

2023 Highland County Jr. Fair Dog Project Registration

This form can be used as a Dog Project Registration tool.

Exhibitor's Name _____ Age (1/1/2023) _____

Address _____
P. O. Box or Street _____ City _____ Zip _____

Phone No. _____ Email _____

Club/Chapter _____ Dog's Call Name _____

Dog's Breed _____ Color/Markings _____

Age _____ Birth Date _____ Check (✓) if Male _____ Neutered _____ Female _____ Spayed _____
Mo/Da/Yr

You must be enrolled in the correct dog project (listed on enrollment form) to show in that class. Check the project(s) you are taking with this dog: _____ You & Your Dog 201D _____ Obedience 201O
_____ Showmanship 201S _____ Performance 201P _____ Working 201W

Check (✓) the appropriate class (classes) you plan to enter for judging. Classes must meet the county project requirements.

<input type="checkbox"/> Beg Novice A	<input type="checkbox"/> Grad Novice A	<input type="checkbox"/> Utility A	<input type="checkbox"/> Rally Novice A	<input type="checkbox"/> Brace
<input type="checkbox"/> Beg Novice B	<input type="checkbox"/> Grad Novice B	<input type="checkbox"/> Utility B	<input type="checkbox"/> Rally Novice B	<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Novice Team*
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Open A	<input type="checkbox"/> Veterans Class	<input type="checkbox"/> Rally Intermediate A	<input type="checkbox"/> Adv. Team*
<input type="checkbox"/> Novice A	<input type="checkbox"/> Open B	<input type="checkbox"/> Preferred Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Rally IntermediateB	<input type="checkbox"/> Agility*
<input type="checkbox"/> Novice B	<input type="checkbox"/> Grad Open A		<input type="checkbox"/> Rally Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> 4-H PetPALS
	<input type="checkbox"/> Grad Open B		<input type="checkbox"/> Rally Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Assistance Dogs

<input type="checkbox"/> Jr. Showmanship A (8-11 yrs.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Jr. Showmanship B (8-11 yrs.)
<input type="checkbox"/> Intermed. Showmanship A (12-14 yrs.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermed. Showmanship B (12-14 yrs.)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sr. Showmanship A (15-18 yrs.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sr. Showmanship B (15-18 yrs.)

<input type="checkbox"/> You & Your Dog, Junior (8-11 yrs.)	*State Fair Only
<input type="checkbox"/> You & Your Dog, Intermed. (12-14 yrs.)	
<input type="checkbox"/> You & Your Dog, Senior (15-18 yrs.)	

☐ I plan to make a poster for the 4-H Dog Poster contest. Check (✓) the correct age division.
☐ Junior (8-11 yrs.) ☐ Intermediate (12-14 yrs.) ☐ Senior (15-18 yrs.)

☐ Other Dog Activities (i.e. Drill Team, Freestyle, Dog Bowl) _____

Do you require an accommodation for a disability to participate? Yes No

By signing this registration form, we, the exhibitor and parents/ guardians, agree to abide by the guidelines, rules and laws set forth by the Ohio Department of Agriculture, Highland County Senior Fair Board, and Highland County 4-H Advisory Committee. We also verify we have signed the Permission to Participate in Highland County Jr. Fair Dog Activities Disclosure and Release of Claims document. (Both the exhibitor & parents/guardians must sign this form.)

✓Signature of Exhibitor _____ Date _____

✓Signature of Parents/ Guardians _____ Date _____

A separate form must be completed for each dog registered. Dogs cannot be switched after June 1, 2023. This form must be received in the Highland County Extension Office no later than 4:00 p.m., on June 1, 2023.

Jr. Fair Dog Project Member Information Sheet for Jr. Fair Dog Shows

(Note: This form can be used to keep track of the classes in which Jr. Fair members & dogs have shown. Use one form for each project dog.)

Name _____ Club _____

	2023	2024	2025
Age (1/1/2022)			
Dog's Call Name			
Breed			
Color/Markings			
Gender			
Age			
Class Shown			
County Placing			
Class Shown			
County Placing			
Class Shown			
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Class Shown			
County Placing			
Comments:			

HIGHLAND COUNTY Jr. Fair

DOG EXHIBITOR

CODE OF PRACTICE

I believe that my participation in the Junior Fair Dog Program should demonstrate my own ability, knowledge and skill as a trainer, feeder, handler and fitter of dogs. I will do my own work and only accept advice and support from others.

I will not use abusive or questionable techniques in the feeding, fitting and showing of my animals. I will not resort to fraudulent, illegal or deceptive practices when fitting them for a show. I also will not allow my parents, my supervisor or any other adult to employ such practices to my animal.

I will read and understand the rules of all dog shows in which I am a participant. I ask that my parents and the supervisor of my project animal not break the rules or make exceptions on my behalf. I wish for my dog project to be an example of how to accept what life has to offer ... good and bad ... and how to live with the outcome.

I realize that I am responsible for:

- ❖ the proper care and treatment of my dog(s)
- ❖ and the development of sound moral character in myself ... and others.

Exhibitor

Date

Parent or Guardian

Date

4-H/FFA Advisor

Date

Due: June 1, 2023 to the OSU Extension Office, Highland County

HIGHLAND COUNTY DOG OWNERSHIP FORM

*This form must be on file at the Extension Office no later than
June 1, 2023*

➤ ***It is the responsibility of the Jr. Fair Member to keep this information up-to-date with the Advisors and the Extension Office.***

Member: _____

Club/Chapter: _____

Member Address: _____

Street *City* *Zip*

Email:

Phone: _____ Parent(s) Name: _____

Dog's Name: _____ Breed: _____

Color: _____ Date Purchased or Acquired: _____

If Acquired, Explain: (ex: Adopted from Shelter, given to member by, etc):

Attach copy of current year dog license certificate below:

Attach Photo of dog below:

**2023 Permission to Participate in Highland County Jr Fair Dog
Activities Disclosure and Release of Claims**

I, _____, have chosen to participate in the Highland County Jr Fair Dog Program and the activities related to the dog program. I understand that this participation will involve contact with dogs and may give rise to a risk of physical injury. I understand that participation in the Highland County Jr Fair Dog Program is strictly voluntary and is not a requirement for the Highland County Jr Fair.

I am aware of the following:

1. Dogs have a tendency to behave in ways that may result in injury to myself as well as other people in the immediate vicinity;
2. Dogs may react in an unpredictable way to unfamiliar environments, unfamiliar objects, persons, sounds, strange odors, sudden movements, dogs, or other animals;
3. I am to listen to adult volunteers, trainers, coaches, and judges when working with my dog(s) in group settings, and when around other dogs and Highland County Jr Fair members, and people;
4. Other participants in the Highland County Jr Fair Dog Program may fail to maintain control over their dogs or fail to act within their abilities, thus causing harm to me, my dog(s), other participants, volunteers, or spectators;
5. Other participants in an activity, event, or program may act in a negligent manner which otherwise may result in harm to me and/or my dog(s);
6. **I should be aware of my dog's body language and stress indicators at all times while we are participating in Highland County Jr Fair activities;**
7. **I should be able to remove my dog from situations where he/she may respond in a reactive or aggressive manner;**
8. **If I cannot maintain control over a dog I am using for a Highland County Jr Fair project, I understand that I will not be able to use this dog for a Highland County Jr Fair Project project; and**
9. **If a dog I am using for a Highland County Jr Fair project has been or becomes aggressive toward other people and/or other dogs, I will not be able to continue to use this dog for a Highland County Jr Fair project.**

As a parent or guardian, I have discussed with my child the need to follow all safety procedures, behavior guidelines, and other protocols set forth by adult volunteers, and Highland County Jr Fair dog rules and regulations. I understand that my child will receive assistance from a 4-H volunteer or FFA Advisor when engaged in workouts and other similar programs and activities involving Jr Fair members and dogs. I understand the importance of my child belonging to a Jr Fair Organization or seeking other socialization and training opportunities for my child's Highland County Jr Fair Dog Project if not enrolled in a Highland Co. Jr Fair dog club.

In consideration for the opportunity to participate in club and Highland County Jr Fair Dog activities, and the use of services and facilities made available through these Highland County Jr Fair Dog activities, I do release and forever discharge for myself and my heirs, executors, Highland County Jr Fair Coordinator, Highland County Agricultural Society, Highland County Jr Fair clubs and advisors, Highland County Jr. Fair Dog Superintendents, Ohio State University Extension, and Highland County FFA Advisors from all claims, demands, and causes of action for personal injury or any other damage which may arise out of or be in any way related to my participation in this activity or program.

I understand and agree that my child is capable of being in control of his/her dog(s) at all times. I understand and agree that if a dog my child is currently using, or plans to use, has been or becomes aggressive toward other people and/or dogs I will not allow my child to use this dog as a Highland County Jr Fair project. I understand that my child is not required to participate in any Highland County Jr Fair dog activity, but grant permission for him/her to do so, despite the possible risks. I recognize that by participating in this activity, as with any activity involving live animals, my child, my child's dog(s), other people and/or dogs may risk injury. I hereby attest and verify I have been advised of the potential risks, have sought clarification if I have not understood, that I have full knowledge of the risks involved in these activities, and that I assume any expense that may be incurred in the event of an accident, illness, or other incapacity, regardless of whether I have authorized such expenses. As a parent/guardian, I assume the same risk for myself, and other family members and friends present at these dog activities.

Signed: Highland County Jr. Fair Member _____ Date: _____
Signed: Parent or Guardian _____ Date: _____

*This 2023 form must be signed and on file in the Highland County Jr Fair Office or Highland County Extension Office for EACH youth participant in any Highland County Jr Fair dog program activity where the youth takes a live dog as a project. A current form must be signed **EACH** year and **BEFORE** a youth participates in the Highland County Jr Fair Dog Program activities with their project dog(s).*

*Return to your Highland County Jr Fair Office or Highland County Extension Office by: June 1
Parent/Guardian and Club advisors are encouraged to keep a copy.*



2023 Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Project Identification Form and Vaccination Certificate

IDENTIFICATION FORM

(To be completed by Exhibitor)

Exhibitors: Complete this identification form. Exhibitors, parents/guardians must read the statement at the bottom of this section and sign to verify they have read the 2023 Ohio State Fair Jr. Fair Dog Show General Rules and Rules specific to show venues, agree to abide by them, and have a 2023 *Permission to Participate* form on file in the county Extension office. *Refer to the reverse side of this form.*

Exhibitor's Name _____

County Enrolled in 4-H _____ Phone () _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Dog's Call Name _____

Dog's Birth Date _____ Age _____
Mo./Day/Yr.

Predominant Breed _____

Color & Markings _____

Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Neutered Male ☐ Female ☐ Spayed Female

Dog License Tag No. _____ (Must list tag number)

Signatures Required: We verify we have read the 2023 Ohio State Fair Jr. Fair Dog Show Rules/Show Venue Rules & agree to abide by these rules. We have a signed 2023 *Permission to Participate in Ohio 4-H Dog Activities Disclosure and Release of Claims* form on file in our county Extension office and agree to be bound by the terms set forth therein.

Exhibitor's Signature _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Date Signed _____

VACCINATION CERTIFICATE – VETERINARIAN MUST

COMPLETE THIS ENTIRE SECTION!!

Exhibitors: Take this form to your veterinarian! This Vaccination Certificate **MUST** be completed and signed by a licensed veterinarian.

All dogs MUST have current rabies vaccinations. Your veterinarian must document on this form whether your dog's Rabies vaccination is current by filling in the "Date Expires" blank. Additionally, the Ohio 4-H Dog Program requires all dogs have current vaccinations for Distemper, Hepatitis, Leptospirosis, Parainfluenza, and Parvovirus for exhibition at the Ohio State Fair Dog Show. Bordetella vaccination is recommended, but not required. Veterinarian protocol for vaccinations will be followed. All vaccinations must be administered by a licensed veterinarian. **For the Ohio State Fair Dog Show, all vaccinations must be current through July 26th, 2023.**

Rabies

Date Given _____ Date Expires _____

Product _____ Serial # _____

DHLPP

Date Given _____ Date Expires _____

With the exception of Rabies, specific vaccination requirements may be waived as noted by veterinarian in the space below. _____

Clinic Information

Clinic Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Administering Veterinarian's Name _____

Veterinarian's Signature _____

Date _____ Clinic Phone () _____

The **2023 Ohio State Fair Junior Fair General Dog Show Rules and Rules specific to show venue** must be followed. The Exhibitor and a Parent/Guardian must sign in the designated area on the other side of this form acknowledging reading these rules and agreeing to abide by these rules. They must also sign and verify that a signed **2023 Permission to Participate in Ohio 4-H Dog Activities Disclosure and Release of Claims** form is on file in their county Extension office, and agree to be bound by the terms set forth therein. ANY dog exhibiting unsafe or threatening behavior at any time before, during, or after exhibition **MUST** be removed from the fairgrounds for the remainder of the dog show. All decisions of the Show Committee shall be final. All 2023 Ohio State Fair Dog Show Rules/Specific Show Venue Rules and other information can be found at: www.go.osu.edu/osfdogs.

Individuals who violate any rule and/or exhibit poor sportsmanship during the Ohio State Fair Junior Fair Dog Show **WILL BE DISQUALIFIED** from showing and removed from the Fairgrounds. Show Committee and/or Judges' decisions are **FINAL**. Individuals are **NOT** permitted to have any discussion with judges at any time throughout the Dog Show. *(This does not include discussions or questions during an Agility or Rally briefing or walkthroughs.)* Individuals with concerns must express them in writing, give them to Show Personnel, and those concerns will be discussed at the fall State 4-H Dog Advisory Committee meeting. Confrontations with Judges and/or Show Personnel will result in removal of those individuals from the Fairgrounds and in disqualification of exhibitors.

Permission to Participate

As a 4-H member, I am aware that:

1. Dogs have a tendency to behave in ways that may result in injury to me or other persons in the immediate vicinity;
2. Dogs may react in an unpredictable way to unfamiliar environments, sounds, strange odors, sudden movements, unfamiliar objects, persons, dogs, or other animals;
3. I am to listen to adult volunteers, trainers, coaches, and judges when working with my dog(s) in group settings, and when around other dogs and 4-H members, and people;
4. Other participants in the 4-H Dog Program may fail to maintain control over their dogs or fail to act within their abilities, thus causing harm to me, my dog(s), other participants, volunteers, or spectators;
5. Other participants in an activity, event, or program may act in a negligent manner which otherwise may result in harm to me and/or my dog(s);
6. I should be aware of my dog's body language and stress indicators at all times while we are participating in 4-H activities;
7. I should be able to remove my dog from situations where he/she may respond in a reactive or aggressive manner;
8. If I cannot maintain control over a dog I am using for a 4-H project, I understand that I will not be able to use this dog for a 4-H project; and
9. If a dog I am using for a 4-H project has been or becomes aggressive toward other people and/or other dogs, I will not use this dog for a 4-H project.

As a parent or guardian, I understand and agree that my child is capable of being in control of his/her dog(s) at all times. I understand and agree that if a dog my child is currently using, or plans to use, has been or becomes aggressive toward other people and/or dogs I will not allow my child to use this dog as a 4-H project.

You must complete the front side of this Identification Form. You and your parent or guardian must sign and date this form.

Health Requirements

1. Dogs less than 6 months old are NOT permitted on the Fairgrounds. All dogs **MUST** have current Rabies vaccinations. Please have your veterinarian document on this form that your dog's Rabies vaccination is current by filling in the "Date Expires" blank. Additionally, the Ohio 4-H Dog Program requires that all dogs have current vaccinations for Distemper, Hepatitis, Leptospirosis, Parainfluenza, and Parvovirus for exhibition at the Ohio State Fair Dog Show. Bordetella vaccination is recommended, but not required. **If your veterinarian does not administer the required vaccinations, they must document that in the space provided or on business letterhead and attach it to this form. The Ohio State Fair Dog Show follows the exhibitor's veterinarian's vaccination protocol.**
2. All vaccinations must be administered by a licensed veterinarian. **For the Ohio State Fair Dog Show, all vaccinations must be current through July 26, 2023.** *Note: Vaccination deadlines and requirements for county fairs may differ.*
3. **THIS IS THE ONLY CERTIFICATE THAT WILL BE ACCEPTED AT HEALTH CHECK.** Other certificates of vaccination, computerized vaccination records, pet record cards, or kennel records will not be accepted. **It is the exhibitor's responsibility to make sure all health requirements for State Fair are met.**
4. Dogs exhibiting abnormalities or symptoms of sickness, disease, or parasite infestation as determined by the health check officials will be eliminated from the show and must be removed from the Fairgrounds. If a dog is under veterinary care for a health condition that is not infectious or contagious, the exhibitor must bring a health certificate from the attending veterinarian verifying the condition and treatment. Decision of the health check officials is final.
5. **Bitches showing signs of heat are not permitted on the Fairgrounds. They will not be allowed to show.** Each dog must go through a health check each day shown where all females will be checked for signs of heat. **If a bitch shows any signs of heat, she will be eliminated from the show and must be removed from the Fairgrounds.** Any bitch, which appears so attractive to males as to be a disturbing element, will be eliminated from the show and must be removed from the Fairgrounds. Decision of the health check officials is final. *(Note: Check with your veterinarian several months prior to the show if you think your dog is due to be in heat during the show. They may be able to medicate your dog to delay estrus.)*
6. **Pregnant and/or lactating (nursing) bitches are not permitted on the Fairgrounds. They will not be allowed to compete.**
7. Any male or female dog that is a disturbing element to other dogs will be eliminated from the show and must be removed from the Fairgrounds.

► Your veterinarian must fill in **ALL** of the blanks! They must print their name on the line labeled "Administering Veterinarian's Name" and sign their name on the line titled "Veterinarian's Signature." Your veterinarian must fill in the date and clinic phone at the bottom of the certificate. Any additional health conditions allowing dog to show **MUST** be addressed by veterinarian on business letterhead.

Bring this completed form with you to the Ohio State Fair Dog Show Health Check Station, along with your dog, prior to going to Registration.

2023 Permission to Participate in Ohio 4-H Dog Activities Disclosure and Release of Claims

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In consideration for the opportunity to participate in club, county, regional, and state 4-H dog activities, and the use of services and facilities made available through these 4-H dog activities, I do release and forever discharge for myself and my heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, the Ohio 4-H Dog Program professional and volunteer leaders, educators, The Ohio State University and its Board of Trustees, its administrators, faculty and staff, from all claims, demands, and causes of action for personal injury or any other damage which may arise out of or be in any way related to my participation in this activity or program.

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Signed: 4-H Member _____ Date: _____

Signed: Parent or Guardian _____ Date: _____

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