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2017 MURRAY COUNTY 4-H FAIR WINNERS

The 2017 Murray County Fair concluded Saturday with many high quality 4-H exhibits and many champion and reserve champion ribbon placings. The winners are as follows:

4-H ANIMAL EXHIBITS

Project	Champion (Name/4-H Club)	Reserve Champion (Name/4-H Club)
Overall Market Beef	Megan Surprenant, Currie Poco-a-Poco	Hayden Ankrum, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Beef-Breeding Heifer	Taylor Ford, Cameron	Camdyn Kluis, Fenton Friends
Beef-Steer	Hayden Ankrum, Currie Poco-a-Poco	Macy Posthuma, Cameron
Beef-Market Heifer	Megan Surprenant, Currie Poco-a-Poco	Nicholas Ankrum, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Beef – Prospect Calf	Derek Kluis, Fenton Friends	Dylan Kluis, Fenton Friends
Beef-Cow/Calf Pair	Michelle Zenk, Cameron	Lawton Verlinde, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Beef-Dairy Steer	Thad Gunnink, Cameron	Thad Gunnink, Cameron
Beef-Small Calf	Sophia Nelson, Cameron	Grace Nelson, Cameron
Beef-Senior Showman	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	Hayden Ankrum, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Beef-Intermediate Showman	Camdyn Kluis, Fenton Friends	Lauren Verlinde, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Beef-Junior Showman	Brady Ford, Cameron	Jeret Ankrum, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Beef Steer-Rate of Gain	Thad Gunnink, Cameron	--
Beef Heifer-Rate of Gain	Thad Gunnink, Cameron	--
Dairy-Small Calf	Ryker Davis, Lakers	Logan Mihin, Cameron
Dairy-Overall	Amber Post, Chandler Hilltoppers	Greg Rhodes, Cameron
Dairy- Junior	Mia Wichmann, Lakers	Lucas Kidman, Lakers
Dairy-Senior	Amber Post, Chandler Hilltoppers	Greg Rhodes, Cameron
Dairy-Senior Showman	Amber Post, Chandler Hilltoppers	Regan Davis, Lakers
Dairy-Intermediate Showman	Jaysa Davis, Lakers	Mary McNab, Slayton Shooting Stars
Dairy-Junior Showman	Kaitlyn Schaap, Chandler Hilltoppers	Logan Mihin, Cameron

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Dog Show (Regional Show at Worthington)		
---Agility-Intermediate	Madelyn Vandendriessche, Currie Poco-a-Poco	--
---Obedience-Foundation Class	Caleb Ethridge, Bondin Belfast	Mary McNab, Slayton Shooting Stars
---Obedience-Novice	Rebecca Surprenant, Currie Poco-a-Poco	--
---Obedience-Graduate Novice	--	Madelyn Vandendriessche, Currie Poco-a-Poco
---Rally-Pre-Novice	Mary McNab, Slayton Shooting Stars	Caleb Ethridge, Bondin Belfast
---Rally-Pre-Advance	Brooke Christian, Currie Poco-a-Poco	--
---Rally-Advanced	--	Madelyn Vandendriessche, Currie Poco-a-Poco
---Showmanship Novice Junior-Grades 3-8	Mary McNab, Slayton Shooting Stars	--
---Showmanship Open Junior-Grades 3-8	Madelyn Vandendriessche, Currie Poco-a-Poco	--
---Showmanship Open Senior-Grades 9+	Brooke Christian, Currie Poco-a-Poco	--
Goat – Dairy	Thad Gunnink, Cameron	Cameron Boerboom, Cameron
Goat – Market	Matthew Mouw, Fenton Friends	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars
Goat – Meat Breeding Doe	McKenna Schreier, Currie Poco-a-Poco	Matthew Mouw, Fenton Friends
Goat- Market Goat Rate of Gain	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	--
Goat-Senior Showmanship	Thad Gunnink, Cameron	Matthew Mouw, Fenton Friends
Goat-Intermediate Showmanship	Alyssa Boerboom, Cameron	Jaysa Davis, Lakers
Goat-Junior Showmanship	Ryker Davis, Lakers	Frederick Plaetz, Badger Lake
Horse-High Point Senior-Performance	Cheyenne Hulstein, Chandler Hilltopppers	Macy Posthuma, Cameron
Horse-High Point Junior-Performance	Mary McNab, Slayton Shooting Stars	Madelyn Vandendriessche, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Horse-High Point Novice-Performance	Danika Jackels, Cameron	Danica Prins, Chandler Hilltoppers
Horse-High Point Senior-Games	Madelyn Wendland, Cameron	Kamryn Chapman, Bondin Belfast
Horse-High Point Junior-Games	Jazilyn Buys, Chandler Hilltoppers	Hailey Peschges, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Lama-Obstacle Course/Public Relations	Ashley Overgaauw, Cameron	Amanda Overgaauw, Cameron
Lama-Costume-Junior	Amanda Overgaauw, Cameron	Ashley Overgaauw, Cameron
Lama-Showmanship-Senior	Amanda Overgaauw, Cameron	Madison Timmerman, Cameron
Poultry – Overall	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	Shantel Krueger, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Poultry – Senior Showmanship	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	Shantel Krueger, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Poultry – Junior Showmanship	Jackson Kramer, Bondin Belfast	--

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Premier Showmanship	Matthew Mouw, Fenton Friends	Macy Posthuma, Cameron
Rabbits-Doe	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars
Rabbits-Buck	Mariah Hoekman, Chandler Hilltoppers	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars
Rabbits-Market	Hannah Wichmann, Lakers	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars
Rabbits-Senior Showman	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	Hannah Wichmann, Lakers
Rabbits-Junior Showman	Mia Wichmann, Lakers	Frederick Plaetz, Badger Lake
Sheep-Breeding Ewe	Vanessa Herrig, Slayton Shooting Stars	Vanessa Herrig, Slayton Shooting Stars
Sheep-Market Lamb	Olivia Wehking, Bondin Belfast	Olivia Wehking, Bondin Belfast
Sheep-Adopt-a-Lamb	Danika Jackels, Cameron	Emma Risacher, Cameron
Sheep-Lottery Lamb	Olivia Wehking, Bondin Belfast	Danielle Hoekman, Chandler Hilltoppers
Sheep-Pen of Three	Kailey Wixon, Lakers	Macy Posthuma, Cameron
Sheep-Lamb Lead-Senior	Vanessa Herrig, Slayton Shooting Stars	Hannah Herrig, Slayton Shooting Stars
Sheep-Lamb Lead-Junior	Emma Risacher, Cameron	Jayda Hellewell, Lakers
Sheep-Senior Showman	Vanessa Herrig, Slayton Shooting Stars	Macy Posthuma, Cameron
Sheep-Intermediate Showman	Danika Jackels, Cameron	Bridgette Herrig, Slayton Shooting Stars
Sheep-Junior Showman	Olivia Wehking, Bondin Belfast	Brody Wixon, Lakers
Sheep-Rate of Gain	Ashley Hellewell, Lakers	--
Swine-Barrow	Cameron Prins, Chandler Hilltoppers	Emma Siedschlag, Prairie Hustlers
Swine-Breeding Gilt	Emma Siedschlag, Prairie Hustlers	Emma Siedschlag, Prairie Hustlers
Swine-Market Gilt	Danica Prins, Chandler Hilltoppers	Samantha Larson, Prairie Hustlers
Swine-Supreme Champion	Emma Siedschlag, Prairie Hustlers	Cameron Prins, Chandler Hilltoppers
Swine-Senior Showman	Samantha Larson, Prairie Hustlers	Paul Mesner, Fenton Friends
Swine-Intermediate Showman	Emma Siedschlag, Prairie Hustlers	Megan Surprenant, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Swine-Junior Showman	Danica Prins, Chandler Hilltoppers	Taylor Larson, Prairie Hustlers

4-H GENERAL EXHIBITS

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Aerospace	Megan Busman, Fenton Friends	--
Cat Display	Courtney Gengler, Slayton Shooting Stars	Grace Nelson, Cameron
Child Development	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	Ryanna Schreier, Currie POCO-a-POCO
Citizenship	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	--
Clothing – Purchased	9 th Grade & older: Vanessa Dahlgren, Prairie Hustlers 6-8 Grade: Mary McNab, Slayton Shooting Stars 3-5 Grade: Sophia Nelson, Cameron	9 th Grade & older: Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars 6-8 Grade: Camdyn Kluis, Fenton Friends 3-5 Grade: Courtney Gengler, Slayton Shooting Stars
Clothing – Constructed	9 th Grade & older: Michelle Zenk, Cameron 6-8 Grade: Isaiah Kathman, Cameron 3-5 Grade: Abby Overman, Slayton Shooting Stars	9 th Grade & older: Emily Kathman, Cameron 6-8 Grade: Dylan Doeden, Slayton Shooting Stars 3-5 Grade: Courtney Gengler, Slayton Shooting Stars
Clothing-Clothes You Recycle	9 th Grade & older: EmilyKathman, Cameron 6-8 Grade: Amanda Overgaauw, Cameron 3-5 Grade: Grace Nelson, Cameron	9 th Grade & older: Michelle Zenk, Cameron 6-8 Grade: Ashley Overgaauw, Cameron
Clothing – Constructed (Non-Wearable)	9 th Grade & older: Amber Post, Chandler Hilltoppers 6-8 Grade: Dylan Doeden, Slayton Shooting Stars 3-5 Grade: Abby Overman, Slayton Shooting Stars	
Consumer Ed	Emma Risacher, Cameron	--
Corn	Colton Carter, Currie POCO-a-POCO	Dylan Kramer, Bondin Belfast
Crafts Fine Arts	6 th Grade & older: Megan Busman, Fenton Friends 6 th Grade & older: Amanda Overgaauw, Cameron 3-5 Grade: Sophia Gaul, Lakers	6 th Grade & older: Ashley Overgaauw, Cameron 6 th Grade and older: Megan Busman, Fenton Friends 3-5 Grade: Brian Erbes, Lakers
Dog Exhibit	Abby Hamman, Prairie Hustlers	Sophia Nelson, Cameron
Electric	Amanda Overgaauw, Cameron	--
Engineering Design	Colton Carter, Currie POCO-a-POCO	--
Exploring Animals	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	Zachary Kirchner, Bondin Belfast
Exploring the Environment	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	--
Fashion Revue Court of Honor- Constructed	9 th Grade & older: Michelle Zenk, Cameron 3-5 Grade: Jayda Hellewell, Lakers	--
Fashion Revue Court of Honor- Purchased	9 th Grade & older: Vanessa Dahlgren, Prairie Hustlers 6-8 Grade: Mary McNab, Slayton Shooting Stars 3-5 Grade: Sophia Nelson, Cameron	--
Fashion Revue Court of Honor – Clothes You Recycle	9 th Grade & older: Emily Kathman, Cameron 6-8 Grade: Ashley Overgaauw, Cameron 3-5 Grade: Grace Nelson, Cameron	--
Fishing Sports	Cody Post, Chandler Hilltoppers	--

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Flower Gardening	Emma Siedschlag, Prairie Hustlers	Emily Kathman, Cameron
Food & Nutrition	Ashley Overgaauw, Cameron	Megan Surprenant, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Foods & Nutrition –Agnes Herrig Memorial Award	Ashley Overgaauw, Cameron	--
Food Preservation	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	Macy Posthuma, Cameron
Food Revue	Emma Siedschlag, Prairie Hustlers	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars
Health	Rachel Siedschlag, Prairie Hustlers	--
Home Environment	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	Lauren Verlinde, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Horse Exhibit	Sophia Gaul, Lakers	--
Indoor Gardening	Michelle Zenk, Cameron	Sophia Nelson, Cameron
Leadership	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	--
Needle Arts	Abby Overman, Slayton Shooting Stars	Erica Doeden, Slayton Shooting Stars
4-H Open Class	9 th Grade & older: Megan Busman, Fenton Friends 3-5 Grade: Lindsey Hause, Currie Poco-a-Poco	9 th Grade & older: Michelle Zenk, Cameron 3-5 Grade: Cadance, Miersma, Chandler Hilltoppers
Performing Arts	Maggie Heezen, Cameron	Rachel Siedschlag, Prairie Hustlers
Photography	Creative: Abby Hamman, Prairie Hustlers Applied: Abby Hamman, Prairie Hustlers	Creative: Ashley Hellewell, Lakers --
Plant & Soil Science	Alyssa Boerboom, Cameron	--
Presentations/Illustrated Talk Livestock Demo	Emily Kathman & Michelle Zenk, Cameron	Lauren Verlinde, Currie Poco-a-Poco
Quilting	Abby Overman, Slayton Shooting Stars	Danielle Hoekman, Chandler Hilltoppers
Robotics	Colton Carter, Currie Poco-a-Poco	Wyatt Kirchner, Bondin Belfast
Safety	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	
Science of Animals	Alex Hamilton, Currie Poco-a-Poco	Taylor Larson, Prairie Hustlers
Self-Determined	9 th Grade and older: Dalton DeYonge, Chandler Hilltoppers 6-8 th Grade: Kaitlyn Schuur, Chandler Hilltoppers 3 rd -5 th Grade: Jayda Hellewell, Lakers	9 th Grade and older: Samantha Larson, Prairie Hustlers 6-8 th Grade: Cody Post, Chandler Hilltoppers 3 rd -5 th Grade: Seth Post, Chandler Hilltoppers
Shooting Sports	Colby Miller, Slayton Shooting Stars	--
Shop	Dylan DeYonge, Chandler Hilltoppers	Ryan Risacher, Cameron
Small Grains	Colton Carter, Currie Poco-a-Poco	Dylan Kramer, Bondin Belfast
Vegetable Gardening	Dylan Doeden, Slayton Shooting Stars	Erica Doeden, Slayton Shooting Stars
Vet Science	Mary McNab, Slayton Shooting Stars	---

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Video	Emily & Isaiah Kathman, Michelle Zenk, Grace & Sophia Nelson, Cameron 4-H Club	--
Wildlife	Mckenna Samuelson, Slayton Shooting Stars	Aaron Overman, Slayton Shooting Stars