



## **ELKHART COUNTY 4-H DAIRY CLIPPING CONTEST**

*Monday, July 21, 2008*

*Senior Division – 12:00 noon    Junior Division – 2:00p.m.*

### **RULES**

1. Two (2) age groups: Junior (Levels 1 & 2; up to 15 years old); Senior (Level 3; 16-18 years old).
2. Contestants must clip in designated area.
3. Only one (1) other 4-H'er may help hold the animal being clipped.
4. No advice from any adult or 4-H'er will be allowed.
5. Contestant will have 1 ½ hours to complete clipping (heads may be done before contest.)
6. Animal being clipped must be shown on Tuesday.
7. Judging will begin immediately after time expires.
8. There will be no extra time given for faulty equipment.
9. Judges will take into consideration the amount of improvement made to the animal.
10. Contestants may use another 4-H'ers animal to clip in contest.
11. Ribbons and prize money will be presented to the top five (5) fitters in each age group in the final line-up of their showmanship class. All clipping contestants will be recognized at this time and during showmanship classes.
12. The winner of the Junior group automatically moves up to Senior group. The winner of the Senior group cannot compete anymore.