



The Quick Guide



to Meetings, Meetings, and More Meetings!

2024 Subcommittee Meetings: (You can attend in-person or zoom, just request a link!)

Jan. 30- OSU Extension Meeting Room

5pm Still Project/Small Animal/ 6pm – Horse/ 7 pm – Livestock

Feb. 27 – OSU Extension Meeting Room

5pm Still Project/Small Animal/ 6pm – Horse/ 7 pm – Livestock

April 30 -OSU Extension Meeting Room

5pm Still Project/Small Animal/ 6pm – Horse/ 7 pm – Livestock

June 25– Fairgrounds Midway Pavilion

5pm Still Project/Small Animal/ 6pm – Horse/ 7 pm – Livestock

NO meetings in July and August

Sept. 24 - OSU Extension Meeting Room

5pm Still Project/Small Animal/ 6pm – Horse/ 7 pm – Livestock

Nov. – 26 –OSU Extension Meeting Room

5pm Still Project/Small Animal/ 6pm – Horse/ 7 pm – Livestock

2024 4-H Committee Meetings:

Jan. 9 – 7 pm – OSU Extension Meeting Room

March 12 – 7pm – OSU Extension Meeting Room

May 14 – 7pm – Fairgrounds Midway Pavilion

June 11 – 7 pm – Fairgrounds Midway Pavilion

No Meetings July, August

Sept. 10 – 7 pm – Fairgrounds Midway Pavilion

Oct 14 – 6 pm -Annual Advisors Meeting (TBD)

Nov 12 – 7 pm – OSU Extension Meeting Room



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2024 Junior Leaders:

Feb. 26 – 6 pm - OSU Extension Meeting Room

March 25 –6 pm - OSU Extension Meeting Room

April 29 – 6 pm - Fairgrounds Midway Pavilion (Weather Dependent)

May 20 – 6 pm - Fairgrounds Midway Pavilion

June 24 – 6 pm Fairgrounds Midway Pavilion

July 29 – 6 pm - Fairgrounds Midway Pavilion

2024 Camp Counselors Meetings:

Jan. 19 – Camp Counselor Applications due (See application info in this newsletter.)

Jan. 30 – 5 pm., Camp Counselor Interviews, OSU Extension

Feb. 19 – 9 am – 3 pm, Mandatory Camp Counselor Training, OSU Extension

April 18 – 7 pm – Jefferson County Fairgrounds kitchen

May 10-11 – Arrive at 5 pm stay through noon the next day - Primitive camp counselor overnight training @ Elkhorn Valley

June 5 – 10 am – Camp Counselor training right before the beginning of camp @ Elkhorn Valley. (Campers arrive 4-5pm.)

June 5-8 – 4-H Camp!!

(In addition to the above dates, each counselor must assist with at least 2 county programs and at least 1 cloverbud camp. For example: Choose to assist with the Overnighter and Winter Update plus cloverbud camp at the fair. Counselors will sign-up for these events.)



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2024 Rabbit Hopping/ Educational Meetings:

Feb. 26 – 5 pm - OSU Extension, Floor 2

March 25 – 5 pm - OSU Extension, Floor 2

April 29 – 5 pm - Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion (Weather Dependent)

May 20 – 5 pm - Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion

June 24 – 5 pm Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion

July 29 – 5 pm - Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion

August - TBD

No classes Sept., Oct., Nov., Dec.

2024 Dog Classes/Meetings:

Classes will be set by dog key leader Lori Raymond. She usually meets Mondays with new dogs and handlers. She usually meets Thursdays with more advanced dogs and handlers.

Call for more information, 740-381-7793.

2023-2024 Calendar

This is the 2024 4-H Calendar, 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 and check the posts on Facebook regularly for changes/additions.

December 2023

Dec. 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. (Enrollments must be complete to attend the overnigher.)

Dec. 5 – 4PM junior leaders/camp counselors; 5PM 4-H Christmas Party for Sprouts – age 12

Dec. 21 – Texas Roadhouse Dine To Donate to benefit 4-H Committee.

January 2024

Jan. 5-7 – OFMA Ohio Junior Fair Conference. Pre-registration was required.

Jan. 13 – Shooting Sports in Harrison County

Jan. 9 – 4-H Committee meeting 7 pm, Extension office

Jan. 15 – Ohio State Fair Beef DNA Kits due

Jan. 15 – Martin Luther King Jr. Day – Office closed

Jan. 17 – Advisors virtual training, 7 pm, link will be sent via email and posted on the Facebook page

Jan. 18 – Shooting Sports in Harrison County

Jan. 19 - 4-H new camp counselors and county chosen camp applications due, Overnighter reservations due with health forms.

Jan 26 – Overnighter at Weirton Millsop Center. Admission starts at 10:45 pm, unless preregistered for Quality Assurance. Those pre-registered for Quality Assurance must arrive by 9:15 pm.

Jan. 27 – Horse Advisors Training in Columbus

Jan. 30 – Subcommittees (5pm still project and small animal, horse 6 pm, Livestock 7pm)

Jan. 30 – NEW camp counselor interviews, 5 pm, 2nd floor of OSU Extension office building. Returning camp counselors do not attend.

Jan. 31 – All 2022-2023 4-H Club financial forms due

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February

Feb. 1 – Announcement of County-Chosen Camps Representatives

Feb 10 – Winter Update And Dance Including Livestock Clinics, Livestock Quality Assurance, Horse EquiSTEPS and ride days, Officer Training, Fair 101 etc. (See flyer in newsletter) Please remind all members that they must sign the 4-H sign-in sheet at the door of the rooms with club name in order to get credit for anything that they attend. Remember Livestock Clinics are required for those vying for MOE.

Feb 10 – Shooting Sports in Harrison

Feb 15 – Shooting Sports in Harrison

Feb 17 – Back- up date for Winter Update And Dance Including clinics in case of weather cancellation on Feb. 10.

February 19 -- 9 am – 3 pm., Mandatory Camp Counselor Training at Extension office building, second floor.

Feb. 23 – Clubs turn in 4-H decorated windows locations to Extension office. Call 740-264-2212

February 24-25 – Making Extreme Counselors Camp in Columbus

Feb 26 – Rabbit classes (5 pm, Junior Leaders 6 pm, Extension building, 2nd floor)

Feb. 27 – Subcommittee meetings at Extension office, 5 pm Still Projects/Small Animal, 6 pm Horse, 7 pm Livestock

March

March 2 - Shooting Sports in Harrison County

March 2 – State hippology, Horse Bowl, & Horse Judging clinic

March 2 – State horse communications contest

March 2 – State horse year-end achievement awards presentation

March 2 – State horse poster contest

March 3 - Window Decorating in place by midnight, judging starts the next day.

March 4 – 10 – Ohio 4-H week (Show your 4-H Spirit-wear your 4-H T-Shirt to school on Tuesday, March 5.)

March 7 – Shooting Sports in Harrison County

March 9 – Ohio 4-H Volunteer Conference, Columbus

March 12 – 4-H Committee, 7PM, OSU Extension

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March 15 – Last day for enrollments for honor club, Last day to enroll for Iron Chef competition.

March 16 – Texas Roadhouse 4-H Dine To Donate 11:30 – 4 pm. Please screen shot enclosed flyer and join us to raise money for the Jefferson County 4-H Committee

March 20 – Virtual Livestock Quality Assurance, Link will be sent out via email and on Facebook

March 23 – Iron Chef – Special Ingredient = Cream Cheese

March 25 – Rabbit classes 5 pm, Junior Leaders 6 pm, OSU Extension, 2nd floor

April

April 6 – Shooting Sports in Harrison County

April 6 – Horse Bowl & Hippology Contest

April 8 – Solar Eclipse

April 9 – Turkey Hatch Date, Must meet minimum weight to show and sell at fair

April 11 – Shooting Sports in Harrison County

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

April 16,17,18- 3- 8 pm, In-person skillathon, livestock tag pick up @ Jefferson County Fairgrounds kitchen

April 18 – 7 pm, Camp Counselor training, Jefferson County Fairgrounds Kitchen

April 19 – 9 am – noon, In-person skillathon, livestock tag pick up @ Jefferson County Fairgrounds kitchen. Livestock Quality Assurance at 10 am Fairboard office.

April 29 – 5 pm Rabbit classes, 6 pm Jr. Leaders Fairgrounds, weather dependent

April 30 – Subcommittee meetings at Extension office, 5 pm Still Projects/Small Animal, 6 pm Horse, 7 pm Livestock

May

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

May 1 - Most Outstanding Exhibitor achievement form due to OSU Extension by 4 pm. Reminder MOE contestants are required to complete in-person skillathon in April at the Fairgrounds and the animal clinics at the Winter Update and Dance.

May 2 – 7 pm Last Quality Assurance, zoom. Link will be emailed and posted on Facebook

May 3 – Financial campership forms due for 4-H Camp

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May 4 – Shooting Sports in Harrison County

May 4 – Tag-in for hogs, lambs, market goats, dairy feeders, dairy beef feeders @ fairgrounds. Tentative time 9 am – 11 am.

May 6 – 5 pm Rabbit hopping starts at the Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion. To be held every Monday evening through July weather permitting.

May 9 – Shooting Sports in Harrison County.

May 10-11– Counselors primitive camp training. This is recommended not required and will work toward the required counselor training hours.

May 10 – 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 14 – 7PM, 4-H Committee, Fairgrounds

May 20 - 5 pm Rabbit classes, 6 pm Jr. Leaders @ Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion

May 21 – Goose hatch date – All Geese must meet minimum weight to show and sell at fair

May 27- NO RABBIT CLASSES

May 31-June 2 – Horse Camp

June

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June 1-5 – State Leadership Camp

June 1 – July 1 Online Skillathon link will be sent via email and posted on Facebook page. Please be sure it is the 2024 link that you click if using the Facebook page.

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 – Cloverbud Horse Camp, Open to all Cloverbuds!

June 5- 10 am, Camp Counselor Training, Elkhorn Valley, Bergholz

June 5-8 – Jefferson County 4-H Camp, Elkhorn Valley, Bergholz

June 8 – Horse PAS show

June 9 – Jefferson County Fairboard Open Horse Show

June 10 – Rabbit classes 6pm – Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion

June 11 – 4-H Committee – 7 pm Fairgrounds, Rozsa Pavilion

June 12 – Contest Day, 5 pm Jefferson County Fairgrounds

June 17 - Rabbit classes 6pm – Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion

June 18 – Duck Hatch Date – All ducks must meet minimum weight in 2024 Jefferson County fairbook in order to show and sell

June 19 – Tentative last day for livestock enrollment for The Ohio State Fair.

June 24 - Rabbit classes 6pm – Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion, Junior Leaders 7 pm Rozsa Pavilion

June 25- Chicken Hatch Date – All chickens must meet minimum weight in 2024 Jefferson County fairbook in order to show and sell

June 25 – Subcommittees if needed for help with project judging day, Fairgrounds, 5 pm Still Projects/Small Animal, 6 pm Horse, 7 pm Livestock

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July

July 1 – Online skillathon closes

July 1 – Ohio State Fair Horse Registration Deadline

July 1 - Rabbit classes 6pm – Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion

July 8 - Rabbit classes 6pm – Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion

July 10 – Fair entries due, see your advisor, read your fairbook rules for your species before choosing classes

July 13 – Project Judging Day

July 15 -19 – Ohio State Fair Junior Horse Show

July 15 - Rabbit classes 6pm – Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion

July 19-23 – Sea Camp

July 22 - Rabbit classes 6pm – Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion

July 27 – Poultry and rabbit tag in, tentative time 9 am – 11 am.

July 29 - Rabbit classes 6pm – Fairgrounds Rozsa Pavilion, 7 pm Junior Leaders, Fairgrounds Midway Pavlion

July 30 – NO Sub Committees

August

August 5 – 6pm, Junior Leaders – Fairgrounds for flowerbed

August 6 – last day to bring horse, swine, goat, rabbit, poultry, beef, lamb project/record books into OSU Extension for awards sign off.

August 11 – Jefferson County 4-H Awards, 6PM

August 12 – Cloverbud Camp @ the Fair, 12PM-3PM

August 12 – Jefferson County Fair Opening Ceremonies

August 13-18 - Jefferson County Fair

August 24 – State Groom & Clean

September

September 6-7 – State Horse Competitive Trail Ride

September 10 – 4-H Committee 7 pm, Fairgrounds

September 15 - Most Outstanding 4-H'er applications due, Club Honor Forms, Member Honor Forms

September 24 – Subcommittees (5 pm Still Projects/Small Animal, 6 pm Horse, 7 pm Livestock), OSU Extension Meeting Room

October

October 7 – Most Outstanding 4-H'er interviews

October 14 – Annual Advisors Banquet, location tbd

October 19 – Fall Fest

November

November 12- 4H Committee Meeting, OSU Extension Meeting Room

November 26 -Subcommittees (5 pm Still Projects/Small Animal, 6 pm Horse, 7 pm Livestock)

December

December 10- 4-H Christmas Open House (Families of 4-H'ers 12 and under)