

4-H Focus Newsletter

Hancock County 4-H

June 2023



Hello 4-H Families!

Welcome to the month of June! Here is to the beginning of creating and making summer memories 4-H style- Growing Leaders, Building Lifelong Skills, Fueling Adventures, and Inspiring Curiosity!

In this edition of the newsletter, we ask that you please take a moment to really read as we have many important items to share with you and your family!

As always,
Our office wishes you the best! 😊

Congratulations Graduating 4-H Seniors!

Your 4-H community would like to wish each of you the best of luck in your new future endeavors!



Madison Biltoft
Noah Bormuth
Brooklynn
Downing
Binicio Flores
Makayla Gillfillan
Peter Harrington
Jaycie Kinn
Payton Logan
McKenna Mathias
Jacob Miles

McKenna Morey
Kristin Nickerson
Erica Patterson
Remington Price
Levi Rash
Tommy Rickle
Catheryn Roy
Madison Russell
Maria Saltzman
Madison Schroeder
Faith Smith

Ryleigh Smith
Nolan Weber
Carter Welty
Elizabeth Williams

Weigh-Ins Times and Fair Reminders:

ALL will be taking place on **Thursday, June 8**

- Dairy Feeders 6-9 Buckeye Building Scales
- Goats 6-8 Swine Barn Scales
- Sheep 6-8 Legacy Barn Scales

Rabbit Reminder:

All rabbit projects must have at least 1 rabbit registered and in their possession by June 1. If you have not yet done so, send a picture of that rabbit with the exhibitor's name and the breed of rabbit to Bev Welty at bcwelty@msn.com ASAP. If the rabbit is tattooed, also include the tattoo number. If the rabbit is not tattooed, there will be a tattooing time available August 7 from 6-8pm at the fairgrounds.

If you are taking a meat pen of three, these will not be born yet. Therefore, you will need another rabbit (project rabbit) in your possession on June 1.

There will also be a clinic the evening of August 7 after tattooing.

2023 JUNE						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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Let's Go Retro at 4-H Camp!

Mark those calendars as Cloverbud Day Camp and 4-H camp is right around the corner, and we are going Retro!



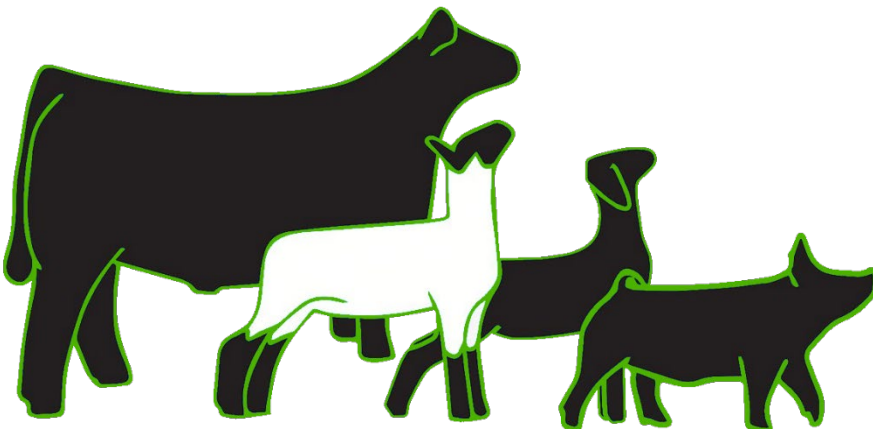
Cloverbud Day Camp: Thursday, June 8 held in the Youth Building at the Fairgrounds. Families who have Cloverbuds attending, be sure to check your emails for updates on the new drop off and pickup procedures, along with the items your campers will need to bring.

4-H Camp: June 25-29 there is still room available for those who have interest in attending camp. The cost is \$250.00. We only have 6 more seats that are open for those campers who want to ride the bus- cost is \$25.00.



Livestock Judging Contest at the University of Findlay

This year's contest will be held Tuesday, June 13. Registration begins at 9am and the contest begins at 9:30am



2023 Club Audits

Our financial committee from Advisory Council has completed all of club audits and everything looks great- Thank you for your cooperation.

Looking into the future this is going to be something that will be completed on a yearly basic.



Project Judging (Non-Livestock)

Dates have been set for July 6 and 12.

Please watch your mailboxes for the Judging Booklet and schedule.



Livestock Evaluations and Interviews- NEW FOR 2023

The date has been set for Monday, August 7 from 9-4pm being held at the fairgrounds in the Legacy Building. We will be trying something new- please read carefully!

It will be a MANDATORY requirement for livestock exhibitors to complete the project book for their specie and an interview with a judge. As for the skillathon stations those will be OPTIONAL for our members. As time gets closer, we will be sending out a link that will allow our members to sign up for a timeslot that will work best for their schedule. Timeslot will be in increment of 15 minutes.

We will no longer be doing the 110% awards but replacing those with awards to those members who complete the skillathon stations.

Important Dates:

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| June 1 - Last day for Add/Drop projects, Livestock project required ownership, Leased livestock, Dog, and Horse project paperwork due | June 13 - Livestock Judging Contest, Registration begins at 9am, contest begins at 9:30am |
| June 2 - 4-H Camp registration due | June 14 - Horse Council, 7pm |
| June 3 - FINAL Quality Assurance beginning at 9am, Hancock County Fairgrounds | June 16 - Camp Counselor Meeting, 10am-3pm |
| June 5 - Sewing Clinic: Finishing Touches, 6-8pm | June 18-23 - Citizenship Washington Focus |
| June 8 - Cloverbud Day Camp, Hancock County Fairgrounds, 9am-2pm | June 19 - OSU Extension Office is closed |
| June 8 - Dairy Feeder weigh-in 6-9, Buckeye Building Scales | June 20 - Ohio State Fair Junior Livestock entries due |
| June 8 - Goats 6-8 Swine Barn Scales | June 21 - Camp Counselor Meeting, 10am-2pm |
| June 8 - Sheep 6-8 Legacy Barn Scales | June 22 - Sewing Clinic: Last Change for Help before Judging, 6-8pm |
| June 10 - Hancock County PAS Horse Show | June 23 - Camp Counselor Meeting 1-3pm |
| | June 23-25 - Jr Shooting Sports Camp |
| | June 25-29 - Hancock County 4-H Camp |



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Our office is always available to help answer any questions that you may have. Please feel free to contact our office at (419) 422-3851. Our scheduled office hours are Monday-Friday 8:30am-4:30pm.