
FCS SKILL-A-THON, ANIMAL SCIENCE SKILL-A-THON & CONSUMER JUDGING

February 20, 2021 9:00am Location TBA

Entries **DUE** to the Extension office by 4:30pm February 11, 2021

- 25 Sewing/Clothing ID items
- 25 Interior Design/Housing ID Items
- 25 Food/Cooking ID items.
- 2 Food Nutrition Judging Classes
- Life Skills Assessment (To be completed as a team) Each team will orally complete a response to 1 brief scenario.

Objectives for the FCS Skill-a-thon:

- Is designed to give youth a broad perspective of FCS through competitive activities.
- Provides an opportunity for members to develop skills in a friendly but competitive setting by demonstrating the breadth of their knowledge and understanding of FCS practices and principles related to foods, sewing and housing.

Age Divisions:

- Cloverbuds (Ages 5-8/2nd grade)
- Junior (Ages 8/3rd grade - 7th grade as of September 1, 2020)
- Senior (Ages 8th - 12th grade as of September 1, 2020)

Teams:

- Teams may consist of 3-4 members. The lowest score is dropped on the 4 person team. All scores count for 3 person teams.
- Team members must all be from the same county. No limit on the number of teams per county.
- Juniors may move up to a senior team if there are not enough juniors, but seniors may not move down. However, teams entering the State Contest at Roundup may not have juniors on a team.
- Individuals may enter if there are not enough people from a county to make a team in a given age division. Individuals are eligible for high point awards but will not have to do the Life Skills

Assessment presentation.

- The District contest is NOT a qualifying contest, but senior teams are encouraged to participate in the State Contest at Roundup.
- **Pre Registration DUE February 11, 2021.**

Contest Guidelines:

- Sewing/Clothing related ID: (50 pts.) Identify from a provided list fabrics, fasteners, seams, design/cut, and other items related to apparel, fashion design and/or sewing. Contestants will have 15 minutes to identify 25 items.
- Interior Design/Housing related ID: (50 pts.) Identify from a provided list decorating techniques, colors, patterns, design elements and/or layouts. Contestants will have 15 minutes to identify 25 items.
- Food/Cooking related ID: (50 pts.) Identify from a provided list appliances, utensils, spices, herbs, and/or other food related items. Contestant's will have 15 minutes to identify 25 items.
- Food Nutrition Judging Class: (100 pts.) Rank two classes of 4 similar food related items based on a scenario provided. Classes may include snacks, menus and/or specific food items. Contestants will have 15 minutes to complete.
- Life Skill Assessment (to be completed as a team 50 pts.) Each team will orally complete a response to one brief scenario. Scenario's will deal with basic life skills such as: Resume Writing & Cover Letters; Job Interviews & Dress; Garage Sales; Disaster Preparedness; Managing Your Money and Time Management. Teams will have 10 minutes to prepare the response and 5 minutes for the oral presentation. Questions (scenarios) will come from the Life Skills Assessment Study Materials found on the Roundup website.



Animal Science Skill-A-Thon

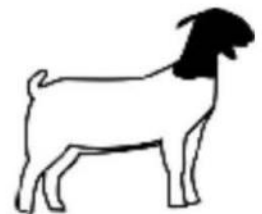
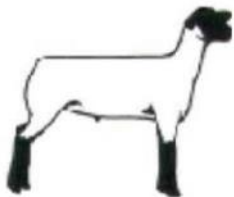
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Frye Auditorium

Areas will include nutrition, equipment parts breeds etc. There will be separate stations where contestants will have to correctly identify different breeds, feed samples and equipment used in that specific species.



This contest is designed to increase the animal science knowledge base of our youth. Areas will include nutrition, equipment parts, breeds, etc. There will be five species represented in this event Beef Sheep Swine, Goat and Horse. Awards will be given Cloverbud, Jr. and Sr. 4-H and FFA divisions and overall



CONSUMER JUDGING

Objectives;

- Learn to evaluate products/services based on standards, quality and a given situation.
- Learn to make wise decisions while shopping.
- Answer questions related to products/services.

Age Divisions:

- Junior (Ages 8/3rd grade - 7th grade as of September 1, 2020)
- Senior (Ages 8th—12th grade as of September 1, 2020)

Teams

- Teams may consist of 3-4 members. The lowest score is dropped on the 4 person team. All scores count for 3 person team. Team members must all be from the same county. No limit on the number per county.
- Individuals may also judge if there are not enough youth to make a team.
- Juniors may move up to make a senior team but the seniors may not move down. However, if entering teams in the State contest, only senior teams with all youth meeting the senior age requirement will be considered to advance to national contest.
- The District Contest is NOT a qualifying contest, but are encouraged to participate at the State Contest in the Fall.
- Pre-registration are DUE February 20, 2020.

Contest Guidelines:

- Six classes of consumer product/services will be judged during this contest.
- Each class will have a situation statement on which to base the placing of the 4 items in a class.
- Junior and Senior participants will have a questions class in which they will take notes on a class and recall facts about the items in a class.