

Hunterdon County 4-H & Agricultural Fair Daytime Herdsperson Agreement

All 4-H members who own or lease animals which are on display at the fair are daytime Herdspersons.

Daytime Herdspersons have a huge responsibility and need to realize that the daytime duties in each of the barns/tents is the responsibility of all exhibitors. It is the responsibility of the animal owner/leaser to take care of their animals during the day at 8:00 AM and before they leave at night (determination of appropriate time to leave is up to your club leader). All Herdspersons should work together to prepare the barn for the for the day's activities as well as make the barn safe for fair goers.

I will fulfill my duties as an exhibitor and daytime Herdsperson:

_____ I will plan to arrive no later than 8:00 AM during fair week (Wednesday to Sunday) to help get the barn ready for when the fair opens.

_____ I will take care of my project animals all day, and make sure they are taken care of before I leave at the end of the day (this time will be determined by your club leader).

_____ I will do my part with barn clean-up this includes, raking the barn, loading of manure, and helping to maintain a clean appearance of the barn throughout the week.

_____ I will help maintain the handwash stations.

_____ I understand that if I am in multiple clubs, that I will need to fill these duties in all barns/tents, that I am a part of.

_____ I will assist others with clean-up outside the perimeter of the barn.

_____ I will abide by the code of conduct and rules of the fair.

All 4-H'ers and their families and guests are expected to abide by the 4-H Code of Ethics at 4-H events and activities. That code is as follows:

NO, DRUGS, NO ALCOHOL: Any 4-H'er under the influence of or in possession of drugs, alcohol, or any other intoxicating substance will be immediately sent home and suspended for the remainder of the activity and future 4-H participation may be restricted or prohibited.

NO SMOKING: Smoking is prohibited at all 4-H events and activities.

DISPLAYING OF AFFECTION: Exhibit dignified and restrained actions in expressing affection.

LANGUAGE: Language must be controlled and appropriate for a 4-H member. Foul or abusive language is not appropriate.

GENERAL CONDUCT: Respect the individuality of all people. Treat others with dignity and kindness. Consider their needs as well as your own. Be a good steward of the environment and all living things. Treat all forms of life with respect and care.

DRESS CODE: 4-H has a very strict dress code policy, and you are expected to uphold that policy. Be sure to wear proper attire, no drug or alcohol-related shirts, shorts should be of arm length, two finger rule on shirts, no Cami tops or tube tops. Shoes that protect your feet are required (no flip flops, crocks, sandals).

I have read the 4-H Herdspersons Daytime Duties, Rules/Behavior Agreement and agree to abide by them and to do the best job I can. I understand that failure to do so may result in my dismissal from the activity.

Signature of Herdsperson

Date

Signature of Herdsperson's Parent/Guardian

Date

Signature of Herdsperson's Club Leader

Date