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Minnesota 4-H Dog Showmanship Judge's Optional Worksheet (4)

Class _____ Group Number: _____ Date: _____ Judge: _____

Breed	Armband Number	Ribbon Color and Placing	**1. proper breed presentation** ⇨ proper stack ⇨ tail placement ⇨ correct gaiting speed	**2. ring procedure** ⇨ control of dog ⇨ optional proper use of bait ⇨ proper use of lead ⇨ smooth hand switch w/lead ⇨ group gaiting ⇨ economy of motion ⇨ individual gaiting & pattern ⇨ optional courtesy turn ⇨ dog between judge & handler ⇨ return to end of line ⇨ speed & ease of stack ⇨ sufficient space between dogs ⇨ individual exam of dog ⇨ bite shown properly	**3. knowledge** ⇨ general ⇨ breed knowledge ⇨ dog parts	**4. grooming of dog** ⇨ cleanliness ⇨ coat ⇨ ears ⇨ eyes ⇨ toenails	**5. 4-H'er appearance & conduct** ⇨ suitable clothing and shoes ⇨ attention to judge ⇨ posture ⇨ smoothness ⇨ attentiveness ⇨ sportsmanship	**Other Comments**

(–) = does not meet standard (✓) = meets standard (+) = above standard