



FLOYD COUNTY 4-H FAIR GUIDE

JUNE 9-13, 2025

FLOYD COUNTY 4-H FAIRGROUNDS

2818 GREEN VALLEY RD, NEW ALBANY, IN 47150

May 15 is COUNTY DEADLINE for project enrollment, animal ID, animal enrollment & training to be registered in 4-H Online **AND** Fair Entry. YQCA participants & those taking training in another county must submit completion certificate to denglema@purdue.edu by May 15. Do not wait until the last minute as the system gets slow.....

Questions? Sam McCollum, Floyd County 4-H Educator, mcolluj@purdue.edu, 812-948-5470

- Floyd County follows Indiana State Fair Guidelines
- Project guidelines are found at Floyd County Extension Website: <https://extension.purdue.edu/county/floyd/>
- Floyd County 4-H Handbook is found: <https://extension.purdue.edu/county/floyd/> under the fair tab

Floyd County Extension Office will be closed Monday, May 26, 2025 for Memorial Day.

The Extension Office will close and move to the Floyd County Fairgrounds (812-949-8119) on June 5, 2025. Messages left at 812-948-5470 will be returned as time permits.

Fair Entry Help

Fair projects need entered into Fair Entry between May 1 - May 15. Need help registering projects? Come to the Floyd County Extension Office on May 15, 4:30-6:30 PM for assistance. ****It is the 4-H'ers responsibility (not Extension staff)** to register hall projects & animals in Fair Entry by the deadline. Livestock 4-H'ers need to bring Premise ID & all Animal ID info with you.

Fair Etiquette Class Learn tips on how to speak with a Fair Judge with etiquette coach, Sallie Plass. Class starts at 5 PM at the Floyd Extension Office on Tuesday, May 27, 2025. Free to all 4-H'ers. Register in 4-H Online under Events to attend.

Animal ID Day Saturday April 19, 10 AM to noon at Floyd County 4-H Fairgrounds. This includes poultry testing & ID, rabbit tattooing & ID and goat & sheep tags.

Barn and outdoor fair prep - May 10, 2025, 8 AM to noon. All 4-H'ers are encouraged to attend.

Newlin Hall and barn set up - May 22, 2025, 6 PM to dark. All 4-H'ers are encouraged to attend.

Barn set up - June 7, 8 AM to noon. All 4-H'ers are encouraged to attend.

Check in

- Saturday, June 7, 10 AM - 1 PM ALL indoor Exhibit Hall Projects. Fashion Revue to follow check in.
- Sunday, June 8, 12-6 PM, Small & Large Animal check in

Auction Friday, June 13 at 6:30 PM. Auction Dinner starts at 5:30PM.

Awards Ceremony

The Awards Ceremony will be held later in the summer. This event is open to all 4-H'ers and their families to honor 4-H youth members on a job well done this year! Some awards will be given based on green 4-H project folders that were turned in during fair.

Check Out

- Exhibit Hall Projects - Saturday, June 14, 10 AM-Noon. Must pick up unless other arrangements have been made with the Extension office or chosen for State Fair. State Fair projects may be taken home, improved and brought back if needed.
- Animals - Starting after the auction on Friday 6/13 and Saturday, 6/14 before 10 AM. All stalls must be clean before leaving the fairgrounds.



IMPORTANT!!

Do not wait until the last minute!

All projects and animal entries **MUST** be entered into <https://v2.4honline.com> **AND** also <https://faireentry.com/> between MAY 1-15 using Chrome. Projects not in Fair Entry will receive a participation ribbon only. 4-H'ers must be in APPROVED status in 4-H Online profile. Do not use cell phones to register. Be patient and do not wait until the last minute. Fair Entry help will be offered to register fair projects at the Floyd County Extension Office on May 15, from 5-7 PM. ******Please note: It is the 4-H'ers responsibility (not Extension staff) to register projects & animals in Fair Entry by the deadline. Here's how:**

Step 1.



Double check that that enrollment is in Approved status and all indoor & animal projects to be exhibited are selected as projects in [V2.4HOnline.com](https://v2.4honline.com) by midnight May 15. —If showing animals, register each animal in 4-H Online under the Animals tab by May 15.

Step 2.



Then register those projects in [FairEntry.com](https://faireentry.com) using your 4-H Online user name and password. One entry = one exhibit. The Fair Entry window is open May 1 until May 15. Be sure to include a detailed Entry Description that will help identify your project from other similar 4-H fair projects. —**If showing animals**, 1) Register each animal in Fair Entry by May 15. (Except Poultry and Dogs which are registered in 4-H Online only). 2) Also choose Showmanship in Fair Entry by March 15. New State rule requires animal care training to be taken and YQCA needs turned in to denglema@purdue.edu by May 15. Check the Trainings tab in 4-H'ers profile to verify if it was recorded for current year.

NOTE: Remember to click Submit. Once you click “Submit,” you will not be able to add another exhibitor or entries until the first submission is processed by staff during office working hours.

- 4-H'ers do not have to be in a club to show animals or enter projects in the Fair Showcase.
- 4-H'ers can exhibit projects above their class, but not below grade levels.

Project guidelines, forms and manuals are found <https://extension.purdue.edu/floyd>. Some individual project guidelines may require additional sourcing information. The Extension office has some manuals. Call for availability to purchase at 812-948-5470. Some manuals are free downloads.



INDIANA
STATE FAIR



To participate in the Indiana State Fair:

1. **ALL animals MUST be enrolled in 4-H Online BY MAY 15.**
2. **ALL animals MUST be registered in Fair Entry BY MAY 15.**
3. **Animal care training must be taken either in person or online. Remember, if taken online, certificate of completion must be submitted to denglema@purdue.edu BY MAY 15 to be recorded in 4-H Online profile.**
4. **Must be Tagged BY MAY 15.**

Grades K-2 Mini 4-H Fair Entry Instructions



Step 1 - in 4-H Online:

Exhibit Hall projects -Must have project(s) selected in 4-H Online that will be exhibited in the fair.

Livestock -Must choose Farm Animals as a project once in 4-H Online regardless of number of animals chosen in Fair Entry.



Step 2 - in Fair Entry

See chart below for entry. All Mini's must sign a liability release form for every animal. Mini's do not participate in the auction. Grades K-2 can participate in showmanship if they make arrangements with a 3-12 grade 4-H'er to borrow their animal under 300 lbs. They are not allowed to bring their own animals. Mini ribbons are awarded only in sportsmanship and indoor exhibits. Indoor hall exhibits can be entered in the county fair and are not eligible for State. K-2 Mini's are not required to take QLC or YQCA animal care training.

Add an Entry for:	For Department	For Division	For Class
For Indoor Projects	Mini Projects Grades K-2nd County Only	Mini 4-H (K-2)	Select Project Type
For Animals	Animals - Dog	Showmanship	Mini (K-2)
	Animals -Goat	Goat Showmanship	Mini (K-2)
	Animals -Horse & Pony	Horse Showmanship	Mini (K-2)
	Animals -Llama & Alpaca	Llama Obstacle	Mini (K-2)
	Animals -Poultry	Poultry Showmanship	Mini (K-2)
	Animals -Rabbit	Rabbit Showmanship or Costume or Race	Mini (K-2)
	Animals -Sheep	Sheep Showmanship	Mini (K-2)
	Animals - Swine	Swine Showmanship	Mini (K-2)



Grades 3-12 4-H Fair Entry Instructions



Step 1 - in 4-H Online (Before May 15)

Exhibit Hall & Animal Projects that will be brought to fair must be selected in 4-H Online before registering projects in Fair Entry.



Step 2 - in Fair Entry (Between May 1 & May 15)

Enter projects into Fair Entry that will be exhibited in county fair. See chart below for entry.

Add an Entry for:	For Department	For Division	For Class
For Exhibit Hall Projects:	State Garden	Choose Garden &/or Herbs	Choose type of Herb
	State Projects	Choose Exhibit Hall Projects	Choose age group
For Animals:	Beef	Choose a division	Choose a class
	Dog	Choose a division	Choose a class
	Horse & Pony	Choose a division	Choose a class
	Llama & Alpaca	Choose a division	Choose a class
	Poultry	Choose a division	Choose a class
	Rabbit	Choose a division	Choose a class
	Sheep	Choose a division	Choose a class
	Swine	Choose a division	Choose a class
	Master Showmanship	Choose a division	Choose a class

3-12th Grade

4-H



County Fair Info



T-Shirts - 4-H'ers need to register projects in [Fair Entry](#) by May 15 and provide their size to receive a free 4-H t-shirt. Adults and non-members may order shirts by calling the office at 812-948-5470. Prices are \$10 S-XL or \$15 for XXL & up. 4-H'ers not exhibiting in the fair may order a free shirt by calling the office. Pick up your t-shirt at project check in.



Poster Projects - Guidelines are found on website under each exhibit hall project at: <https://extension.purdue.edu/county/floyd/>. Animals are found at 4-H > Animal 4-H Projects > Animal Projects County & State Guidelines > All State Animal Project Links, Animal Education. **Poster Supplies will NOT be sold at fair project check in.** Purchase before June 5, 2025 at the office with exact cash or check payable to Purdue CES Ed Fund. This includes white board, cardboard backing, and sleeves. Each poster item is \$1.50. Kits are \$4.00. Trifolds are \$3.



Photography salon sleeves & mats Sleeves are \$1.50 each. Mat board backing, in multiple colors, are \$3.00 each. **These will not be sold at fair project check in.** Purchase before June 5, 2025 at the office with exact cash or check payable to Purdue CES Ed Fund.



Garden Projects - Due to our early Fair dates, Garden projects most likely will not be ready for harvest by check-in time. If you wish to enter a Garden project for the Indiana State Fair, let us know at check-in. Any vegetable will be accepted.



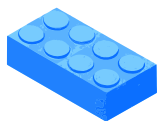
4-H Fashion Revue - Consumer Clothing exhibitors must participate in the fashion revue after check-in on June 7 to complete the project. Sewing project exhibitors are encouraged to participate during the Pageant June 9 starting at 7 PM. Register in Fair Entry under State Projects > Fashion Revue.



Completed Green Record books/folders are optional and turned in during fair no later than project check out. Achievement, Leadership & Community Service awards are given during the Awards Ceremony based on folders turned in. These also come in handy when applying for scholarships. Record & Achievement sheets are found on Floyd County website.



Exhibit Hall Projects - Be sure to check the project guidelines each year for updates and necessary paperwork to accompany project. If you cannot get your projects in, please email Sam McCollum, (mccolluj@purdue.edu) to schedule a drop off time.



Models VS. Construction & Architectural Replica

If 4-H'ers are unsure which category to choose, in Fair Entry the rules are --

Models are projects that are at least 25% painted, glued and doesn't snap together.

Construction & Architectural Replica includes Legos, K'Nex, & wooden kits that snaps together. If selected, it is the responsibility of the 4-H'er to transport fragile Lego projects or Lego projects over 7000 pieces to and from the Indiana State Fair.



Foods

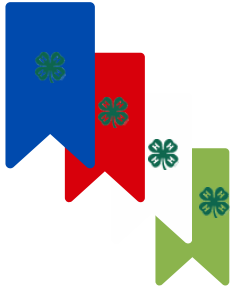
Please make sure all recipe cards are filled out accurately. 4-H'ers are allowed to take your baked food project home immediately after it has been judged and photographed. Guidelines are found [at the Floyd County website](#).

Resource: National Center for Home Food Preservation <https://nchfp.uga.edu/>



Score Cards

Want guidance knowing what the judge is looking for in your 4-H project? Scorecards can be found on the website under each project.



Ribbon Placing

Entries must meet division guidelines so that they will not be lowered a ribbon placing. Blue, Red, and White placing ribbons will be issued to all exhibits properly entered on time. Ribbon placing is determined by project completion based on the project guidelines in the Floyd County 4-H Fair. *Late entries will receive green participation ribbon.*

Green- Participation

White- Poorly constructed or barely meets guidelines

Red- Adequate or does not fully meet guidelines

Blue- Very complete, meets guidelines, well-constructed

The Indiana State Fair awards orange ribbons for exceptional projects, blue for merit and sweepstakes to best overall.

****New this year!** Ribbon winners in grades 3-12 will receive: Grand Champion \$5, Reserve Grand Champion \$4, Champion \$3, Reserve Champion \$2 and Blue \$1.



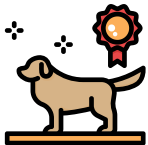
Demonstrations

4-H'ers should consider doing a demo on your project. Demonstrations allow the 4-H member to show step-by-step procedures or show how to do something related to any 4-H project. This takes the project a step further beyond speaking to the judge one on one. Demonstrations will be judged during project check in. Register in Fair Entry under State Projects > Demonstrations.



Open Judging

Open judging means 4-H members may speak to judges to explain skills they learned about with their projects. Only the 4-H'er who is the exhibitor of the project will discuss their project with the judge. Accompanying adults must remain in the waiting area. *Ribbon placing is left to the discretion of the judge.*



Dog Show

No pregnant/lactating females are to be shown at the fair.

To participate in the Dog Show, 4-H'ers will need to have "Dog" selected as a project in 4-H Online and then register the dog in Fair Entry by May 15. 4-H'ers cannot participate in Agility unless participating in Dog Obedience. Vaccination and vet records need to be turned into the Dog Club leader & the Floyd County Extension office. Grades K-2 will need a signed Mini Liability Release form. Dogs should be from the household that the 4-H'er resides.

THANK YOU TO OUR 4-H Corporation Board Members



Chris Redden- President
Scotty Hollis- Vice President
Olivia Ferriell-Treasurer
Liz Redden- Secretary
Tony Toran
Barry McKim
Matt Dennison
April Geltmaker
Olivia Ferriell
Louise Gohmann
Kendall Lanham

Project Supplies

While supplies last, these items may be purchased at the Floyd County Extension office before June 5, 2025. We accept exact cash or check only. These items will NOT be sold at fair project check in. Call for availability.

(Prices Subject to Change)

Trifold Poster Board \$ 3.00 (While supplies last)

Poster Board, Sleeve & Backing \$ 4.00

Poster Board Only \$ 1.50

Poster Sleeve Only \$ 1.50

Poster Cardboard Backing Only \$ 1.50

Salon Sleeves \$ 1.50

Salon Mat Board (white, black or color) \$ 3.00

Rocket Kits \$ 5.00

Electric Kits (order from EE in a Box)

Extension Trouble Lights \$30.00

Shake Light kit \$10.00

Entomology Exhibit Cards \$ 5.00

Pins & Vials \$ 6.00

Vials only \$ 3.00

Manuals/Resource Manuals \$ varies call for availability



NO SMOKING OF ANY KIND ALLOWED ON FAIRGROUNDS



Prospective Auction Buyer letter template is on Floyd County's website for youth to use. This is found under Floyd County Fair Information, Animal Forms tab.

Thank You Note to Auction Buyers - 4-H'ers, please remember to write thank you letters to your auction buyers! Thank you note tips are found on Floyd County's website under Floyd County Fair Information, Animal Forms tab.



After Fair Clean Up Party - All 4-H'ers are encouraged to help with cleaning up Newlin Hall and the Fairgrounds after project and animal check out.



Miss Floyd County Pageant

For details, contact Kaitlyn Evans, kaitlynevans28@gmail.com or 502-599-7791

Indiana State Fair Info



Indiana State Fair August 1-17, 2025, closed Mondays

Projects chosen for the Indiana State Fair may be taken home after the county fair to make improvements.



Contact Sam -if you plan to participate in animal 4-H state shows by May 15.
-if you plan to transport your projects to & from Indiana State Fair.



FRAGILE, LARGE, BULKY OR HEAVY STATE FAIR EXHIBITS and LEGO kits (fragile sets or over 7,000 pieces) is the responsibility of the 4-H member to transport to and from Indiana State Fair, not the Extension Staff!



Projects may be taken home to be prepared for the State Fair. If a project is selected to go the Indiana State Fair, you will receive an email of when project needs returned to the Extension Office to be transported.



Plants that went to the Indiana State fair may not come back in the condition that they left in.



Keep up to date on our Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/purdue.extension.floydcounty/>

Indiana State Fair Website: www.indianastatefair.com/



Livestock Info

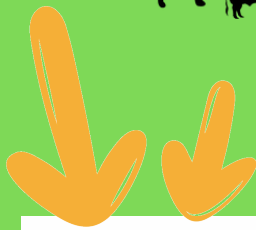


Livestock

- All animals housed in 4-H barns during the fair **MUST HAVE** proper Animal ID, be registered to a 4-H youth and in compliance with BOAH (Board of Animal Health) regulations.
- Livestock birthdate will need to be verified.
- Livestock will need to be tagged before registering in FairEntry.com. Contact the superintendent.
- Llamas and horses are not tagged but must have a picture uploaded to 4-H Online.
- A veterinarian and/or Livestock Superintendent will check the animal before it is unloaded at the fairgrounds.

AUCTION -Grades 3-12 participating in the auction must:

- Enter animal in 4-H Online **and** register animal in Fair Entry.
- Register an indoor hall project in Fair Entry that will be exhibited at the Floyd County 4-H Fair.
- Register in Fair Entry and participate in Showmanship for each species to be sold.
- Complete an Auction Fee Form found on the website. Make checks payable to Floyd County 4-H Corporation Board, Inc. and mail to P.O. Box 6805, New Albany, IN 47151. Fee is \$25 per entry. Limit 3 entries. These are due by livestock check-in. Starting in 2026 there will be a 2 entry limit.



FLOYD COUNTY 4-H ANIMAL SUPERINTENDENTS

Livestock Chair—Scotty Hollis, Scotty.hollis@wareinc.com

Beef—Scotty Hollis, Scotty.hollis@wareinc.com

Sheep & Goats—Melisa Bays, 502-297-3375

Swine—Chad Luckett - chadluckett@gmail.com

Llama/Alpacas—Abby Kreutner, abigailkreutner@gmail.com or Kendall Lanham, llamamama1998@gmail.com

Poultry—April Geltmaker, aprilgeltmaker@gmail.com

Horse & Pony—Shanna McKim, 4Hhorsebowl@gmail.com

Rabbits—Erin Uhl, ethackeruhl@gmail.com

Dog -Candy McKing , c.mcking@aol.com

Livestock Trainings - May 15 Deadline

BEFORE May 15, ALL 4-H'ers in grades 3-12, showing animals (except dog, horse, pony, llama & alpaca) at the 2025 Floyd County 4-H Fair Showcase **MUST** take the either the in-person Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care Training or the YQCA or they will NOT be allowed to participate in animal show(s). For YQCA, submit Certificate of Completion to denglema@purdue.edu by May 15 to be recorded. **NO EXCEPTIONS!!** Youth must be enrolled in 4-H Online in the current program year to have training applied. Not sure if your training has been recorded? Call or email denglema@purdue.edu to verify or click on the **TRAININGS** tab in your 4-H profile to verify current year was recorded. Youth may take training in person in another county as long as the Certificate of Completion is submitted to Floyd County office by May 15 so that it will be recorded.

- QLC (Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care Training) is for those showing at a county level. Training is \$3 and only offered in-person in early spring. Bring **exact** cash or a check made payable to the Purdue CES Ed Fund. Those taking training with Sam are not required to provide proof of training to the Floyd County Extension office, as attendance will be recorded when 4-H'ers sign in upon arrival. Please log into 4-H profile under the TRAININGS tab to verify your training was recorded for the current year in your 4-H profile. If training is taken at another county, 4-H'er must submit certificate of completion to the Floyd County Extension office by May 15.

OR

- YQCA (Youth Quality Care of Animals) is for those showing animals all year round. This is only offered online at <https://yqcaprogram.org/>. Once taken, 4-H'ers **are responsible for emailing a Certificate of Completion to denglema@purdue.edu** or bring a printed certificate to the Floyd County Extension office no later than May 15 to be recorded in your 4-H profile for proof. Once recorded, this will show up in 4-H'ers 4-H Online profile under the **Trainings** tab.



Premise ID information is found www.in.gov/boah. A premises identification number (PIN) or location identifier (LID) is a unique code that is permanently assigned to a single physical location. BOAH requires premises registration of all sites associated with the sale, purchase and/or exhibition of the following species: cattle, swine, sheep, goats and cervids. Equine and poultry sites may be registered on a voluntary basis.



Animal Lease Agreement Forms -4-H'ers who are leasing animals need to turn a copy into the Extension Office before showing the animal. Forms are found on the website under the Fair tab.



Animal Questions are found on the [website](#) under the Fair tab. Please turn these into the animal superintendent at check-in and keep in 4-H'ers green record book/folder once returned.



All livestock must be tagged, entered into 4-H Online and registered in Fair Entry by May 15th or they will not be eligible to check in. No Exceptions! If you have any questions please contact your species superintendent. Uploaded pictures are needed to help identify the animal.



Poultry Enrollment Forms, [found on the website](#) under the Fair tab, are to be used as a worksheet to register in Fair Entry to exhibit at the county fair. Be sure to select Poultry as a project in 4-H Online so it will show up in Fair Entry. Do not hand these to Sam. 4-H'ers are responsible for their online entries by May 15, NOT the Extension staff.



Indiana Poultry Exhibitor Form needs completed and handed to the Poultry Superintendent. These are found on the website under the Fair tab.



Rabbit enrollment is done in 4-H Online. Meat rabbits can be shown. (1 pen =3 rabbits).



Billy Goats are NOT allowed. Goats must be 18 months or under to be sold.



Horses will need proof of vaccinations. The form is found on the website.



Pet classes cannot compete for Grand Champion placement.



No Dogs Allowed inside barns. Some livestock are not dog friendly. All dogs must be on a leash.



Animal Check in - If a veterinarian is unavailable during check-in, the final decision will be made by the superintendent and 4-H educator.

Auction



Pictures of members who plan to sell in the auction will be taken Monday morning, June 9 beginning at 8:00 AM. Participants should wear a 4-H t-shirt or "show" attire.



No llama textiles or fibers



Livestock exhibitors are strongly urged to dress in a manner appropriate to show livestock. Examples of such appropriate dress would include button down shirts, golf shirts with collar, jeans or long pants, and, if possible, work boots or work shoes to protect feet. It is suggested exhibitors do not wear tank tops, t-shirts (4-H t-shirts are allowed), midriffs, halter tops, baggy pants, tops with spaghetti straps, shorts, or cut offs. Crocs, sandals, or flip flops are not allowed. The judge may use these guidelines as criteria for final placings.



Auction Dinner starts at 5:30 PM on Friday, June 13, 2025.



Livestock Auction is scheduled for Friday, June 13 at 6:30 PM. Remember, to participate in the auction youth must exhibit at least one indoor project **and** participate in the showmanship for any species you plan to sell at auction.

2025 4-H Livestock Schedule

Monday, June 9, 2025:

- 8:00 AM Livestock auction pictures taken
- 9:00 AM Poultry show (Small Animal Barn)
- 2:00 PM Llama Showmanship (Llama barn)
- 5 :00 PM Llama Costume show (Llama barn)
- 7:00 PM Pageant (Fashion Revue is during Pageant) Dessert auction to follow

Tuesday, June 10, 2025:

- 9:00 AM Rabbit show (Small animal barn)
- 4:00 PM Dog Show
- 7:00 PM Leaping Llama Limbo (Llama barn)

Wednesday, June 11, 2025:

- 9:00 AM Horse Showmanship (Horse arena)
- 2:00 PM Sheep/Goat Show
- 6:00 PM Swine show (Swine barn)

Thursday, June 12, 2025:

- 10:00 AM Llama Performance Show (Llama barn)
- 5 PM Beef show (Beef arena)

Friday, June 13, 2025:

- 8:00 AM Master Showmanship (Livestock barns)
- 5:30 PM Livestock Auction Dinner
- 6:30 PM Livestock Auction (Newlin Hall)

Saturday, June 14, 2025:

- 8:00 AM Animal check-out
- 8:00 AM Fairgrounds and livestock barn tear down
- 10 AM-Noon Indoor Project Check Out
- After 1:00 PM Livestock auction checks will be available for pickup



UPCOMING EVENTS

ATTENTION

Beekeeping Project Party, May 3 or 19, Grades 3-12, MUST register in 4-H Online to attend. See website for more info.

Area 2 Performing Arts Contest April 11, 6 PM, Harrison County Fairgrounds. Come support Floyd County participants.

Goat Showmanship Workshop, April 21, grades 3-12, MUST register in 4-H Online to attend. See website for more info.

Computer Science Project Party, May 20, grades 3-12, MUST register in 4-H Online to attend. More info on website.

4-H Camp, May 30-June 1, Grades 3-8 MUST register in 4-H Online to attend. See website for more info.

4-H Academy @ Purdue University, June 11-13, grades 9-12, MUST register in 4-H Online. See website for more info.

4-H Round up, June 23-25, grades 7-9, will be MUST register in 4-H Online to attend. See website for more info.

4-H Online vs. FairEntry



When do we need to use them?
Why do we use them both?

4-H Online

FairEntry

Who?

- Parents/ Families
- ALL 4-H Members
- ALL Program Volunteers
- Specialty Groups

Who?

- 4-H Fair Exhibitors
- Superintendents
- Fair Judges
- Check-in Volunteers
- Media Outlets for Fair Results

What?

- Animal Identification
- Selecting project areas to explore.
- 4-H Trips and other events
- 4-H Scholarships Application
- Club rosters for 4-H Leaders

What?

- Preparation for county fair
- County Fair Project Labels
- State Fair Qualifying Entries
- Livestock Show Bills
- Organization of Fair Results

When?

From start to end of the program year: October through September.

When?

Fair Season: Typically May through August

Where?

<https://v2.4honline.com/>

Where?

Direct link provided by county office
or
<https://faireentry.com/Public/FindYourFair>

Why?

- To express interest in the 4-H Program
- Improved communication between County and State and 4-H Families

Why?

- Prepare for county and state fair
- Get accurate numbers for project display purposes, and stall assignments



Animal Identification Guidelines

Animal Type	Floyd County 4-H	Additional State Fair Requirements	Deadline
Beef and Dairy Beef Steers	840-RFID tag and 5-digit county tag	DNA Hair Sample	May 15
Dairy Feeder Steers	840-RFID tag and 5-digit county tag		May 15
Commercial/Market Heifers	840-RFID tag and 5-digit county tag	DNA Hair Sample	May 15
Registered Heifers	840-RFID tag and tattoo	DNA Hair Sample	May 15
Dairy Cattle	840-RFID tag	Registered Name and Number (or dam's registration number) and DNA Hair Sample	May 15
Dairy Goat, Registered	Breed Registry Tattoo		May 15
Dairy Goat, Unregistered	Official ID (scrapie ID or 840 ID)	Not State Fair Eligible	May 15
Dairy Goat Wethers	5-digit county tag and Official ID (scrapie ID or Registration ID or 840 RFID Tag)		May 15
Meat Goat Wethers and Market Does	5-digit county tag and Official ID (scrapie ID or Registration ID or 840 RFID Tag)	840 RFID Tag and DNA Hair Sample	May 15
Meat Goat Females, Registered	Breed Registry Tattoo	DNA Hair Sample	May 15
Pygmy Goats	840 ID or scrapie ID or Registration ID (tattoo or microchip)		May 15
Horse and Pony	Color picture showing face and all four feet		May 15
Sheep: Market Lambs	Floyd County 5-digit county tag and Official ID (scrapie ID or 840 RFID Tag)	840 RFID Tag and DNA Hair Sample	May 15
Sheep: Commercial Ewes	Floyd County 5-digit county tag and Official ID (scrapie ID or 840 RFID Tag)	840 RFID Tag and DNA Hair Sample	May 15
Sheep: Registered Ewes	Floyd County 5-digit county tag and Official ID (ID matching Registration papers)	840 RFID Tag and DNA Hair Sample	May 15
Swine	840-RFID tag and ear notch	DNA Hair sample	May 15

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