



4-H Cat Show/Clinic

Saturday, April 9, 2 p.m.

Registration and Check-in from 1:15-1:45 p.m.

**Lancaster Event Center Fairgrounds –
Exhibit Hall Lancaster County Farm Bureau Room,
84th & Havelock, Lincoln**

This Cat Show/Clinic will be the **PURRRRRRFECTION** opportunity to learn and practice showing your cat in 4-H!



Cost

\$2 per class or \$5 for unlimited classes.

One cat per exhibitor.

Awards will be given!

Show Classes & Awards

- Long Hair
- Short Hair
- Long Hair Working Cat*
- Short Hair Working Cat*
- Best Trick
- Best Cat Toy (handmade, please keep safety in mind)
- Costume/decorate your cat contest (spring theme — no purchased cat costumes allowed)

* Working cats must live outside the house 75-100% of the time

Fun Awards

- Solid Color
- Multi-Color
- Longest Tail
- Tallest at Withers
- Shortest at Withers

Showmanship Class

Come prepared with a 1-2 minute speech: Tell us about you, your age, your cat, your cat's age and one of your cat's personality traits or quirks. A quick example of a time your cat behaved in a certain way to exemplify this trait may be used.

For Clover Kids Ages 5-7

Each participant will receive a participation award. No registration fee.

Clover Kids Show & Tell: Tell us your name and age, and your cat's name. Tell one thing you like about your cat.



4-H attire not required. Small cages will be available. Please bring collar/harness and leash, a small litterbox, food, and water for your cat. Towel or blanket is suggested. Please keep cats in carriers until show time and directions are given.

For tips on preparing and showing your cat, visit go.unl.edu/showcat



HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

Any cat not meeting these health requirements will not be judged and will be asked to leave the show hall immediately.

- Cats shall be free of fleas, ticks, ear mites, worms, other parasites, and infectious diseases.
- Cats are required to be current on their vaccinations of Rabies, distemper, panleukopenia, rhinotracheitis, and calici virus. Cats must either have a current feline leukemia vaccination or proof of a negative test within 180 days of the show. **IMMUNIZATION RECORDS MUST BE PRESENTED AND WILL BE CHECKED AT CHECK-IN.** 4-H'ers vaccinating their own cats must provide proof by including a statement from their vet or by including the vaccination labels. A rabies vaccination is federally mandated to be given by a Certified Veterinarian **ONLY**. This vaccination must be current and include a veterinarian signature.
- Claws shall be trimmed. No exceptions.
- No expectant or nursing mother cats may enter.
- Cat must be at least 16 weeks old.

For more information, contact Elizabeth Thiltges at 402-441-7180 or elizabeth.thiltges@unl.edu

Sponsored by Wonder Cats 4-H Club and Nebraska Extension in Lancaster County.

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