**2020 Wisconsin 4-H Quiz Bowl and Skillathon Results**

**(Madison, WI)** The Wisconsin 4-H Quiz Bowl and Skillathon contests were both held on Saturday, March 7 at the University of Wisconsin Madison Animal Sciences Building. Livestock Quiz Bowl, in its 16th year, is a competition where questions are about beef, sheep, swine and meat goat topics and students use a buzzer in order to answer. Teams compete in a double elimination format by giving oral answers to questions posed by a judge. Each match has both an individual and toss-up question round. A group discussion round is included in the senior division to simulate the national competition.

The Senior Quiz Bowl winner represents Wisconsin at the National 4-H Quiz Bowl contest at the North American International Livestock Exposition in Louisville, KY in November. The winning team of the senior division (14 years of age or older) was Jackson County. Members included: Kaden Moseley, Trent Laufenberg, Grace Kling, Wyatt Berg, and Austin Laufenberg.

Second place in Senior Quiz Bowl went to Polk County: Members were: Katherine Elwood, Grace Haase, Courtney Glenna, and Courtney Stream.

Winner of the Junior Quiz Bowl division (under 14 years old) was Jackson County 1. Members included Jack Laufenburg, Luke Fischer, Jake Kling, Austin Olson, and Doyle Hagen.

Second place went to Jackson County 2. Members included: Morgan Lindow, Amara Streff, Morgan Berg, Brenna Thorson, and Alyssa Lindow.

Winner of the Mixed division (must contain at least one youth from each age division) was Sheboygan County A. Team members included: Alisha Klemme, Ethan Kohlman, Cloe Bruenig, and Alison Gartman.

Juneau County A was second place. Members included: Dawson Firlus, Dravan Robinson, Gabby Wohlrab, and Tyler Schwartz.

In the Skillathon contest, participants complete a 25 question written test, 4 individual skill-a-thon stations where contestants take part in livestock breed identification, feed identification, equipment identification and meat identification. The final portion is the team exercises where each team works together to best solve 4 different scenarios involving live animals and animal management concepts. This phase helps youth learn problem solving, critical thinking and teamwork.

The winning 4-H Skillathon team was from Grant County and will represent Wisconsin at the National 4-H Skillathon Contest in Louisville, KY in November. Members included: Mason Crooks, Kendra Jentz, Abby Meier, Jessica Patterson, and Avery Crooks. Second place senior team was Jackson County which included: Kaden Moseley, Trent Laufenberg, Grace Kling, Wyatt Berg, and Austin Laufenberg.

**Top Ten Overall Senior Skillathon Individuals were:** Kendra Jentz, Grant; Justin Taylor, Columbia; Grace Kling, Jackson; James Mejchar, Ozaukee; Morgan Vondra, Iowa; Joey Robinson, Iowa; Reece Theobald, Dane; Jessica Patterson, Grant; Sami Rake, Columbia; Taylor Henningfeld, Dane.

Grant County topped the junior division. Members included: Cameron Patterson, Luke Patterson, Libby Vogt, Aiden Patterson, and Leah Patterson. Second place was Jackson County #1. Team members were: Jack Laufenberg, Jake Kling, Luke Fischer, Austin Olson and Doyle Hagen.

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**Top Ten Overall Junior Skillathon Individuals were:** Jake Kling, Jackson #1; Luke Patterson, Grant; Aiden Patterson, Grant; Cameron Patterson, Grant; Libby Vogt, Grant; Taylor Morszek, Outagamie; Amara Streff, Jackson #2; Luke Fischer, Jackson #1; Annie Robinson, Iowa #1; Leah Patterson, Grant.

In the Mixed division, Sheboygan County B was 1st place. Members included: Haylie Habeck, Kathryn Schwartz, Audrey Gartman, and Olivia Kohlman. Juneau County A was second place. Team members were: Dawson Firlus, Dravan Robinson, Gabby Wohlrab, and Tyler Schwartz.

**Top Ten Overall Mixed Skillathon Individuals were:** Katie Huchthausen, Dane; Kathryn Schwartz, Sheboygan B; Dawson Firlus, Juneau A; Gabby Wohlrab, Juneau A; Haylie Habeck, Sheboygan B; Alison Leonard, Marathon; Alayna Barth, Grant A; Dravan Robinson, Juneau A; Alison Gartman, Sheboygan A; Summer Rake, Columbia.

These events were organized and facilitated by Bernie O’Rourke, UW Extension Youth Livestock Specialist, Alissa Grenawalt, Outreach Specialist, Joe Muellenberg, Outreach Specialist, and partially funded by the Wisconsin 4-H Foundation. Numerous judges and helpers from University of Wisconsin – Extension, University of Wisconsin – Madison and River Falls along with many volunteers from across the state assisted in the success of these contests.

***For upcoming events and programs in the animal sciences, contact your county UW-Extension office or the Wisconsin Livestock Youth Web Site:*** <https://fyi.extension.wisc.edu/youthlivestock/>

**2020 Quiz Bowl & Skillathon Photos for Publicity**

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**1st Junior Quiz Bowl – Jackson #1**

L to R: Luke Fischer, Jake Kling, Austin Olson, Doyle Hagen, and Jack Laufenberg

**2nd Junior Quiz Bowl – Jackson #2**

L to R: Brenna Thorson, Morgan Berg, Morgan Lindow, and Amara Streff

**1st Junior Skillathon – Grant**

L to R: Libby Vogt, Leah Patterson, Cameron Patterson, Luke Patterson, Aiden Patterson

**2nd Junior Skillathon – Jackson County #1**

L to R: Jack Laufenberg, Luke Fischer, Jake Kling, Austin Olson, and Doyle Hagen

**Junior Individuals:**

Front Row L to R: Jake Kling, Jackson #1; Luke Patterson, Grant; Aiden Patterson, Grant; Cameron Patterson, Grant; Libby Vogt, Grant;

Back Row, L to R: Taylor Morszek, Outagamie; Amara Streff, Jackson #2; Luke Fischer, Jackson #1; Annie Robinson, Iowa #1; Leah Patterson, Grant

**1st Mixed Quiz Bowl – Sheboygan A**

L to R: Ethan Kohlman, Cloe Bruenig, Alisha Klemme, and Alison Gartman

**2nd Mixed Quiz Bowl – Juneau A**

Dawson Firlus, (missing) Dravan Robinson (Missing), Tyler Schwartz and Gabby Wohlrab

**1st Mixed Skillathon– Sheboygan B**

L to R: Audrey Gartman, Olivia Kohlman

Kathryn Schwartz, Haylie Habeck,

**2nd Mixed Skillathon – Juneau A**

Dawson Firlus, (missing) Dravan Robinson (Missing), Tyler Schwartz and Gabby Wohlrab

**Mixed Individuals**

Front row: L to R: Katie Huchthausen, Dane; Kathryn Schwartz, Sheboygan B; Dawson Firlus, Juneau A; (missing) Gabby Wohlrab, Juneau A; Haylie Habeck, Sheboygan B;

Back Row: L to R: Alison Leonard, Marathon; Alayna Barth, Grant A; Dravan Robinson, Juneau A; (missing) Alison Gartman, Sheboygan A; Summer Rake, Columbia

**1st Senior Quiz Bowl – Jackson**

L to R: Austin Laufenberg, Wyatt Berg, Trent Laufenberg, Kaden Moseley, Grace Kling

**2nd Senior Quiz Bowl – Polk**

L to R: Courtney Glenna, Grace Haase, Courtney Stream, Katherine Elwood

**1st Senior Skillathon – Grant**

L to R: Abby Meier, Jessica Patterson, Kendra Jentz, Avery Crooks, Mason Crooks

**2nd Senior Skillathon – Jackson**

L to R: Trent Laufenberg, Austin Laufenberg, Wyatt Berg, Grace Kling, Kaden Moseley

**Senior Individuals**

Front row: L to R: Kendra Jentz, Grant; Justin Taylor, Columbia; Grace Kling, Jackson; James Mejchar, Ozaukee; Morgan Vondra, Iowa;

Back row, L to R: Joey Robinson, Iowa; Reece Theobald, Dane; Jessica Patterson, Grant; Sami Rake, Columbia; Taylor Henningfeld, Dane