



#1 (Goldenrod)
OFFICIAL EVALUATION REPORT
COUNTY FAIRS — 2009

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NAME OF FAIR <i>Lincoln County Fair</i>	DATE OF EVALUATION <i>August 27, 2009</i>
COMMISSIONER <i>Jerry Grill</i>	POINTS (GRAND TOTAL) <i>1835</i>

OVERVIEW (See page 5 for qualifying numbers and scoring procedures)

	POSSIBLE	ACTUAL	COMMENTS
1. GENERAL			
Organization and Management			
•Extent the organization, officers and management, physical facilities, financial resources accomplish the Aims and Purposes	75	<i>75</i>	
Balance of Fair			
•Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, Entertainment, Home Economics, Commercial, Youth	50	<i>50</i>	
•Educational Impact to Public and Participants	75	<i>75</i>	
•Features agricultural product(s) or related activity, shall be a separate exhibit or display, (may be competitive). Must include education, economic impact and signage. Does not need live animals.	100	<i>100</i>	<i>"Wheat Facts" nice exhibit</i>
2. AIMS AND PURPOSES			
•Displayed for the public and in the premium book.	50	<i>48</i>	
•Achieved	50	<i>48</i>	
3. GROUNDS			
•General attractiveness, landscaping, lighting, entrances, exits, and traffic patterns, organized parking	70	<i>68</i>	
•Overall condition of buildings	40	<i>35</i>	
•Staff knowledge of emergency procedures, communications on grounds.	20	<i>20</i>	
•Wash racks	20	<i>19</i>	
•Waste disposal methods	15	<i>14</i>	
•Show rings	15	<i>14</i>	
•Paved or grassed walking areas	10	<i>9</i>	
•Direction signs on fairgrounds, maps, signs on buildings	10	<i>10</i>	
4. EATING FACILITIES			
•Clean and attractive front and back, clean tables	20	<i>18</i>	
•Adequate number, variety of meals	20	<i>20</i>	
5. RESTROOMS			
•Clean, supplied, soap and towels	20	<i>19</i>	
•Adequate size, number and distribution	10	<i>10</i>	
•Facilities for babies, lighting, mirrors, hooks for clothes	20	<i>18</i>	
6. COMMERCIAL DISPLAYS			
•General attractiveness, signs, showmanship, lighting and identification	30	<i>30</i>	
•Machinery of the present/past	50	<i>20</i>	<i>No old equipment</i>
7. SPECIAL EXHIBITS, DISPLAYS AND ACTIVITIES			
•Such as: Seniors, Special people, Science exhibits, Animal farm, Market livestock sale, Forestry, Lapidary, Aquaculture, Master Gardener, etc.	50	<i>50</i>	<i>"kids Town" great area</i>
8. AGRICULTURE DISPLAYS - (Grange, Farm Bureau, Commodity or Community Organizations)			
•General attractiveness and educational value	40	<i>40</i>	
•Special displays, educational value, attendants available for information	40	<i>40</i>	
9. YOUTH ORGANIZATION UNIT DISPLAYS OTHER THAN 4-H and FFA (i.e., CAMPFIRE, BOY/GIRL SCOUTS, JUNIOR GRANGE).			
•General attractiveness	20		
•Showmanship, signs, identification	20		
•Educational value, attendant available to give information	20		
10. COMMISSIONER'S BONUS POINTS	20	<i>20</i>	
TOTALS	980	<i>870</i>	

STILL LIFE EXHIBITS (See page 5 for qualifying numbers and scoring procedures)

	POSSIBLE	OPEN	4-H	FFA/OTHER	COMMENTS
11. BAKED GOODS					
•General attractiveness	5	5		5	4-H 17 1/2 score
•Signs and identification	5	5		5	
•Educational value; special displays, posters, etc.	10	10	12	10	
•Attendant available to give information	5	5		5	
12. FOOD PRESERVATION / DRIED HERBS					
•General attractiveness	5	5			4-H 10 1/2 score Open Youth 10 1/2 score
•Signs and identification	5	5			
•Educational value; special displays, posters, etc.	10	10	12	12	
•Attendant available to give information	5	5			
13. CLOTHING / SEWN ITEMS					
•General attractiveness	5	5		5	4H-7
•Signs and identification	5	5		5	
•Educational value; special displays, posters, etc.	10	10	5	10	
•Attendant available to give information	5	5		5	
14. NEEDL EWORK—Includes Quilts, Afghans, & other needle arts					
•General attractiveness	5	5		5	Great Quilt show + nice demonstrations 4H-11
•Signs and identification	5	5		5	
•Educational value; special displays, posters, etc.	10	10	12	10	
•Attendant available to give information	5	5		5	
15. FINE ARTS / PAINTS & SCULPTURE					
•General attractiveness—lighting	5		5	5	Adults 11 1/2 score
•Signs and identification	5		5	5	
•Educational value; special displays, posters, etc.	5	10	5	5	
•Attendant available to give information	5		5	5	
16. PHOTOGRAPHY					
•General attractiveness—lighting	5	5	5	5	
•Signs and identification	5	5	5	5	
•Educational value; special displays, posters, etc.	5	5	5	5	
•Attendant available to give information	5	5	5	5	
17. CRAFTS AND HOBBIES—Includes Woodworking					
•General attractiveness—lighting	5	5	5	5	
•Signs and identification	5	5	5	5	
•Educational value; special displays, posters, etc.	5	5	5	5	
•Attendant available to give information	5	5	5	5	
18. HORTICULTURE—Fresh Herbs / Fruits and Vegetables					
•General attractiveness, arrangement, and freshness	5	5	5	5	
•Signs and identification	5	5	5	5	
•Educational value; special displays, posters, etc.	10	10	10	10	
•Attendant available to give information	5	5	5	5	
19. CROPS—Hay, Grains, Eggs, Honey, Wine/Beer, Forestry, Aquaculture					
•General attractiveness, arrangement, and condition	5				Adults 19 1/2 score 4-H 3 04 10
•Signs and identification	5				
•Educational value; special displays, posters, etc.	10	12	5	12.	
•Attendant available to give information	5				
20. FLORAL—Including Ornaments					
•General attractiveness and arrangement	5	5		5	4-H-7
•Flowers fresh in appearance	5	5		5	
•Signs and identification	5	5		5	
•Educational value; special displays, posters, etc.	5	5	5	5	
•Attendant available to give information	5	5		5	
21. SHOP EXHIBITS / AG MECHANICS					
•General attractiveness	5				
•Signs and identification	5				
•Educational value; special displays, posters, etc.	5		5	5	
•Attendant available to give information	5				
22. OTHER DISPLAYS / CONTESTS					
•Club or other displays	10		10	10	
•Demonstrations, contests, tractor driving	10		10	10	
•Meal preparation, style shows, at the fair	10		10		
POSSIBLE TOTAL		235	285	285	
ACTUAL TOTAL		212	171	234	

LIVESTOCK-LARGE ANIMALS (See page 5 for qualifying numbers and scoring procedures)

	POSSIBLE	OPEN	4-H	FFA/OTHER	COMMENTS
23. BEEF CATTLE					
•General attractiveness - Decorated	5		5		FFA-4 partial score
•Animals properly and safely stalled	5		5		
•Animals groomed	5		5		
•Herdsmanship, stalls, walkways and tack area clean	10		10		
•Educational value	5		5	10	
•Animal and exhibitor identified	5		5		
•Exhibitor/attendant available to give information	5		5		
24. DAIRY CATTLE					
•General attractiveness - Decorated	5				
•Animals properly and safely stalled	5				
•Animals groomed	5				
•Herdsmanship, stalls, walkways and tack area clean	10				
•Educational value	5				
•Animal and exhibitor identified	5				
•Exhibitor/attendant available to give information	5				
25. GOATS					
•General attractiveness - Decorated	5		5		FFA-4 open 7 1/2 score
•Animals properly and safely stalled	5		5		
•Animals groomed	5		5		
•Herdsmanship, stalls, walkways and tack area clean	10		10		
•Educational value	5		5	20	
•Animal and exhibitor identified	5		5		
•Exhibitor/attendant available to give information	5		5		
26. SHEEP					
•General attractiveness - Decorated	5		5		FFA-4 open 9 1/2 score
•Animals properly and safely stalled	5		5		
•Animals groomed	5		5		
•Herdsmanship, stalls, walkways and tack area clean	10		10		
•Educational value	5		5	20	
•Animal and exhibitor identified	5		5		
•Exhibitor/attendant available to give information	5		5		
27. SWINE					
•General attractiveness - Decorated	5		5		FFA 9 1/2 score
•Animals properly and safely stalled	5		5		
•Animals groomed	5		5		
•Herdsmanship, stalls, walkways and tack area clean	10		10		
•Educational value	5		5	20	
•Animal and exhibitor identified	5		5		
•Exhibitor/attendant available to give information	5		5		
28. HORSES / LONG EARS					
•General attractiveness - Decorated	5		5		Adult + Open Youth did not see.
•Animals properly and safely stalled	5		5		
•Animals groomed	5		5		
•Herdsmanship, stalls, walkways and tack area clean	10		10		
•Educational value	5	20	5	20	
•Animal and exhibitor identified	5		5		
•Exhibitor/attendant available to give information	5		5		
29. LLAMAS / ALPACAS					
•General attractiveness - Decorated	5				
•Animals properly and safely stalled	5				
•Animals groomed	5				
•Herdsmanship, stalls, walkways and tack area clean	10				
•Educational value	5				
•Animal and exhibitor identified	5				
•Exhibitor/attendant available to give information	5				
	POSSIBLE TOTAL		280	280	280
	ACTUAL TOTAL		20	198	90

SMALL ANIMALS (See page 5 for qualifying numbers and scoring procedures)

	POSSIBLE	OPEN	4-H	FFA/OTHER	COMMENTS
30. POULTRY - BIRDS - PIGEONS					
•General attractiveness - Decorated	5				Adult 2 4H-14 Partial 0.4 2 scores
•Aisles, barn, cages clean and in good condition, no manure	10				
•Ventilation	5				
•Birds properly groomed	5				
•Educational value	5	5	20	5	
•Animal and exhibitor identified	5				
•Exhibitor/attendant available to give information	5				
31. RABBITS - CAVIES					
•General attractiveness - Decorated	5				4H-9 Partial scores 0.4 4
•Aisles, barn, cages clean and in good condition, no manure	10				
•Ventilation	5				
•Animals properly groomed	5				
•Educational value	5		5	5	
•Animal and exhibitor identified	5				
•Exhibitor/attendant available to give information	5				
32. CATS					
•General attractiveness - Decorated	5				
•Aisles, area, cages and tack area neat and clean	10				
•Animals groomed	5				
•Animal and exhibitor identified	5				
•Showmanship in exhibition area	5				
•Educational value	5				
•Exhibitor/attendant available to give information	5				
33. DOGS					
•General attractiveness - Decorated	5				
•Aisles, area, cages and tack area neat and clean	10				
•Animals groomed	5				
•Showmanship in exhibition area	5				
•Educational value	5				
•Animal and exhibitor identified	5				
•Exhibitor/attendant available to give information	5				
34. OTHER ANIMAL EXHIBITS (in Premium Book & Judged)					
•General attractiveness - Decorated	5				
•Animals properly and safely stalled	5				
•Animals groomed	5				
•Herdsmanship, stalls, walkways and tack area clean	10				
•Educational value	5				
•Animal and exhibitor identified	5				
•Exhibitor/attendant available to give information	5				
	POSSIBLE TOTAL	200	200	200	
	ACTUAL TOTAL	5	25	10	

Instructions:

To qualify for a full score, Open, Open Youth, 4-H and FFA must have the following:

Separate judging, display area and signed accordingly, listed in the premium book and have the required number of exhibitors and exhibits.

- All sections must have at least three exhibitors.
- Mules, draft horses, miniature ponies, etc., may be substituted for Horses, or be considered a Special Exhibit.

4-H, FFA, Youth and Open Class:

Dairy, Beef, Sheep, Swine, Horses, Goats and Llama:

Must have 10 head and 3 exhibitors to be considered for maximum score (sow/litter, one exhibit).

- One to four head – up to 10 points maximum
- Five to nine head – up to one-half score listed
- Ten head or more – up to full score

Poultry, Rabbits, Dogs, Cats, and all Still Life:

Must have 20 exhibits and 3 exhibitors to be considered for maximum score.

- One to nine – up to 5 points maximum
- Ten to nineteen – up to one-half score listed
- Twenty or more – up to full score

Other Instructions:

- Maximum of one half score for competitive exhibits not seen.
- Exhibits must be on grounds for at least 7 hours for evaluation.
- Contracted exhibits not to be counted but considered as a special display.
- When fair is open to the public, and advertised as such, all exhibit buildings should be open and ready.

SUMMARY		
	POSSIBLE	ACTUAL
Overview (1-10).....	980	870
Still Exhibits (11-22).....		
Open Class	235	212
4-H	285	171
FFA/Other.....	285	234
Livestock-Lg Animals (23-29)		
Open Class	280	20
4-H	280	198
FFA/Other.....	280	90
Small Animals (30-34) ..		
Open Class	200	5
4-H	200	25
FFA/Other.....	200	10
TOTALS	3225	1835

COMMENTS for SUMMARY:



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September 1, 2009

Gerry Stiles, President
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Dear Gerry, Board Members, Superintendents, and Volunteers:

We enjoyed visiting your fair. You have great group of people that volunteer their time, so that your community can enjoy a fair. Your exhibitors are to be commended for bringing exhibits so that the community can enjoy.

Your still life buildings, and the livestock areas did a good job in presenting their exhibits. Your color coded entry tags are a great way for the public to identify the groups that exhibit.

The Black & White Ribbon Award was awarded to the 4-H/Crafts Building.

Several areas were down in exhibits. I am sure this changes from year to year.

Enclosed is a copy of my evaluation of your fair. The scores are not final till the Fairs Conference in October.

If you have nay questions, feel free to call me.

Sincerely,

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