# K-State Research & Extension

## Greenwood County 4-H News

4-H is an organization of young people who are learning leadership, citizenship and life skills for their community, their country and their world.

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### 2022 Fair Schedule

| July 1 | 4-H & Open Class Fair Entries due in FairEntry |
| July 9 | GWCo Fair Archery Competition @ 9am |
| July 10 | GWCo Fair Shotgun Competition @ 4pm |
| July 16 | GWCo Photography Judging - 8am to noon |
| July 16 | GWCo 4-H Horse Show @ 5pm |
| July 20 | Public Style Revue & Clothing & Fiber Arts Judging |

#### Friday, July 22

- 8:30-10:30am: Acceptance of Non-Livestock Exhibits
- 8:30-11:30am: Acceptance of Livestock Exhibits
- **Beef ONLY** Weight-in Thursday night, 8-9pm
- 8:30am: 4-H Foods & Visual Arts Consultation Judging
- 12-4pm: Community Building closed to the public for judging of exhibits, Re-opens 4-9 pm
- 7pm: 4-H/FFA Beef Show

#### Saturday, July 23

- 8am: 4-H/FFA Swine Show
- 11:30am: 4-H/FFA Sheep Show
- 1pm: 4-H Tractor Operator Contest
- 1pm: Fish Casting Contest
- 1pm: 4-H/FFA Rabbit Show, followed by 4-H/FFA Poultry Show
- 5pm: 4-H/FFA Meat Goat Show
- 7-8:30pm: Free Watermelon (sponsored by Eureka G&W Foods)
- 7:30pm: Barnyard Olympics (sponsored by FFA Boosters)
- 8:30pm: FREE Family Movie
- 9-11pm: Youth Dance (ages 12-18) Outdoors, Show Ring, cost: $4 per person

#### Sunday, July 24

- 7:30-10:30am: Shriners Pancake Breakfast
- 8:30-9:30am: Sunday Worship Service
- 10am-noon: GWCo 4-H Whiffle Ball Game
- 12:30pm: Pedal Power Tractor Pull
- 2pm: Cornhole Tournament (sponsored by Madison FFA & Boosters)
- 2-4pm: Sundaes on Sunday (sponsored by Reece Christian Church)
- 4:30pm: 4-H Bucket Calf Show
- 6pm: Lamb Lead-In Contest
- 6:30pm: Parade of Pre-Fair Champions, followed by 4-H/FFA "Round Robin" Showmanship Finals

#### Monday, July 25

- 9:30am: Youth Livestock Judging Contest
- 11am: Fairgrounds Clean-up
- 12-1pm: Release of 4-H/FFA & Open Class Exhibits
- 5:30pm: Livestock Buyer Appreciation Dinner, followed by Friend of Fair Presentation
- 7pm: 4-H/FFA Livestock Sale

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### Weigh-in Schedule

No animals on the fair grounds before 5pm. Water will not be turned on until weigh-in time Thursday evening.

**Thursday:** Beef only; 7 to 8pm

***There will be no unloading of any other livestock during this time

**Friday:**

- 8 to 9am: Hogs
- 9 to 10am: Goats
- 10 to 11am: Sheep
- 11 to 11:30am: Bucket Calves
- 11:30am: Scales Close
- Noon: Meeting for all Livestock Exhibitors

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**I love 4-H**
Fair Buildings Set-up & Take-down 2022

Lots of help is needed for set up and take down of display spaces. Tables, racks, and shelves must be set up and arranged. Adults and older 4-H’ers and some pickup trucks are needed.

Clubs assigned to help with set up Thursday, July 21st, at 6:00 p.m. are:
* Racing Wranglers
* Willow Valley Go-Getters
* Fancy Mustangs
* Upper Fall River Jayhawkers

On Monday, July 25th at 1:00pm, the process is reversed and we take all the display spaces apart and store them. We cannot start this until 1:00pm.

The clubs to help with this are:
* Madison Pacesetters
* Harmony Sunflowers
* Fall River 55’ers

We appreciate your help with all of this. It doesn’t take long when everyone pitches in.

Building Watch Times

Each club has assigned times for watching the Matt Samuels Building and the Concourse. Please have 2 adults or older 4-H’ers for each building.

Watch responsibilities are:
⇒ Keep a watchful eye on exhibits and fair goers
⇒ Visitors should not handle exhibits, especially watch the Arts & Crafts Area
⇒ Responsible for 4-H Food Sale items
⇒ Kansas State Fair Entry sheets
⇒ Straighten exhibits, posters, etc., if needed
⇒ Do not let children run or scuffle through the buildings

Assigned times are:

**Friday**
* 3-5pm Harmony Sunflowers
* 5-7pm Madison Pacesetters
* 7-9pm Racing Wranglers

**Saturday**
* 9am-12pm Madison Pacesetters
* 12-3pm Willow Valley Go-Getters
* 3-6pm Fancy Mustangs
* 6-9pm Fall River 55’ers

**Sunday**
* 7:30-9am Harmony Sunflowers
* 9am-12pm Upper Fall River Jayhawkers
* 12-3pm Racing Wranglers
* 3-6pm Upper Fall River Jayhawkers
* 6-9pm Willow Valley Go-Getters

**Monday**
* 9-11am Fancy Mustangs
* 11am-1pm Fall River 55’ers

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Reminder to clubs having concessions: 10% of your sales go to sales tax. Make checks payable to the Greenwood County 4-H Foundation. Due to the Extension office no later than August 13th. If you have signage with the cost of items please be sure to add “Price includes sales tax.”

With Fair time quickly approaching please remember that we need all sheep and goats to be sheered slick by weigh in time on Friday, July 22nd. As stated in the Fair Paper, animals that are not sheered will not be weighed!

Remember to show and sell livestock, participants MUST wear a collared shirt or a current Greenwood County Fair t-shirt.

Bedding Livestock at the Fair

Please feed hay when you have the animal out of the barn. Tie-out time is 8:30pm. Please have your animal on display until this time. We work hard at keeping our barn area clean, try to keep your "tie-out" area clean as well. The last day of the fair, clean up extra hay and any spilled grain. Beef, lambs, goats, and swine are bedded in wood shavings. It’s the exhibitor’s responsibility to clean up after their livestock. Cedar chips are available for $10 per head of Beef. Turn payment into Extension Office ASAP. Make checks payable to Greenwood County 4-H Foundation.
Fair Horse Show - July 16th at 5pm

The 4-H Horse show rule book will be followed. Show management and/or the judge may modify class execution as appropriate to run the show as efficiently as possible and allow you to exhibit their project to the best of their abilities. Please remember to wear long sleeves, collar blouses, unless advised differently at the horse show

- Horse ID papers
- Bring buckets to water horses as the weather most likely be very warm
- Listen to announcements before Trail, Working Ranch Horse, and timed events

Reining Class
The reining pattern this year will be pattern 3 for all ages.

The Working Ranch Horse (pattern 3)
Faults that will result in a 1-point deduction
- Horse Over Bridled
- Horse Out of Frame
- Gait Too Slow
- Gapping Mouth
- Breaking Gait at Walk or Trot for 2 strides or less

Faults that will result in a 3-point deduction:
- Breaking Gait at a Lope
- Breaking Gait at a Walk or Jog for more than 2 strides
- Wrong Lead
- Draped Reins (too loose)

Disqualification
- Falling of the Horse
- Rider Falling Off the Horse
- Skipping a Maneuver

Check in by 4:45 pm
See the last pages of this newsletter for patterns

Greenwood County 4-H Carcass Contest

The 4-H Carcass Contest involving market beef, market swine, market goats, and market lambs is planned for this year’s fair. Ideally, animals that place 1st and 2nd in market animal classes will be included in this contest. After the fair, a date to view carcasses at Woodson County Prime Meats in Yates Center will be determined, as this is where a majority of the animals will be taken for processing. The time frame for the visit is dependent on the schedule of the business. 4-H members and families who have questions about the 4-H Carcass Contest can contact Greg Davis at (620) 340-9534.

Greenwood County Fair Photography Special Category Award

1. Photography judging will be on Saturday, July 16th starting at 8am at the Matt Samuels building. Horse show participants will be judged first.

2. NEW THIS YEAR: Do not label your exhibit. Superintendent will place label on exhibits when they are brought in for judging. Keep your bags unsealed.

3. Kim Gaines will be sponsoring a photo category “4-H Spirit Photography Special Category Award.” One (1) color or black & white entry per 4-H member (needs to be enrolled in the photography project) that depicts the spirit and promotion of the 4-H organization. A $20.00 cash prize will be awarded.

Guidelines are:

♦ Photos could be selected to go to the state fair under the color category
♦ If entering your color photo in the special award there will be a sticker to apply to your entry
♦ This is a one winner category
♦ All members would acknowledge that the GWCo Research and Extension office and/or ambassadors would use these photos for publication and promotion
♦ Upon being selected for these possible projects, a digital file will need to be submitted to the Extension office at a later date
♦ The photo would not be eligible for open class
♦ This would not increase the number of photos a 4-H member could enter at the county level

Pullorum Testing for Poultry

Any poultry, except waterfowl, to be shown at the 2022 Greenwood County Fair must be Pullorum-Typhoid clean! That testing is available for those birds at the Greenwood County Fairgrounds on Wednesday, July 6th from 10am to noon. Please call the Extension Office at (620) 583-7455 if you have any questions.

Locker Plant

As in years past, the Woodson Co. Prime Meats locker plant in Yates Center is holding spots for our fair animals. They are limited in the number of spots, so they are asking our 4-H members to give them a call @ (620) 625-2711 as soon as possible if you are planning on bringing your fair animal in to be processed. Also, with the amount of animals they process from the fair, they are asking that families pick up their product as soon as possible after processing since they are limited on freezer space.
4-H/FFA Fair Premium Sale
Policy Reminders

This policy is regarding eligibility for the Livestock Sale from the Greenwood County 4-H Foundation:

- Livestock sale participants are required to attend a minimum of 4 monthly meetings.
- The livestock sale is terminal for all animals. Grand and Reserve Grand in each species are required to sell. Fair participants will be limited to one animal in the sale with the exception that in the event that a participant has more than one Grand and/or Reserve Champion, the participant will be required to sell ALL Grand and/or Reserve Champions.
- Requiring all Grand and Reserve Champions to sell ensures the quality and integrity of the program.
- Each fair participant has the right to withdraw their animal from the grand drive if they wish not to sell it.

For questions, contact Jamie Nelson, President of Greenwood County 4-H Foundation. Other members include Mike Mallek, Sarah Luthi, Alan Johnson, Natalie Boone, and Luke Westerman.

Each 4-H member who wishes to sell an animal in the Greenwood County 4-H Premium sale must attend at least four monthly meetings of the club in which they are enrolled. Attendance will be counted from October 1-June 30; with the official record being the 4-H club Secretary.

Save the Date for 48 Hours of 4-H

Oct. 8-9, 2022: Now is the time to save that date for 2022 48 Hours of the 4-H Service Challenge by starting to discuss and plan now. You can find the perfect project for your group and engage important partners. More information to come in the coming months.

Entomology Project Meetings

County Fairs are right around the corner, so there will not be any more group Entomology meetings before July. If you need help getting ready for the Fair, email or call Vicky Wallace, vicky.wallace55@gmail.com or (620)804-9170, to set up a time and place to work on your Entomology.

4-H Council Corner

4-H Council will meet on Monday, July 18th at the fairgrounds after Fairgrounds Clean-up!

The next 4-H Council meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 19th at 7pm at the Courthouse.

Fair Clothing Judging
Wednesday, July 20th in Madison

Good luck on judging Wednesday, July 20th at Madison High School! Please enter through the Commons Area of the school, where registration will be held (south doors). The Public Fashion Revue is scheduled to begin at 7pm that evening. 4-Her’s will sign up for judging times via Sign-up Genius. Be sure to keep an eye out for an email from the office with those links. The schedule will be posted that day in the Commons Area.

ALL CLUBS are asked to provide 4 dozen cookies for refreshments after the public fashion revue in the evening. Please drop off your cookies between 8am and noon at the Madison High School Area.

Schedule Order

- 8:30-9:30am Fiber Arts Judging
- 9:30am Clothing Construction Judging
- 8:30am Boy’s Buymanship, followed by Style Revue
- 8:30am Girl’s Buymanship, followed by Style Revue

Here’s some reminders for the day:

- Arrive early - get everything you might need together the evening prior to the event.
- Smile, Smile, Smile! Prepare ahead and relax to have a positive day.
- Plan ahead – press and iron your clothes, fix your hair prior to coming to save time.
- When being judged for Buymanship, take ALL outfits in on a hanger.
- You will need one time slot for Buymanship and multiple for Style Revue to coincide with the number of outfits to be modeled.

Public Fashion Revue Reminders:

- Turn in Clothing Info Sheet to Agent and keep one copy for judging.
- Model only 2 outfits total (see fair paper).
- Call back outfits should be modeled (prioritize these outfits for the revue).
- Wear call backs as your last outfit to model (if possible).
- Line-up begins at 6:45 pm near dressing rooms from judging.
- Clothing Construction Fashion Revue winners will also be announced at the Public Fashion Revue.
- There will be a reserved seating area for 4-H’er when they finish their fashion revue.
- New: Only one kid on the stage at a time unless a 1st year member.
- You are highly encouraged to practice so you feel prepared for the Walk Through Practice on July 14th from 5-6pm at Madison High School.

Submiting Clothing at the Fair:

- Submit ALL Clothing entries at the Fair on wire hangers with Clothing Information Sheet attached.
Mandatory Marker Along Fence or Wall

1. Run to the far end of arena, stop and do 2½ spins to the left.
2. Run to the opposite end of the arena, stop and do 2½ spins to the right.
3. Run past center of arena, do sliding stop, back over slide tracks to center, hesitate.
4. Make a pivot to the left to face left wall. Hesitate.
5. Begin on right lead and make two circles to the right, the first small and slow – the second large and fast. Change leads at center of arena.
6. Make two circles to the left, first small and slow – the second large and fast. Change leads at the center of the arena.
7. Begin a large fast circle to the right. Do not close this circle, but run straight down the side past the center, do a sliding stop. (Stop to be at least 20 feet from wall or fence).
1. Walk to the left around corner of the arena
2. Jog
3. Extend along the side of the arena and around the corner to the center
4. Stop, side pass right
5. 360° turn each direction (either way first)
6. Extend the jog
7. Lope left lead
8. Extend the lope
9. Change leads (simple or flying)
10. Collect to the lope
11. Extend the lope
12. Stop and back