

OB 4-H Achievement Day Successful

By Mary-Emma Barnhill

Onslow-Belmont had a very successful Achievement Day on July 19th! Congratulations to all the members who participated by either submitting Lifeskills projects to be judged or

showing their Livestock animals. The top two people in each Livestock project got to move on to our Grand Champion class, where they got to show all of our Livestock projects.


The top five people in the Grand Champion class were, from fifth to first; Lane Yuill, Ciara Congdon, Taylor Masters, Sarah Kittilsen, and Michael Congdon. We also gave out a number of awards. Braeden Connolly received the Top Rookie award and Sean Loomer received the Top Cloverbud award. Jillian Hill-MacMillan received the Top Junior Member award, Mary-Emma Barnhill received the Top Intermediate Member award, and Carlie Barnhill received the Top Senior Member award. Lauren Sooksom received the Most Improved Member award and Michael Congdon received the Top All Around Member award. A big thank you to all of the leaders, parents and volunteers who helped make this day possible!

With Achievement Day over, Exhibition is fast approaching! This year, the 4-H days will be Tuesday, August 22nd, Wednesday, August 23rd and Sunday, August 27th. At Exhibition, members from all over Colchester County will


submit their Lifeskills project items and show their Livestock animals.

The Champion and Reserve Champion in each project will move on to the Provincial Show, which will be later in the year. There will also be Lifeskills competitions held on Sunday, August 27. Anyone who would like to participate should register with their general leader by August 1st, 2017. We encourage everyone to come out and see all of the hard work that our members have put in this year!

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Taylor Masters shows her drafthorse.



Douglas White and Lauren Sooksom with their chickens.



Taylor Dickson with her lighthouse.



Ian Kittilsen shows his beef calf.



Taylor Dickson and Marion Porter show the judges their rabbit's ears.



Carlie Barnhill prepares her calf before showing starts.



Ciara Congdon shows a beef calf in the Grand Champion class.

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Poultry members show their chickens to the judge. (L-R): Jillian Hill-MacMillan, Douglas White, Lauren Sooksom and Sarah Kittilsen.

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