



## Calgary Regional Livestock Multi Judging Competition

Hosted by Mountain View 4-H District

March 17, 2018

Olds College

Hello members and leaders;

Mountain View 4-H District is happy to once again host one of the Regional Livestock Judging competitions in conjunction with Olds College's Judge It day.

We are still working to perfect our day, and have made a few changes from last year:

- No judge's critiques will be held this year. Please review the 4-H Judging Guide online prior to the event.
- SCRIBES – If you have a member who requires a scribe, **please declare this on the entry form.** No additional scribes will be assigned that day. If you have a member requiring a scribe, you **must also provide a parent's name on the registration form to be submitted to the pool of names.** NO EXCEPTIONS!
- Unfortunately, Olds College will not be extending the opportunity to participate in their "Judge It" competition to 4-H members this year.

Parent volunteers are also welcome to help us out on the day of. We need approx. 20 volunteers to help make the day run smoothly. Details of what we require help with are listed below.

Lastly, in order for us to be properly prepared for the day, we will be enforcing the Late Entry rule – please have your entries & payment post marked no later than FEBRUARY 15. We cannot accommodate late entries.

We look forward to another successful judging!

*Mountain View District 4-H Multi Judging Committee*

# Calgary 4-H Region Multi Species Judging Competition

-Hosted by Mountain View 4-H District –

**Saturday, March 17, 2018 @ Olds College**

All members are welcome. For those who are new to judging, visit

[http://www1.agric.gov.ab.ca/\\$Department/deptdocs.nsf/all/4h8115/\\$FILE/JudgingPG.pdf](http://www1.agric.gov.ab.ca/$Department/deptdocs.nsf/all/4h8115/$FILE/JudgingPG.pdf)

8:15 – 8:45am – Registration @ South (Brawn) Arena, Olds College, Olds, AB (map of College included - building #30)

9:00 – 10:10 am – Judging of Classes (Rotation - 10 classes total; some oral, some placings only/ID)

10:15 am – 12:30 pm – Oral reasons

12:30 – 1:00 pm – Judge's Placings/Reasons

No awards will be presented after the competition

Please bring a note pad & sharp pencils. Every effort will be made to ensure that the Mountain View District 2018 event is enjoyable and challenging for members with new opportunities.

Age Splits as of Jan 1, 2018 – Senior 15 – 20 yrs, Intermediate 12 – 14 yrs, Junior 9 – 11 yrs

Please note: Members will be excused from the competition if any of these rules are violated.

- Unauthorized adults or unregistered members are not allowed in the competition area while members are judging.
- Please advise all members that no discussion of class placings or reasons during the competition will be tolerated.
- **No cell phones** will be allowed in the facility during either the critiques or the actual judging for either the members or volunteers. If members are caught looking at their cell phones during the competition, they will be immediately excused and forfeit their entry.
- Notes or information brought with you is not allowed
- If a scribe is requested, he/she is there to make notes for the member, not to help the member judge and place the class.
- Members who do not stay with their groups and follow the rotation may be excused.
- Verbal abuse of the committee or parent volunteers will not be tolerated.

Please familiarize yourself with the attached 2018 Rules for Calgary Regional Judging Competitions.

**Cost:** Entry Fee is \$10.00 per member

**Payable by club cheque to:** Calgary Regional 4-H Council

**Entry form and payment must be postmarked by February 15, 2018.**

**Unfortunately no late registrations will be accepted.**

## Volunteer Information

We require the assistance of volunteers. If parents or leaders are wishing to help, please send their names along with the entry form. For any members requiring a scribe, please provide someone; organizers will pair scribes with other members to ensure no one is a scribe for their own child or club member. We will try to accommodate 1<sup>st</sup> preferences, but may have to put volunteers where needed. We need approximately 20 volunteers.

### Parent Volunteer Tasks

- *Scribe* – members may require an adult to guide them through the process. The scribe writes down what the member wants to say but is not to judge or coach the member. Please supply one scribe per each member requiring one from your club. At the competition, scribes will be allocated to another member from another club to keep it fair.
- *Group Leaders* – ensure that the members do not speak to each other while judging, also to move the groups along to the next class, as indicated by the announcer. 10 required.
- *Sheep Handlers* – to restrain one animal and ensure the members are allowed equal opportunity to view the sheep in order to make their decisions. 4 required.

### Parent Volunteers

CLUB NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

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