

Tuscola County 4-H Beef, Dairy Steer & Feeder Recordsheet Grade 8

Name: _____ 4-H Club: _____

Use Chapter 12 to answer the following questions:

1. Without naming any names, discuss a practice you have seen or heard about that you think was an unethical practice in relationship to showing an animal. _____

2. In thinking about your answer to number 1, why do you feel that this practice was wrong?

Use Chapter 13 to answer the following questions:

3. As a 4-H beef producer you serve as a _____ for the beef industry.

4. Given the economic and social climate under which beef producers are currently operating, why is good record keeping an absolute must. _____

5. Why are aesthetics and neighbor relations important in livestock relations?

Use Chapter 3 to answer the following questions:

6. The _____ (also known as the bowknot or reefer's knot) is the standard knot used to tie an animal to a post or stall at the fair.

7. Knot users consider the _____ knot one of the most useful knots. It is a nonslip knot, as such it can be used to form a loop that will not tighten or draw down.

Use Chapter 5 to answer the following questions:

8. There are two types of flies that are major pests to cattle: the _____ fly and the _____ fly.

9. Face flies cluster around the head and face, and they irritate the eyes. Face flies may also spread the infection called _____.

10. Identify and describe four of the seven treatments used to control external parasites.

11. Identify and describe the four ways used to treat cattle for internal parasites:

12. Ringworm is a _____ that gets into the skin and develops a rough skin condition where the hair drops out in patches. You can get ringworm on your skin by handling infected cattle. You should wear _____ when handling infected animals.

Answers to these questions can be found in the "Beef Resource Handbook" 4-H 117R

Completed (40 possible)	_____
Accuracy of answers (30 possible)	_____
Appropriate grammar (15 possible)	_____
Neatness of record (15 possible)	_____
Total	_____

A = 86-100 points
B = 71-85 points
C = 70 points or less