



**BC Agricultural Expo**  
September 24-27, 2026  
North Thompson Agriplex  
Barriere, BC



## 2026 'Boundary DASH' RULES & REGULATIONS

1. Members in projects other than Sheep or Beef are eligible.
2. Neither the BC Ag Expo, nor the North Thompson Fall Fair Grounds in Barriere is responsible for any accidents connected with this contest.
3. The Event will be held on the Friday or Saturday evening during the Fair.
4. Club members who have won in a previous 4-H Event (Fred Nichol, Twemlow Event) are not eligible.
5. Qualifications for contestants are:
  - a. Be a member of a 4-H Club competing at the current year' BC Ag Expo Fair
  - b. Must be a senior member (**15-18 YEARS OLD**) and have Junior Proficiency Certificate. Must be of a regularly organized 4-H Club attending BC Ag Expo the following year.
  - c. Must be able to feed and care for a beef/sheep/horse/goat/dog animal and have the necessary facilities and feed for proper care, feeding and training of animals if the money is used towards an animal project.
  - d. Must comply with all terms as stated on the "Entry Form".
  - e. Must have completed **one full year** in club work previous to this current year.
6. The money **MUST** be put towards your project and must be exhibited at the Fair the following year using a display format. Failure to comply with any of the prescribed regulations will result in forfeiture of the sponsorship funds. The 4-H member will need to refund the full sponsorship amount to the Event Committee within 30 days.
  - a. Create an educational display to be entered and judged in a separate class at BC Ag Expo (educational display board size). Criteria for display similar to Educational Display but messages to be directed towards;
    - b. What was \$ spent on and how the expenditure will help further 4-H learning?
    - c. What kinds of new learning opportunities have been undertaken with the \$.).
    - d. Event winners will purchase calf insurance (if choosing to put winnings towards a beef project) through their 4-H club and/or 4-H District.

- e. 4-H Members must provide the Event Committee with a Bill of Sale (animals) or receipt (photography, goat, dog, clothing, rabbit, horse tack) once they have used the sponsorship funds to purchase an item/animal.
7. Entry Deadline is **June 30<sup>th</sup>**.
8. The BC Ag Expo Committee reserves the right, without prior notification, to set up separate heats for boys and girls and to make any other changes in regulations that, from time to time, are deemed necessary by the Fair.
9. **A \$ 20.00 NON-REFUNDABLE entry fee must accompany each entry; this fee, however can be put towards future entries should member not win during the event. Cheques are to be made out to BC Ag Expo.**
10. Successful contestants **MUST** write their sponsors (some have more than one sponsor) a “thank you” letter which should be done as soon as possible after the Fair.
11. **If the member is not able to attend the next year’s fair, the money must be returned to the fund for use the following year.**
12. Entrants who have entered but do not participate in the Event will not have their entry fee refunded as per above. Exceptions in the case of medical reasons will be addressed and notification must be made prior to the opening of BC Ag Expo.

**Please read all Instructions  
They will be strictly enforced.**

## “The Boundary Dash” Details

2024 is the ninth year for this event. The committee reserves the right to make any changes or modifications.

### Event Order:

1. Put on pair rubber boots, hockey jersey and straw hat for the entire relay
2. Shovel sawdust into a bucket then dump out the bucket
3. Wire a stay on the fence in 3 places using wire and fencing pliers
4. Sew a button onto a piece of fabric using an X pattern twice
5. Assemble pictures into picture frames and display correctly
6. Rope a cow head (in a bale of hay)
7. Nail 2 nails into a board
8. Use a car wash sponge to replicate milking (soak a sponge in a bucket of water, run to a marked jug and squeeze out the sponge, repeat the process until the water level is up to a marked line on 2 L jug)
9. Push a wheelbarrow with a bale of straw/hay across the finish line.