

# Union County Demo Day Details

## **Classes Offered:**

1. Juniors, ages 8-10, No Computer Technology permitted
2. Junior Team, ages 8-10, No Computer Technology permitted
3. Intermediates, ages 11-13, With/Without Computer Technology
4. Intermediate Team, ages 11-13, With/Without Computer Technology
5. Seniors, ages 14 & Up, With/Without Computer Technology
6. Senior Team, ages 14 & Up, With/Without Computer Technology

## **Demo Day Rules**

1. Junior demonstrations should last between 5 and 7 minutes. Intermediate and senior demonstrations should last between 8 and 10 minutes.
2. All work is to be original, created by the 4-H member and must be related to the member's current project, club office, or 4-H experiences.
3. No large animals may be used in a demonstration. Animals under 20 lbs. may be used, provided they do not place the public or participants at risk and provided they meet all of the health requirements established by the Ohio Dept. of Ag. Livestock Health Requirements found in the Ohio State Fair Livestock Exhibitor Handbook. Current health and shot records must be carried with the animal. Animals must remain caged or leashed before and after the presentation.
4. No firearms, bows, arrows, weapons, air pistols or air rifles, paintball guns, gun cases, or any reasonable facsimile are permitted. Plastic replicas are permissible, but caution is urged in the use of items that look truly authentic due to Security concerns.
5. No aerosol products are permitted.
6. Members (classes 3, 4, 5 & 6) opting to use computer programs such as PowerPoint or Prezi must bring their own equipment. No Wi-Fi connection will be available.
7. The presentation may not consist solely of a pre-recorded narration. The member is required to provide a live delivery of the topic.
8. Members should set up their presentation by themselves, including electronic equipment. A teen leader will be available to help move equipment.
9. No microphones will be used. Demonstrators will need to speak loud enough to be heard by the judges and the audience.

## **Additional information for Demonstrations *without* computer technology:**

1. The 4-H'er uses appropriate props and other visual aids such as posters, pictures, and charts to teach others about a subject or how to do something.
2. No Power Point or computer generated messages are permitted.

## **Additional information for Demonstrations *with* computer technology:**

1. The 4-H'er uses appropriate props and computer generated visual aids to teach others about a subject or how to do something.
2. Examples: A demonstration may be delivered and Power Point type slides may be added, along with other props to help present the message.
3. Example #2: An illustrated talk may be delivered with the 4-H'er using Power Point or Prezi type technology to present their entire visual message, accompanied by live narration by the 4-H'er. Note that pre-recorded narration is not permitted.

## **Additional Information for Teams:**

1. A team presentation consists of two people sharing the speaking and teaching role.
2. When members of a team fall into different age categories, they will participate in the older class.  
(Jr. ages 8-10, Intermediate ages 11-13, Senior age 14 & Up)
3. Computer technology may or may not be used in an Intermediate and senior team demonstration.