 15: FLORICULTURE

Classes:

1. Potted plants
2. Terrariums
3. Dish gardens
4. Floral Arrangements with fresh flowers
5. Note: On Saturday, Sept. 9, member can make their own arrangements with the provided flowers between 9AM – Noon.

SECTION 16: NATURAL SCIENCE

Classes:

1. Insect collections, beekeeping, etc.
2. Wildlife, pets, livestock, etc.
3. Geology, oceanography, astronomy, etc.
4. Marine Biology
5. Skinning, Tanning, Taxidermy
6. Any other Natural Science - specify

SECTION 17: MECHANICAL SCIENCE

Classes:

1. Rockets
2. Electrical
3. Woodworking
4. Welding, small engines, gears, etc.
5. Models
6. Other

SECTION 18: GRAPHIC ARTS

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- Photographs must be matted.

Classes:

1. Digitally Enhanced Photography ("touched up", highlighted but not graphically edited so as to materially change the photo).
2. Digitally Edited Photography (transformed, re-rendered or otherwise materially changed from original image).
3. Computer Generated (image created entirely by computer)

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SECTION 19: MISCELLANEOUS PROJECTS

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- This section is for new 4-H projects or those not provided for in any other section.
- Displays of the new projects must be attractive and carry an explanation of the project.
- **Must include a note stating if the entry is to be judged on the information presented or the skills involved in making the display.**

Classes:

1. Citizenship
2. Outdoor Activities
3. Other – Please Specify

SECTION 20: CLUB NEWS

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- Must be done by members.
- News should have more than one reporter
- An entry will be four (4) or more issues from JUNE 2016 – JUNE 2017, mounted on a postcard or arranged for display, i.e., in a notebook.

Classes:

1. Club Newsletter
2. Club Scrapbook

JUDGING SCORECARD

NEWS or LABELING	45%
Accuracy, clarity, information	
LAYOUT	45%
Artistic, appeal, attractiveness, "eye appeal", readability	
COVER PAGE OR INTRODUCTION	10%
TOTAL	100%

YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS DEPARTMENT #105 - OTHER

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Refer to page 1 for guidelines and workdays

SECTION 1: OTHER YOUTH ORGANIZATION FEATURE BOOTHS

ENTRY FEE: None
ENTRY FORM: Page 6
SYSTEM OF JUDGING: Danish

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
\$75.00	\$50.00	\$25.00

CLASS:

1. Feature Booth

SECTION 2: OTHER YOUTH ORGANIZATION PANEL DISPLAYS

ENTRY FEE: None
SYSTEM OF JUDGING: Danish

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00

Classes:

1. 8'x8' Project Panel
2. 4'x8' Project Panel

SECTION 3: AGES 5-8

SECTION 4: AGES 9-12

SECTION 5: AGES 13-18

ENTRY FEE: None
SYSTEM OF JUDGING: Danish

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
RIBBON	RIBBON	RIBBON

Classes:

1. Arts & Crafts (see page 2 for special information)
2. Photography (See page 2 for special information)
3. Fine Art (See page 2 for special information)
4. Home Decoration
5. Any Other – specify

Release Date: See page 1

YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS DEPARTMENT #103 & #104 - SCOUTS

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Refer to page 1 for receiving and release dates

DEPARTMENT #103

SECTION 1: BOY SCOUTS FEATURE BOOTHS

(See page 1 for guidelines)

See page 1 for booth workdays

ENTRY FEE: None
ENTRY FORM: Page 6
SYSTEM OF JUDGING: Danish

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
\$75.00	\$50.00	\$25.00

CLASS:

1. Feature Booth

SECTION 2: BOY SCOUTS PANEL DISPLAYS

ENTRY FEE: None
SYSTEM OF JUDGING: Danish

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00

Classes:

1. 8'x8' Project Panel
2. 4'x8' Project Panel

ENTRY FEE: None
SYSTEM OF JUDGING: Danish

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
RIBBON	RIBBON	RIBBON

SECTION 3: CUB SCOUTS

(For ages 8 through 10 years old)

Classes:

1. Pinewood Derby Cars
2. Woodworking
3. Leather Crafts
4. Theme Collection Display
5. Arts and Crafts
6. Other, as approved by Leader- please specify

SECTION 4: BOY SCOUTS

(For ages 11 through 18 years old)

Classes:

1. Woodworking
2. Leather Craft
3. Bead Work
4. Theme Collection Display
5. Native American or Pioneer Craft
6. Other, as approved by Leader- please specify

Refer to page 1 for receiving and release dates

DEPARTMENT #104

SECTION 1: GIRL SCOUTS FEATURE BOOTH

(See page 1 for guidelines)

See page 1 for booth workdays

ENTRY FEE: None
ENTRY FORM: Page 6
SYSTEM OF JUDGING: Danish

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
\$75.00	\$50.00	\$25.00

CLASS:

1. Feature Booth

SECTION 2: GIRL SCOUTS PANEL DISPLAYS

ENTRY FEE: None
SYSTEM OF JUDGING: Danish

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00

Classes:

1. 8'x8' Project Panel
2. 4'x8' Project Panel

ENTRY FEE: None
SYSTEM OF JUDGING: Danish

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
RIBBON	RIBBON	RIBBON

SECTION 3: DAISY SCOUTS

SECTION 4: BROWNIE GIRL SCOUTS

SECTION 5: JUNIOR GIRL SCOUTS

SECTION 6: CADET GIRL SCOUTS

SECTION 7: SENIOR GIRL SCOUTS

Classes:

1. Arts and Crafts (specify)
2. Athletics
3. Contemporary Issues
4. Health, Hobbies, Home
5. Outdoor Skills
6. Service to others
7. Any other Girl Scout Project – specify others

Santa Cruz County Fair
Youth Organization Entry Form – Department #100 - #105

Entry Form and Entries due on Receiving Dates
Online entries due by Saturday, August 19, 2017 @ 11:59PM
Mail to: Santa Cruz County Fair
 2601 East Lake Avenue, Watsonville, CA 95076

Printed Name of Exhibitor	Last:	First:		
Street or Box #				
City, State, Zip				County
Phones: Daytime		Evening		Cell
Email:				
Age as of Sept. 13, 2017		Date of Birth		
4-H Club, or Youth Org.:				

Dept	Section	Class	Description of Entry	Years in this project

This form may be photocopied

Hold Harmless/Read and Sign

Upon signature and submittal of Entry Form, exhibitors and their agents, parents and leaders acknowledge that: a. they understand the State Rules for California Fairs and the local rules as printed in the Fair Entry Guide; b. They agree to abide by them; c. They certify that all information on the form is true and correct; d. They agree to comply with the fair's decision regarding any violation of the rules.

The fair management shall not be responsible for accidents or losses that occur to any of the exhibitors or exhibits at the fair. The exhibitor (or parent or guardian of a minor) is responsible for any injury or damage resulting from the exhibitor's participation in the program or event. This includes any injury to others or to the exhibitor or to the exhibitor's property.

I certify that this entry is the project of the exhibitor and these entries comply with the rules and regulations published in the official premium list.

Exhibitor's Signature		Date	
Parent's Signature (if under 18)		Date	