

2023 Calendar

This is the tentative 4-H Calendar for 2023, as we know it now. Please understand that these dates can change based on many factors. We will try to keep the dates as is, but you are encouraged to revisit this calendar in each newsletter. Also, check our Facebook page regularly for changes/additions.

January

Jan. 1 - Club enrollments open in 4-H online. The link to access your old account at <https://v2.4honline.com/#/user/sign-in> If you are new to 4-H, use the same link to create a new account.

Jan. 7 – Shooting Sports in Harrison County

Jan. 9 – Accepting new 4-H applications at Schiappa Library from 2-4pm, 7-8 pm Toronto Library

Jan. 10 – 4-H Committee meeting 7 pm, Extension office

Jan. 14 – OFMA Ohio Junior Fair Conference. Preregistration was required.

Jan. 15 – Ohio State Fair Beef DNA Kits due

Jan. 16 – Martin Luther King Jr. Day – Office closed

Jan. 19 – Shooting Sports in Harrison County

Jan. 20 - 4-H new camp counselors and county chosen camp applications due

Jan. 20 – Overnighter reservations due from advisors with health forms

Jan. 23 – Accepting new 4-H applications from 11-12am at Brilliant Library, Tiltonsville Library 1-2pm, Dillonvale 3-4pm, Adena 5-6pm.

Jan 27 – Overnighter at Weirton Millsop Center. Admission starts at 10:45 pm, unless preregistered for Quality Assurance.

Jan. 28 – Horse Advisors Training in Columbus

Jan. 30 – Subcommittee 6pm still project and small animal, horse 7 pm, Livestock 8pm/Junior Leaders(5pm)/Rabbit Informational classes(5pm)

Jan. 30 – NEW camp counselor interviews, 6:30 pm, 2nd floor of OSU Extension office building. Returning camp counselors do not attend.

Jan 31 – Advisors virtual training 7pm – The link will be on FB for easy access. It will also be emailed to all head advisors. Head advisors please forward to your assistants and volunteers.

Jan. 31 – All 2022 4-H Club financial forms due

February

Feb. 1 – Announcement of County-Chosen camps representatives

Feb 9 – Zoom Livestock Quality Assurance 7 pm (Must email Allison.325@osu.edu to register.)

Feb. 11 – Shooting Sports in Harrison County

Feb. 16 – Shooting Sports in Harrison County

February 18 – Winter Update and Dance 4-9pm (This includes in-person Livestock QA. Please remind all members that they MUST sign the 4-H sign-in sheet at the door of the LQA room with your club's name, in order to get credit.)

February 20- Mandatory Camp Counselor Training at Elkhorn Valley Camp, 8200 County Road 55, Bergholz, OH, 43908. To be held from 9 am- 3pm.

February 25-26 – Making Extreme Counselors Camp in Columbus

March

March 4 - Shooting Sports in Harrison County 10 am – 12 pm.

March 4 – State hippology, Horse Bowl, & Horse Judging clinic

March 4 – State horse communications contest

March 4 – State horse year-end achievement awards presentation

March 4 – State horse poster contest

March 5 - Window Decorating in place by midnight, judging starts the next day.

March 5 – 11 – Ohio 4-H week

March 6 – Zoom Livestock Quality Assurance email Allison.325@osu.edu for the link

March 11 – Ohio 4-H Volunteer Conference, Columbus

March 16 – Shooting Sports in Harrison County – 6-8 pm

March 14 – 4-H Committee meeting 7 pm, Extension office

March 15 – Last day for enrollments for honor club

March 17 – Last day to turn in Iron Chef registrations

March 25 – Iron Chef – Honey special ingredient

March 27 – Junior Leaders 5 pm Extension office, Rabbit class 5 pm. 2nd floor office building, Still project/small animal subcommittee 6 p.m., Horse subcommittee 7 pm, Livestock subcommittee 8 pm, Extension office

March 29- April 1 – Ohio Spring Dairy Expo, Ohio Exposition Center

April

April 10-May 1 – Tag pick-up Monday-Friday, 8 am -3:30 pm, OSU Extension office. (Tags also available from 6-8 pm on April 15 at the fairgrounds and at 5 pm on May 2 at the fairgrounds.)

April 14 – Dairy Palooza

April 15 – Last day for 4-H enrollment no honor club

April 15 – State horse bowl/hippology

April 15 – Tag pick up at the fairgrounds 6-8pm.

April 17 – Zoom Livestock Quality Assurance, 7 pm, Email Allison.325@osu.edu to receive the link

April 28-30 – Forestry Wildlife Camp

May

May 1 – Last add/drop day for 4-H projects

May 1 - Most Outstanding Exhibitor achievement form and cover letter due to OSU Extension by 4 pm. Reminder MOE contestants are required to complete in-person Skillathon.

May 1 – Jefferson County online Skillathon opens

May 2 – 6 pm In-person \$25 Last Chance Quality Assurance/ 5 pm Tag pick-up located at the Jefferson County Fairgrounds

May 6 – Tag-in for hogs, lambs, market goats, dairy feeders, dairy beef feeders

May 6 -7 – Counselors primitive camp training. (The evening of the 6th and half a day the 7th) This is recommended not required and will work toward the required counselor training hours.

May 9 – 4-H Committee, OSU Extension

May 12 – Last day to register for Jefferson County 4-H Camp. No reservations will be accepted past this day whether received by mail or in-person. Also, all money for camp must be paid by this date.

May 29 - March 27 – Junior Leaders 5 pm Extension office, Rabbit class 5 pm. 2nd floor office building, Still project/small animal subcommittee 6 p.m., Horse subcommittee 7 pm, Livestock subcommittee 8 pm, Extension office

June

June 1 – All Horse, Pet and Breeding Rabbit, Dog ID, and associated paperwork due to OSU Extension office. Also, online Skillathon opens, 4-H Club activity and book fees due.

June 1-5 - State leadership camp, Camp Ohio

June 2-4 – Horse Camp with in-person horse Skillathon, Jefferson County Fairgrounds

June 3 – Cloverbud Horse Camp, 2-4 pm Jefferson County Fairgrounds. Open to all Cloverbuds.

June 2-4 – Piedmont Shooting Sports Camp, tentative hold dates

June 4-7 – Jefferson County 4-H Camp, Elkhorn Valley, Bergholz

June 9-11 – Special Needs Camp at Canters Cave

June 10 – Horse PAS show

June 11 – Jefferson County Fairboard Horse Show

June 11-16 – Camp Canopy Forestry Camp, Carroll County

June 12-14 – In-person Jefferson County Skillathon at OSU Extension office building, 2nd floor meeting room. Required for Most Outstanding Exhibitor contestants. Monday noon – 4 pm, Tuesday and Wednesday 8am-4pm. (No in-person horse on these dates. In-person horse Skillathon will be held at horse camp.)

June 14 – Contest Day, 5 pm Jefferson County Fairgrounds

June 14 – Contest Day Cloverbud Camp, 6:00 pm Jefferson County Fairgrounds

June 18 – 23 – Washington Focus 4-H Camp

June 18 – 4-H Space Camp tentative hold week

June 19 – 20 – State STEM Camp

June 20 – Ohio State Fair livestock entry deadline

June 23 – 25 – Junior Shooting Sports Camp, Canters Cave

June 30 – Jefferson County online Skillathon closes.

July

July 7 – Virtual Ohio State Fair Horse Skillathon

July 8 – Project Judging Day

July 9 – 14 – Senior Shooting Sports Camp, Canters Cave

July 10 – Fair entries due

July 15-19 Sea Camp, Lake Erie, tentative hold dates

July 17 – State 4-H Horse Judging Contest

July 17 – In-Person Ohio State Fair Horse Skillathon

July 17 – 21 Ohio State Fair Junior Horse Show

July 20 – Ohio State Fair Horse Show – Classical and Western Dressage Show

July 26 – Aug. 6 – Ohio State Fair

August

August 13 – Jefferson County 4-H Awards

August 14 – Cloverbud Camp 12-3pm

August 14 – Jefferson County Fair Opening Ceremonies

August 14-20 - Jefferson County Fair

August 26 – State 4-H Groom & Clean Contest

September

September 8-9 – State 4-H Competitive Trail Ride

September 14 - Most Outstanding 4-H'er applications due

October

October 2 – Most Outstanding 4-H'er interviews

December

Dec. 2 – Ohio 4-H Horse Show Judges Conference