

Large changes have been made this year to the 4-H Fair Book. Some of the changes made include new project areas, updated project descriptions and requirements, rule updates/changes, and an entirely new numbering system for classes. Outlined below are some of the changes in more detail. This document does not cover all changes made due to the sheer volume of alterations made to the fair book. Please take time and read the fair rules and information relevant to projects you plan on entering. If you have any questions please reach out to the office for assistance.

Rule Changes

- Consultative judging is required at time of physical project entry. The goal is to have 4-Her's interact with a judge to discuss their project and learn from the interaction.
- Exemptions to consultative judging available under special circumstances. Must be submitted to the Extension Office by Noon on Monday, July 1st.

Consultative judging will take place from 5:00pm – 7:30pm (previously 5-8pm)

Date & Time Changes

Please read the fair book and notice several registration dates & times have changed. Note several key changes below.

- Static exhibit pre-entries due by 5:00 pm on June 14th.
- Fashion Revue pictures for consultative judging are due to the Extension Office on July 5th by 8:30am. (can be dropped in outdoor drop box on July 4th if needed)
- Fashion Revue scripts will be due with pre-entry forms by 5:00 pm on June 14th.
- Consultative Judging will take place from 5:00-7:30 pm on July 9th.
- Exhibit pick up will be on Saturday, July 15th from 4:00-5:00 pm.

Project Updates

- Please note the addition of several new classes as well as the reclassification of others. Also read project descriptions and requirements carefully as some have been updated to comply with changes to the Kansas State Fair Book.
- Fashion Revue class changes

New Numbering System

- All 4-digit classes are state fair eligible classes (ex: Class 4000). These numbers were pulled directly from the Kansas State Fair Book and are the correct classes for each project to go to the State Fair.
- Classes with asterisks (*) and only 2 numbers instead of 4 are not Kansas State Fair eligible and are county only classes (ex: *Class 10).
- There is an exception to the new numbering system. Livestock classes have not been changed for this year. This may will be evaluated and may change in the future. Additionally, crops, agronomy, and landscape design classes have not had their numbering system updated. Please reference the Kansas State Fair book if you are eligible and elect to go onto the State Fair.