

2008 *You and Your Dog* and *Showmanship* Questions Sources

With there being a lot of subject matter in the new *Dog Resource Handbook*, the State 4-H Dog Committee decided to select chapters from which questions for *You and Your Dog* and *Showmanship* judging will come from. Dog Committee members are writing questions from these chapters so youth will know what to expect when being interviewed.

You and Your Dog questions will come from the following chapters in the *Dog Resource Handbook*: Chapter 2 – Breeds; Chapter 4 – Grooming; Chapter 6 – Communication and Behavior; and Chapter 16 – Health.

Showmanship questions will come from the following chapters in the *Dog Resource Handbook*: Chapter 2 – Breeds; Chapter 4 – Grooming; Chapter 6 – Communication and Behavior; Chapter 11 – Showmanship; and Chapter 16 – Health.

50 questions for youth ages 9-11, 50 questions for youth ages 12-14, and 50 questions for youth ages 15-18 for *You and Your Dog* and for *Showmanship* will be posted at <http://southcenters.osu.edu/4h/dog> by June 1. The State 4-H Dog Committee recommends that county dog show committees and judges select from these sets of questions when interviewing youth for *You and Your Dog* and *Showmanship* classes.

Questions for the *You and Your Dog* and *Showmanship* interviews at the Ohio State Fair will come from the questions posted on the web site. For all classes except Showmanship, Senior B, the questions will be asked verbatim. For Senior B, the questions may be reworded, but the answers to the questions will remain the same.