

## 4-H DOG SHOW JR. SHOW CLASSES

**JUNIOR DIVISION** Members in 4th - 8th Grade

**SENIOR DIVISION** Members in 9th - 13th Grade

### General Rules

Only (1) project Dog/Handler combination allowed in Junior Show Classes. Judges will award excellent and very good ribbons in addition to placements. At the judge's discretion, large classes may be split, with a return to the ring for placements. Handlers must use a "Jr. Show Leash" in Jr. Show classes. Handlers in Jr. Show should dress in proper attire. In general, girls wear dresses, or skirts, boys wear dress slacks and shirts. Everyone earning an excellent ribbon in Jr. Show will be awarded 1 achievement point towards the gold/silver/bronze achievement awards. Winners of individual Jr. Show Classes\* will compete for "Best Junior Handler" award.

\*First Year Showmanship" classes will not compete for "Best Junior Handler".

Junior Showmanship Classes

<b>First Year Showmanship</b>	<b>Beginner</b>	<b>Novice</b>	<b>Open</b>	<b>Advanced</b>
<p>Open to both Seniors and Juniors. This is a learning level class. This class will not be placed and handlers are free to ask questions. This class is not eligible for the "Best Junior Handler" award. Achievement points cannot be earned in this class. No Jr. Show points will be earned. All handlers in this class receive rosettes.</p>	<p>Open to handlers who have 7 or less 4-H Jr. Show points.</p> <p>1st place = 5 points                      2nd place = 3 points                      3rd place = 1 point                      4th place = 1 point                      BJH = 1 point</p>	<p>Handlers who have between 8 and 24 4-H Jr. Show Points.</p>	<p>Handlers who have between 25 and 49 4-H Jr. Show points</p>	<p>Handlers who have 50 or more 4-H Jr. Show points.                      Handlers who are in the "Open" level class at outside shows such as AKC, MUST enter this class regardless of the number of 4-H Jr. Show points accumulated.</p>