

4-H PetPALS Dog Achievement Form for FIRST YEAR Project Members

4-H PetPALS A

Bring this Achievement Form with you to Judging

Name _____ County _____ Age (1/1) _____

Required Prior to Judging	Master 4-H PetPALS Volunteer Leader Verification (Advisor – Sign in Columns Below (1, 2 and 3) to Verify Completion and Visits)	
(1) Completed the 10 Steps in 4-H PetPALS Curriculum		(1)
(2) Date Began 4-H PetPALS Visits: Mo____Day____Year____		(2)
(3) Number of Visits* Completed once becoming a 4-H PetPALS member: _____ (Minimum Requirements: Visit equivalent of one visit per month once youth completes training & dog has CGC – to earn gold medal for visits.)		(3)
Criteria Evaluated by Judge	Meets Criteria	Comments
Passed AKC CGC Test and (1) Has original certificate (unless recently tested dog) and/or (2) Has copy of front and back of CGC test/registration form to show initial submission or retest. (Must re-test once every 2 yrs. At minimum).		
(1) Is wearing attire that is worn during 4-H PetPALS visits. (2) Has 4-H PetPALS name badge or form of 4-H PetPALS ID used during visits (can be name applied on shirt). (3) Has 4-H PetPALS bag (or equivalent) with supplies needed for visit.		
(1) Dog’s manners appropriate for visits. (2) Dog is appropriately groomed and “dressed” (if applicable) for 4-H PetPALS visits. (3) Dog is presented as would be during visits.		
(1) Handler and dog able to greet and “visit” with judge as they would during 4-H PetPALS visits. (2) Youth can answer the following questions: (a) What does the acronym PALS stand for? (b) What is 4-H PetPALS? (c) Discuss what you do on your visits. (d) How do you practice confidentiality of visits personally & as a club?		
(1) Has completed 4-H PetPALS Project and Record Book, which includes documenting visits. (2) Able to present/discuss records with judge.		
*A dog that snaps, bites or attempts to bite must be immediately excused from the ring.		
**An exhibitor whose dog fouls the ring will receive a participation ribbon only. Judge must confer with show committee if award value differs.		
Exhibitors with Meets Criteria in ALL Areas will receive a Gold Medal and an Achievement Award. Exhibitors not meeting all criteria will receive an award. Medals will be presented to exhibitors who meet visiting requirements as noted in Required Prior to Judging No. 3. All exhibitors will receive participation ribbons.		

*See rules about 2024 visiting requirements.

4-H PetPALS Dog Achievement Form for Project Members YEARS 2 and Beyond

4-H PetPALS B

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Name _____ County _____ Age (1/1) _____

Required Prior to Judging	Master 4-H PetPALS Volunteer Leader Verification (Advisor – Sign in Columns Below (1, 2 and 3) to Verify Completion and Visits)	
(1) Completed the 10 Steps in 4-H PetPALS Curriculum		(1)
(2) Date Began 4-H PetPALS Visits: Mo____Day____Year____		(2)
(3a.) Number of Visits* Completed once becoming a 4-H PetPALS member: _____ (3b.) Number of Visits* Completed in 12 consecutive months prior to OSF: _____ <small>(Medals awarded for visiting = 12+ visits in 12 months prior to OSF = gold medal; 8-11 visits = silver medal; 1-8 visits = bronze medal)</small>		(3a. & b.)
Criteria Evaluated by Judge	Meets Criteria	Comments
Passed AKC CGC Test and (1) Has original certificate (unless recently tested dog) and/or (2) Has copy of front and back of CGC test/registration form to show initial submission or retest. (Must re-test once every 2 yrs. at minimum).		
(1) Is wearing attire that is worn during 4-H PetPALS visits. (2) Has 4-H PetPALS name badge or form of 4-H PetPALS ID used during visits (can be name applied on shirt). (3) Has 4-H PetPALS bag (or equivalent) with supplies needed for visit.		
(1) Dog’s manners appropriate for visits. (2) Dog is appropriately groomed and “dressed” (if applicable) for 4-H PetPALS visits. (3) Dog is presented as would be during visits.		
(1) Handler and dog able to greet and “visit” with judge as they would during 4-H PetPALS visits. (2) Youth can answer the following questions: (a) What does the acronym PALS stand for? (b) What is 4-H PetPALS? (c) Discuss what you do on your visits. (d) How do you practice confidentiality of visits personally & as a club?		
(1) Has exhibit documenting visits. Examples include scrapbook, poster, slide presentation, etc. (3) Able to present/discuss exhibit with judge.		
<small>*A dog that snaps, bites or attempts to bite must be immediately excused from the ring.</small>		
<small>**An exhibitor whose dog fouls the ring will receive a participation ribbon only. Judge must confer with show committee if award value differs.</small>		
Exhibitors with Meets Criteria in ALL Areas will receive a Gold Medal and an Achievement Award. Exhibitors not meeting all criteria will receive an award. Medals will be presented to exhibitors who meet visiting requirements as noted in Required Prior to Judging No. 3b. All exhibitors will receive participation ribbons.		

*See rules about 2025 visiting requirements.