4-H EVENT/OPPORTUNITY:
Ohio 4-H Dog Judges Seminar

DATE/DEADLINE:
Event date: Saturday, January 21, 2017, 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Registration deadline: Monday, January 9, 2017

LOCATION:
Animal Sciences Building Arenas, The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio. Address: 2029 Fyffe Court, Columbus, Ohio 43210.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:
Registration is $40.00 per person, which includes refreshments, lunch, and resources. Registrations are due by Monday, January 9. (Refer to the registration form.) Make checks payable to: The Ohio State University.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:
The 4-H Dog Judges Seminar is for current 4-H dog judges, non-4-H dog judges, and individuals interested in judging obedience, showmanship and rally at 4-H and junior fair dog shows throughout Ohio. Attendees must be adults, not 4-H members. Exception: 4-H members in their last year of 4-H who are interested in judging the following year are welcome to attend. A breakout session will be offered on agility, freestyle, teams, and Barn Hunt. Judging You & Your Dog and 4-H PetPALS will also be discussed.

GOALS/OBJECTIVES:
Ohio 4-H Dog Judges’ Seminar is designed to:
- Educate participants about the purpose and philosophy of Ohio 4-H and the 4-H dog program;
- Review and practice general judging guidelines for junior fair dog shows in Ohio;
- Review 4-H dog rules, including obedience, showmanship, and rally, as well as You & Your Dog, 4-H PetPALS, agility, freestyle and teams.
- Review judging procedures;
- Provide demonstrations and hands-on judging experience;
- Bring consistency to judging 4-H dog show classes; and
- Develop a list of potential 4-H dog show judges for county 4-H dog shows and the Ohio State Fair Dog Show.

CONTACT PERSON:
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Ohio 4-H Dog Judges’ Seminar
January 21, 2017
Ohio State University
Columbus, Ohio
9am – 5pm

Schedule

8:30 – 9:00a  Registration
9:00 – 9:20a  Welcome
9:20 – 9:45a  Being a Great Judge
9:45 – 10:30a How to Utilize Resources – Open Book Quiz (grade your own)
(Participants will receive notebooks with rules for all 2017 4-H dog show venues)

10:30 – 10:45a Break

10:45 – 11:30a Showmanship/You & Your Dog Scoring: Questions & Grooming
11:30a – 12:15p Showmanship Scoring: Patterns, Stacking, Handling

12:15 – 1:00p Lunch (City BBQ)

1:00 – 1:40p Advanced Obedience or Rally
1:45 – 2:25p Advanced Obedience or Rally

2:25 – 2:40p Break

2:40 – 2:50p You & Your Dog Project Judging /4-H PetPALS
2:55 – 3:30p Beginner Obedience or Agility/Freestyle/Teams/Barn Hunt
3:35 – 4:15p Beginner Obedience or Agility/Freestyle/Teams/Barn Hunt

4:15 – 4:45p Group Discussion

4:45 - 5:00p Wrap Up, Evaluations, Collect Contact Information
OHIO 4-H DOG JUDGES’ SEMINAR REGISTRATION FORM
SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 2017
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Animal Sciences Building Arenas, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio

Name ______________________________________ County _______________________

Mailing Address _____________________________________________________________
Street or P.O. Box _______________________________________________________________________
City ___________________________ State ___________________________ Zip ____________

Email Address ___________________________ Phone ____________________________

I am a (please check all that apply):

___ 4-H Dog Show Judge in the following areas:
   ___ Obedience ___ Showmanship ___ Rally
   Other 4-H judging areas__________________________

No. of Years as 4-H Judge: ____________ No. of Years as Judge: ____________

___ I have never judged dog shows but am interested in becoming a 4-H dog show judge.

Are you currently a 4-H advisor? ____________________________
___ Yes ___ No

As a young person, did you compete in 4-H dog obedience? ____________________________
___ Yes ___ No

As a young person, did you compete in 4-H dog showmanship? ____________________________
___ Yes ___ No

As a young person, did you compete in 4-H rally? ____________________________
___ Yes ___ No

As a young person, did you compete in 4-H agility? ____________________________
___ Yes ___ No

List other 4-H dog show classes & activities you participated in: ____________________________

Do you currently compete in AKC (or other organizations) shows? ____________________________
___ Yes ___ No

If “Yes,” please list ________________________________________________________________

Please list other dog training/showing experiences _______________________________________

List any special dietary needs ____________________________

REGISTRATION FORMS ARE DUE MONDAY, JANUARY 9
Make Checks Payable to: Ohio State University

Mail this registration form along with the $40.00 registration fee to:

4-H Dog Judges’ Seminar
Crystal Ott, 4-H Program Coordinator
Nationwide & Ohio Farm Bureau 4-H Center
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