



Woodson County 4-H

K-State Research & Extension

March/April, 2017

A Message from Dale and Barbara:

Dear 4-H Families,

March has come in like a lamb this year, and hopefully will go out like one, too. It's easy to get used to the warm temperatures!

Warm temperatures mean spring livestock shows, too, and there are already several scheduled in the coming months. When show information is received by the Extension office, it's emailed out to those enrolled in the project. Copies are also available in the office.

Everyone should remember that in order to show at the fair, you must attend at least 60% of your club meetings.

We'd like to welcome our new 4-H families to Woodson County 4-H! Call, come by, or email the office if you have any questions about our program.

Dale Barbara

County and Regional 4-H Day Results

Congratulations to everyone who participated in Woodson County 4-H Day, and to those who participated in Regional 4-H Day!

Here are the results for Woodson County 4-H Day:

MODEL MEETING

Top Blue: 3-in-1 4-H Club
Blue: Eager Beavers 4-H Club
Red: Piqua 4-H Club

DEMONSTRATIONS/ ILLUSTRATED TALKS

Top Blue: Judah Stockebrand – Jr, Jesse Stockebrand – Int, Josiah Stockebrand – Int, Kraiss Baker – Sr, Jordan Weseloh and Maria Jimenez – Sr.

Blue: Tayla Baker – Int, Michael Rasmussen – Int, Cody Wille – Int.

Red: Josiah Rasmussen – Int, Emery Yoho – Int, Gabriel Rasmussen – Sr.

PROJECT TALKS (Junior only)

Top Blue: Aidan Yoho
Blue: Kevin Brown

Red: Gavin Stockebrand

READINGS

Top Blue: Jubal Stockebrand - Jr, Andrew Preston – Int, Josiah Rasmussen – Int, Mary Claire Stockebrand – Sr, Jaylie Weseloh – Sr.

INSTRUMENTAL SOLO

Top Blue: Gabriel Rasmussen – Sr.
Blue: AnnMarie Smith – Jr.

CLASSICAL DANCE

Top Blue: Emily and Madelyn Proper – Sr.

NOVELTY

Top Blue: Jubal, Judah, Josiah, Jesse, Mary Claire Stockebrand – Sr.

Blue: Michael Rasmussen – Sr.

2nd Blue: Piqua 4-H Club

SKIT

Top Blue: 3-in-1 4-H Club
Blue: Eager Beavers 4-H Club

30 people participated in the Consumer Judging Contest at 4-H Day. The top three in each age category were (Senior) Hali Crellin, Maria Jimenez, and Jon Barnes; (Intermediate) Andrew Preston, Aidan Yoho, and Lauren McConaghie; (Junior) Mylin Tidd, Cayten Cummings, Averi Gaulding.

Top Blue winners went on to Chanute on March 4th to compete at the Regional 4-H Day. Woodson County did a great job, bringing home three Top Blues, and thirteen Blues. Results are as follows:

MODEL MEETING: Top Blue: 3-in-1 Club

SENIOR CLASSICAL DANCE: Blue: Emily and Madelyn Proper

SENIOR NOVELTY: Blue: Jubal, Judah, Josiah, Jesse, and Mary Claire Stockebrand

SKIT/PLAY: Blue: 3-in-1 Club

JUNIOR TALKS/DEMONSTRATIONS: Blue: Judah Stockebrand

INTERMEDIATE TALKS/
DEMONSTRATIONS: Blue: Jesse Stockebrand, Josiah Stockebrand

SENIOR TALKS/DEMONSTRATIONS Blue: Kraiss Baker, and Jordan Weseloh and Maria Jimenez

SENIOR INSTRUMENTAL SOLO Blue: Gabriel Rasmussen

PROJECT TALKS: Blue: Aidan Yoho

JUNIOR READINGS: Blue: Jubal Stockebrand

INTERMEDIATE READINGS: Top Blue: Andrew Preston; Blue: Josiah Rasmussen

SENIOR READINGS: Top Blue: Mary Claire Stockebrand, Blue: Jaylie Weseloh

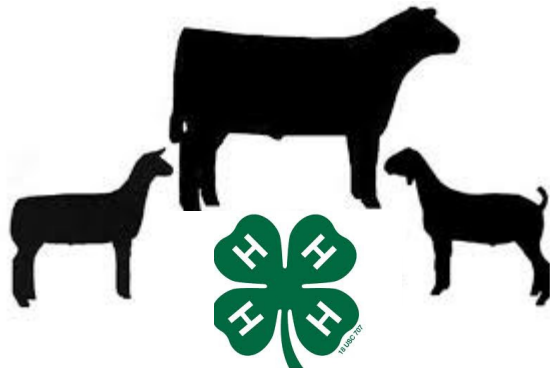
Woodson County Spring Beef, Lamb and Goat Shows

The Woodson County Spring Beef, Lamb, and Goat Shows have been scheduled for Saturday, April 29th.

Beef weigh-in and breeding heifer check-in is from 8am - 9am, and the show will start at 9:30.

Sheep and goat weigh-in and ewe check-in will be from 11am - 1pm. The show will start shortly after participants arrive from the Coffey County show. Lambs will show first, at approximately 1:00, followed by the goats at 3:00.

There are no pre-entries. You will fill out an official entry form for each animal before you weigh or check them in. Showmanship cards (separate from entry forms) are turned in at the scales. Coffey County shows will be the same day. You will be able to show at both shows.



Discovery Days 2017

It's time to register for Discovery Days, being held May 30 - June 2 for youth 13 to 18 years old.

There are a lot of new types of classes and tours this year covering 4-H projects, careers, hobbies, community service and more! The "good" classes always fill up first - get online and register today.

You can share your talents in the talent show, dance a night away, have Call Hall ice cream! Get ready for some great speakers and Discover Days Night Live and all the other possibilities in your future!

The cost for Discovery Days is \$230 which includes meals, lodging, program expense, insurance, a Discovery Days t-shirt, and more. Some classes have a small additional fee to cover materials.

Registration is open now until April 20, but don't wait until the last minute - you may not get the classes you want. Register online: <http://www.kansas4-H.org> and click on "Conferences & Events", then "Discovery Days".

Area Livestock Shows

We have been receiving flyers for Livestock shows every week. You should be receiving them in your email, as well. Copies are available at the Extension office. Here's a recap of upcoming area shows:

March 25 - Wilson County Spring Beef Show - Fredonia - Check-in 8:00 to 9:30

March 26 - Marion County Spring Beef Show - Hillsboro, KS - Check in 9:00

April 1 - Wild Bill Beef Shoot-out - Post mark entries by 3/24 - Abilene, KS - 8:00 - 9:30 check-in

April 8 - 57th Annual Quality Beef Day - Marysville, KS - Check in 8:00

April 8 - Central Kansas Classic Beef Show - Salina, KS - Check in 9:00

April 29 - Woodson County Spring Beef,

Sheep & Goat Shows - details

above

April 29 - Coffey County Spring Beef, Sheep & Goat Shows - Register by 4/17 - Sheep check-in 7:30, followed by Goats, beef.

May 6 - Shawnee County Spring Livestock Show - Beef, Bucket Calf, Sheep, Meat Goat - Holton - Beef check-in 7:00 to 8:30, then goats and sheep

May 6 - Gary Fuller Spring Classic - Sheep, Goats, Beef - Emporia, KS - Register by April 28 - 9:00

May 7 - Gary Fuller con't - Swine - 7:00

May 13 - Columbus - Sheep, Goats, Beef - Register by May 6 -



Come to one of K-State's most popular traditions - Open House! Held on Saturday, April 1st, Open House is a family-friendly event with something for everyone. It's a carnival of academic exhibits, entertainment, food, and fun every year. Take in K-State and explore the 250 majors and options, 475 campus clubs, and nine colleges: arts and sciences, engineer-

ing, business administration, education, agriculture, human ecology, veterinary medicine, and architecture, planning, and design.

What can you do at the open house? Check out the live entertainment in the quad and Bosco Student Plaza. You can pet a reptile, build a futuristic city, tour a cancer research laboratory, and check out a chemistry demonstration with explosions, glowing reactions, and thrills galore. You can take a literary quiz to win a free book. See how K-State students design a formula car for competition. Get an airbrush tattoo! Get a construction hat! See the amazing two-headed calf, and guess how many fleas are crammed into a jar. Enjoy a delicious bug treat, and be a "pollinator for a day" and cheer on your favorite cockroach during the cockroach races.

2017 4-H Campference

4-H Campference is for youth ages 12- 14 (before January 1, 2017), and will be held June 27-30 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 these 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. Participants will meet other youth from around the state of Kansas.



Register early as the space will fill on a first come basis, and Campference was full in 2014 - 2016! Register online by May 15 (or earlier it will close when it is full) and payment must be in the local Extension Offices by May 15. [Detailed information will be the State 4-H Website.](#) Registration will be open by March 20.

Calendar of Events

Mark your calendars for these upcoming events:

March 29 - 4-H Council meeting 7:00 @ Bressner Hall

April 1 - Last day to apply for Discovery Days counselor.

April 4 - Woodson County Sheep Auction - there should be a selection of animals good for projects.

April 15 - Deadline to sign up for State 4-H Sewing Camp

April 20 - Deadline to sign up for Discovery Days.

April 26 - Weigh day for

sheep, swine, goats, bucket calves

April 30 - Greenwood County Spring Shows

May 1 - Last day to add or drop projects.

May 1 - Last day to ID steers for State Shows

May 15 - Deadline to sign up for Campference

May 30 - June 2 - State 4-H Sewing Camp

May 30 - June 2 - Discovery Days

June 24 - 27 - County Camp

June 27 - 30 - Campference

June 27 - July 4 4-H Council Fireworks Stand

July 15 - 19 - **WOODSON COUNTY FAIR**

Sept 9 - 16 - Kansas State Fair

