

DUQUOIN STATE FAIR

“FFA FARMYARD FOLLIES”

BACKSEAT DRIVING

This event will be timed and will require two members from each chapter. Teams will drive a golf cart through a designated course set up by the judges. Either team member may drive. The DRIVER will be BLINDFOLDED or wearing IMPAIRED VISION GOGGLES. The passenger may not touch the steering wheel or it will result in disqualification. Reckless driving is prohibited and will result in disqualification. There will be a limit of three (3) minutes to complete the course. The object is to see which team can complete the course in the shortest time with the fewest collisions.

BALE TOSS

This event requires two (2) participants per chapter. Each team will receive two (2) attempts. They will toss a bale of straw over the bar. The better of the two (2) throws will be scored.

TUG OF WAR

This event will require a team of not more than a combine weight of 850 pounds. NO SPIKES ALLOWED. There will be a one (1) minute time limit. Dropping the rope will result in disqualification. A Round Robin will determine the winner.

BALE STACKING

This event will be timed and will require two (2) members from each chapter. The team members will carry bales from the stack of eleven (11) bales to the designated area where they will restack in the same fashion as the original stack. This will be a timed event and a five second penalty will be assessed for each broken bale. Judges will take neatness into consideration.

SHOVEL RACE

This relay will require six (6) members from each chapter. One member will sit in the shovel while the other members pull them through the course. There will be another set of members at the end of the course that will return to the starting point. This will be a timed relay. Five seconds will be added each time the shovel leaves the course.

WATER BALLOON TOSS

Two participants per chapter will be used for this event. To start, three (3) feet will separate the participants. They will then toss the balloon to their partner. If the balloon hits the ground or breaks, the team is out of competition.

BAT RACE

Four participants per chapter will be used for this event. Members will race to the bat, place forehead on the bat, spin eight times, and then pick up water bucket and return to the starting line. This will be a timed event and remaining water level will be measured to determine the winner.

TARP FOLD

A team consists of eight (8) members who will be standing on a tarp, which is laid out flat on a level surface. The object is for the members to turn (reverse, flip) the tarp over so that the side that was facing up becomes the side facing down. This is a timed event. Team members are not allowed to step off of the tarp. The team will be penalized 10 seconds each time a foot of any member touches the ground. The total score is determined by turning time plus penalty pointed added onto the turning time score. The tarp may be folded over in either direction. No additional aids may be used to facilitate the turning process. Penalty points may also be assessed for lack of neatness.

POINTS WILL DETERMINE WINNERS. THE POINT SYSTEM WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:

1 st - 10 points	6 th - 5 points
2 nd - 9 points	7 th - 4 points
3 rd - 8 points	8 th - 3 points
4 th - 7 points	9 th - 2 points
5 th - 6 points	10 th - 1 point

If a tie occurs during an event then both teams will receive the same score. For example: If there were a tie for 4th & 5th places, both teams would receive 6 ½ points. In the event of two teams sharing the same overall points, they will compete in a special tie-breaking event.