

May 31, 2017

RE: 2017 Iowa State Livestock Judging Camp

First of all, I would like to thank you for your application to the 2017 Iowa State University Livestock Judging Camp. Due to a cooperation of numerous people, I have a great deal of confidence that the upcoming camp will not only be an enjoyable experience, but more importantly, provide an educational environment in the area of livestock judging unlike any other event in the past.

As we all know, the camp dates are quickly approaching. We will begin the activities on June 12 in the commons area of the Maple-Willow-Larch dorms on the Iowa State Campus near the Hilton Coliseum at 1:00-2:30. At that time you will receive camp materials and have an opportunity to get settled into the dorms. Around 2:45 we will begin making our way to the Hansen Livestock Pavilion to start the formal sessions. I would encourage all campers to wear casual, comfortable attire, but keep in mind we will be working with and handling livestock, so please wear proper shoes and clothing. Additionally campers will attend recreational activities in the evening (bowling, laser tag, blacklight dodgeball, etc.) and should plan accordingly. On the final day of the camp, campers will participate in a mock contest and should pack a nice change of clothes (collared shirt, jeans, and leather shoes) for reasons. We will conclude the camp Wednesday June, 14 with an awards session at approximately 3:00, which parents are invited to attend. Following the awards parents may take their students over to the dorms to collect their belongings.

If you haven't already done so, please complete and sign all forms associated with the camp (code of responsibilities, Medical forms, etc). These forms can be found in this email or at the camp registration website at: <http://www.ans.iastate.edu/livestock-judging>

Additionally a campus map highlighting the location of the dorms can be found at:
<http://www.fpm.iastate.edu/maps/default.asp?zoom=3&xcenter=2390&ycenter=2381&background=map&xshow=2390&yshow=2382>

The dorms are air conditioned and will be providing linens, pillows, and towels for overnight (you are welcome to bring your own pillows and blankets), so the only necessary items you will need to bring along with you are toiletry items and anything to make your stay more comfortable (alarm clock, cell phone, ect). If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact me at 515-294-5910.

Respectfully,

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