***Bill Riley Talent Show Presented by Hy-Vee***

***Judges Sheet –Sprout & Senior Division***

**Name of performer:**

**Judging Categories Circle One in Each Category**

SKILL & TECHNICAL ABILITY 1 2 3 4 5

Skill level required to complete the act

**Singers**: Pitch accuracy, melismas clean and crisp, overall difficulty of the piece

**Instrumentalists:** Musical interpretation, pitch accuracy, melismas and fingering clean

**Dancers:** Difficulty of specific dance steps and acrobatic tricks, fluidity of movement, if multiple dancers - are they in sync when they should be?

**Other:** What skill level is needed to complete this act?

**For all acts:** Is it technically age-appropriate and challenging?

STAGE PRESENCE/AUDIENCE APPEAL 1 2 3 4 5

Is the performer having fun/showing appropriate emotion?

Does the performer show confidence on stage?

Is the performer dressed/costumed appropriately and neatly?

Is the song/performance appropriate for performance at State Fair?

(NOTE: applause is NOT an accurate measurement of audience appeal.)

OVERALL PERFORMANCE 1 2 3 4 5

Is the routine/song something seen year after year or, or is this something new and unique?

Did you enjoy the performance?

Did the act stand out against its peers?

Overall score as a whole

TOTAL SCORE: FINAL PLACING:

Name of performer:

COMMENTS/STRENGTHS/COULD IMPROVE: