

DEPARTMENT – 0 – FFA

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Entry Fee: No Charge in this Department.

All entries due to Karen Gilmore the last full week of school in June.

All entries must be on exhibit by Tuesday at Noon.

All articles must remain on exhibit until 3:00 PM Sunday.

It's preferable to establish rabies immunity well in advance of the fair season. Keep in mind that a non immunized animal exposed to rabies virus prior to receiving its vaccination is not likely to be protected. Exhibitors should consult with their veterinarian about vaccinating animals against rabies as soon as possible. As animals receive their booster vaccination population will be forming that is protected against rabies to the broadest degree.

All eligible animals that are being exhibited at the Clinton County Fair must be vaccinated for rabies within 365 days prior to the opening of the fair.

1. Competition is open only to Clinton County youth who are regularly enrolled members of the FFA, and are enrolled for articles exhibited.
2. All Exhibits in this department will be governed by the same general rules as all other departments.
3. Health rules in this department will be stated in the report of the commissioner of Agriculture and Markets.
4. All exhibits in this department must be the work of the person exhibiting. Any exhibitor raised, made or prepared for exhibit by any other than the exhibitor during the current project year may be disqualified.
5. Bedding, grain, hay, water pails and feeding tubes must be provided by the exhibitor.
6. All classes, unless otherwise specified will receive:

Excellent	1. Blue Award
Good	2. Red Award
Creditable	3. White Award
All other	4. No Award
7. A sum not to exceed \$3,200.00 will be awarded in this department. If, however the number of entries in a given section warrants redistribution of money the fair officials reserve the right to make necessary adjustments.
8. All premiums available to Department O are subject to possible revision at the end of the fair.
9. Competent judges will be secured and the opinion of the judge is the final in awarding premiums.
10. Judging of all non-livestock exhibits will begin at 10:00AM Wednesday. All other judging contests in section V will begin at 9:00 AM on Saturday.

Section 1 – Leadership

The sum of \$150.00 is appropriated as a leadership award to FFA members. These awards will be based upon the member's leadership and showmanship abilities, plus the creativity they expressed to present exhibits and display for this department to the public.

Section 2 – County Champions

The sum of \$350.00 has been appropriated to the superintendent of this department as an award to those members who qualify for the county judging teams which represent Clinton County at the New York State Fair in Syracuse.

Section 3 – Poster Displays

1. Open to Clinton County FFA members
2. Exhibitors to show some phase of FFA work of

agriculture experience program of an educational nature.

3. Each FFA chapter booth judge worthy will receive \$20.00
4. Each FFA individual booth judged worthy will receive \$10.00

Section 4 – S.A.E.P

1. FFA records on Agricultural Experience accuracy 60% farm inventory, cash account production, enterprise and breeding records may be exhibited.
2. A total not to exceed \$230.00 per chapter may be awarded in the following: Ag Science, Plant Science, Business Management, and Mechanical Science.
3. All records will be judged on Wednesday.

Section 5 – Judging Contests

All judging of contests will be conducted under New York FFA rules. These contests will take place on Saturday of the county fair. Judging teams will consist of three members and one alternate.

Friday at 10:00 AM.

1. Dairy cattle
 - a. Team Awards: \$13, \$11, \$8, \$6, \$4, \$2
 - b. Individual Awards: \$7, \$5, \$2, \$1

Sunday at 10:00 AM.

2. Agronomy
 - a. Team Award \$13, \$11, \$8, \$6, \$4, \$2
 - b. Individual Award \$7, \$5, \$2, \$1
3. Wildlife Identification
 - a. Team Award \$13, \$11, \$8, \$6, \$4, \$2
 - b. Individual Awards \$7, \$5, \$2, \$1
4. Dairy Foods
 - a. Team Award: \$13, \$11, \$8, \$6, \$4, \$2
 - b. Individual Awards: \$7, \$5, \$2, \$1
5. Tree Identification
 - a. Team Award: \$13, \$11, \$8, \$6, \$4, \$2
 - b. Individual Awards: \$7, \$5, \$2, \$1
6. Tools and Parts
 - a. Team Award: \$13, \$11, \$8, \$6, \$4, \$2
 - b. Individual Awards \$7, \$5, \$2, \$1

Section 6 – DAIRY CATTLE

1. Purebred animals must be accompanied by registration and health papers in the FFA member's name or in the name of the owner of the farm where the member is carrying out his/her SAEP program.
2. No animal may be shown that is not properly fitted.
3. The same animal cannot be shown in booth FFA and 4-H classes.
4. All cattle this section must have been owned or cared by the exhibitor since January 2010.
5. No Dairy animals under two months will be exhibited.
6. All exhibitors should wear white pants, white shirt, and a tie in the show ring.
7. Awards
 - a. Blue Ribbon \$15.00
 - b. Red Ribbon \$12.00
 - c. White Ribbon \$10.00

Section 6 - Dairy Cattle Continued

Class Name	Birthday	Ayshire	Brown Swiss	Guernsey	Holstein	Jersey	Milking Shorthorn	Red & White
Spring Heifer	Born on or after 03/01/15	1	28	55	82	109	136	163
Winter Heifer	12/01/14 - 02/28/15	2	29	56	83	110	137	164
Fall Heifer	09/01/14 - 11/30/14	3	30	57	84	111	138	165
Summer Yearling Fall Heifer	06/01/14 - 08/31/14	4	31	58	85	112	138	166
Spring Yearling Heifer	03/01/14 - 11/30/14	5	32	59	86	113	140	167
Winter Yearling Heifer	12/01/13 - 02/28/14	6	33	60	87	114	141	168
Fall Yearling Heifer	09/01/13 - 11/30/13	7	34	61	88	115	142	169
Jr. Champion Female		8	35	62	89	116	143	170
Reserve Jr. Champion		9	36	63	90	117	144	171
Jr. Two Year Old	03/01/13 - 08/33/13	10	37	64	91	118	145	172
Sr. Two Year Old	09/01/12 - 02/28/13	11	38	65	92	119	145	173
Jr. Three Year Old	03/01/12 - 08/31/12	12	39	66	93	120	147	174
Sr. Three Year Old	09/01/11 - 02/28/12	13	40	67	94	121	148	175
Four Year Old	Born Before 09/01/11	14	41	68	95	122	149	176
Five Year Old	09/01/09- 08/31/10	15	42	69	96	123	150	177
Age Cow Six Years & Older	Born Before 09/01/09	16	43	70	97	124	151	178
Dry Cow, Four Years & Under, must have freshened at least once		17	44	71	98	125	152	179
Dry Cow, Five Years & Over		18	45	72	99	126	153	180
Senior Champion Female		19	46	73	100	127	154	181
Reserve Sr. Champion		20	47	74	101	128	155	182
Grand Champion		21	48	75	102	129	156	183
Reserve Champion		22	49	76	103	130	157	184
Get of Sire, 3 animals sired by one bull		23	50	77	104	131	158	185
Produce of Dam, 2 ani- mals sired by one bull		24	51	78	105	132	159	186
Dam/Daughter Pair, cow and one of her daughters both owned by the same exhibitor		25	52	79	106	133	160	187
Best 3 Females, 3 heifers that are the best quality of the herd		26	53	80	107	134	161	188
Exhibitor's Herd 5 animals of the same breed		27	54	81	108	135	162	189

Section 7 - Beef Show

Birthday	Angus	Hereford	Other
03/01/15 - 04/30/15	1	23	45
12/01/14 - 02/28/15	2	24	46
09/01/14 - 11/30/14	3	25	47
06/01/14 - 09/31/14	4	26	48
03/01/14 - 05/31/14	5	27	49
12/01/13 - 02/28/14	6	28	50
09/01/13 - 11/30/13 not calved	7	29	51
Jr. Champion	8	30	52
Reserve Jr. Champion	9	31	53
Jr. Two Year Old	10	32	54
Three Year Old	11	33	55
Four Year Old	12	34	56
Five Years and Older	13	35	57
Senior Champion Female	14	36	58
Reserve Sr. Champion	15	37	59
Grand Champion	16	38	60
Reserve Champion	17	39	61
Cow/Calf, Cow Over 2 with a natural calf at side calved on or after 12/01/10	18	40	62
Get of Sire, 3 animals sired by one bull	19	41	63
Produce of Dam, 2 animals sired by one bull	20	42	64
Best 3 Femails, 3 heifers that are the best quality of the herd	21	43	65
Exhibiter's Herd, 5 animals of the same breed	22	44	66



Steers & Bulls
The weight classes will be determined
the Wednesday of the fair.
Veal Calf
 Any calf 12 weeks and older

	Angus	Hereford	Other
Light Weight	1	5	9
Medium Weight	2	6	10
Heavy Weight	3	7	11
Champion Steer	4	8	12



Section 9 - Rabbits

Rabbit Buck	1
Rabbit Doe	2
Rabbit Litter	3



Section 10 – Vegetables

1. Entries are limited to two in a class.
2. Excellent – practically perfect, clean, free from injury, uniform in size, and color.
3. Root Crops should have top cut off to one inch.
4. Exhibits should be displayed on paper plates covered with a clear plastic sheet.
 - a. Excellent - Blue Ribbon \$1.50
 - b. Good - Red Ribbon \$1.25
 - c. Worthy - White Ribbon \$1.00

Classes	Requirements	
Beans	Clean Snap 12 Pods	1
Beans	Yellow Snap 12 Pods	2
Beets	Early 5 Specimens	3
	Late 5 Specimens	4
Other Vegetables	5 Specimens of each	5



Section 11 – Ornamental Horticulture

1. Entries will be limited to two in a class.
2. All exhibits must be labeled according to name and variety.
3. Awards:
 - Excellent - Blue Ribbon \$1.00
 - Good - Red Ribbon \$.75
 - Worthy - White Ribbon \$.50

Corsage	1
Cut Flowers, 3 to 5 stems	2
Dried Flower Arrangements	3
Fresh Flower Arrangements	4
Potted Plants, Bedded Type	5
Potted Plants, House Type	6
Collection of 8 Garden Flowers (1 specimen of each and named)	7

Section 12 – Agricultural Mechanics

Any article must have been made by the exhibitor during the previous school year. Only one article of a kind may be shown by each exhibitor, but the exhibitor may enter as many different articles as she/he may wish. A photo of a large article may be shown at the fair instead of bringing it to the fair.

Section 13 – Children’s Barnyard

Beef Cow & Calf	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00
Dairy Cow & Calf	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00
Pig & Litter	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00
Mare & Colt	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00
Doe & Kids	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00
Ewe & Lamb	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00
Other Small Animals	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00
Other Large Animals	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00