

2025 4-H Member Checklist—Put me on your refrigerator

March

- ☐ March 15: Spring into 4-H Event 10am-Noon, Expo Hall, YQCA Class Noon—1pm Centennial Room

April

- ☐ April 12: Camp Counselor training @ Mahoning Valley Camp. Applications due March 31st
- ☐ April 19: Swine ID Day– 9-11am at Fairgrounds. Swine Exhibitor meeting at 11am.

May

- ☐ May 2: 4-H Camp Application deadline (Watch email and social media for instructions in April)
- ☐ May 3: Feeder Calf ID Day—9-11am, Fairgrounds
- ☐ May 7: Quality Livestock Care @ Expo Hall. 6pm Register on 4Honline.
- ☐ May 8: Goat & Sheep ID Day– 4-7pm, Fairgrounds
- ☐ **May 15: Statewide deadline to identify livestock in v2.4honline.com (cattle, sheep, swine, goats, horse & pony)**
- ☐ **May 15: State Fair DNA samples due to Extension Office for Swine, Beef/Dairy Beef Cattle, Sheep, Meat Goats, Dairy Cattle.**
- ☐ May 28—30: 4-H Camp at Camp Higher Ground, West Harrison, IN (4-H camp grades 3-5, teen camp grades 6-8)

June

- ☐ **June 1: Add/drop deadline for 4-H projects**
- ☐ June 10: Quality Livestock Car @ Expo Hall. 6pm. Register on 4Honline.
- ☐ June 11: Mini 4-H Camp, 9-Noon, Location TBD, watch email for updates
- ☐ **June 16 through July 3: Fair Entry is open to register projects. Watch email for more information.**
- ☐ June 27: Dog Entry Form due to Extension Office or club leaders

- June 28: Ag Tractor and Lawn & Garden Tractor Operators Contest – 8 am Rush County Fairgrounds. (Joint contest with Rush, Union and Henry Counties.)

July

- **July 3:** Fair Entry Closes. Please have projects registered before this date.
- July 3: Cat Entry Form and Vaccination Forms due to Extension Office
- July 11: Livestock forms due to the Extension Office (forms available from 4-H Leader or Extension Office)
- July 12: 4-H Dog Show - 10:00am at Expo Hall
- July 13: 4-H Cat Show– Check in 11:30am, Show begins 1:00pm at Expo Hall
- July 17: Set up Expo Hall Show Arena, 5 pm. Livestock Barns (Except Rabbits& Poultry)
- July 21-23: Expo Hall project judging
- July 24: Project judging for Communication, Consumer Clothing, Sewing Wearable and Fashion Revue. 9-10AM exhibits due at Connersville High School Auditorium. Judging Begins 10:30am
- July 24: Public Fashion Revue and 4-H Graduation - 7:00pm Connersville High School Auditorium
- July 25: Rabbit & Poultry Barn Set-Up - 5:00pm
- TBD: State Fair Project Check in. 4-H member or representative will be responsible for checking in project to Extension Staff (Extension Staff will not collect projects this year). More details to follow closer to fair time.

Jul 26—Aug 1: Fayette County Free Fair

August

- Aug. 2: Fairgrounds clean up 8:00am
- Aug 2: Green Book turn in, exhibits released, premium money distributed (must turn in green book) 9 – 11am. Expo Hall