Alaska State 4-H Livestock Demonstration (Illustrated Talk) Contest Rules

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CONTESTANTS AND ELIGIBILITY

Group 1 Junior: Individuals and team members 8-11 years of age (current 3-5 grade)

Group 2 Intermediate: Individuals and team members 11-13 years of age (current 6-8 grade) Group 3 Senior: Individuals and team members 14 - 18 years of age (current 9-12 grade)

INSURANCE

CODE OF CONDUCT

All contestants, coaches, parents and spectators are expected to conduct themselves in an appropriate manner at all times. At no time will disrespectful behavior (be it toward contest officials, other contestants or coaches, or the general public) be tolerated. Failure to comply may result in immediate disqualification of any individuals, teams and/or family members of the violator.

CONTEST RULES

- 1. The subject matter must pertain to the livestock industry. Demonstrations or Illustrated talks not appropriately related to the livestock industry can be disqualified at the discretion of the judge(s).
- 2. Presentations may be either of demonstration or illustrated talk format. No live animals may be used.
- 3. Contestants may use notes. However, excessive use of notes may be counted against the contestant. This will be at the discretion of the judges.
- 4. A public address system will not be used in the contest.
- 5. Creative audio visual aids may be used, but the contestants must be involved in making or designing them.
- 6. During the competition, the contestants may introduce themselves by name, state and presentation topic.
- 7. Presentations should be 5-15 minutes in length for Juniors, 7-15 for Intermediate, 10-20 minutes for Seniors (3-5 minutes for Cloverbuds). One point will be deducted from the total score for each minute or fraction of a minute under or over the length of time by each of the judges, for a three points per minute total deduction. After the individual or team has been introduced by the superintendent, the time will start once the conte

DEMONSTRATION SCORECARD

A. INTRODUCTION (10 points)