



# VIRGINIA 4-H STATE COMPETITIVE EVENTS OVERVIEW



Curriculum Committee/Sub Committee: Plants, Soils and Entomology

Chair: Joel Bunn

Year: 2005 - 2006

Event Name Contact Person	Eligibility Criteria: Requirements for Participation	Record Keeping System Required	Events Beyond The state Level and How to Qualify	Age Requirements	Point at Which Youth Are No Longer Eligible to Compete	Options for Participation Once Eligibility Has Expired	Awards / Recognition
<b>Virginia 4-H Horticulture Contest</b>  Joe Hunnings	1. Must be enrolled in a 4-H horticulture project during the year in which they compete.  2. Must not be previous state winner	Portfolio not required for this competition	National Junior Horticulture Contest – 4-H Division. The winning team at the state contest to be held at 4-H Congress will represent Virginia at the National Contest.	Ages 14 -19 at state contest	1. All state winning team members are ineligible to compete again in the state level contest.  2. Individuals who have completed in any division of this contest at the national level (e.g. 4-H, FFA, or open) are ineligible to compete in the 4-H division at the national level.	Compete in the open and honors (1 <sup>st</sup> place winners only) divisions through age 22.  Volunteer  Coach  Chaperone	Awards at District and State level. District level winners receive pins. State participants receive ribbon for participation and medal for winning team. State winners will represent Virginia at the National Junior Horticulture Contest – 4-H Division and receive financial assistance to attend.

<p><b>Presentation (Soil/Land Appreciation, Soil and Plant Science, Horticulture, Entomology) - Congress</b></p> <p>Kathleen Jamison</p>	<p>Contest conducted at State 4-H Congress for Seniors only. To compete at the State level, youth must have participated at county or district contest. Juniors may compete at county or district levels.</p>	<p>Presentation record book suggested.</p>	<p>None</p>	<p>At the state or higher level, each contestant must have passed his or her 14<sup>th</sup> birthday and not have passed their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday as of January 1 or the current year.</p>	<p>No longer meets age requirement</p>	<p>Judge Room chair Volunteer leader Workshop leader</p>	<p>Ribbons Medals</p>
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