The best way to reach us is by phone/email. In this newsletter, you will find info on important dates for 2022, animal information, QA trainings and Cloverbud Connections, and more. Information about upcoming due dates on last page.

4-H Enrollment – DEADLINE WAS APRIL 1!

2022 4-H Numbers are 545 members and 119 Cloverbuds = 664 total!

Thank you to all who enrolled!

* This is the highest numbers that we have seen in eight years.

If you have changed your email, phone, address, please log in and update it.
Please visit http://v2.4honline.com/ to do so.

QA Training Dates

Thursday, April 14, 6:00 PM, Via Zoom
https://osu.zoom.us/j/96764697525?pwd=WFG4bm9FTGNTNmRLZjY0bEt1ZVBhUT09

Tuesday, May 10, 6:00 PM
Location will be announced

Any youth wishing to exhibit an animal at the fair in 2022 is required to complete Quality Assurance. Quality Assurance for exhibition at the Greene County Fair must be completed by June 1st. Any youth wishing to exhibit at the Ohio State Fair MUST complete Quality Assurance prior to the start of the OSF. All youth wishing to exhibit SWINE at the OSF must have a parent/guardian complete PQA. Contact Trevor Corboy by emailing at corboy.3@osu.edu for how to complete PQA.

Attention to all Club Advisors

Flower Sale Orders NEED to be picked up on Tuesday, May 3. Time will be announced soon.

2022 Cloverbud Cloverbot Challenge

It’s time for the 2022 Ohio 4-H Cloverbot Challenge! This year’s theme is Wonderful Water and Cloverbud teams will explore this important resource and create their own project. Find all the details here: https://ohio4h.org/families/cloverbuds/cloverbot-challenge.

The 4-H department will purchase the kit for participating clubs. If your club plans to participate, please contact Rebecca Supinger at supinger.5@osu.edu by April 8.
Thank You!
To all that participated in the March Camp Counselor Butter Braid Fund Raiser!

Greene County Camper and Camp Counselor April Fund Raiser is selling Pies from the Pie Peddler. Deadline for orders to be placed is Wednesday, April 20. See a camper or camp counselor to place an order or you can come in the office. Order form with flavors is attached.

2022 Greene County Camp Information

Go For the Gold at 4-H Camp Clifton - 2022 Overnight Camp
Dates: Sunday, June 12, 3:30 PM - Thursday, June 16, 10:00 AM
Cost: $250.00 per camper, some activities are an extra charge

Treasure Island - 2022 Cloverbud Camp at Camp Clifton
Dates: Monday, June 13, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Cost: $45.00 per camper

DEADLINE to register is Friday, May 13

All information and forms can be found on our camp web page at https://greene.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development/camp

CALLING ALL CLUBS

Straw Bale, Deadline to have Straw Bale in place, July 30 at 5:00 PM

Silent Basket Auction, Deadline to have basket in place, July 29 at 4:00 PM

Information for the contests listed about are found at: https://greene.osu.edu/sites/greene/files/imce/Program_Pages/4H/CountryTeenForms/project%20requirements%202022.pdf
### Poultry Dates

**Turkey Pick Up**  
Wednesday, April 13

**Market Chicken and Duck Orders**  
DUE  
Friday, May 6

**Market Chicken and Duck Pick Up**  
Wednesday, June 15

Check the Greene County Ohio 4-H Poultry Committee Facebook for Times

### Hog Pictures - DUE MAY 12

Pig secure date is May 5, 2022.

**Pictures of secured hogs must be turned into the Extension Office by 4:00 p.m. on May 12, 2022.** Hard copy pictures will only be accepted. NO electronic copies, including but not limited to emailed pictures, faxed pictures, cd-disc pictures, flash-drive pictures, etc. MUST BE PRINTED PICTURES, NO EXCEPTIONS. The pictures must show the ear notches of each pig and the side view of each pig. On the back of the picture please list the exhibitors name, club name and gender of the hog. Please note; if there are multiple siblings and pigs, you are permitted to put all siblings name on the same picture.

### Goat and Sheep Information

Tag In Day is Saturday, May 7  
Time: 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM at the Greene County Fairgrounds

**All exhibitors** need to enter your goat and sheep information before the May 1, DEADLINE. This will help tag in day go smoother.

**Goat** -  
[www.go.osu.edu/gcgoattagin22](http://www.go.osu.edu/gcgoattagin22)

**Sheep** -  
[www.go.osu.edu/gcsheephtagin22](http://www.go.osu.edu/gcsheephtagin22)

**Homegrown Registration and Pictures are Due, April 15**

**DEADLINE to ENTER is MAY 1**

### Fair Entry – Deadline Tuesday, July 5th

All 4-H and FFA Exhibitors need to register animals and reserve your animal and tack pens for the 2022 Greene County Fair. Link will be posted soon.
Ohio 4-H Night at the Dayton Dragons

Families can purchase tickets directly at www.go.osu.edu/ohio4hdaytondragons  Tickets are $10.00.

The game is at the Day Air Ballpark in downtown Dayton. The game will be on Saturday, May 7. Game starts at 7:05 pm, with gates opening at 6 pm.

Please be sure to line up behind the outfield lawn area (Lawn D) by 6:15 pm to participate in a pre-game parade of all the 4-H counties in attendance this evening.

For more information, or if you have any questions, please contact your Dragons representative: Carl Hertzberg - carl.hertzberg@daytondragons.com
**DATES TO REMEMBER**

April 1: DEADLINE to Enroll in Greene County 4-H!

April 1: Secure date for Dogs.

April 1: Across County Line Forms, DUE

April 13: Market Turkey Pick Up, 3:00-5:00 PM, Sales Office, Swine Barn

April 14: Livestock Quality Assurance, 6:00 PM, Place TBA

April 15: Homegrown Sheep, Registration and Pictures, DUE, [www.go.osu.edu/gcsheepitagin22](http://www.go.osu.edu/gcsheepitagin22)

April 15: OSU Scholarship Application, DUE online

April 20: Gr. Co. Teen Leadership Council Meeting, 6:00 PM at OSUE

April 22: DEADLINE for Clubs and Committees to turn in paperwork.
(Constitution, Bylaws, County Dues, Yearly Calendar, Completed Charter and Roster Changes)

April 22: Horse paperwork, DUE

April 29: Last Day to Order 4-H Project Books

May 1: Goat and Sheep Information for Tag In, DUE

May 1: Animal Lease Form, DUE

May 1: Secure date for feeder calves, dairy feeders, hogs, dairy cattle, cats, sheep, goats, rabbits, beef breeding, camelids, poultry (except market chickens and ducks), and small animals.

May 3: Club Flower Pick Up, Time: TBA

May 5: Pie Pick-Up, TBA

May 7: Livestock Location Form, DUE

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**Important Dates for 2022**

June 12 – June 16 – 4-H Camp

June 13 – Cloverbud Camp

June 29 and June 30 – Pre-Fair Judging Dates, Reg. Required, TBA

July 25 – Skill-a-thons – 9:00 am – Noon

July 26 – Skill-a-thons – 1:00 – 3:00 pm

July 27 – August 7 – Ohio State Fair

July 31 – August 6 – Greene County Fair

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**HOLD THE DATE!**

1st Annual – 4-H Club Community Service Day, Wednesday, June 22

More Information To Come

**NEW Cloverbud Connections Blog Post**

Don’t miss out on reading the new Cloverbud Connections blog post.

*Just Like the Big Kids – Using “My 4-H Cloverbud Year”*

[https://u.osu.edu/cloverbudconnections/2022/03/21/just-like-the-big-kids-using-my-4-h-cloverbud-year/](https://u.osu.edu/cloverbudconnections/2022/03/21/just-like-the-big-kids-using-my-4-h-cloverbud-year/)

Also, consider signing up to receive these emails directly.

**Greene Clover Newsletter**

Every enrolled family should be receiving this on the first Monday of the month via 4honline. If not, please call our office.

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Brenda at sandman-stover.1@osu.edu
Hare Raisers 4-H Club
March 20, 2022
In this meeting, we welcomed two new Cloverbud members! We also highlighted the cooking projects that can be taken to fair. Both Cloverbuds and 4-H members were split into two groups to rotate to the different stations. Station one was making homemade chocolate chip cookies, station two was making homemade pizzas and station three was color Easter cards for the Hope project at Greeneview Middle School. The Hope club will deliver the cards to cancer patients. We also discussed one of our community service activities which is collecting food for the Food Pantry. We will join the friendly competition between clubs to see who can collect the most cans of food!
By: C. Montgomery

Hare Raisers 4-H Club
January 30, 2022
In this meeting we welcomed everyone back. Each member introduced themselves and stated what projects they were interested in taking to fair this year. New members were given a copy of the family guide and calendar from the extension office. We reviewed our constitution and by-laws. We also went over each officer position. We discussed community service as well as future fundraiser ideas.
By: C. Montgomery

Creek Crafters and Creators 4-H Club
March 7, 2022.
At this meeting, we discussed fundraiser ideas, the registration deadline of April 1st and county fees due in April. We shared the activities we participated in during 4-H week. We went over project requirements, activities offered at the fair, and the Clover Newsletter that came out today. We also reviewed upcoming important dates for the rest of the year. Project demonstrations were given by Kinley and Makena. Our next meeting will be April 4th at 6:30 p.m.
By: Z. Gunset

Showtime 4-H Club
March 14, 2022
At today's meeting we discussed upcoming events and answered questions. We also had a presentation by Aaron Schrand which he did on events that he participates in at rodeos.
By: Z. Culbreath

Clover Valley 4-H Club
March 17, 2022
Happy New Year! The past two years have not been the best so let's hope this one will be better. Anyways, here is the latest news from the Clover Valley 4-H Club! Officer roles were decided. T-shirt designs were voted for and are being made. 4-H camp enrollment is due by May 13 at 4pm. The Club project was decided to be the Duct Tape project. Meetings will be at the George Barrett house at 6:30-7:30 unless told otherwise. Club members are deciding and paying for the resources they need for their personal projects. That's all the news for now, Happy New Year!
By: R. Urschel

Showtime 4-H Club
February 20, 2022
In this meeting officers were elected. President: Reagan Montgomery, Vice President: Ella Simmons, Secretary: Ruthie Palmer, Treasurer: Lucas Montgomery, News Reporter: Kamiah Mossbarger. We collected dues as well as book fees. Cloverbuds painted picture frames. We decided our community service activities will be a community clean up at Shawnee Lake on April 16th, we will also be collecting cans of food for the Food Pantry. Our fundraiser will be selling Usborne boxed card sets again this year. We also discussed QA requirements. We answered questions about registration and helped those who needed help!
By: C. Montgomery

Club Reports
If your 4-H Club is working on their Honor Club application for this year. One of the requirements is that you have three club reports in the monthly Greene Clover 4-H Newsletter. Club reporters can send the reports to Brenda at sandman-stover.1@osu.edu
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Make Checks Payable To Seller's Organization

See Office for Order Form
4-H Club Straw Bale Contest

Theme: Happy 120th Birthday 4-H!

Your straw bale needs to say Happy Birthday to 4-H! It also needs to include highlights from your club.

Requirements:
- Size is limited to one square/rectangle straw bale only.
- Your display must stay within the parameters of the bale of straw.
- The bales of straw will be on display the whole week of fair. The OSU Extension, Greene County is not responsible for any loss of items on the bale of straw.
- Straw bales need to be placed around the livestock barns on the fairgrounds.
- Name stakes will be provided by the OSU Extension office.
- All entries need to be in place by Saturday, July 30 at 5:00 PM.
- Clubs will be responsible for picking/cleaning up their bale on Saturday, August 6, by 6:00 PM. Any bales left after this time will be disposed of.

Any questions, contact Brenda at sandman-stover.1@osu.edu
4-H Club/Committee Silent Basket Auction

Theme: Your Club/Committee Will Decide

- Club/Committee may enter as many baskets as they would like.
- The Greene County Advisory Committee will oversee the sale of the baskets and collecting of the money.
- Name plates will be provided by the OSU Extension office.
- All baskets need to be in place by Friday, July 29 at 4:00 PM in the Assembly Building.
- Club/Committee will be responsible for including a list of items and Thank You note to the buyer.
- Attached form must accompany basket when dropped off. (see back)

Any questions, contact Brenda at sandman-stover.1@osu.edu
4-H Club Basket Silent Auction Form  
DUE: Friday, July 29

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* Please include a detailed list of the items in the basket and a thank you note to the buyer.

The Greene County Advisory Committee will be overseeing the silent auction, collection of monies and sending out of checks to the clubs. I understand that the Greene County Advisory Committee will be taking 10% of the total price for handling and processing fees.

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*Checks will only be issued to club/committees not individuals.

**Baskets are due to into the Assembly Building by Friday, July 29 at 4:00 PM.**

Preview day will be Sunday, July 31. Fair goers will start bidding on the baskets on Monday, August 1 at 8:00 AM. All basket winners will be announced Friday, August 5 via our county Facebook page at 1:00 PM. Basket winners can pick up their baskets Saturday, August 6, between the hours of 9:00 AM – Noon.