

**ENTRY DEADLINE:**

Friday, April 3, 2009

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VOCAL & INSTRUMENTAL CONTEST**

**April 19, 2009, 1:00 p.m.  
Youth & Ag Center, Lancaster**

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# GRANT COUNTY 4-H

## RULES AND REGULATIONS: Solo/Duet Contest

**VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL SOLO/DUETS** - separate from the Grant County Music Festival. This category has been added to allow talented individual 4-H members a chance to perform. (Participants in the vocal solo/duet or solo/duet instrumental category may also participate as a member in the music festival in their 4-H club.) The solo/duet contest will be split into two age divisions, grades 3-7 and grades 8 and over. Each member may have one vocal entry and one instrumental entry. This should eliminate members from competing against themselves. Participants will receive a fair premium for their performance. All blue ribbon winners will be asked to give their performance at the Grant County Fair 4-H Clothing Style Show on Saturday evening of the fair.

**VOCAL SOLO:** Defined as a single singer, accompanied or unaccompanied, performing a musical selection of no more than 3-4 minutes in length. Pantomiming or lip synching to tapes or CD's, karaoke, or background singing does not give an opportunity for musical expression on the part of participants. It is not permitted. To keep the selection shorter, excerpts may be taken from longer pieces, one movement may be done, or repeats may be eliminated. The ratings will be blue, red and white.

**VOCAL DUETS:** Defined as two singers accompanied or unaccompanied, performing a musical selection of no more than 3-4 minutes in length. Pantomiming or lip synching to tapes or CD's, karaoke, or background singing does not give an opportunity for musical expression on the part of participants. It is not permitted. To keep the selection shorter, excerpts may be taken from longer pieces, one movement may be done, or repeats may be eliminated. The ratings will be blue, red and white.

**INSTRUMENTAL SOLO:** Defined as a single instrumentalist performing a musical selection of no more than 3-4 minutes in length. To keep the selection shorter, excerpts may be taken from longer pieces, one movement may be played, or repeats may be eliminated. The ratings will be blue, red and white.

**INSTRUMENTAL DUET:** Is defined as two instrumentalist performing a musical selection of no more than 3-4 minutes in length. To keep the selection shorter, excerpts may be taken from longer pieces, one movement may be played, or repeats may be eliminated. The ratings will be blue, red and white.

Accompanists for any musical solo or ensemble may or may not be provided by 4-H club members and may or may not be adults. CD accompaniment (or tapes) with background vocals are not permitted.

Note: All parts of the performances, including songs, jokes, movements, props, dress, etc. should be in good 4-H taste. It is also recommended there be no references to alcohol or drugs. As in all 4-H events, good sportsmanship and support of others in any of the 4-H music contests is strongly encouraged.