Kentucky 4-HYouth Development

Division 6022 - 4-H Tractor Operators Contest Tuesday, August 19, 2025, Check-in 1:00 p.m. Event Starts 1:30 p.m. Location –Gravel Parking Area inside Gate 4 Torey Earle, Extension Specialist for 4-H Youth Development tearle@uky.edu

- 1. See General Rules applying to all 4-H Exhibitors, 4-H demonstrations, and judging events.
- 2. <u>Two District winners in each of the two divisions (two (2) Juniors and two (2) Seniors) are allowed.</u>
- 3. As this event is held in an isolated area, families are encouraged to bring lawn chairs, tent canopies and something cool to drink. No water, soft drinks or food are available at site of the contest. Families should provide their own umbrellas and rainwear, if needed, during inclement weather.
- 4. In case of electrical storms, the driving part of this contest may be delayed up to a maximum of two hours. If at that time it is determined that cancellation is necessary, placing will be determined by written test scores. The driving part of this event will not be rescheduled on any other date. In the event of a tie in the senior division, the oldest 4-H'er will be selected.
- 5. Participants must be age 12 as of January 1 of the current year.
- 6. All 4-H participants must be registered through the electronic entry with the State Fair Entry Department by the deadline. Please refer to the General Rules applying to 4-H exhibits listed previously in this catalog. No entries will be accepted on the day of the event.
- 7. The 4-H Tractor Operators Contest will be conducted according to the rules, driving course and score sheets as set forth in the 4-H guide "Instructions for the Kentucky 4-H Tractor Driving Contest". To drive in the contest the participant must be of sufficient physical size to safely operate all foot and hand controls from the operator's seat with the seatbelt fastened and properly adjusted.
- 8. The event consists of the following parts:
- Junior Division written quiz over Levels A & B of the currently approved 4-H Tractor Curriculum (found on the Kentucky 4-H web page) and two-wheel trailer driving course.
- Senior Division written quiz over Levels A, B, C & D of the currently approved 4-H Tractor Curriculum (found on the Kentucky 4-H web page) in addition to driving a two-wheel trailer and a four-wheel wagon course.
- National Engineering Event if available. \$150 will be paid to the Kentucky 4-H Foundation and used by them to pay part of expenses-for the Senior winner to participate in a national event.

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