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2024 Nebraska FFA Hall of Chapters Handbook

Overview

The Hall of Chapters event allows FFA chapters from across Nebraska to create a display to highlight Nebraska Agriculture. Chapters are encouraged to design and implement educational displays within the parameters to be showcased at the Nebraska FFA State Convention.

The 2024 Hall of Chapters Event will be a **showcase display event only**. There will not be an interview or judging process. There will be a Showcase Hour from 5:30-6:30 pm on Wednesday, April 3rd where chapters are invited to have students staff their booth and interact with people coming to the opening session.

Set-Up and Take Down

Set up for all registered displays will be on Wednesday from Noon to 5 pm. Displays must be finished by 5:00 pm. Display locations will be provided to chapters prior to convention. No switching of locations will be allowed. Displays will remain in place until Friday at 3:30 pm. All displays must be completely removed 30 minutes after the final session. Anything left on tables after the close of the final session will be thrown away.

Display Guidelines

All State Convention displays will adhere to the following guidelines:

- A table space of three feet with a depth of approximately two feet will be provided. Displays must stay within their allotted area—if displays go outside of the area they will be disqualified.
- Tape, tacks, or other harmful items <u>may not</u> be used to secure items to tables or walls.
- Displays must be free-standing AND placed on top of the table provided;
 nothing shall be placed on the floor as part of your display.
- Tables will remain where they are set up and will not be moved.
- Live animals are strictly prohibited displays with live animals will be required to disassemble the display.
- If your display requires electricity, it MUST be indicated when registering for the event. Failure to do this will result in no electrical outlet being provided.

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Displays should feature information highlighting the Nebraska agriculture industry.

Information should be displayed in a creative, clean, and professional manner. Selling of any item(s) from your display is prohibited.

Chapters must sign up for a Hall of Chapters display space by March 1st. The link to register is at neaged.org on the state convention page. There are 34 spots available for Hall of Chapters displayed. Be sure to sign up early!

When registering, be certain to indicate if your display needs electricity.

The Nebraska FFA Association is not responsible for items lost or stolen during convention activities. Display materials should be chosen carefully.