



Geary County

4-H NEWS



A Newsletter for 4-H Families and Volunteers

June 2021

Fair Pre-Entry

Don't forget that fair pre-entries are due by 5:00pm on Wednesday, June 30th. Pre-entry forms are available on the web located at <http://www.geary.k-state.edu/4-h/fair.html>. The forms located on this site will be form-fillable for easy completion. You can also pre-enter online at <https://tinyurl.com/gecofaireentry21>. No late entries will be accepted.

Sign Up to Receive 4-H Reminders

The Extension Office is using the Remind program to send 4-H-related reminders (including fair items) to 4-H families. To sign up to receive reminders, go to <https://www.remind.com/join/geco4h>.

Fair Clean-Up & Set-up

All 4-H families should plan to attend fair clean-up and set-up on Saturday, July 17th at 10:30am at the Fairgrounds. Bring rakes, shovels, old rags, and buckets to help with the cleaning. Clean-up/set-up will count towards the Herdsman Award again this year!

Fair Books

All fair books should have been distributed via club meetings, pick-up, or mail. If you have not received a fair book, please call the Extension Office to arrange to pick one up or have it mailed to you. The book is available on the web located at <http://www.geary.k-state.edu/4-h/fair.html>.

Fair Livestock Insurance

A fee of \$5 per head for market beef, market lambs, market hogs, and market goats will be required at the time of fair pre-entry to purchase livestock insurance. This insurance will cover market price of livestock from the time you leave home for the fair until you return home or the livestock changes ownership. The insurance is optional for breeding beef and breeding sheep. Please plan to pay this fee when you turn in your pre-entry forms.

Fair Auction Participation Requirement for 2021

4-H members will be required to attend at least 4 regular monthly meetings of the 4-H club in which they are enrolled between October 1 and June 30 to participate in the project/livestock auction held at the end of the fair in 2021. Official record of meetings attended will be the club secretary's book. This requirement does not limit fair participation, only participation in the auction. Plan ahead now to make sure youth meet the requirement if they want to participate in the auction.

After-Fair Celebration

The After-Fair Celebration will be held on Friday, July 23rd at the city pool from 7:15 to 9:00pm. Plan to join us to celebrate!

Fair Theme

The 4-H Ambassadors and fair board have agreed on a Hawaiian theme for the 2021 Geary County Free Fair. You will see this theme at Public Revue and throughout the fair. Clubs are encouraged to include the theme in food table displays and herdsman decorations if they so choose.

Exhibitor Numbers

Contained with this newsletter is a list of exhibitor numbers. 4-H members are asked to please record your exhibitor number on the top right corner of each entry card that you submit. This will help the Extension staff when we record all of the ribbons that each 4-H member is awarded. Please help us out and put your number on all of your entry cards.

Poultry Testing for Fair

Pullorum-Typhoid poultry testing for the fair is scheduled for Wednesday, July 7th from 5:30 to 6:30pm at the fairgrounds. All chickens and turkeys entered in the fair must be tested. Ducks can be tested for Avian Influenza (this is optional). There is no cost for testing.

Judging Contest Help Needed

Adults and older youth are needed to help with the Horticulture and Photography Judging contests on Wednesday, July 21st from 1:00 to 3:00pm. Those who volunteer will be assisting with conducting the contests by helping youth sign-up and begin judging, reading for youth who need assistance, answering questions, and making sure that no cheating occurs. If you can help, contact the Extension Office.

Dogs on Fairgrounds

Fair Board has ruled that no dogs will be allowed on the fairgrounds during the Geary County Free Fair, July 18-22. Thanks for abiding by this rule!

Fair Score Sheets

Score sheets that will be used for judging of fair exhibits are posted online so you can check them out prior to judging. They are located at http://www.geary.k-state.edu/county_fair/exhibit_resources.html.

Geary County & Kansas 4-H Social Media Hashtags

As you post 4-H pictures and information on social media, please use the hashtags #geco4H, #KS4H, and #4HGrowsHere. By doing this, you can help Geary County and Kansas 4-H create a stronger and more consistent brand.

Midwest 4-H Photography Challenge

The Minnesota 4-H Photography Committee is excited to announce a new photography challenge open to all 4-H youth in grades K-13 across the Midwest. The "Capture What's Great in Midwest States" 4-H Photography Challenge will run through 11:59pm on June 30th. More information can be found at <https://z.umn.edu/Midwest-states-photo-challenge>. Don't forget to register at <https://z.umn.edu/Midwest-states-photo-reg>. Prizes will be awarded to the top images and random prize drawing winners will also be recognized.

KDA Photo Contest

The beauty of Kansas agriculture has been celebrated throughout the state's ag industry. Photographers are encouraged to capture that beauty and share it with others through the Kansas Department of Agriculture's annual photo contest. Photos are currently being accepted and are due by August 16th. Categories for entry include Kansas Weather, Celebrating Local Foods, Water in Kansas, and Rural Kansas. A video category has also been added to showcase drone footage, harvest videos, or other short clips of under 30 seconds. There is a separate category for youth photographers under age 19. Find out more at <https://agriculture.ks.gov/photocontest>.

Kansas 4-H State Wheat Expo in El Dorado

Check out the annual Kansas 4-H Wheat Expo on Wednesday, August 11th at the Butler County Community Building in El Dorado. The wheat expo is open to all 4-H family members and 4-H leaders. There will be eight contests open to youth members with cash prizes and ribbons awarded. Attendees will tour Mid-Kansas Cooperative and Varner Farms. There is a \$6 per person registration cost. Pre-registration will be required by August 1st. For more information about the wheat expo, visit <http://www.kansas4-h.org/events-activities/conferences-events/wheat/index.html>. For additional questions contact Deryl Waldren at 303-349-7403 or dwaldren@ksu.edu.

Assistance for Kansas State Fair

Volunteers are being sought to help with the 4-H portion of the Kansas State Fair which will be held September 10th through 19th with some 4-H exhibit judging occurring September 8th through 9th. If you are willing to assist, please let the Extension Office know by August 2nd.

Vet Med ROCKS Summer Camp

This series of day camps is set for August 1-4 for youth ages third grade to pre-vet students. Virtual and in-person options are available. Find more information and register at <https://www.vet.k-state.edu/asp/rocks/>. Register by July 9th.

Calendar of Events

June

- 15 Commercial Heifer/Market Lamb/Commercial Ewe/Market Hog/
Commercial Breeding Gilt/All Meat Goat state nominations must
be postmarked
- 17 Camp Counselor Training begins 5pm @ Rock Springs
- 18-21 4-H Camp @ Rock Springs
- 27-30 4-H Campference @ Rock Springs
- 28-30 Flint Hills Farm to Fashion Camp @ KSU
- 30 Fair Pre-entries due by 5pm
- 30 Midwest Photography Challenge entries due

July

- 1 District Horse Show, Salina
- 7 Poultry Testing for Fair, 5:30-6:30pm @ fairgrounds
- 8 Fair Queen Interviews, evening
- 12 Clothing/Fashion Revue Judging
- 15 Kansas State Fair livestock entries due
- 15 Public Revue
- 17 4-H Dog Show, 8:00am
- 17 Fair Clean-up at 10:30am, Fairgrounds
- 18-22 Geary County Free Fair
- 23 After Fair Family Celebration @ City Pool, 7:15-9pm

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Hope you are all enjoying summer and looking forward to the 2021 Geary County Free Fair! Don't forget that fair pre-entries are due to the Extension Office or online by June 30th at 5:00pm.

Ginger D. Kopfer
County Extension Agent

K-State Research and Extension is committed to providing equal opportunity for participation in all programs, services and activities. Accommodations for persons with disabilities may be requested by contacting the event contact (Ginger Kopfer) two weeks prior to the start of the event at gtkopfer@ksu.edu or 785-238-4161. Requests received less than two weeks before the event will be honored when it is feasible to do so.

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EXHIBITOR NAME AND NUMBERS

Please mark your exhibitor number on each fair entry card or entry list.

Name	Number
ALEXANDER, Evelyn	54604
ALEXANDER, Mae	54605
ANDERES, Archer	54624
ARMBRUSTER, Chelsey	54355
ASCHER, Lindsey	12457
BAUER, Colton	54625
BECK, Ivy	54466
BECK, Jance	54603
BLOCKCOLSKY, Braden	54582
BLOCKCOLSKY, Colden	54583
BOLLER, Ray Jr.	54523
BRADLEY, Addelynn	54626
BRADLEY, Audriana	54584
BRADLEY, Layla	54524
BRADLEY, Lillyana	54525
BROWN, Cody	54410
BROWN, Kaycee	54554
BUTLER, Kacey	43652
BUTLER, Kaitlyn	51632
DIBBEN, Brittney	54407
DIBBEN, Deyton	54471
DIBBEN, Kourtney	54352
DIBBEN, Mikayla	54326
DONOHOO, Alana	54428
DONOHOO, Allyson	54429
DONOHOO, Alyce	54430
DONOVAN, Aria	54627
ELLIS, Rylie	28914
ERICHSEN, Gracie	54431
FERRIS, Zachery	54356
GFELLER, Clara	54474
GFELLER, Emmy	54475
GFELLER, Gracen	54585
GIBSON, Addison	54529
GLASGOW, Kelly	54586
GOGGINS, Kayleigh	54628
GOODYEAR, Caden	54482
GOODYEAR, Ethan	54408
GOODYEAR, Macy	54587

Name	Number
GUSTAFSON, Tava	54433
GUSTAFSON, Taylor	54327
HALL, Natalie	54609
HALL, Sammie	54610
HAROLD, Madalynn	54556
HAROLD, Olivia	54557
HAYCOOK, Cody	54483
HELLER, Kaci	54558
HESSLER, Corbin	54602
HICKS, Rylan	54629
HINDS, Emma	54404
HOLM, Colton	54611
HOLM, Logan	54561
JAHNKE, Heston	54435
JAHNKE, Cassidy	54436
JENKINS, Jordan	26153
KING, Mallory	54612
KLINE, Jared	54562
KLINE, Olivia	54533
KRAMER, Karley	54534
KVACIK, Lily	54630
KVACIK, Nora	54631
LANGVARDT, Nolan	54632
LANGVARDT, Reece	54437
LANGVARDT, Weston	54389
LAUDICK, Lucas	54613
LEACH, Liliana	54645
LEACH, Nora	54643
LEACH, Olivia	54644
LEASURE, Cori	54439
LEASURE, Hannah	54440
LEASURE, Travis	54441
LIETZAN, Alli	54442
LIETZAN, Tucker	54443
McCALLUM, Cade	54589
McCALLUM, Kinley	54614
McDONALD, Kara	54633
McDONALD, Kyla	54634
McILWAIN, David	29661

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MILLER, Cassidy	54340
MILLER, Hanna	54447
MILLER, Newt	54492
MILLER, Wyatt	54414
MORELAND, Kennedy	54635
MUTO, Macie	54321
NABUS, Brock	54517
NABUS, Jada	54382
NABUS, Logan	54383
NABUS, Morgan	54384
NUTTER, Natalie	54592
OENTRICH, Ava	54540
OENTRICH, Eliot	54541
OENTRICH, Grady	54542
OLSON, Lorelei	54543
OLSON, Shevy	54450
PEIRSOL, Cailen	54636
PETERSON, Sophia	54563
PETERSON, Zoey	54545
PROIETTI, Blake	54454
PROIETTI, Case	54564
PROIETTI, Tyler	54497
RE, Eliana	54637
ROESER, Grant	54381
ROESER, Jacob	54460
ROESER, Paige	54386
RYAN, Bo	54615
RYAN, Eloise	54616
SANNER, Creytin	54336
SCHMIDT, Ava	54546
SCHMIDT, Elaina	14698

Name	Number
SCHULTZ, Sebastian	54501
SEDERLIN, Addi	54618
SEDERLIN, Maddi	54620
SLOUGH, Grant	54598
SMITH, Elisabeth	54638
SNIDER, Addy	54639
SNIDER, Cade	54599
SOHNREY, Austin	54547
SOHNREY, Kaitlyn	54373
STANLEY, Josie	54548
STANLEY, Morgen	54622
STRAUSS, Amelia	54503
STRAUSS, April	54549
STRAUSS, Arthur	54623
STRAUSS, Charles	54504
STRAUSS, Josie	54413
STRAUSS, William	54550
TAYLOR, Meilia	54640
WEEKS, Colton	54337
WEST, Clara	54641
WEST, Herbert	54642
WILLIAMS, Adrian	54505
WILLIAMS, Aleeya	54506
WILLIAMS, Jewels	54507
ZLOTOW, Matt	54553
Blue Line 4-H Club	90001
Brookside 4-H Club	90002
Clarks Creek 4-H Club	90003
Humboldt 4-H Club	90004
Lyon Creek 4-H Club	90008