

St. Clair County 4-H Exhibition Poultry

Project Book



Score _____

Members Name: _____

4-H Age: _____ Years in Project: _____

Poultry Project Club: _____

Circle Your Age Group

11 & Under

12-14

15+

Attach Project Photo Here

Members Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Or

Leader Signature: _____

Exhibition Poultry Project Book Requirements

1. Resources to use to complete this book include the American Poultry Association's "Standard of Perfection", American Bantam Associations Bantam Standard
2. All books must be signed by exhibitor and by a parent or leader.
3. Books which contain obvious adult contribution or anything inappropriate will not be scored.
4. Creativity, effort, correctness, and completeness will all be used in scoring of the book. Coloring and decorating is encouraged!
5. All Project Books must be in a folder or binder or 25 points will be taken off final score.
6. This project book **MUST** be turned in at Coop In on Sunday prior to fair.
7. Incomplete or late books will not be eligible for Best In Class or higher awards. This is a part of your 4-H project.
8. Project books will be judged and the top 10 scores from each age group will receive placing ribbons.
9. You are welcome to answer or complete other age group questions, no extra credit points will be awarded. Scores will be from your appropriate age questions only. However! Extras may be used to determine any ties.
10. Feel free to add in additional pages of photos of you and your project throughout the year.

What is your goal for this year's project?

General Knowledge

Describe the difference between fancy purebred and commercial poultry:

What does the term candling mean?: (12+)

What is the normal hatching temperature?

How long is the incubation of a chicken? _____

A Duck? _____ A Turkey? _____

A Goose? _____ A Guinea? _____

Name the LF (Large Fowl) Classes: (11& Under Name 4 or more classes)

Name the Bantam Classes: (11 & Under name 4 or more classes)

Name The Duck Classes:

Name the Goose Classes:

Name the Turkey Classes:

What does LF stand for?

What is a variety?

Name some predators of poultry:

What is the normal temperature of a chicken?: (12+)

What do the initials ABA stand for?: (12+)

Who is the President of the ABA? (14+)

What do the initials NPIP stand for? (13+)

What is the NPIP responsible for? (13+)

Defects and Disqualifications

A Disqualification is: (12+)

A Defect is: (12+)

Name 5 General Disqualifications. These are the ones that would apply to all breeds. (14+)

Name 5 General Defects. These are the ones that would apply to all breeds. (14+)

List specific disqualifications for your breed (s). Remember to name the breed.

(14+)

List specific Defects for your breed (s). Remember to name the breed. (14+)

My name is ROOSTER and I need to be handsome. Please color me! *Color my sickle feather green!*



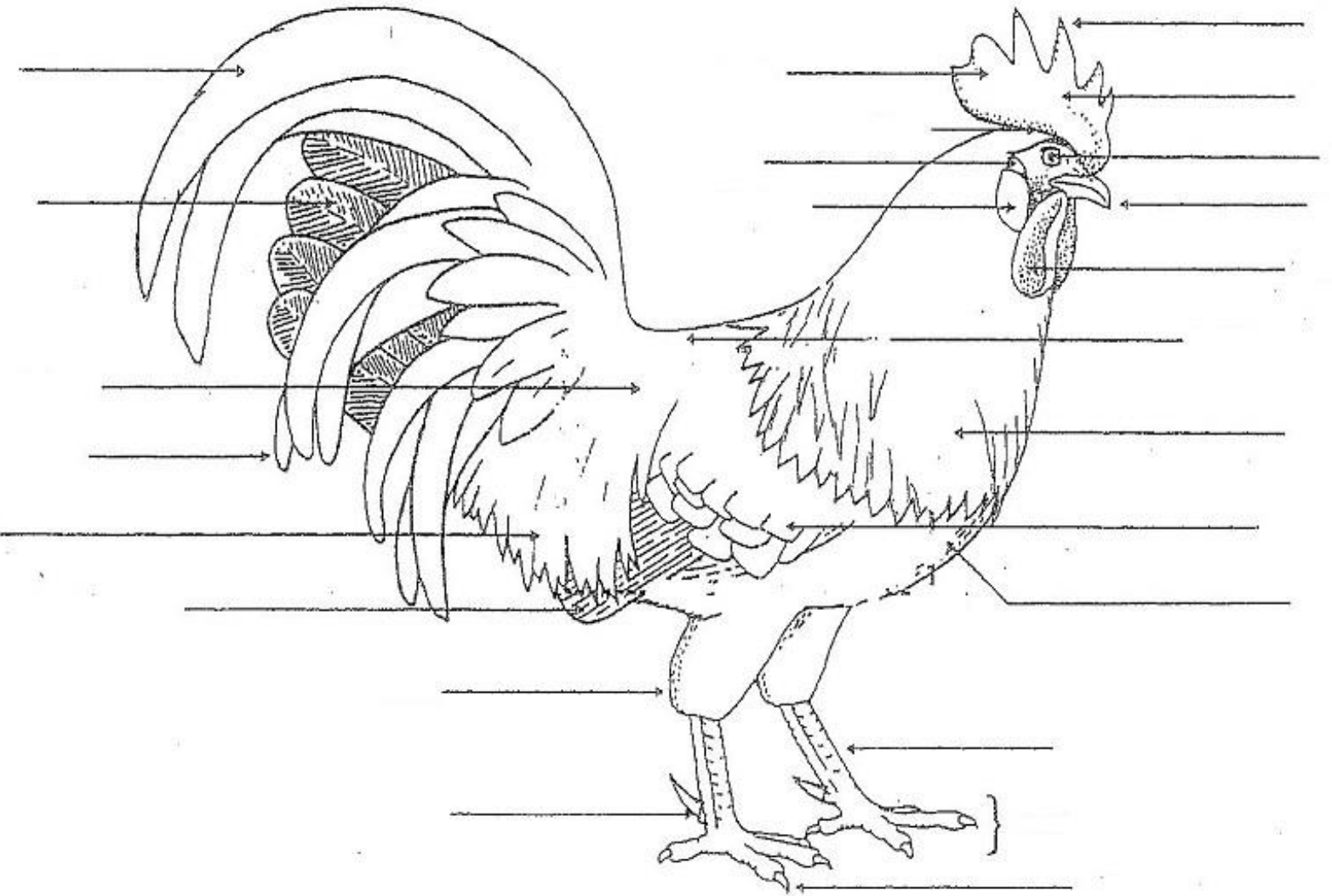
Terminology

1. _____ A Male chicken over a Year Old.
2. _____ A term used to denote feathers which are curled and which curve outward and forward.
3. _____ A stiff horny projection from the rear inner side of the shanks, rounded or pointed according to age prominent in the male fowl.
4. _____ The external oil gland. Located at the base of the tail.
5. _____ The tail of a fowl permanently carried to one side of the vertical.
6. _____ A female under a year old.
7. _____ A sub-division of a breed or its color.
8. _____ A Female Duck
9. _____ The collective feather covering of the entire body of a fowl, including the head, neck, wings, tail and where specified for the breed shanks and toes.
10. _____ A male chicken under a year old.
11. _____ A diminutive fowl; some being distinct breeds, other being miniatures of a large breed.
12. _____ A group of geese
13. _____ A female chicken under a year.
14. _____ The thin pendant growths of flesh at either side of the base of the beak and upper throat.

11&Under – 4 Terms 12-14 – 7 terms 15+ - All terms

Parts of the Cock - Cockerel

Write the name of each part in the appropriate spot



Parasites and Diseases

(15+)

Choose an external parasite and complete the following:

Name of the External Parasite: _____

Where would you expect to find this parasite: _____

How does this parasite harm the bird: _____

What treatment would you consider for this parasite? _____

Choose an internal parasite and complete the following:

Name of the External Parasite: _____

Where would you expect to find this parasite: _____

How does this parasite harm the bird: _____

What treatment would you consider for this parasite? _____

Choose a disease and answer the following:

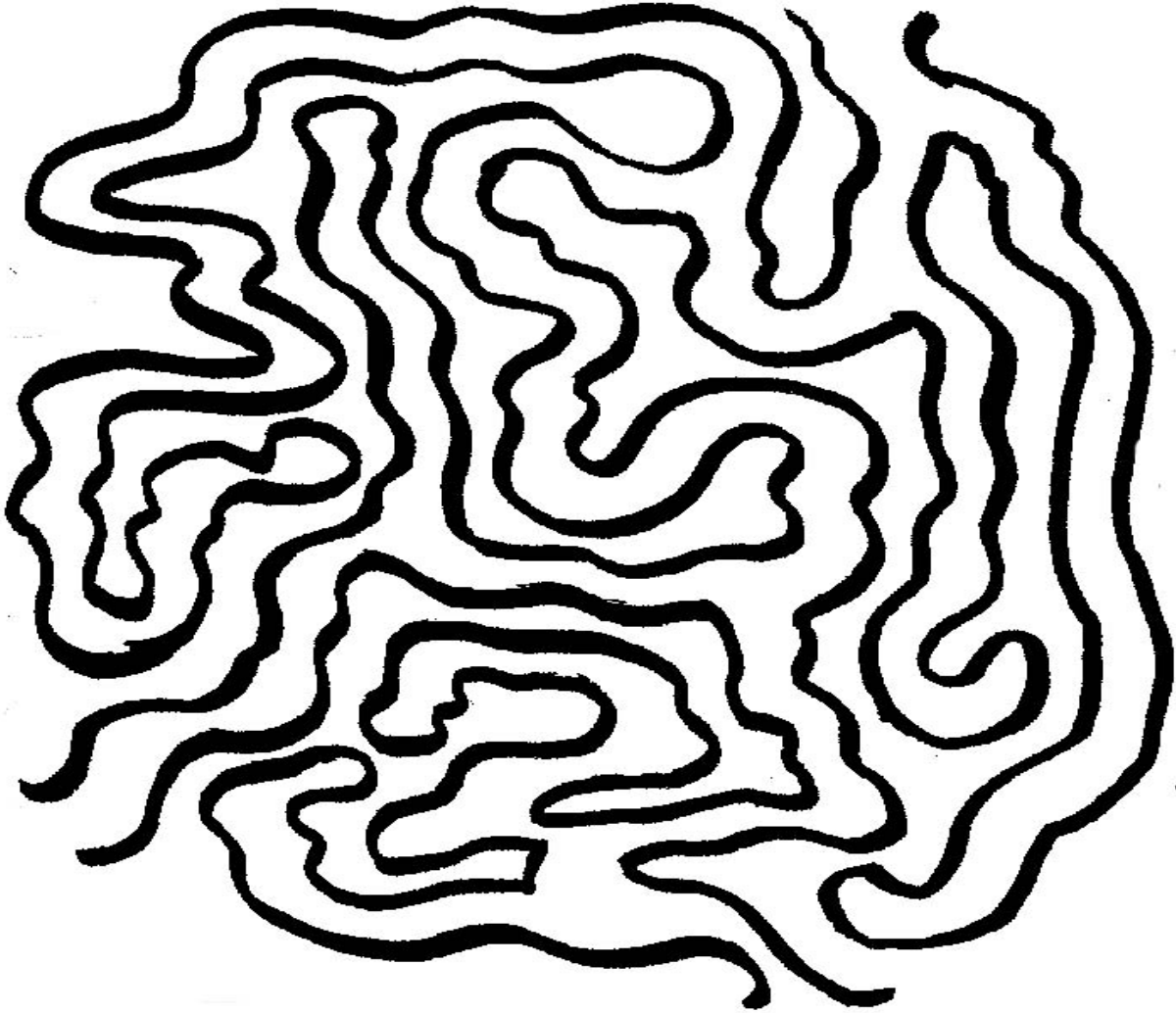
Name of Disease: _____

Describe the symptoms: _____

Describe the treatment:



Ducky Maze



Just For Fun!

About Your Project

I feel the most important things I learned this year about poultry are: _____

Some challenges I faced were: _____

How could I/did I solve my challenges? _____

My favorite part of the 4-H exhibition poultry project was participating in _____

I would really like to see these things added to my county's 4-H exhibition poultry program: (think of events, workshops, classes at fair, etc.)
