

SOUTHWIND 4-H

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DATES TO REMEMBER:

July

3 – Southwind Shooting Sports Meeting, Stark

5 – Southwind Shooting Sports Meeting, Stark

7 – Southwind Shooting Sport Meeting, Stark

10 – District Horse Show, Parsons

12 – Southwind Shooting Sports Meeting, Stark

13-18 – Woodson Co Fair

14-20 – Bourbon Co Fair

19-23 – Neosho Co Fair

23 – KS 4-H Wheat Expo

Registration Deadline

26-30 – Allen Co Fair

August

1 – Ks 4-H Livestock

Sweepstakes Reg. Deadline

2 – KS 4-H ST Wheat Expo, Hutchinson

18 – ST 4-H Horticulture Judging Contest

18-19 – Ks 4-H Livestock Sweepstakes, Manhattan

October

1 – Discovery Days Task Force Apps Due

13-14 – 48 Hours of 4-H

December

1 – Online Enrollment Due

Extension Offices Closed
July 4th

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2019 DISCOVERY DAYS TASK FORCE

APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE

Do you love attending 4-H Discovery Days? We encourage you to apply to be on the Discovery Days Task Force for 2019! Discovery Days Task Force Applications are now available. Applications are due October 1, applicants should expect to be notified by November 1 as to their selection as a Task Force member. You can find the link at <http://www.kansas4-h.org/events-activities/conferences-events/discovery-days/index.html> it is in the gray box to the right at the bottom.

RAISED HANDS FOR 4-H

Thank you all so much for the momentum you helped create over the past month for the Raise Your Hand for 4-H social media campaign. We are so excited to announce that Kansas 4-H placed 3rd in this national contest and won \$5,000 for our 4-H youth! We are so proud to be part of a community that fights for Kansas 4-H.

DISTRICT-WIDE T-SHIRTS

There has been some requests for District 4-H Shirts to use for different activities, including judging contests. The t-shirts will be green with a white logo and are made of a soft material. Orders and money are due by July 24th. If you would like to place an order, please use this link to do so: <https://goo.gl/forms/CUaKZ7BikMeZMYQS2>

T-Shirt Prices:

Youth S-XL = \$7.00

Adult XS-XL = \$7.00

Adult 2XL = \$8.50

Adult 3XL = \$10.00

4-H FCS JUDGING HEALTH CONTEST

What does health look like where you live?

Here is the quick scoop:

- Youth in two age categories (9-13) and (14-18) can team up (2-4 youth per team) to focus on a local health aspect.
- The team will identify a health aspect to address, collect information about the aspect and create a video about the aspect.
- Video links are due to Andrea Feldkamp afeld@ksu.edu by July 10.
- Video entries will be reviewed, and qualifying entries will be invited to participate in the September 15th contest at the Kansas State Fair.
- Team winners of the September 15th contest are eligible to receive \$250 towards the team's solution plan for their local health aspect.
- Visit <http://www.kansas4-h.org/events-activities/contests/fcs-judging/index.html> for rubric links and full contest details.

JUDGING CONTEST

You are invited to participate in the 4-H Judging Contests held during the Bourbon County Fair.

Registration helps us prepare for those participating while reducing unnecessary paper waste. Please register at <https://goo.gl/forms/6UAL7mKdZBxgURQ2> by July 9th if you plan on participating.

FACS Judging and Sensory Kit is available for check out from the Fort Scott Office. These can be used at your Community 4-H Club, a project meeting, or independently. Contact Joy Miller at 620-223-3720 or joymiller@ksu.edu for more information or to coordinate getting one.

KANSAS 4-H LEADERSHIP WEEKEND – KYLF & KVF

The Kansas Youth Leadership Forum (KYLF) and the Kansas Volunteer Forum will soon be on the 4-H Online CVent Registration System. The Forums will be held November 17-18, 2018 at Rock Springs 4-H Center. KYLF is for youth ages 14-18 before January 1, 2018 and KVF is for all Kansas 4-H Volunteers. KYLF will feature leadership workshops, Youth Council Elections, and opportunities to learn and have fun. The Kansas 4-H Volunteer forum will feature workshops and information to help volunteers be more effective. Again this year participants in both forums will register through the same system. Registration deadline is October 15, 2018 for both events at an early bird rate or before November 1 at the regular rate.

RECORD BOOKS/KANSAS AWARD PORTFOLIO (KAP)

As soon as the County Fair ends, it is a good time to begin working on Record Books. If you are needing any help with completing these books or are completely new to the process, please let Jennifer know. Jennifer will be in the Iola Office on Mondays and Fort Scott Office on Wednesdays throughout August and September.

Record Books are due to your club leaders at their specific deadline to have plenty of time to review books before they are due to the Extension Office on October 1st. Books that are turned in after the deadline of your club leader will not be judged for county-wide awards.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA



SOUTHEAST AREA MULTI-CONTEST DAY

Southeast Area Multi-Contest Day was held in Emporia on Tuesday, June 12. Southwind had great representation from the District. Here are the results:

Crops Judging-

Levi Meiwes – 9th Sr. Individual
Carly Krmaer – 4th Inter. Individual
Abigail Meiwes – 6th Inter. Individual

Favorite Foods Show-

Abby Rinehart – 2nd Individual
Rayanne McKinsey – Participation

FCS Judging-

Levi Meiwes – 6th Sr. Individual
Abigail Meiwes – 4th Inter. Individual
Abby Rinehart – 10th Inter. Individual
Abby Rinehart, Carly Kramer, Jenni Armstrong, and Abigail Meiwes – 2nd Intermediate Team

Horticulture Judging-

Levi Meiwes – 10th Sr. Individual
Carly Kramer – 4th Inter. Individual
Abigail Meiwes – 5th Inter. Individual

Photography Judging-

Levi Meiwes – 8th Sr. Individual
Abby Rinehart – 10th Inter. Individual
Congratulations to everyone!

DISTRICT 4-H FAVORITE FOODS SHOW

The Southwind District 4-H Favorite Foods Show was held at Moran Manor on Saturday, June 9. Those receiving top placings were eligible to attend the Southeast Area 4-H Favorite Foods Show in Emporia on Tuesday, June 12. Results are as follows:

Southwind – Iola:

Top Junior – Jenni Armstrong
Top Junior – Abby Rinehart
Blue Junior – Bailey LaRue
Blue Junior – Carly Kramer
Cloverbud – Henry Kramer

Southwind – Erie:

Top Senior – Rayanne McKinsey
Top Junior – Karlyn Bennett
Cloverbud – Nathan Bennett
Congratulations to everyone!

2018 DISTRICT HORSE SHOW

When: July 10, 2018

Where: Parsons State Hospital Arena

Registration and information is posted on the Southwind website. Must complete level testing for District and State Fair.

KANSAS STATE FAIR GRAND DRIVE ENTRIES OPEN

The entry deadline for the Kansas State Fair Grand Drive is July 15th. The Grand Drive is the youth livestock show held annually as part of the Kansas State Fair. Please remember that a complete nomination does NOT constitute entry. Nomination is just the first step to make market animals and commercial females eligible for the state shows. Youth who plan to exhibit in the market or breeding livestock division (beef cattle, swine, sheep, meat goats) must submit an official entry through the Kansas State Fair entry system, as well as pay the appropriate entry fees. Exhibitors may enter online or submit an entry form that is postmarked by July 15th. Youth will need to submit a W-9 as part of the entry process. Also, continuing from 2017, an extension agent or ag teacher signature is no longer required on the entry form. Once all entries have been processed, extension agents and ag teachers will electronically approve all of the members who have entered under their county/chapter. Rules, reminders, and entry information may be found on the Kansas State Fair website, under the Grand Drive tab.
Grand Drive Online
Entries: <https://kansas.fairwire.com/>
Please contact the Kansas State Fair directly at (620) 669-3600 with questions regarding Grand Drive entries.

POULTRY TESTING FOR LOCAL FAIR

The Kansas State Veterinarian suggested all poultry needing testing for Pullorum-Typhoid should be tested at least 10 day prior to the county fair rather than on entry day. The Kansas State Fair General rules states that if testing on site, any birds that test positive for Pullorum-Typhoid, the entire entry, as well as all other birds from the same premises, will be refused. Plan ahead as it's better to be safe than sorry.

2018 STATE 4-H HORTICULTURE JUDGING CONTEST

The State 4-H Horticulture Judging Contest will be held Saturday, August 18, 2018 on the campus of Kansas State University, Manhattan. Registration information will be on the web in early July. The study material for years 2017 and 2018 is taken from The Kansas Garden Guide, KSRE publication S-51 (Rev.) March 2010. This publication is available for purchase at local Extension offices or can be downloaded The Kansas Garden Guide. Effective January 1, 2015, contestants who have judged as an official team member at the National Junior Horticulture Association Judging Contest are not eligible to compete as a team or as an individual at the State Kansas 4-H Horticulture Judging Contest.

DISTRICT-WIDE PET FOOD DRIVE

Kristy Beene member of Hiattville 4-H Club is holding a Pet Food Drive for Lee's Paws and Claws in Fort Scott. You may bring cat and dog food or pet treats to your local office in July. Please make sure all donations are in by August 1. This is a great citizenship opportunity!

SOUTHWIND SHOOTING SPORTS

The following dates have been set for District-Wide Shooting Sports: July 3rd, 5th, 10th and 12th at 7 pm at the Grant Community Building in Stark. For more information contact Donna Kovacic 620-224-3371.

FLOAT TRIP WILDCAT & SOUTHWIND DISTRICTS CHEROKEE COUNTY

Attention 4-H'ers age 14+, here's a trip for you! Parents are also welcome!

It will take place in Noel, Mo., August 25th. Bring a sack lunch, Dinner is included. Register by August 3rd. We will need a waiver.

2018 KS 4-H STATE WHEAT EXPO

Join us for the annual event on Wednesday, August 2nd from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Community Center, 101 W. Avenue C, South Hutchinson, KS 67505. It is open to all 4-H family members, 4-H leaders and Extension staff. There will be eight contests open to youth members with cash prizes and ribbons awarded. There will be three tours. There is a \$6.00 per person registration cost. Visit: <http://www.kansas4-h.org/events/index.html>. Pre-registration will be required by Monday, July 23rd to ensure an accurate meal count and tour divisions.

KS 4-H LIVESTOCK SWEEPSTAKES

The 2018 Kansas 4-H Livestock Sweepstakes will be held August 18-19 on the K-State campus in Manhattan, KS. Events include the state 4-H livestock judging contest, meat judging contest, livestock skillathon, and livestock quiz bowl. The members who will represent Kansas at the national 4-H contest for each of these events will be selected during the livestock sweepstakes weekend. Members are invited to participate in as many or as few of the activities as they would like. So, a 4-H'er is welcome to only participate in the livestock judging contest, or compete in all four of the contests provided, as approved by the local Extension Unit. Contestants in all events must register through their local extension office by the entry deadline, August 1. All entries must be made by the local Extension Office using Cvent. Rules and the Coach's Guide are posted on the Youth Livestock Program website (www.asi.k-state.edu/research-and-extension/youth-programs), under "4-H Livestock Sweepstakes".

THE ALLEN COUNTY FAIR SCHEDULE

Read carefully for changes in your project areas. The schedule is on the back page of the Fair Tab and more detailed information is available in each Division for project. Notable changes include:

- Photography consultation judging will be TUESDAY, JULY 24th at the Bowlus Fine Arts Center.
- 4-H Club Exhibits (booth, banner, foods table, billboard) set up WEDNESDAY, JULY 25th, 5-7 pm.
- 4-H Indoor Exhibits received WEDNESDAY, JULY 25th, 5-7 pm.
- 4-H Foods consultation judging will be THURSDAY, JULY 26th, OPEN SCHEDULE, 1-4 pm (Must be checked in by 3 pm)

COUNTY FAIR SET-UP/CLEAN-UP

Saturday, July 21st @ 7:00 am
All Allen County 4-H Families should plan to be in attendance at the pre-fair clean-up on Saturday, July 21st at Riverside Park. Club leaders will have your assigned clean-up area, so please check in with them when you get there. Beef Barn/Show Arena – City Slickers Swine/Sheep/Goat Barn & Baby Barn – Prairie Rose Concession Stand/Rodeo Arena – Logan Pals Community Building–Prairie Dell & Square B Trash Pick-up – Everyone. If one area is finished before another, we hope you will help out so we can be finished in a reasonable amount of time. Wear your work clothes and come prepared to paint, clean, and set-up all of our buildings for the Fair. All members need to check-in with the Agents so we can keep track of stall fee refunds. This activity is for **ALL** members, not just livestock families.

LIVESTOCK STALL FEES

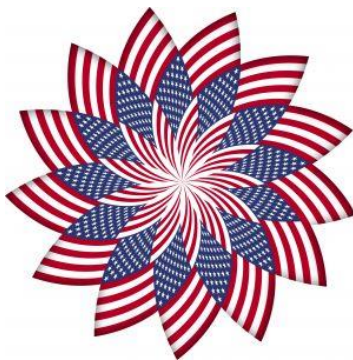
All beef, sheep, swine, goats & horses will be charged a \$10 refundable stall fee during the Allen County Fair. Bucket calves, rabbits and poultry will be charged \$1. Please submit fees in the form of a check (no cash, please) to the Southwind Extension District by entry deadline July 13th, 2018. Deposits will be refunded after fair upon a member meeting the following requirements: Assistance at pre-fair cleanup; Assistance at post-fair cleanup; Assistance with set-up for the livestock premium sale; Superintendents & Extension Agents will determine refunds based on sign-up at previously listed events. Make sure to let and Extension Agent know that you are at each event!!

COUNTY FAIR ENTRIES

Entries for the Allen County Fair are due to the Extension Office by Friday, July 13th at 5:00pm. All late entries will be subject to a \$25 per exhibitor fee. Entry forms are available from your club leaders. All entries must be submitted, with parent signature, on the official entry form – no emails, phone calls or verbal entries will be accepted.

4-H COUNCIL

This is a reminder that the next 4-H Council meeting will be held on **Thursday, August 23rd at 7:00 pm** in the Extension Office. Remember, each representative is elected from their club to represent your membership and it is important you or a substitute be there at each meeting.



4-H Club Work Schedule

Friday Rodeo ▶ Logan Pals - 4-10:30 p.m.
Saturday Rodeo ▶ City Slickers - 4 p.m.-Midnight
Sunday Horse Pull ▶ Prairie Rose - 7:30-10:30 p.m.
Clean-Up ▶ Square B & Prairie Dell

Friday ▶ Prairie Dell - 4 p.m.-Dark
Saturday ▶ City Slickers - 12-2 p.m.
▶ Square B - 2-4 p.m. ▶ Logan Pals - 4-6 p.m.
▶ Prairie Rose 6 p.m.-Dark

▶ All workers should be 12 or older for concession stand and 18 or older to supervise inflatables
▶ 3-4 workers at the same time
▶ Clubs determine individual schedules
▶ Arrive 15 minutes before scheduled work time

4-H Family Swim Night

Sunday, July 29
6:30-8:30 p.m.
Iola Swimming Pool

ALLEN COUNTY FAIR SCHEDULE

Tuesday, July 24	
8 a.m. - 1 p.m.	4-H Clothing Construction, Baysmanbill, Fiber Arts, Photography Consultation Judging at Bowlus Fine Arts Center
6 p.m.	Friends of 4-H Style Revue, Iola High School
Wednesday, July 25	
5-7 p.m.	Open Class & 4-H Entries Received Set Up 4-H Club Exhibits (Booth, Banner, Billboard, Foods Table) Set Up of Commercial & Educational (PCE) Booths
Thursday, July 26	
7 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Open Class Entries Received (INCLUDING FOODS), Little Theater
7 a.m. - Noon	4-H Entries Received (Clothing, Fiber Arts, Notebooks, Posters, Geology, Entomology, Space Tech, Woodworking, Electric, Forestry, Welding, Plant Science, Flowers)
7 a.m. - Noon	Unload Beef, Sheep, Swine, Goats, Horse, Rabbit & Poultry
8 a.m. - 10 p.m.	Baby Barnyard Open
9 - 10 a.m.	Swine Weigh In
10 - 11 a.m.	Sheep & Meat Goat Weigh In
11 a.m. - Noon	Beef Weigh-In
1-4 p.m.	4-H Foods Consultation Judging (Open Schedule) Must be checked in by 3 p.m.
2 p.m.	Judging Of All Open Class Indoor Exhibits
2-4 p.m.	Crafts, Baby Barnyard
5 p.m.	Community Building Open To View Exhibits
6 p.m.	4-H Swine Show, Show Arena
6 p.m.	Baked Pie Contest, Apple Pie Only, Little Theater
6-9 p.m.	Kansas Wildlife & Parks, Baby Barnyard
6:30 p.m.	FREE Watermelon Feed, arena area (Sponsored by PSI Insurance)
Friday, July 27	
8 a.m. - 9 p.m.	Community Building Open To View Exhibits
8 a.m. - 10 p.m.	Baby Barnyard Open
9 a.m.	4-H Horse Show, Rodeo Arena
1 p.m.	Dairy Show, Show Arena
2-4 p.m.	Crafts, Baby Barnyard
4 p.m. - Dark	Inflatables (\$10 for the day or \$15 for both days)
4-5 p.m.	Reba E. Davis Drumming Circle Performance, Free Stage
5-6 p.m.	Singer Hannah Andersen, Free Stage
5-8 p.m.	Heartland Rural Electric Safety Demonstration
5:30-8 p.m.	KIWANIS Train Rides, Pick Up Near Baby Barnyard
6 p.m.	4-H Meat Goat Show, Followed By Sheep Show, Show Arena
6-7 p.m.	Miss Chelsea's Dance Academy Free Stage
6:30 p.m.	Registration For Mutton Busting, Rodeo Arena
7-8 p.m.	Singer Becky French, Free Stage
7 p.m.	Mutton Busting, Rodeo Arena (Sponsored by JD's Tire & Auto)
8 p.m.	URA-MRCA RODEO, Rodeo Arena (Rodeo Ticket Takers: Community National Bank - Humboldt) (\$10 or 2 event tickets)
Saturday, July 28	
8 a.m. - 9 p.m.	Community Building Open To View Exhibits
8 a.m. - 10 p.m.	Baby Barnyard Open
8 a.m.	Iola Rotor Club Smoker's Hot Cars & BBQ
9 a.m.	4-H Rabbit Show Followed By Poultry Show
10 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.	Picnic in the Park Community Feed (Sponsored by Iola Rotor Club)
10 a.m.	Register For Dry Land Turtle Race & Best Dressed Pet Contest, Baby Barnyard
10:30 a.m.	Dry Land Turtle Race, North Of Baby Barnyard
11 a.m.	Best Dressed Pet Contest, Show Arena
Noon	Reunion of Baby Barn Crew, Baby Barnyard
Noon - Dark	Inflatables (\$10 for the day or \$15 for both days)
2-4 p.m.	Birthday Cake for the Baby Barn, Baby Barnyard
5-6 p.m.	Singer Brenda Clark, Free Stage
5:30 p.m.	4-H Bucket Call Show, Show Arena
5:30-8 p.m.	KIWANIS Train Rides, Pick Up Near Baby Barnyard
6 p.m.	4-H Beef Show, Show Arena
6-8 p.m.	Loren Lance And The Mildred Store Band, Free Stage
6:30 p.m.	Registration For Mutton Busting, Rodeo Arena
7 p.m.	Mutton Busting, Rodeo Arena (Sponsored by JD's Tire & Auto)
8 p.m.	URA-MRCA RODEO, Rodeo Arena (Rodeo Ticket Takers: Community National Bank - Humboldt) (\$10 or 2 event tickets)
Sunday, July 29	
8:30 a.m.	Worship In The Park, Iola Area Ministerial Association (IAMA)
10 - 10 p.m.	Baby Barnyard Open
10 a.m. - 10 p.m.	Community Building Open
9 a.m.	Crafts, Baby Barnyard
2-4 p.m.	Barnyard Olympics, Show Arena
3 p.m.	Gospel Singers JD Moffatt, Kim Douglas & Shelu McDonald, free stage
3-4:30 p.m.	Gale Ritter Pedal Pull Registration, East of Community Building
4 p.m.	Round Robin Contest, Show Arena
4-5 p.m.	Gale Ritter Pedal Pull Registration, East of Community Building
5-7 p.m.	Gale Ritter Pedal Pull (Sponsored By Allen County Farm Bureau)
5 p.m.	4-H Trophy Presentation, Little Theater
5:30-8 p.m.	KIWANIS Train Rides, Pick Up Near Baby Barnyard
6:30-8:30 p.m.	4-H Family Swim Night, Iola Municipal Pool
8 p.m.	TERRY ELLIS MEMORIAL DRAFT HORSE PULL (\$5 or 1 event ticket)
9-10 p.m.	4-H & Open Class Indoor Exhibits & Booths Released
Monday, July 30	
7:30 a.m.	4-H & Open Class Indoor Exhibits & Booths Released
8 a.m. - 8 p.m.	Baby Barnyard Open
9 a.m.	4-H Livestock Judging Contest
9-11 a.m.	4-H Clean-Up of Indoor Exhibit Areas
Noon	4-H Purple Ribbon Pictures, Show Arena
1 p.m.	Non-Sale Livestock Released 4-H Clean-Up of Fairgrounds Set Up For Livestock Sale
6 p.m.	Livestock Buyers' Appreciation Dinner
7 p.m.	4-H/FFA Livestock Sale