



Our Website - leavenworth.ksu.edu

Leavenworth County Extension Website is a great source for not only this time of year as you start to prepare for fair but will also help you navigate throughout your entire 4-H year. You will find resources for projects, a calendar for 4-H events as well as all extension events, entry forms and links for upcoming events as well as rules for your 2019 4-H projects for Leavenworth County Fair.

As June 1st approaches and you prepare to make your fair entries into FairEntry, the guide on how to make those entries as well as the link to the FairEntry system will be located on our website.

Once fair is over and you start thinking about your record books, the links to your record book forms are on our website under 4-H Youth Development / Forms and Resources.

Visit our Website at
www.leavenworth.ksu.edu



NEW DATE CHANGES FOR THE 2019 LEAVENWORTH COUNTY FAIR

Dog Show - July 20, 2019

Cat/Pet Show - July 21, 2019

Clothing/Presentations/Leadership - July 26, 2019

Leavenworth County Fair - July 29 - August 3, 2019



Reminder: ONLY 4-H members who were 7 before January 1, 2019 can enter into 4-H classes in the fair. 5-6 year olds (as of Jan. 1) are Cloverbuds and may enter only in the Cloverbud section of fair.

2019 LEAVENWORTH COUNTY FAIR

FairEntry System Information

You Must Enter Your Projects in FairEntry to be eligible to bring them to fair under 4-H.

Registration is June 1 through June 30, 2019. You will access the FairEntry program through our website, leavenworth.ksu.edu. The system works with your 4-H Online Enrollment information. You will use your family account email and password to log in to FairEntry. *It is important to remember that only the projects that you enrolled in through 4honline will be available for fair entries.*

IMPORTANT: Complete entries for ALL 4-H members in your family BEFORE selecting the submit button. Entries may be adjusted in the account before the submit button is selected until June 30, but become final when the submit button is selected. There will be no changes made after June 30.

There is a \$2.00 fee per exhibitor, which now can be paid online!

If you have any questions, please access the 4-H FairEntry Guide located on our website. Within the guide is a step by step tutorial with written instructions and screenshots of examples of pages you will see when registering.

As a reminder if you filled out and turned in a Livestock Identification worksheet, this does not count as your entry for fair. You still need to enter the animals you are bringing to fair into the FairEntry System.

If you need further assistance or access to a computer come into the Extension Office or give us a call at 913-364-5700.

Poultry Project News



Poultry brought to Leavenworth County Fair in 2019 **WILL NOT** need to be pullorum-typhoid tested. Due to a nationwide shortage of antigen needed to conduct pullorum-typhoid testing in poultry, the Kansas Department of Agriculture Division of Animal Health is waiving certain poultry testing requirements. As a result, poultry owners do not need to test their birds for the pullorum disease while the waiver is in effect. Although we still consider pullorum-typhoid testing important in maintaining pullorum-clean poultry within Kansas, pullorum disease is rare. Due to this low risk of spread of pullorum disease, and the fact that the antigen for testing will not be available, KDA is waiving the requirement for pullorum-typhoid testing until October 1, 2019.



Diane Larson, Poultry Club Leader and Superintendent will be holding an information and practice session for Poultry. Come practice your show skills and get ready to show your birds at fair!

Date: June 27, 2019

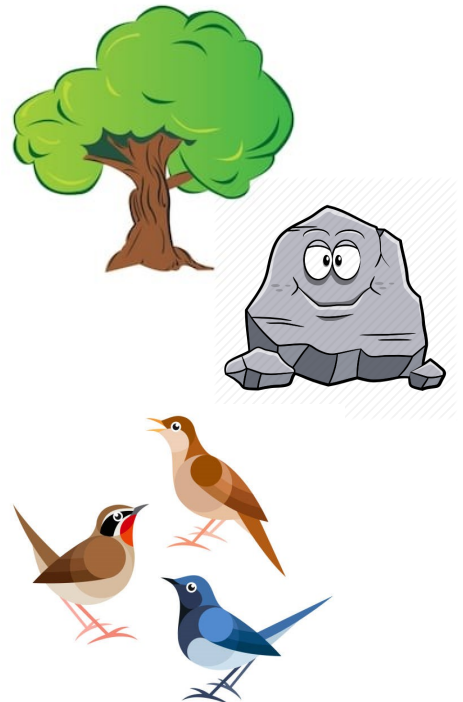
Location: Leavenworth County Fairgrounds - Poultry Barn

Time: 6 - 8pm

PROJECT NEWS

Early Judging for Forestry, Geology & Wildlife

We are going to try something new this year. 4-Hers who are enrolled in Forestry, Geology and Wildlife projects will participate in early judging. Please note that this is a trial run for us but due to low numbers in entries over the past few years and the challenge of getting qualified judges within these project areas, we feel it will be beneficial to participate in a regional judging event for these areas. A pre-fair entry form will be sent by email to those enrolled in these projects. This does not replace your entry through FairEntry, our online entry system. Pre-Entry Forms for these projects are due to the Extension Office by June 21st and electric entries through FairEntry will follow the same deadline as other projects, June 30th. Day of Judging will be July 8, 2019 in Holton, KS. Please look for an email in the coming weeks with more information.



Plant Science Project Learning Opportunity

The Leavenworth County Master Gardeners would like to invite all interested 4-Hers to attend their June meeting on 12 June at 10:30 am at the Riverfront Community Center in Leavenworth, KS. The meeting will last approximately 30 minutes and will be followed by an abbreviated horticulture judging contest modeled after our state-level competition.

Please consider attending, especially if you are in the plant science project. It is a great group of people to meet and attending will fill several check marks for your record book/KAP.

Leavenworth County 4-H Horse Day Camp

Date: Friday, June 14th from 9am - 3pm

Location: Leavenworth County Fairgrounds Horse Arena

Registration Deadline: June 7th

Leavenworth Co 4-H Horse Group will be hosting a one day camp. They will go over basics on horse handling, showmanship, horsemanship and speed events.

For questions, contact Kathrine Shade @ 913-775-0973 or email lvco4horse@yahoo.com

PROJECT NEWS



YQCA Reminder

Please remember that if you are planning to show livestock at Leavenworth County Fair at State Fair or KJLS, you must have completed YQCA. Please log on to yqca.org to either look for a face-to-face class outside Leavenworth County or take the course online.

NEW! Record Book Corner NEW!

Start early. The work you do on your record book can start as soon as you get your animal or start your project. Think about working on specific pages as a club each month; this ensures everyone is keeping up on their record keeping and gives members a chance to help each other or ask questions about the project.

Document. Save receipts, pictures of you working on your project, and other loose documents in a folder or clear binder sheet protector. Keep a journal where you record your efforts, thoughts and challenges. This journal can be a small notebook and can be kept near your project. It can get dirty or damaged in the process of your work because when the time comes, you can transfer that content to your clean record book.

Check out the Record Book Corner in each monthly newsletter for record book tips and tricks!



May 18th, 2019

LV. Fairgrounds Tonganoxie, KS

Early Entries due May 6th!
Day of Show entries also accepted!

LEAVENWORTH COUNTY SPRING LIVESTOCK SHOW SHEEP - SWINE - GOATS

\$100 Champion & \$50 Resv. Champ Each Species!
Showmanship Awards for all divisions

Check In: 7:00 - 9:00 am All Species

Exhibitors weigh their own animal and turn in at registration time posted

Goat Show starts at 10:00 am

Swine Show starts at 10:30 am

Sheep Show starts 30 minutes after Goat show finishes

\$15 Early Entry \$20 Day of Show

\$5 Showmanship Entry

Valley Vet Supply Trailer!

Concessions Available!

Entry form and full rules available online

<http://www.leavenworth.k-state.edu>

LV Extension Office 913-364-5700 or klohman@ksu.edu




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Food Preservation Workshop

Wednesday June 19, 2019

Time: 9am-4pm (approximately-may run longer than this.)

Location: Tonganoxie Christian Church
204 Washington St.
Tonganoxie, KS 66086

Class Cost: \$30 (\$15 if assisting a youth)
No registration will be taken at the door!
No pets allowed at this event.

Registration Deadline is June 7th to Wyandotte
County Extension Office, 913-299-9300.

This workshop is a opportunity for you to learn:

- Boiling water bath methods
- Pressure Canner methods
- Drying process
- Most Importantly you will learn how to do all these things correctly and safely!!

What you will receive for completing workshop:

- Each participant will take home at least 3 jars of canned produce and a dried herb mix.
- Participants will receive a packet of publications and recipes to take home with them.

Workshop Details:

- We do ask that all youth under the age of 13 have a adult to assist them
- Please bring a box to take hot jars home in.
- Bring your dial gauge from your pressure canner for testing
- **Workshop is being taught by Karen Blakeslee, K-State Rapid Response Center with support from Chelsi Myers, Leavenworth Co., Lori Wuellner, Wyandotte Co., Cindy Williams, Meadowlark Extension District**

**Any questions, contact any of the agents listed above.
Make all checks payable to Wyandotte Extension Council.**




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2019 Critical Dates

May

- 15** Campference Registration Deadline
- 18** Leavenworth County Small Livestock Spring Show - LVCO Fairgrounds
- 22** Leavenworth County 4-H Council meeting 7pm @ St. Joseph Hall in Easton
- 29-31** Discovery Days - Manhattan, KS

June

- 1** FairEntry System goes live for 2019 County Fair entries
- 7-9** State Geology Field Trip
- 11** Leavenworth County Youth Leaders Day Camp @ Fairgrounds
- 12** Master Gardener Meeting and Horticulture Judging Contest for 4-Hers, 10:30am @ Riverfront Community Center
- 13** Camp Counselors leave for Rock Springs
- 14** Leavenworth County 4-H Horse Day Camp, 9am-3pm @ Fairgrounds
- 14-17** 4-H Camp @ Rock Springs
- 15** State Fair & KJLS Nominations for Sheep, Goat & Swine Due to State Office
- 19** Food Preservation Workshop @ Tonganoxie Christian Church
- 21** Pre-Fair Entry Forms due for Geology, Forestry & Wildlife ONLY
- 21-22** Kansas 4-H Insect Spectacular
- 23-26** Campference @ Rock Springs
- 24** Leavenworth County 4-H Council meeting, 7pm @ Fairgrounds
- 25** Pre-Fair Superintendent Meeting, 6pm @ Fairgrounds
- 27** Poultry showmanship practice session, 6 - 8pm @ Fairgrounds
- 30** FairEntry System Closes at 11:59pm. No late Entries will be accepted

July

- 8** Regional Judging Day for Forestry, Geology & Wildlife @ Horton, KS
- 15** All livestock entries are due for State Fair
- 20** Dog Show @ Fairgrounds (Pre-Fair Event)
- 21** Cat/Pet Show @ Fairgrounds (Pre-Fair Event)
- 26** Clothing, Presentations and Leadership Judging and Fashion Review @ Tonganoxie Christian Church (Pre-Fair Event)
- 28** Fair Set-up
- 29-3** Leavenworth County Fair



UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES

Hosting IFYEs/Exchangees in Summer 2019

Have you ever wished you could experience daily life in another part of the world? Kansas 4-H International Exchange Programs offer the chance to do just that without leaving your home. Kansas 4-H will be hosting several IFYEs (International Four-H Youth Exchange) and other young adults in Kansas this summer. 2019 marks the 71th anniversary of Kansas hosting IFYEs since the program began in 1948, after World War II, as a way to live the motto, "World Peace through Understanding."

We need host families who would be willing to host a male or female young adult for about three weeks. Any Kansas family may host since IFYEs/exchanges do not have to be matched by gender or ages of siblings. Even families with young children or no children may host. Empty nesters may also host. Participants are 100 percent medically covered with insurance, and bring their own spending money.

Contact: If you have further questions, please contact Chelsy Champlin, chelsycoen@gmail.com; or call/text, 785-248-6131, or Deryl Waldren, 4-H Specialist, dwaldren@ksu.edu; or call 785-462-6281.



2019 Annual Youth Leader Day Camp

Date: June 11, 2019

Location: Tonganoxie Fairgrounds

The format this year will be project-based, hands-on mini workshops led by our older 4Hers. Kids will not only get real experience in a variety of project areas, but they will also see leadership role models in action.

Registration information coming soon!!

Youth Leaders Needed: We are still looking for some of our older 4Hers to lead classes for the younger kids. The classes should be about 45 min long, hands-on, and project based. If interested, please contact the Extension Office, Gretchen Manus or Shannon Reischman

Rock Spring 4-H Camp

Dates: June 14th - 17th

Attention 4-hers who registered to attend 4-H Camp this summer: Please be on the look out for your camp packet. They will be mailed out to each family who registered for camp in the upcoming weeks. Your packet will include transportation information, packing information and other info to help make your camp experience smooth and easy.

Like always, please contact our office if you have any questions.

913-364-5700



CAMPS, TRIPS AND FUN, OH MY!

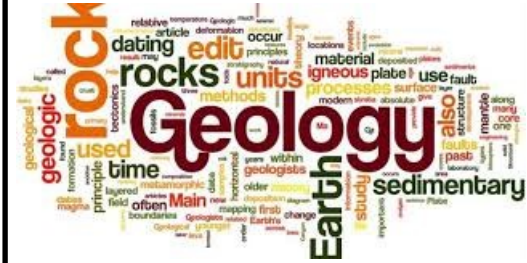
Geology Field Trip

Location: Northern Smokey Hills (Headquartered in the Republic County 4-H Building in Belleville, KS) & Southern Osage Cuestas (Headquartered in the Flint Hills Middle / High School, in Rosalia, KS)

Date: June 7th - 9th

All 4-H Geology Project members and their families are encouraged to attend. Please register at:

https://kstate.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_033uJroY2eM1dft



Kansas 4-H Insect Spectacular

This year's Kansas 4-H Insect Spectacular will be held Friday and Saturday June 21 & 22, 2019 at the [Kansas Wetlands Education Center](#), northeast of Great Bend, KS on Hwy 156. The workshop is open to all youth and adult volunteers interested in 4-H entomology! **Please note that one parent from each family must register and attend with children.**

Learn about collecting, storing, identifying, and pinning your insects for exhibit. All levels of experience are encouraged to attend, from beginning to advanced. This is a fun event, designed to encourage curiosity and the sharing of knowledge. This year's event will feature several sessions specifically on aquatic insects.

Register through cvent: <http://www.cvent.com/events/kansas-4-h-insect-spectacular/event-summary-eb48faf3ed7e4cba841921c3770fcdad.aspx>

Registration Deadline: June 1, 2019

Campference

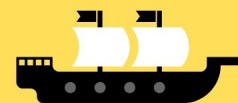
4-H Campference is for youth ages 12- 14 (before January 1, 2019), and will be held June 23-26 at Rock Springs 4-H Center. Participants will experience the feel of a conference, while enjoying the 'camp' activities Rock Springs 4-H Center has to offer. This is a great transitional opportunity, as tweens go from being a camper to attending educational conferences. 4-H Campference will feature workshops about opportunities in the 4-H program and how to better interact with others.

Register early as the space will fill on a first come basis, and Campference was full the last five years! Register online by May 15 (or earlier it will close when it is full).

Register through cvent: <http://www.cvent.com/events/4-h-campference-2019/event-summary-f76aba5ed6204aa69c361ded907d7037.aspx>

Registration Deadline: May 15, 2019

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4-H CAMPFERENCE 2019



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CONGRATUALTIONS TO OUR 2018 GRADUATES!



Best wishes for your future whatever path you choose to follow.

The 4-H Seniors in the Class of 2019 are listed below by club.

Basehor Rustlers 4-H Club

Alicia Eberth

Bell 4-H Club

Alyssa Foley
Lindsey Heim
Norman Highfill

Boling 4-H Club

Alyssa Foley
Samantha Hunsecker

Reno Bobwhites 4-H Club

Jacob Boone
Ariel Jacobs



Happy Helpers 4-H Club

Bryce Atchison
Alison Caenen
Alexander Falk
Ashley Gallagher
Emmett Keene
Sydney Murr
Braxton Shupe

Happy Hollow 4-H Club

Madison Ewert
Jordyn Mullins
Claire Schmidt