





**University of Kentucky** College of Agriculture, Food and Environment **Cooperative Extension Service** 

Your age on Jan 1, 2023,

### Mailing Address:

, KY \_\_\_\_

Club:

Grade in school: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

# Record Books are due October 13, 2023

# **Record Book Rules:**

- All entries must be accompanied by record books and project stories.
- Books may be typed or handwritten.
- All 4-H projects and record books entered must be the work of the 4-H member submitting the entries.
- Record Books must be completed for the 2022-2023 project year.
- The Danish system of judging will be used, three levels of ribbon. (blue, red and white)

## Your Record Book Needs:

Record Book Page Project Story Picture(s) (optional)

# 4-H Record Book & Project Agreement:

I certify that this is my original work and I have personally completed these projects during the current 4-H year.

**4-H Members Signature** 

Date

I certify that my child/ club member has personally completed these projects during the current 4-H year.

Parent/ Guardian's or Leader/Teacher Signature

Date

# **Record Book Judging Criteria:**

#### **Record Book Completion**

All guestions on record book are answered with complete sentences.

Leave no blank spaces.  $\Diamond$ 

#### Neatness

- Record book and story is readable and appealing.
- Keep form free of erasures and crossed-out  $\Diamond$ words.
- Stories may be handwritten or typed.  $\Diamond$

### Spelling & Punctuation

Use correct spelling and punctuation.

#### Story Procedure

- Make sure to clearly identify what the project is.  $\Diamond$
- Describe how the project was made or achieved.  $\Diamond$
- Include what you learned in your story, the more  $\Diamond$ details the better.
- Make sure story is orderly, factual and detailed.  $\Diamond$

## Story Details

- Tell why the project was selected.
- Tell who helped with the project and explain the importance of that help.
- Tell lessons learned in the project.

### Story Construction

- Have at least three paragraphs, including an introduction, a body and a conclusion.  $\Diamond$
- $\Diamond$ Have a catchy beginning that introduces the project or accomplishment.

#### Picture (optional but highly recommended)

- Points are awarded for picture(s) related to the  $\Diamond$ projects.
- Pictures that show you in the process of completing the project are important to include.  $\Diamond$

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