



Grayson County Agricultural Fair
YOUTH DOG SHOW
August 12TH, 2022
Check-in 12:00 Noon
Show Start 12:30 PM



Class I – Obedience Contest (pre-novice commands)

Criteria: Execution of commands, Dog's response to handler

Commands: Heal on lead, Stand/Sit for Examination, Sit, Down, Stay, Recall (handler must walk 6 feet away, turn to face dog and give come command), walk through a crowd/reaction to other dogs

Class II – Showmanship

Criteria: Appearance/Attitude of handler, Handling of dog (is dog kept between handler and judge), Dog's behavior/response to handler, Execution of pattern (straight lines, turns, etc.), Set-up for judge's review (how quickly and quietly is dog set up), Overall health/appearance of dog, Handler's ability to answer knowledge questions

Class III – Trick Class (novice level)

Criteria: Dog will be asked to perform three different tricks and will be evaluated on the following – execution of trick, attention to handler, difficulty of trick (may use lures, leash, food as encouragement and to place dog)

Class IV – Costume Contest

Criteria: Creativity & Does costume fit dog breed/personality.

Categories: Funniest, Cutest, Best handler/dog theme (one winner in each category will be recognized)

Rules:

1. 1st through 6th place, along with Best in Show will be awarded
2. Age Categories include: 5-8, 9-12, 13-18
3. Automatic disqualification will result from dog relieving him/herself while in show ring. Owner MUST clean up after dog
4. ONLY well-behaved dogs will be allowed, if any signs of aggression are shown the owner will be asked to remove the dog from the facility immediately
5. CURRENT health records must be provided in order to enter the show. This means the animal must be UTD on rabies, parvo/distemper and show no signs of illness
6. Owner must clean up after their dog whether they relieve themselves inside the facility or anywhere on the fair grounds
7. Dogs MUST be on a leash no longer than 6' at all times and kept under control
8. All dogs must be spayed or neutered to participate in the dog show
9. All dogs must be out of the facility by 3PM in order for livestock to enter and be checked-in

