



# 2023 Scotts Bluff County Fair 4-H Fair Book



## **Animal Science** **Fiber Animal**

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### **Fiber Animal Showmanship** **Division 52**

Fiber animals include animals that are specifically raised to produce quality fiber. Examples include, but are not limited to angora goats, cashmere goats, llama/alpaca, angora rabbits, and wool breed sheep. Preference will be given for Fiber Animal showmen wearing white shirt or county issued fair shirt and dark blue jeans with closed toe shoes or boots.

The top 3 medal winners in each age class will come back to compete for overall showman. The judge will pick an alternate 3<sup>rd</sup> place. The overall Showman will show in the Small Animal Round Robin on Friday. Time and location to be determined. Fiber Animals will be stalled on the fairgrounds through Sunday.

Class 1 – 8 to 10 years

Class 2 – 11 to 13 years

Class 3 – 14 and over

### **Clover Kid Fiber Animal Showmanship** **Division 96**

Clover Kid showmen are encouraged to be enrolled in the 4-H Clover Kid program. The show begins Wednesday after the Sheep Show (or 3:00p.m.) in the Livestock Pavilion.

Class 8 Clover Kid Fiber Animal Showmanship

### **Fiber Animal** **Division 57**

The 4-H Fiber Animal Show will be held on Wednesday following the Sheep show in the Livestock Pavilion. Members may enter up to five (5) animals but may have no more than two (2) entries per class. Animals born before March 31, must be sheared by May 1, weather permitting. Save a small baggie of fiber for the judge at fair. All Fiber animals must be identified by some form of ear tag or tattoo. I.D. papers will be turned in to the Extension Office by June 1 of the current year. Fiber animals are not required to be dehorned or disbudded. Animals will be grouped according to breeds after fair check in. Fiber animals for divisions 1, 2, 3, 4 include intact males born after January 1 of the current year. Fiber Animals may be female, wethers or geldings that are specifically raised to produce quality fiber. Examples include, but are not limited to angora goats, cashmere goats, llama/alpaca, angora rabbits and fiber breed sheep.

Class 1 – Junior born April 1, to May 31 of the current year

Class 2 – Intermediate born March 1 to March 31 of the current year

Class 3 – Senior born January 1 to February 28 (29) of the current year

Class 4 – Yearling born January 1 to December 31 of the previous year

Class 5 – Senior two to three years old; born between January 1 and December 31, 2020

Class 6 – Senior over 3 years old born prior to December 31, 2019



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### **Small Animal Round Robin**

The overall grand and reserve champion showman of each species (companion animal, dog, dairy goat, fiber animal, poultry, and rabbit) will represent that species in the Small Animal Round Robin Showmanship, unless that person has won the Round Robin Trophy in the past. In that event, the person who placed 3<sup>rd</sup> and received a purple ribbon of that species will be the representative in the Round Robin (unless that person has won the Round Robin in the past). If the same exhibitor is Grand or Reserve Champion of two species, he/she will choose which animal to show, then the next purple ribbon will represent that species in the Round Robin. There will be 6 stations (companion animal, dog, dairy goat, fiber animal, poultry, and rabbit), each exhibitor will be allowed 5 minutes to show each species. Each exhibitor will be scored at each station and the Grand and Reserve Champion Round Robin Exhibitor will be awarded to the top two accumulative total point winners. In case of a tie, the participants will answer the same question at each station until the tie is broken. Dress code: recommended to wear dark jeans, hard soled shoes, and county issued fair shirt, a white shirt, or dairy showman attire.