

The Greene Clover

GREENE COUNTY / 4-H

May/2023

The best way to reach us is by phone/email. In this newsletter, you will find information on important dates for 2023, Camp Information, Livestock Dates and More.

Note: Times and Dates are subject to change.

Greene County 4-H Camps

Wild Wild West at Camp Clifton

When: Friday, June 16 – Tuesday, June 20

Cost: \$275.00 per camper, some activities are extra

Register at this link:

https://osu.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_37UkJkt5kSQRa6

Explore Space at

Cloverbud Day Camp

When: Monday, June 19

Cost: \$50.00 per camper

Register at this link:

https://osu.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_78niqkZrjudunY2

Deadline to register will be Friday, May 12.

Greene County Project Guide and Requirements

- Where are the project requirements located?
- When receiving your project book, a copy of project requirements for that project are included for you.
- What is required in my project book for livestock skill-a-thons?
- What activities are offered in the assembly building, during the week of fair?

You can find the answers to all the questions above and more on our website at greene.osu.edu. Click on 4-H Youth Development, Project Information and Judging

Self-Determined (#365) Project Update

Just a reminder that all #365 Self-determined 4-H projects are judged on pre-fair judging days (July 11 or 12). Self-determined project related to animals will not be allowed to show at fair. The display will be in the Assembly Building, per county requirements for this project.

Attention to all Club Advisors
Flower Sale Orders NEED to be picked up
on Tuesday, May 3. At the Extension office
from 8:00 –10:30 AM.

2023 4-H Enrollment deadline was April 1!

If you have changed your email, phone, address, please log in and update it.

Please visit <http://v2.4honline.com/> to do so.



General 4-H Page



Heart of the Great Outdoors
4-H PROJECT DAY
 HOSTED BY OHIO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
ALUM CREEK STATE PARK
 Saturday, June 17, 2023
 10 am to 4 pm

The Ohio Department of Natural Resources invites Ohio 4-H members to explore the state's rich natural wonders through hands-on activities that fulfill the requirements of select project books.

 ohiodnr.gov/4HDay



OHIO CARTEENS
4-H Safety Education SPIN Club

Dates and Topics: See Below
 Time: 5:30 PM
 Cost: FREE!
 Zoom link: <https://go.osu.edu/2023cspclub>

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Starting CARTEENS Thursday, February 23 Getting started, guidelines from the court system, special teaching tools, and 4-H CARTEENS awards program.	Driving Distractions Thursday, May 18 Driving distractions inside and outside of the vehicle.	Seat Belts and Tractor Safety Thursday, October 19
Club Safety Thursday, March 23 Safety tips, ideas for safety officers, Cleveland safety.	Speeding, Reaction Time and Anxiety Thursday, June 22 Safety tips for speeding and activities to reinforce these tips.	Road Sense Thursday, November 9 Road signs, two tracks, and railroad crossings.
Challenging Audiences Thursday, April 20 Dealing with difficult students, volunteers, and parents.	Networks and Funding Thursday, September 28 Partnerships, Recruitment of instructors and Funding.	Impaired Driving Thursday, December 7 Alcohol, Drugs and Drowsy Driving.

4-H State CARTEENS Design Team Members will be hosting and teaching. This SPIN Club is open to any adult or youth to attend.

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Thank You Note Entries are DUE on Friday, May 26 to the OSUE Office.

4-H Urban Immersion Project September 21st – September 24th, 2023 - Washington D.C

The 4-H Urban Immersion Project (UIP) is an Ohio 4-H initiative that combines cross-cultural learning, teamwork and service learning in the urban environment of Washington, DC. This year marks the 10th anniversary of the UIP Experience!

4-H teens ages 15-18 and still in High School are eligible for this 4-day service-learning experience that will build skills and abilities to prepare youth for success in a diverse workplace as well as build cultural understanding of those who are different. This experience will not be about shopping or sightseeing, although we will visit some monuments and historic sites. The cost of the experience is \$180. Limited scholarship funds are also available. All teen applicants will be contacted to complete an additional phone interview before selection.

Who: Teens ages 15-18 (by the date of the trip – still in High School) - Space is limited.

Where: Washington, DC (*Washington Seminar Center - 201 4th St. SE, Washington, DC*)

When: Thursday (6am), September 21st – Sunday, September 24th, 2023

Application:

<https://acrobat.adobe.com/link/review?uri=urn:aaid:scds:US:6fe9638f-9d08-330c-844b-8a66900ed822> (go.osu.edu/uip23)

Cost: \$180 (check payable to Warren County Extension) (Includes most meals, program fees, overnight lodging and transportation)

Specie and Youth Building Royalty Applications are DUE on Friday May 26 to the OSUE Office. Applications can be found online at <https://greene.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development/livestock>

- What: **4-H Event Youth Assistant (4HEYA)**
- Who: Individuals aged 13-18 (as of January 1 of the year of application) and have at least 1 year prior 4-H experience.
- Timeframe: Apply by May 15, selection, training, service to OSF, and evaluation. Complete responsibilities by August 31, 2023.
 - Applications available at: <https://go.osu.edu/4HEYAapp>
 - Two references should be submitted at: <https://go.osu.edu/4HEYAref>
- Requirements (in addition to application/selection process):
 - Training - Must attend one of the options for training (July 11 or July 17)
 - Events - Must work a minimum of 3 events at the Ohio State Fair; may work more if desired
- Program Fee: \$25/person (paid at go.osu.edu/4HEYA25);
- What about the Teen Leadership Council? YES, these members may apply for 4HEYA AND TLC this year, if desired. TLC applications will be available in June and will be due the Friday following the Ohio State fair. Their term is September 1, 2023-August 31, 2024. Current TLC members are not eligible to apply for 4HEYA, as they are already fulfilling obligations at the Ohio State Fair.
- Questions? Contact Frances (foos.61@osu.edu) or Sarah (lono.79@osu.edu)



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4-H Master Clothing Educator Volunteer Online Textile and Clothing Trainings for 2023 for 4-H Youth Members

To register for Beginning Level Textile and Clothing April 18, 2023, from 7-8 PM online training complete the online survey by April 13 at 4:30 PM at <https://go.osu.edu/beginninglevelsewing2023>

To register for Intermediate Level Textile and Clothing April 27, 2023, 7-8 PM online training complete online survey by April 24 at 4:30 PM at <https://go.osu.edu/intermediatelevelsewing2023>

To register for Advanced Level Textile and Clothing May 4, 2023, 7-8 PM online training complete online survey by April 28 at 4:30 PM at <https://go.osu.edu/advancedlevelsewing2023>

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ohio4h.org

Accommodations: Youth with Special Needs

- 4-H welcomes and encourages youth with special needs to participate and will make reasonable accommodations. [The Winning 4-H Plan](#) enables youth to tailor the 4-H experience to their needs and helps maintain a positive relationship between the youth's family, 4-H volunteers, and county 4-H professionals
- Youth must submit a Winning 4-H Plan **Request Form by June 14**. A county 4-H professional will review the request and contact you with any questions. They will consider whether making accommodations fundamentally alters the event or provides significant advantage or disadvantage to anyone participating. Judges are expected to follow accommodations.
- The completed form needs to be stapled in the front cover of the project book. The 4-H professional will share appropriate information with those who need it.



4th H Club Challenge

Be a healthier 4-H Club for the chance to win \$100.

1. Register your club NOW
2. Record your practices
3. Share on social media
4. By December 31st, 2023

LEARN MORE
go.osu.edu/4thHClubChallenge

OHIO 4-H YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

Livestock Page

QA Training Dates

**Monday, May 22, 5:30 PM at OSUE
Locations will Be Announced**

Any youth wishing to exhibit an animal at the fair in 2023 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.**

New in 2023! Greene County 4-H will be accepting online QA certificates. The online module completed must be for the correct 4-H age. Only the YQCA courses currently meet ODA standards. BQA, PQA, BEST and other online programs do not meet this requirement. The cost is \$12 per youth. **Once complete you will need to download the certificate and email it to Rebecca or Brenda. If you do not download and email you will not be considered complete for 2023. Deadline to submit certificate is June 1!** Program details: www.go.osu.edu/gcyqca

All Greene County 4-H Exhibitors need to complete an in-person or online QA before the June 1 deadline. NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE MADE!

Check your status of Quality Assurance (QA) training by logging into 4HOnline by clicking the training on the left side.

If you will be showing swine at the Ohio State Fair you parent will need to have PQA certification. Please call the office and we will provide name and number of person that can help your parent get that certification.

Birth Rabbit Dates for 2023 Fair

- Meat Pen and Single Fryer = 5/21/2023
 - Roasters = 01/31/23 - 04/30/23 with a maximum weight of 9 pounds, Must be at least 3 months old.
 - Seniors = 11/30/2022 and earlier
 - 6/8 = 12/01/22 - 01/30/23
 - Juniors = 01/31/23 - 04/30/23
 - Pre-Juniors = 05/06/23 - 06/03/23
 - Fancy D&L = 05/20/23 - 06/03/22
 - Commercial D&L = 05/20/23 - 06/03/23
 - Matching Breeding Pair = 01/30/23 and earlier
- Recommended Breeding Dates for Meat Pens and Single Fryers

• 4/21/2023: This is 100 days prior to the show day. Remember that each individual rabbit must weigh between 3.5 and 5.5 pounds. Any under or overweight rabbits will be ineligible for placing in the show.

2023 Livestock Rules have been posted on the website: Greene.osu.edu

Secure dates:

Market Beef Projects – December 1, 2022

Dog Projects – April 1, 2023

Horse Projects – April 28

Feeder Calves, Dairy Feeders, Dairy Cattle, Cats, Sheep, Goats, Rabbits, Beef Breeding, Camelids, Poultry (except market chickens and ducks), and

Small Animals – May 1

Hog Projects – May 8

Poultry Dates

Market Chicken and Duck Orders, DUE

Friday, May 5

* Please note there will be a large event on the Fairgrounds starting this date. Highly recommend getting your orders in before May 4.

Market Chicken and Duck Pick-Up,

Thursday, June 15 from 4-6 PM

Order forms can be found on the Greene County Extension website under livestock. Go to greene.osu.edu.

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

* Prices have increased for 2023.

Leasing of Animals

Greene County 4-H does allow breeding animal/dairy leases. These forms are **required** to be on file with our office. The deadline to turn these in is May 1, 2023. Examples of leases can be found on our website at: <https://greene.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development/livestock>

These leases are required to be in place by May 1, 2023, and go until the completion of the project.

As a reminder:

Leasing MARKET animals for youth exhibition projects is NOT permitted under any circumstances.



Goat and Sheep Tag In

When: Saturday, May 13
Time: 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

All market goats and market lamb exhibitors must complete these surveys by May 1, 2023.

Homegrown market goat forms are due by May 1, 2023, and can be uploaded or dropped off at the OSU Extension Office prior. Homegrown market lamb forms and pictures are due by April 15. They can be uploaded or dropped off at the OSU Extension Office. Please review rules posted on our website.

Sheep:

www.go.osu.edu/gcsheeptagin23

Goat:

www.go.osu.edu/gcgoattagin23

New for 2023

All swine exhibitors will be required to have a Premise ID. This is mandated by Ohio Department of Agriculture. Premise ID is based on the location of the animal. Please note- you must enter the Premise ID when completing Fair Entry and this number will be checked upon fair arrival. Please visit

<https://agri.ohio.gov/divisions/animal-health/animal+id/premise-registration-form-fillable>

Hog Pictures – DUE May 15

Pictures: Pictures of secured hogs must be turned into the Extension Office by 4:00 p.m. on May 15, 2023, No Exceptions. 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. ****The Extension Office has a drop box out front, so the pictures can be dropped off 24 hours a day. ****

Don't Forget QA & EquiSTEP (for horse exhibitors) Requirement

All QA and EquiSTEP requirements are due by June 1 at the latest. See details on in person QA and how to complete it online on page 4. EquiSTEP directions are in the last Horse Happenings newsletter sent to all horse exhibitors.

Please note, if QA and/or EquiSTEP is not completed and is a requirement for your project, you will NOT be able to participate at 2023 Greene County Fair.

Rabbit Number Updated

Please note that the rabbit rules have been posted and approved by the Senior Fairboard. There is a new number for Ohio 4-H Rabbit projects for 2023. The rules posted are correct except the new number for rabbit projects is 228. The numbers are:

#228BR- Rabbit Breeding

#228MA- Rabbit Market

#228PE- Rabbit Pet

Fair Entry –

We will be opening fair entry in Mid-May. Deadline to get your animals entered is Tuesday, July 6th.

All 4-H and FFA Exhibitors need to register animals and reserve your animal and tack pens for the 2023 Greene County Fair. This includes dogs and horses.

Non- Livestock Pre-Fair Judging

Will be held on Tuesday, July 11
www.go.osu.edu/prefairjuly11
and Wednesday, July 12

www.go.osu.edu/prefairjuly12

Each exhibitor will need to register for a time slot. One project per time slot ONLY. DEADLINE TO REGISTER IS JULY 6th.

Purchasing 4-H Market Project Animals

Here are some important points to keep in mind:

All market animals:

- Purchase healthy animals from reputable breeders
- Know what vaccinations and parasite control has been completed by breeder
- Ask the breeder what feed the animal has been on to be able to transition the animals to the feed you want to use
- Quarantine animals purchased if you have any other animals at home.
- Observe purchased animals closely for signs of illness (take temperature, monitor eating/drinking, observe changes)
- Establish a valid VCPR for preventative care and treatment
- Properly handle animals and provide proper care to assure you have a healthy animal to bring to fair. All animals must be free of contagious disease such as ring worm, sore mouth, club lamb fungus, warts, lice, etc.

Market Goats and Lambs:

- ALL market goats and lambs must have a scrapie tag. Scrapie tags must come from the breeder of the lamb or goat. Exhibitors will need to enter this prior to tag-in.
- Homegrown forms must be completed and turned in by due date if applicable.

Market Hogs:

- Must be ear notched. Know your pig's ear notches. Required to submit pictures.
- Premise ID is required! Make sure you know what your number is when completing entries! NO EXCEPTIONS.

Poultry:

- Turn in market poultry order forms by due date to the fair office.

Rabbit:

- Exhibitors may breed or purchase a meat pen. If purchased, the rabbits must be in possession by July 14. Only 1 meat pen, one single fryer, and one single roaster may be entered.
- This New Roaster class will be a home-grown class and is new for the 2023 fair. For the home-grown class the Rabbit committee will be verifying with pictures of the doe and litter with visible tattoo numbers, pedigrees, and possible home visit. These Roasters will also have a tag in date of April 15. You may bring up to 3 rabbits per exhibitor to this tag in. You will only be exhibiting 1 Roaster at fair.

Cloverbud Page



Explore Space at Cloverbud Day Camp

When: Monday, June 19

Price: \$50.00 per camper

Registration ENDS on May 12.

New Cloverbud Activities being added to the 2023 Fair Schedule:

Cloverbud Cupcake Decorating

Monday of fair week, registration site will open on June 1)

Cloverbud Princess and Prince For a Day

Registration site will open on June 1.

Cloverbud Stuffed Animal Show, August 3

Cloverbud Passport at Fair

More information will be released in July.

Cloverbud Kits

The office has kits available for clubs to check out. Please contact the office to reserve one of the kits. The kits that are available:

Fun Food

Safe at Home

Hand-washing

Fitness

Picture, I Spy

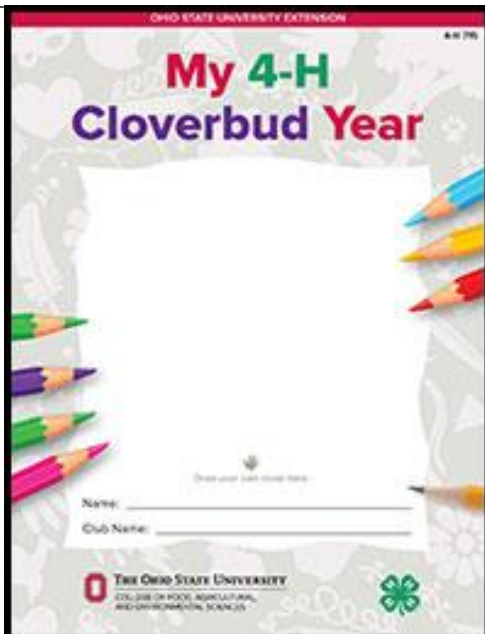
All About Ohio

Cloverbud Resources – Check out this website to see all the resources available for Cloverbud Advisors.

<https://u.osu.edu/cloverbudconnections/ohio-4-h-cloverbud-resources/>

Cloverbud Reading Adventures – These adventures highlight a book. They have crafts and snacks that go along with the book. <https://u.osu.edu/cloverbudconnections/reading/>

My 4-H Cloverbud Year is a great resource for Cloverbuds to start keeping track of their 4-H career.



Cloverbud Engineering Challenge (formerly called Cloverbot Challenge)

If any Cloverbud group is interested in participating this year please contact Rebecca or Brenda, we can give you the detailed information and we will get the kit ordered for you.

NEW Cloverbud Connections Blog Post

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

Ohio 4-H Conference

<https://u.osu.edu/cloverbudconnections/2023/01/30/the-ohio-4-h-conference/>

Also, consider signing up to receive these emails directly.

Did you know that there is a 4-H member record book? Our office encourages all members to download the book during their first year. This book is where you keep all your projects, awards and extras you do in 4-H. Then when you are applying for county and state trips and awards, it is very easy to copy and paste.

<https://greene.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development/teen-opportunities-scholarships>

Labels for the stuff kids lose!



Be sure to label all your gear and supplies to help keep them out of the Lost & Found. Shop for durable, personalized labels and support our fundraiser!

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Visit campaigns.mabelslabels.com to support our organization.

Do not forget about our fundraiser with Mabel's Labels.

Ham Radio 4-H Club


Want to talk around the world, we can show you how to do it! Just want to help your community with communications during times of natural disasters, we can help with that also! Want to be a National Weather Service's Storm Spotter? Guess what? We can help with that, too! This club is about Amateur Radio also known as Ham Radio, You don't need a license to join, we can help you get your first license and help you upgrade your license when you want! Want more information about this club contact the Greene County Extension office.

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Ohio 4-H Earth Day Challenge!


Calling all 4-H Clubs! The Ohio 4-H Teen Leadership Council has a challenge for you! This spring, we want to get as many clubs as possible around the state involved in community service activities that help protect and clean up the lovely planet. We challenge you to complete one or more of these community service projects on this board! If your club completes one of these activities, follow the link/ QR code below to add your club's name. You might be featured on our social media, AND you are automatically entered into a drawing to win a prize from the 4-H mall for your club!

Entries are due by June 1st 2023. Happy Earth Day, from The Ohio 4-H Teen Leadership Council!

Run or Attend Educational Event About Sustainability This includes organizing a speaker, an educational event, demonstration, talk about your club's carbon footprint.	Go On An Eco-Related Field Trip Examples: Visit a zoo, go on nature walk at a park, tour an arboretum or greenhouse, tour the facility of a climate friendly business.	Plan An Initiative To Make Your Fair More Eco-Friendly Examples: Planning to run an activity, working with Senior Fair Board on waste management, etc.
Invest in the Environment Examples: purchase and plant trees, start a community/ club garden, invest in reusable water bottles/ shopping bags for your club.		Repurpose Recycled Materials Examples: Bird feeders, planters, other crafts made from recycled materials.
Organize a Collection Drive Examples: Bottlecap collection, used clothing, e-waste.	Run a Trash Cleanup Example: Collect and remove litter from local parks, streams, local common areas, and even your clubs meeting location!	Write an Environment pledge for your club! Write a plan to make your club more sustainable, and environmentally friendly in the future!

Submit your activities by June 1st at the following link: go.osu.edu/4HClubEarthDay

Or by following this QR code:



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Ohio 4-H Teen Leadership Council
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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.

Club Frequently Asked Questions

(As we have been holding Volunteer Trainings, we have received some questions that we needed to do a little more research on. Below are the questions and answers that we have received. Volunteer trainings have covered finances in depth, and these questions have been asked.)

Q1: Can Cloverbuds hold an officer position?

A1: Cloverbuds can NOT hold an officer position. But they can be assistant to an older project age member with their officer position.

Q2: Do we need to keep track of equipment our club or committee holds?

A2: Yes, please complete an equipment log sheet this needs to be turned in with your financial summary each year.

Q3: How long do clubs or committees keep their banking documentation?

A3: Banking documentation including records of deposits, periodic statements of balance, canceled checks (including access to checks imaged under the authority granted in Check21) and reconciliation documentation. Also includes audits, receipts, invoices and packing slips. Current year plus 4. Example: 2023, 2022, 2021, 2020, 2019. Anything prior to year 2019, should be brought to the Extension office. A certificate of records destruction will be filed with the OSU archives prior to destruction on the club/committee behalf. Please make sure to note this in the next club secretary minutes.

Q4: Can we use the same constitution and bylaws in the past?

A4: No, they all must be updated and voted on each year. With the head advisor and current club president signature on them.

Q5: What are committee paperwork requirements?

A5: Each year they need to turn in financial summary, constitution, bylaws, equipment list if needed.

Q6: Organization gave us a gift card. Do we need to record that on your financial summary?

A6: Yes, you will need to record as income on your end of year financial summary.

Q7: My 4-H member needs to add a project after they have been approved?

A7: After your child has been approved by the office in 4Honline. You can go back into their profile and add projects up until the April 1, deadline. ***No changes, additions, or deletions will be allowed after the April 1, deadline.***

Q8: Will Greene County 4-H accept a Quality Assurance Certificate (QA) from another county?

A8: Yes, we will accept a certificate from out of county. You will need to bring the certificate into the office so we can make a copy. Credit will not be given until we have certificate in hand. All certificates need to be turned in before the June 1, deadline.

DATESTO REMEMBER

May 2023

May 1 – Secure Date for Feeder Calves, Dairy Feeders, Dairy Cattle, Cats, Sheep, Goats, Rabbits, Beef Breeding, Camelids, Poultry (except market chickens and ducks), and Small Animals

May 3 – Flower Pick-Up, OSUE, 9:00 AM – Noon

May 3 – 4-H Advisory Committee Meeting, OSUE, 5:30 PM

May 8 – Secure Date for Hogs

May 11 – Camp Counselor Training, OSUE, 5:30 PM

May 12 – Camp Registrations, DUE

May 13 – Goat and Sheep Tag In, 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

May 15 – Hog Pictures, DUE to the OSUE

May 16 – CARTEENS, Virtual

May 19 – Extension Office CLOSED

May 21 – Camp Counselor Training, Camp Clifton, 5:30 PM – 8:30 PM

May 22 Quality Assurance, OSUE, 5:30 PM

May 26 – Species Royalty Applications, DUE to OSUE

May 26 – Thank You Note Entries, DUE to OSUE

May 29 – OSUE Office Closed DUE to the Holiday

Important Dates for 2023!

Market Chicken and Duck Orders, DUE – May 5

Goat and Sheep Tag In – May 13

Hog Pictures DUE – May 15

EquiSTEP and QA Completed – June 1

Beef Feeder Weigh-In – June 3

Ohio 4-H Night at the Dayton Dragons – June 3

Winning 4-H Plan paperwork DUE – June 14

4-H Camp - June 16 – June 20

Cloverbud Day Camp – June 19

Jr. Fair Entries, All Animals DUE – July 6

Sign Up for Pre-Fair Judging, Deadline – July 6

Pick Up Ohio State Fair Packets Deadline – July 21

Livestock Skill-a-thons – July 24 and 25

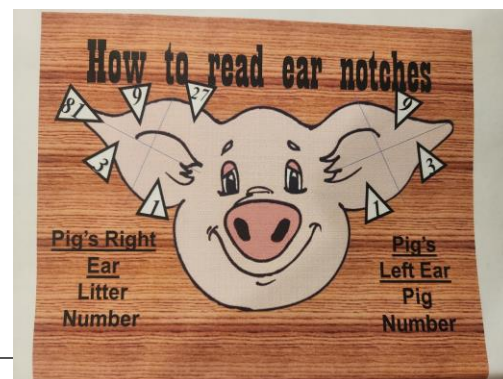
Greene County Fair – July 30 – August 5

Deadline to Pick Up Fair Projects – August 11

Greene County Teen Leadership Council

Applications DUE – September 8

Camp Counselor Applications DUE – October 27



Showtime 4-H Club

The 5th meeting of the Showtime 4-H club was held at the Bowersville Fire House. The last meeting minutes were read and approved. The treasure report was given by treasure Zack Culbreath and approved. Liam Sharrett did his demonstration on his chicken project. Adam Cline also did his demonstration on ear notches for pigs. The club did an interactive activity on reading and writing ear notches for the pigs on a worksheet. The club president Adam Cline went over the April newsletter with the club. The club also went over some community service ideas and some ideas for the basket raffle and the hay bale. The club decided to make cards for the nursing home. The meeting was adjourned, and the next meeting will be May 8th. Submitted by: L. Terrill



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Creek Crafters and Creators 4-H Club April 2023

We discussed the success of our fundraiser. Our county fees were paid, and everyone is registered and working on their projects. We discussed the Thank You contest and shirt design deadlines. Parents were encouraged to participate in the book survey. We talked about our Cloverbuds participation in the Cloverbud Engineering Challenge. Health officer Jacoby talked about the importance of a balanced diet and supplements. We played basketball as our recreation tonight. Project demonstrations were given by Kaylee and Zach. Nate, Kinley, Anthony, and Jacoby will give demonstrations at the next meeting. We broke up into Cloverbuds and members. Cloverbuds made bird feeders, and members reviewed their books and progress with our advisor. Our next meeting will be Monday May 1, 2023.

Club Reports

Hare Raisers 4-H Club

The Hare Raisers 4-H Club met in January for an informational meeting. Advisors and 4-H members introduced themselves. We discussed officer roles, fundraising ideas, community service ideas, talked about project requirements and started collecting dues. This year the club is up to 26 participants and 2 honorary clover buds. The meeting was adjourned in time to watch the Bengals play!

By: Z. Simmons

Farmers and Friends met on April 2nd. We discussed some changes to swine rules and the upcoming Showin' Greene Chasin' Purple market hog sale taking place on 4/10/23. Our Advisors also reminded us of the Quality Assurance requirement and shared that the dates are listed on the 4H calendar.
By: K. Bingamon

Hare Raisers 4-H Club

During our February meeting we welcomed so more new members. We voted on officers, finalized our fundraiser, voted on community service, ordered books, paid dues, and painted wooden 4 leaf clovers as a club and enjoyed a snack. Our officers are as follows

President- Ella Simmons

Vice President- Reagan Montgomery

Treasurer- Lucas Montgomery

Secretary- Abigail Mackey

Healthy, Safety and News reporter are being shared by Zoey Simmons, Claudia Simmons and Ava Watson

By : Z. Simmons

Hare Raisers 4-H Club

During our March meeting our newly elected officers ran the meeting for the first time! The 4-H members went with Preston and received their projects books. Graduating Cloverbuds went with Amanda to work on learning about 4-H and the many project they can take next year. The younger cloverbuds went with Courtney, where they listened a story called Green Shamrocks. They then were able to plant their very own clover. We learned for every 10,000 3 leaf clovers you will find 1 four-leaf clover. We enjoyed snack and adjourned the meeting.

By: Z. Simmons



Hare Raisers 4-H Club

During our April meeting the new rabbit books were handed out. Preston went over how to read the new book and show what the new symbols in the book mean. The club voted on hosting another Chipotle fundraiser in June. Our Cloverbuds did a leprechaun craft as well as learn about the 4-H pledge and what the H's stand for. Our 4-H members requested to play rabbit bingo. We will meet again at the end of the month and accommodate that request! We would like to give a shout out to our Cloverbud members who gave health, safety and news reports at the meeting. Ava Watson talked about playground safety. Zoey Simmons talked about tornado safety. Claudia Simmons talked about the importance of handwashing.

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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