



WARREN COUNTY 4-H NEWSLETTER

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Warren County Extension Office

Our office is open each
Monday-Friday
8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
(With the exception of Holidays.)

The following is a list of upcoming 4-H events and activities. Anyone needing additional information may contact the *Warren County Extension Office*:

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4-H CAMP - OVER 1/2 FULL

All 4-H members should plan to attend 4-H Camp. It is an adventure worth taking! This year we are under Covid restrictions with 50% bed capacity. Sign-up now because we are already over 1/2 full on the boys and girls beds. The date is July 26-30. Highlights of the camp will include 11 different workshops, swim time, GaGa Ball, field games and so much more! The cost to attend is \$250. This will include registration fee, lodging, meals and transportation for five days! We have 2 fundraising opportunities selling Krispy Kreme Donut Certificates from April 26-May 12th. For each \$10 certificate sold, the camper will raise \$5 towards their camping fee. The other opportunity is selling *Nothing Bundt Cakes* from May 21-June 6th, campers will receive \$2 per cake towards camping fee. The cakes will be available for pick-up June 17th for Father's Day. For more information about camp or our fundraising opportunities go to the following website:
<https://www.warrencountyextension.com/4-h-camp>. Both Janet and Julie are contact agents for 4-H Camp.

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CLOVERBUD CAMP IN JUNE

The 4-H Cloverbud Camp will be held on June 18-20 at West Kentucky 4-H Camp. The Cloverbud Camp is open to 5-8 years old and is designed for campers and parents who are not ready for a full week of a residential camping experience. The cost is \$140 per cloverbud and \$135 per adult, this cost covers meals, lodging, supplies and t-shirt.

While at Cloverbud Camp campers will still participate in all the traditional camp activities offered at 4-H Camp, including crafts, sling shot, canoeing, swimming and recreation, as well as fun night time activities. Due to the Covid restrictions everyone has to register through this link before they can complete an application https://uky.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_4MYGVALpWgF85Ui.

If you have any questions about Cloverbud Camp or the Covid restrictions, please contact the Warren County Extension Office. All parents must complete a volunteer background check. The deadline to complete the registration link for Cloverbud Camp is May 10, 2021. *Julie serves as the contact agent for Cloverbud Camp.*

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KY VOLUNTEER FORUM- SAVE THE DATE

The 2022 KY Volunteer Forum will be February 24-26 in Lexington at the Lexington Convention Center. This is a wonderful opportunity for volunteers to pick up educational information on clubs, projects and other activities. All volunteers, parents and teens are encouraged to attend. If you have ideas for workshops please let Janet know. She is the workshop coordinator again this year for the 3rd forum in a row.

Janet is the contact agent for the KY Volunteer Forum.

KENTUCKY 4-H BIOBLITZ

How many different plants and animals can you find? Join the fun and sign up to participate in a year-long state wide 4-H BioBlitz. The program will kick off in May. It is a citizen science event that is focused on finding and identifying as many plant and animal species as possible in a specified area over a certain period of time. 4-H members, alumni and staff from across Kentucky are encouraged to find and identify as many plant and animal species as possible from May 1, 2021- April 30, 2022. Observations can be anywhere in Kentucky. Sign up by going to the following website: website at <https://4-h.ca.uky.edu/bioblitz>. Under resources, click on instructions for participation information.

SHOOTING SPORTS SIGN-UPS- LAST CALL

Last call for 4-H members wanting to sign up for the 4-H Shooting Sports Program. Each member is required to attend one safety training hosted by the Warren County 4-H Shooting Sports Program. The last training is Monday, April 26 at 6 p.m. at the Extension Office. If you missed this training, please email our coaches at: wc4hss@gmail.com.

Janet is the contact agent for the 4-H Shooting Sports Program.

The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards program would like to recognize Isaac Hosay as a local honoree. Isaac's volunteer service for the Need to Read Program and The Valentine Project earned him the local honoree designation. Congratulations Isaac!

Janet is the contact agent for the Prudential Spirit of Community Awards program.

POSTER ART CONTEST RESULTS

Seven local 4-H youth enjoyed expressing themselves through art by entering the County 4-H Poster Art Contest. Cloverbud entries do not participate in competitive events so will receive a special participation ribbon. The results of the Junior and Senior competition are listed below. Age category champions will advance to the 10-county competition being hosted by Allen County this year. The 2020-2021 Warren County 4-H Poster Art participants are as follows:

Cloverbud (Ages 8 and under as of January 1, 2021)
Abdiel Martinez - Participation Ribbon

Junior Age Division (Ages 9-13 as of January 1, 2021)
9 Year Old – Liliana Collier – Red Ribbon and Champion

10 Year Old – Brittany Camona – Blue Ribbon
Antonela Espino – White Ribbon
Brooklynn Upchurch – Blue Ribbon and Champion

11 Year Old – Jason Hoots – Blue Ribbon and Champion
Piper Hosay – Blue Ribbon

Senior Age Division (14-18 as of January 1, 2021)
15 Year Old – Josh Martin – Blue Ribbon & Champion

Julie is the contact agent for the 4-H Poster Art Contest.



Due to Covid-19 restrictions and trying to achieve reduced capacity, KY Teen Conference will be an invitation only conference. Invitations will be sent to 4-H members who received Bronze, Silver and Gold Achievement awards. Teens on state boards such as state teen council and other leadership boards, and members in their last year of 4-H will be invited, along with a few other groups until capacity is reached. More information will be coming out very soon.

Janet is the contact agent for 4-H Teen Conference.



HORSE NEWS

State 4-H Horse Contests will be June 2-4. These contests include horse judging, horse bowl, hippology, crafts, photography, speech, and demonstration. Currently the judging contest will be at Lakeside Arena in Frankfort on June 2 and the other contests will be in Elizabethtown June 3-4 (location subject to change to Lexington). Rules and contest information can be found at: <http://afs.ca.uky.edu/4h-youth/horse/event/ky-state-horse-contest>.

The **District 6 4-H Horse Show** will be June 14-16 at the L.D. Brown Exposition Center. Registration information should be coming out very soon.

State 4-H Horse Show will be July 3-8. Participants must complete an online eligibility form and have 6 educational hours under a certified horse volunteer by June 1. The state show entry form is due to the extension office no later than June 10. All state forms can be found on the following website: <http://afs.ca.uky.edu/4h-youth/horse/show-rules-regulations-resources>.

District Horse Judging and Hippology Contest- Plans are being made to tentatively have a district horse judging and hippology contest prior to the state contest. More information will be forthcoming.

Janet is contact agent for these Horse events.



LIVESTOCK NEWS

The **State 4-H Livestock Skillathon Contest** was held Saturday, April 10 in Elizabethtown, KY. Congratulations to Caden, Loralie and Isabella Taylor and Halle and Jet Harper for a job well done!

Two 4-H members applied for the **Dustin Worthington I Love Cows Contest**. Even though they did not win a state wide heifer, they should be commended for going through the process. Great job to Maddie Kingery and Emma Thomas.

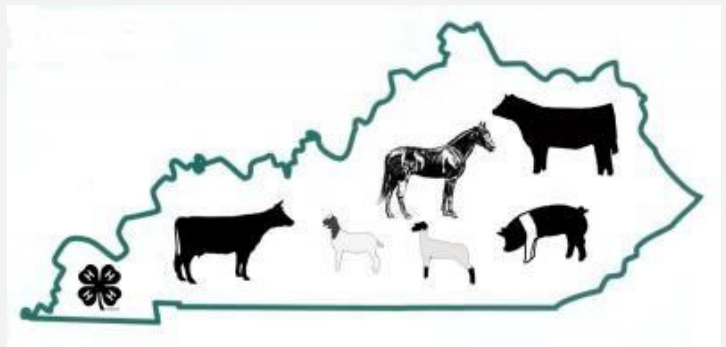
Market Animal Nomination process (Sheep, Goat, Swine) - April 30 is the last day to order KUIP tags to show market animals. Janet emailed detailed information to livestock club members on March 30. Please contact Janet Turley for order information. DNA and nomination forms must be in hand to Mallory Trenkamp at the KY State Fair no later than May 28.

Breeding Animal Nomination forms are due to the Extension Office no later than May 25. These forms generally apply to the beef heifer project.

The **State 4-H Livestock Judging Contest** will be Tuesday, June 15 at the Madison County Fairgrounds in Richmond, KY. Livestock Club members that are interested in competing should contact their club leaders and/or Janet Turley by Friday, May 14.

County Fair Livestock Shows- save the dates: July 19 (beef show), July 20 (sheep, goat, alpaca shows), July 22 (dairy and poultry shows). All shows begin at 6 p.m. except dairy and they will be at 10 a.m.

Janet is the contact agent for county fair livestock shows.



COUNTY DEMONSTRATION, MOCK INTERVIEW, & TALK MEET RESULTS

Demonstrations

Cloverbud Performing Arts – Participation Ribbon – Ava Winn – *How to Perform Ballet Steps*

Cloverbud FCS – Participation Ribbon – Maryen Shields – *How to Send a Card*

Cloverbud FCS – Participation Ribbon – Tirzah Shields – *How to Sew a Button*

Jr. Natural Resources – Blue Ribbon and Champion – Christopher Sweets – *Feed the Feathers*

Jr. Team – Blue Ribbon and Champion – Macie Shaff and Baylee Belcher – *DIY Dog Fun*

Jr. Foods – Blue Ribbon and Champion – Anabeth Webster – *Quick and Easy Guacamole*

Mock Interview

14/15 Year Old – Blue Ribbon – Avery Cole

14/15 Year Old – Blue Ribbon – Josh Martin

14/15 Year Old – Blue Ribbon and Champion – Hayden Shaff

16-18 Year Old – Blue Ribbon and Champion – Isaac Hosay

Talk Meet

11 year old – Blue Ribbon – Avenley Cole – *Who's Charlie & Where is His Horse?*

11 year old – Blue Ribbon and Champion – Hyun Seung Lee – *Easy Way to Protect the Environment in the Covid*

12 year old – Blue Ribbon and Champion – Christopher Sweets – *The Life of James Harrod*

13 year old – Blue Ribbon – Leelah Kaul – *How to ask for help and be good at it*

13 year old – Blue Ribbon and Champion – Harrison Shaff – *Fire Arm Safety*

14 year old – Blue Ribbon and Champion – Avery Cole - *The Vet Arrives and ...*

14 year old – Blue Ribbon – Pratiksha Mishra – *Response over Farmers Bill*

15 year old – Blue Ribbon and Champion – Josh Martin – *Healing the World with Optimism*

16 year old – Blue Ribbon and Champion – Isaac Hosay – *Rise of Streaming*

17 year old – Blue Ribbon and Champion – Bradley Webster – *The Art of Deception*

The champions will advance onto the Area 4-H Virtual Communication Contest on May 3rd.

Janet is contact agent for Talk Meet and Julie is contact agent for Demonstration and Mock Interview Contest

GETTING KIDS COOKING

When you make family meals, get the kids involved! Below are some kitchen tasks that kids can do based on their age.

- 3 to 5 years old: Mix easy ingredients, snap green beans, tear lettuce for a salad, and press cookie cutters.
- 6 to 7 years old: Use a vegetable peeler to peel raw fruits and Vegetables, shuck corn, crack eggs, and measure ingredients.
- 8 to 9 years old: Use a can opener, juice citrus fruits, check the temperature of foods with a thermometer, beat eggs, and pound chicken on a cutting board.
- Children ages 10 and older: Slice or chop foods, boil potatoes, microwave foods, bake foods in the oven, and simmer ingredients on the stove.

Start slow and give your child time to master each task. Make family meals even more fun by letting your child choose themes and menus. Or switch things up by taking it from the table to the floor — put a blanket on the floor to have an indoor picnic!

Source: Adapted from <https://www.eatright.org/health/wellness/preventing-illness/make-the-most-of-your-time-at-home>

WARREN COUNTY 4-H CALENDAR



April 26 Last Shooting Sports Safety Training Program

April 30 Deadline to order KUIP Tags



May 10 Deadline to Fill Out Qualtrics Survey for Cloverbud Camp

May 25 Breeding Animal nomination forms due to Extension Office

May 28 DNA & Nomination forms due to Mallory Trenkamp at KY State Fair