

# 4-H LAWN AND GARDEN OPERATOR'S CONTEST SCORECARD

Senior Division

2023  
4-H 84e-sr-lg

<b>Contestant Name</b> _____	<b>Contestant Number</b> _____
<b>County</b> _____	<b>Score</b> _____

**I. Written Exam: (Questions Missed or Omitted)** \_\_\_\_\_ x 20 Subtotal: \_\_\_\_\_

**II. Parts ID: (Parts Incorrectly Identified)** \_\_\_\_\_ x 20 Subtotal: \_\_\_\_\_

**III. Safety:** \_\_\_\_\_ Subtotal: \_\_\_\_\_

**A. Prestart Check:**

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|--|---------|----|-------|
| 1. Failure to check fuel level                           | _____ x | 25 | _____ |
| 2. Failure to check oil level                            | _____ x | 25 | _____ |
| 3. Failure to observe tire inflation                     | _____ x | 25 | _____ |
| 4. Failure to observe loose or missing parts (each part) | _____ x | 25 | _____ |

**B. Starting Safely:**

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|---|---------|----|-------|
| 1. Failure to check neutral position              | _____ x | 25 | _____ |
| 2. Failure to check mower blade for disengagement | _____ x | 25 | _____ |

**C. Driving Safety:**

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|---|---------|-----|-------|
| 1. Failure to ride on seat in a safe manner | _____ x | 100 | _____ |
| 2. Skidding or spinning wheels              | _____ x | 50  | _____ |

**D. Mounting and Dismounting Safety:**

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|--|---------|-----|-------|
| 1. Failure to mount and dismount safely per manufacturer design      | _____ x | 100 | _____ |
| 2. Failure to set brakes before dismounting                          | _____ x | 50  | _____ |
| 3. Failure to bring tractor to complete stop before dismounting      | _____ x | 100 | _____ |
| 4. Failure to check mower blade for disengagement before dismounting | _____ x | 50  | _____ |

**E. Other Safety:**

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|---|---------|-----|-------|
| 1. Loose fitting or improper clothing             | _____ x | 25  | _____ |
| 2. Extra riders                                   | _____ x | 100 | _____ |
| 3. Failure to fasten seatbelt (if R.O.P.S. is up) | _____ x | 100 | _____ |
| 4. Failure to adjust seatbelt (if R.O.P.S. is up) | _____ x | 50  | _____ |
| 5. Other unsafe practices (_____)                 | _____ x | 100 | _____ |

**IV. Obstacle Course:** \_\_\_\_\_ Subtotal: \_\_\_\_\_

**A. General:**

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|---|---------|------|-------|
| 1. Change of direction                      | _____ x | 10   | _____ |
| 2. Failure to follow directions (_____)     | _____ x | 25   | _____ |
| 3. Hitting or driving over Obstacle Stick   | _____ x | 50   | _____ |
| 4. Failure to complete course as prescribed | _____ x | 1000 | _____ |

**B. Boundary and Stake Infractions:**

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|---|---------|----|-------|
| 1. Brushing stakes or boundary lines            | _____ x | 20 | _____ |
| 2. Driving over a boundary line or stake        | _____ x | 50 | _____ |
| 3. Touching the measurement stake in Obstacle 4 | _____ x | 50 | _____ |
| 4. Hitting or touching "STOP" stake             | _____ x | 50 | _____ |

**C. Semi-circle (Obstacle 2):**

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|---|---------|----|-------|
| 1. Failure to stay within 2 inches per 2-foot section | _____ x | 10 | _____ |
| 2. Failure to be within 2 inches at any section       | _____ x | 25 | _____ |

**D. Measurement (Obstacle 4):**

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|--|---------|---|-------|
| 1. Inches mower deck is off center                             | _____ x | 2 | _____ |
| 2. Inches mower is over 2 inches from the rear of the obstacle | _____ x | 2 | _____ |
| 3. Inches mower is over 2 inches from the stop-stake           | _____ x | 2 | _____ |

**V. Time:**

1. Minutes
2. Seconds

	x	60		Subtotal:	
	x	1		Subtotal:	

**VI. Exceeding eight (8) minutes:**

400 Subtotal: \_\_\_\_\_

**Directions:**

Indicate each driving infraction (penalty) by placing the letter (B, O, C, S, F, 2) that corresponds to that particular penalty at the point on the course where the infraction occurred.

- B = Brushing stake or boundary
  - O = Over boundary
  - C = Change of Direction
  - S = Skidding or spinning wheels
  - F = Failure to follow directions or complete course.
  - 2 = Outside two-inch margin when moving around Obstacle 2.
- Note: Maximum of one penalty per two-foot section.

