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## MEMO

DATE: May 4, 2009

TO: Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources Teachers/FFA Advisors

FROM: Erin E. Noble, *State FFA Specialist*

C: Nancy J. Trivette, *State FFA Advisor; Program Leader, Agricultural Education*

RE: Summer Career Development Events at Delaware State Fair

The Delaware FFA Association is hosting three Career Development Events (Dairy Handlers, Horse Judging, and Poultry Judging) which are New Jersey's qualifying events for the National FFA Convention. Events will be held at the Delaware State Fair in Harrington, Delaware. Please see the list below for the dates and times of each event. This information is also available on the Agricultural Education/ FFA page of the Delaware State Fair website at [http://www.delawarestatefair.com/media/2009\\_FFA\\_Dept.pdf](http://www.delawarestatefair.com/media/2009_FFA_Dept.pdf).

Poultry Evaluation CDE  
Friday, July 24, 2009 - Noon

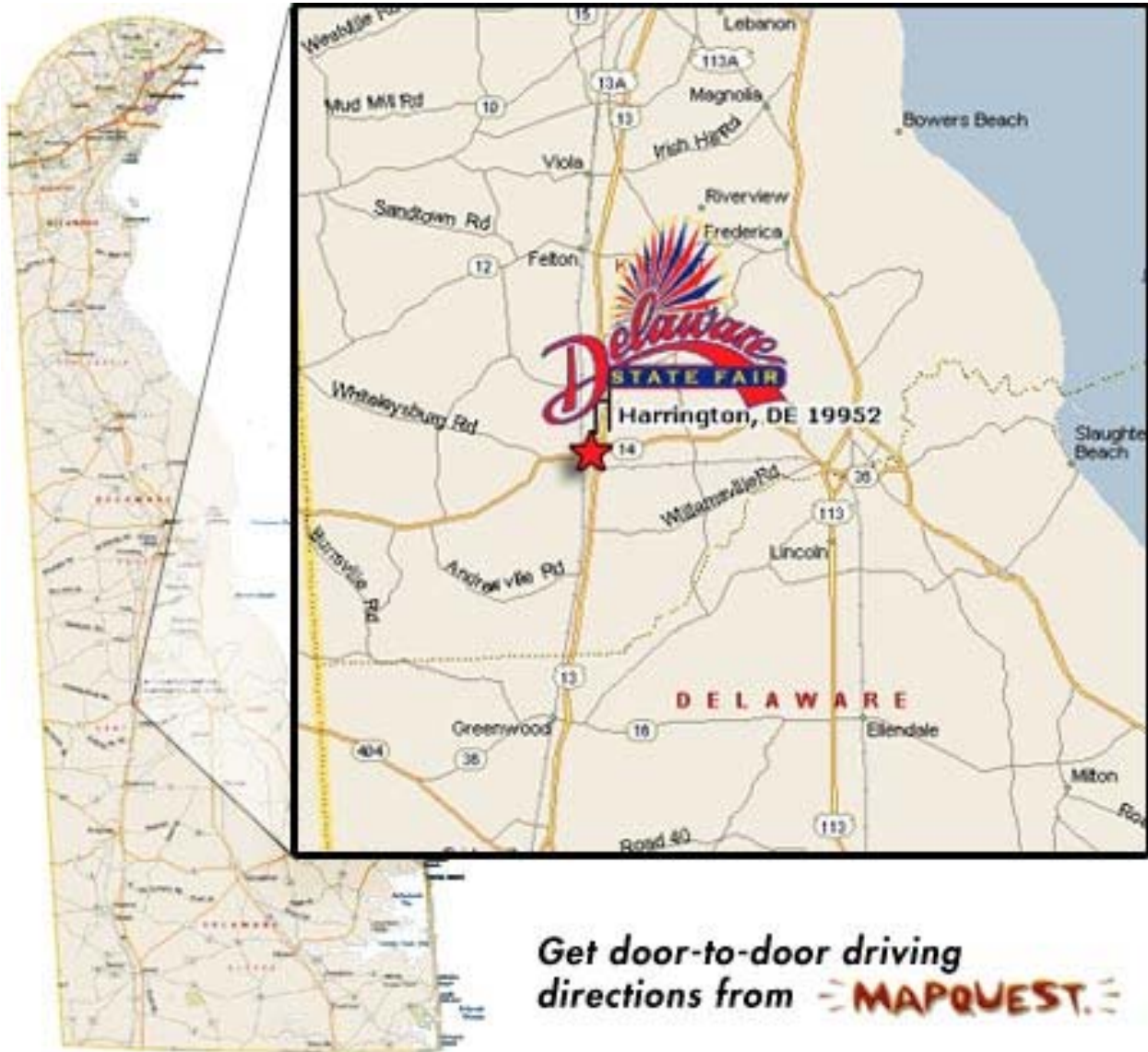
Dairy Handlers CDE  
Monday, July 27, 2009 - 9am

Horse Evaluation CDE  
Wednesday, July 29, 2009 - 9am

Please **pre-register** your teams with the New Jersey Office of Agricultural Education by **June 1, 2009**. We will register your team(s) with the Delaware FFA Association.

The Poultry and Horse Judging teams may consist of four dues-paid members. The scores of the top three individuals in these events will count as the team score. Each chapter is permitted to have one Dairy Handler. A \$9.00 registration fee per contestant or \$36.00 fee per contest team will be assessed for each chapter participating. Please use the online form to register for these events. Registrations must be emailed to [ag.ed.registration@ag.state.nj.us](mailto:ag.ed.registration@ag.state.nj.us). Payment should be forwarded prior to the registration deadline. Make checks payable to the Treasurer, State of New Jersey. Checks may be mailed to: Office of Agricultural Education, New Jersey Department of Agriculture, PO Box 330, Trenton, NJ 08625-0330.

**Delaware State Fair, Inc.**  
South Dupont Highway - P.O. Box 28  
Harrington, DE 19952-0028  
(302) 398-3269 - Fax (302) 398-5030



**From Wilmington/Philadelphia:**

Take I-95 South toward Baltimore. Merge onto DE-1 South via exit number 4A toward Christiana/Mall Road (Portions toll). Exit 97 to 13 SALISBURY/NORFOLK. Bear left onto US Route 13 South; follow South toward Harrington. After passing over DE-14, look for the fairgrounds on your right.