

FAYETTE COUNTY 4-H CALENDAR/EVENTS

Following is a yearly overview. Up to date specifics are available in the bi-monthly newsletters of sent directly to leaders, members or those involved. For questions anytime, just call the Extension Office.

January

- Junior Leader Meeting
- 4-H Council Meeting
- 4-H Support Group Meeting
- Beef/Dairy Steers Identification (for beef & dairy steers & non-registered heifers, all state fair animals must be retinal scanned)
- Traditional 4-H clubs begin meeting
- Traditional 4-H Enrollment Begins (Traditional 4-H enrollment forms available)
- Traditional 4-H Recruitment Begins (school visits, announcements. . .)
- State 4-H Scholarships Due

February

- Junior Leader Meeting
- Traditional 4-H Recruitment Continues (news articles, radio spots, signs. . .)
- Traditional 4-H Leaders should be collecting Traditional 4-H enrollment forms & dues

March

- 1 - Traditional 4-H enrollment forms & dues are due to leaders
- 15 - Traditional 4-H enrollment forms & dues are due in Extension Office
- Junior Leader Meeting
- Mini & Adult Leader Meeting
- Mini 4-H Enrollment Begins (Mini 4-H enrollment forms available)
- Mini 4-H Recruitment Begins (school visits, announcements. . .)
- Officer's Training – (leaders provide their officers' names to Extension Office for invitations or invitations are given to leaders to give to their officers)
- Share The Fun Contest - talent show for clubs & individuals – (Terms & Conditions are available at the Extension Office & will be printed in the Extension newsletter)

April

- Junior Leader Meeting
- 4-H Council Meeting
- Mini 4-H Recruitment Continues (displays, news articles, radio spots etc. . .)
- Mini 4-H Leaders should be collecting Mini 4-H enrollment forms & dues
- Horse & Pony Measuring (ponies under 56" must be officially measured)
- 4-H Workshops
- Officers' Training - if not held in March
- Share The Fun Contest - if not held in March
- Area VII Ag Judging Contest
- Area VII Horse & Pony Judging Contest
- Area VII Share The Fun Contest

May

- 1 - ALL livestock/Animal I.D. & location forms papers are due (EXCEPTIONS – beef/dairy steers & non-registered beef, goat wethers & ALL sheep are due at their identification day)
- 1 - Mini 4-H enrollment/health forms and dues are due to leaders
- 15 - Mini 4-H enrollment/health forms and dues are due in Extension Office
- 4-H Drop/Add/Change letters are sent – CHECK EVERYTHING (MUST respond by June 1)
- Sheep & Goat Identification – (for goat wethers & all sheep, state fair animals must be retinal scanned)
- Junior Leader Meeting
- Geraniums arrive - Junior Leaders & other 4-H Clubs
- 4-H Workshops
- Area Share The Fun Contest - if not held in April

June

- 1 - Last day to drop or add projects
- 1 – State Fair entries due for: Beef, Dairy, Cattle, Swine, Sheep
- 12 – Mini/Traditional 4-H Clubs – Expo Hall Hostess schedule requests due (will be put in July/August newsletter)
- 15 – Mini 4-H animal liability release forms due
- Mini 4-H project kits available
- Junior Leader Meeting
- Mini & Adult Leader Meeting
- 4-H Support Group Meeting
- Mini 4-H Day Camp
- 4-H Workshops
- Area VII Traditional 4-H Camp
- Area VII Teen Leadership Camp
- State Workshops at Purdue
- 4-H Round-Up at Purdue
- State Junior Leader Conference

July

- 1 - State Fair entries due for: Cat, Dog, Goats, Horse & Pony, Poultry, Rabbit, Waterfowl
- 1 – Adult/Mini/Junior Leaders fair work requests due—(for pre-fair judging/mini critique/fair food stand)
- Junior Leader Meeting
- 4-H Council Meeting
- 4-H Workshops
- Livestock/Animals Fair 4-H Show Entries Due – (always due the Wednesday before 4-H Judging Week starts)
- Expo Hall Set Up - *everyone welcome to help*
- Fairgrounds - Barns Clean & Set Up
- 4-H Pre Fair Judging & Mini Critique - *leaders & junior leaders help*
- Fashion Shows, Grand Champion Awards, 4-H Graduation
- Fayette County Free Fair
- Expo Hall Hostess - *4-H clubs watch the building during fair*
- State Fair exhibits prepared & delivered to state fair
- 4-H project release & premium \$ pick-up
- Expo Hall Clean Up - *everyone help*
- Fairground Clean Up - *everyone help*

August

- Fayette County Free Fair - fair activities when not held in July
- Indiana State Fair
- State Fair Projects - *4-H members pick them up at Extension office when returned from state fair*
- 4-H Livestock/Animal Auction Checks – available the Thursday following the auction until noon on Friday (any left will be sent in the mail)
- 29 – Last day to turn in completed record sheets (green books) to receive premium money
- Junior Leader Meeting

September

- Junior Leader Meeting
- Mini/Adult Leader Meeting
- 4-H Council Meeting
- 4-H Council Committee Meetings – (small projects (revision/judges), activities (select banquet awards), financial (audit club treasurers' books))
- 15 - secretary & community service books DUE & ALL 4-H clubs treasurers (with financial report page)

October

- 4-H Awards & Recognition Banquet - *for all leaders, jr. leaders, animal directors & special award winners* - (sometimes held in September)
- 4-H Support Group Fall Fund Drive Begins
- Area VII Soils Judging Contest
- National 4-H Week

November

- 1 – Traditional 4-H Leaders: your club's GRADED 4-H (green) Member's Record books (or just grades) due (to be recorded on permanent records)
- Junior Leader Meeting
- 4-H Council/Extension Board Annual Meeting
- 4-H Council Meeting
- Area VII Crops, Entomology, Forestry Judging Contest

December

- Junior Leader Meeting
- Mini/Adult Leader Meeting
- 4-H Support Group Meeting

* Throughout the year, other organizations (Livestock/Animal Groups, Fayette County Free Fair Association. . .) meet and work on items that concern 4-H.