



DAVIESS COUNTY 4-H NEWSLETTER

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May 15th is here, this is not a drill!

If you are showing livestock you **MUST** have all of your show-eligible animals entered into 4HOnline by May 15th.

If you do not enroll your animals in 4HOnline by May 15th the animals will not be allowed to be exhibited at the Daviess County 4-H Show. This is a **HARD DEADLINE** and we will not be able to make exceptions after that day.

My suggestion is that you set a personal deadline a few days before May 15th. All counties in Indiana utilize 4HOnline and require the May 15th deadline. This means that the database can get overloaded if too many users are on the website all at once. If you wait until 10pm on May 15th and the website crashes, then we can't promise you'll get everything completed on time.

If you intend to show livestock at the Indiana State Fair, you must have DNA hair sample envelopes submitted to the Extension Office by May 15th. Those envelopes are available in the Extension Office and at the tagging days.

I will be at the 4-H Fairgrounds to help with online animal enrollment on May 14th and May 15th from 6pm - 8pm. My goal is to make your 4HOnline experience as easy as possible so please reach out for assistance if you need it.

Wes Richardson, 4-H Youth Development Educator

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Tagging Days

Important Dates

May 8 - Sheep, Goat, & Swine Tagging and Weigh-in @ 4-H Grounds **6pm-9pm**

May 10 - Sheep, Goat & Swine Tagging and Weigh-in @ 4-H Grounds **7am-9am**

May 10 - Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care In-Person Training @ 4-H food court **10am**

May 14-15 - 4-H Online Assistance **6pm-8pm**

May 15 - Animal Identification and Project Enrollment Deadline

May 19 - FairEntry Opens

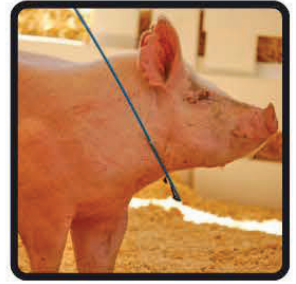
July 1 - FairEntry Closes

July 7-18 - Daviess County 4-H Fair

August 1-17 - IN State Fair

10-Year Member Info

All 10-year members should have received an email with a short survey and the request for a senior picture. We will use that information at livestock shows, for the 4-H Handbook, and to recognize you all publicly throughout the year.



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Sheep, Goat, Swine Tagging

The following animals must be present for tagging days:

Swine

All Gilts and Barrows

Sheep

Commercial Ewes and Market Lambs

Goats

Meat Goat Wethers

Dairy Weathers

Commerical Does

Market Does

FairEntry

<http://daviess-county.fairentry.com>

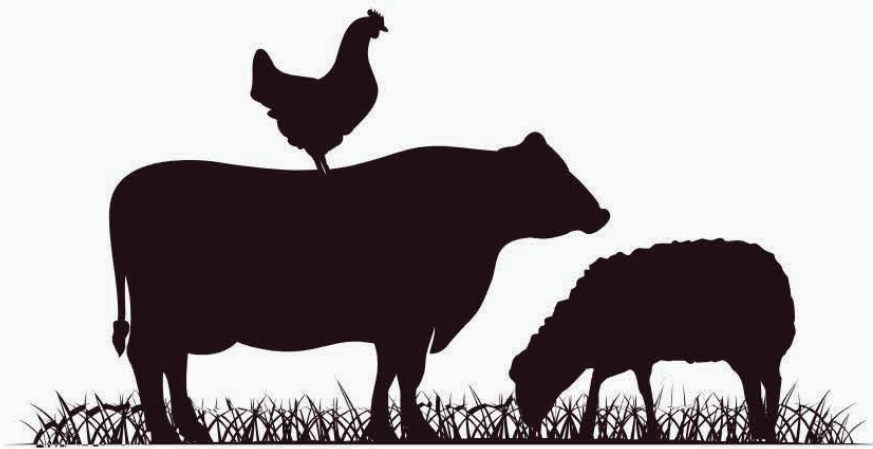
Fair Entry is the final part of our 4-H fair registration process. This lets us know what projects are actually coming to the fair. For example, when you registered for 4-H you may have selected the Crafts project, but then when Fair Entry opens you register that project as Fine Arts because you drew a picture. Or you selected the Swine project in 4HOnline and in Fair Entry you select that you are bringing a Hereford Barrow. Fair Entry opens on May 19th at the link above and will be open until July 1st. You will log in using your same information as you use for 4HOnline. An email will be sent later this month with thorough instructions.

FRIENDLY REMINDER

The May 15th DEADLINE is approaching. Please submit all needed items on 4-H Online.

MAY 15TH





**Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care - in-person class will
be held on May 10th at 10:00 AM in the 4-H food court**

