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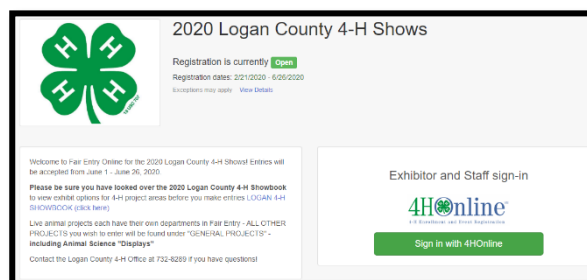
## Logan County 4-H Newsletter

**ALL May/June Newsletter Information subject to change and/or cancellation due to COVID19 Directives from University.** Please contact staff via email if you have questions: [Patty Huffer, phuffer@illinois.edu](mailto:Patty.Huffer@illinois.edu); [Amy Hyde, amyhyde@illinois.edu](mailto:Amy.Hyde@illinois.edu); [Carissa Davis, akpore@illinois.edu](mailto:Carissa.Davis@illinois.edu)

**4-H Show Entries – ONLINE – <https://logan4-hfair.fairentry.com>**

### **Delayed Entries for 2020: July dates TBD**

University of Illinois Extension will be making a decision concerning August 4-H Shows on July 1 (whether they may take place 'in-person' or will be shifted to a 'virtual show' format). Due to that, the Logan County 4-H Show Fair Entry registration process will be delayed for 2020 only. All entries for Logan County 4-H Shows should be completed through ONLINE Fair Entry system (<https://logan4-hfair.fairentry.com>) in July (dates TBD).



### **Home & Family/Food, Nutrition & Health Shows – NEW DATE – August 1!**

These shows will be held on **Saturday, August 1.** (Saturday ahead of Logan County Fair Week)

**Home & Family Show will begin at 10 am in the Logan County Fair Special Events Building (Brown Door) at south end of Fairgrounds.** The following projects will be exhibited: Clothing, Interior Design, Family Heritage, Consumer Ed (Financial Champions, Entrepreneurship), Child Development, and Communications (Communications, Creative Writing, Journalism). After judging they will be left on display for week of Fair.

**The Food, Nutrition, & Health Show will begin at Noon at the Logan County 4-H Office Meeting Room.** The following projects will be exhibited: Foods, Food Decorating & Health. After judging youth will be asked to take them to Special Events Fair Building (yellow door) to stay on display during week of Fair.

Please look over the showbook (available from your 4-H leader, the 4-H Office or on our website — <https://go.illinois.edu/loganshowbook>) for your project requirements.

**Sample scoresheets for projects can be viewed at the State 4-H Member/Projects page:** <https://4h.extension.illinois.edu/members/projects> Look for project area you will exhibit in and then scroll to very bottom of page to find sample scoresheets.



## **Virtual 4-H Show exhibit requirements (if needed)**

Should Logan 4-H Shows become 'virtual format' the requirements for exhibits will consist of photos (or short video or slideshow) and a one page report on the 4-H project (depending on the project area/s) which **will be uploaded into online FairEntry system as PART OF ENTRY PROCESS - entries cannot be submitted without the required items for virtual exhibit.** Additional details will be provided to members/families for each virtual project area exhibit requirement prior to FairEntry registration time. **Work on projects early in the summer so they will be ready for photos and report upload should we need to move to the virtual format!**

## **State Fair Livestock Books/Entries/Fees – deadline extended to July 15**

<https://www2.illinois.gov/statefair/competitions/premium-books>

Illinois State Fair Jr. Department books with classes & requirements are available only on the web. Jr. Livestock animal entry forms will also need to be printed off the web (these can be filled IN online before printing). **State Fair Jr. Livestock Dept. entries will need to be submitted by 4-H member TO STATE FAIR. Due to State Fair by July 15. (NEW DATE)** This year (2020 ONLY) staff will be unable to sign entry forms. Members choosing to submit their forms should print staff member name (Patty Huffer) on the signature line and submit their forms to the State Fair. The Illinois State Fair Junior Department will contact 4-H offices to verify 4-H enrollment after entries are made.

Fees for 2020 Junior State Fair entries will be:

**BEEF, DAIRY - \$15 per head | HORSES—\$10 per head (State Fair JR Horse Show July 26-Aug 2 – Horse entries due June 20) | SHEEP, SWINE, GOATS—\$5 per head | DOGS — \$5.00 per dog [State 4-H Dog Show – Aug 29, Dixon, IL] | POULTRY, RABBITS — \$1.00 per head**

JR Dept judging schedule found here: <https://go.illinois.edu/SFJrlivestockjdg>

## **Cloverdale 4-H Receives Farm Credit Community Improvement Grant!**

Congratulations to Cloverdale 4-H Club who again applied for and received a Community Improvement Grant from Farm Credit Illinois for 2020. The focus of the grant proposal was on the environment and they plan to continue helping with the monarch habitat at the Dr. G Dennis Campbell Creekside Outdoor Center for Environmental Education in rural Lincoln.

## **ILLINOIS STATE FAIR GENERAL PROJECT INFO – LOGAN CO DAY – AUG 15th**

Provided that Illinois State Fair is not cancelled, all 4-H general project exhibits will be in the Orr Building on the state fairgrounds. ALL 4-H youth age (8-18) are eligible to be selected as State Fair Delegates! Logan County General Project Day at the Illinois State Fair is Saturday, August 15.

### **WHAT WILL HAPPEN –**

DROP OFF exhibit from 8 to 9:30 am at the Orr Building. You will NOT need to check in with anyone.

CHECK THE BOARD to see what time to be back for judging – you must be present for conference judging.

LEAVE YOUR EXHIBIT on display throughout the day. **You cannot remove it before the release time at 4:00.**



## County Club News

**ATLANTA AG** – At recent meetings, 4-H members assisted with the Atlanta Fireman Pancake Breakfast helping with setup, greeting people and cleaning tables. Carissa Davis, Extension Educator, was guest speaker and talked about Electricity & circuits. We also learned to make geocaches. In May we had a Virtual Club meeting and discussed heroes as well as an Alphabet scavenger hunt.

## We're Looking for New Members!

You see them at state 4-H events in their bright green shirts. Now YOU can become an Illinois State 4-H Youth Leadership Team member.

- **Eligibility:** Age 16 to 19 by September 1, 2020.
- **Length of service:** Two years
- **Apply online:** [go.illinois.edu/4HYLT](http://go.illinois.edu/4HYLT). Look for the “application” at the bottom of the page.
- **Deadline:** June 1, 2020

The State Youth Leadership Team plans and implements the state Jr. Leadership Conference, plans and teaches the Speaking for Illinois 4-H program, and assists (behind the scenes and in front of the audience) for many other statewide events. Team members have the opportunity to serve on statewide planning committees and advisory groups, including the Illinois 4-H Foundation Board of Directors, Illinois Farm Bureau Youth Education Committee, Illini Summer Academies planning committee, and Teen Leadership Conference planning committee. Members also have the first opportunity to attend National 4-H Conference in Washington, D.C. each spring.



## WELCOME NEW 4-H MEMBERS!

**ATLANTA AG** – Rose Catterson, Logan Catterson (Cloverbud), Tyler Davis, Trista Davis, Aiden Fitzpatrick (Cloverbud), Hannah Glandon (Cloverbud), Tatum Liesman, Eva Sanders

**ATLANTA TOWN & COUNTRY** – Remington Alberts (Cloverbud)

**CHESTER 4-H** – Addisyn Mauher

**CLOVERDALE** – Cameron Wilmert

**FOUR CORNER BUDDIES (CLOVERBUDS)** – Madison Stoll, Wyatt Stoll

**FOUR CORNER CLOVERS** – Mackenzie Dowllar, Miranda Dowllar

**HARTEM CLOVERS** – Mason Grelck, Grant Hayes,

**HOLLANDERS** – Jaycie Doerr, Elle Fults, Phillip Osborn, Emmalyn Splitter,

**LINCOLN CLOVERBUDS** – Benjamin Bryson, Harrison Danosky, Kaleb Eigenbrod, Akyra Mahannah, Nolan Smith, Eloise Uphoff

**THE WHIZ KIDS** (Hollanders Cloverbuds) – Rita Davison

**TOPPER 4-H** – Elliott Cooper, Kaylyn Evoy, Mackenzie Gorman, Bret Halsey, Kelten Olson, Jesse Werts (Cloverbud), Hailey Zimmer

**WIDE-A-WAKE** – Haven Henry, Grace Nutter

**Congratulations to our 2020 Logan 4-H High School Seniors!!**

Conner Adams – Hollanders 4-H  
 Brayden Alexander – The 4 Corner Clovers  
 Hunter Bailey – The Pioneers  
 Landon Behrens – Hollanders 4-H  
 Wyatt Boyer – Topper 4-H  
 Addam Hoerbert – Hollanders 4-H  
 Grace Lessen – Cloverdale 4-H  
 Cavit Schempp – Atlanta Ag 4-H  
 Sarah Starasta – Cloverdale 4-H  
 Abigail Steffens – Chester 4-H  
 Charlotte Toohill – Atlanta Ag 4-H

**Calendar of Events & Activities**

(All events and activities are held at the Logan Extension Office unless otherwise noted)  
 (If you need a reasonable accommodation to participate in advertised programs, please contact U of I Extension, 732-8289)

**ALL DATES/SCHEDULED EVENTS SUBJECT TO CHANGE AND/OR CANCELLATION DUE TO COVID19 DIRECTIVES**

- May 25 – **OFFICE CLOSED**, Memorial Day Holiday
- June 1 – Youth Leadership Team online application deadline
- July 3 – **OFFICE CLOSED**, Independence Day Holiday
- **July (dates TBD) – 4-H ONLINE Fair Entry open for entries – ALL 4-H Show entries must be made online**
- **July 15 – DEADLINE for State Fair Jr. Entries to STATE FAIR**
- August 1 – Home & Family Shows, 10 am, Logan Co. Fair Special Events Building (brown door)
- August 1 – Food, Nutrition & Health Show – 12 pm, Logan County Extension Office

**SUMMER 4-H SHOW & FAIR DATES**

**June 21** - 4-H UNIT **VIRTUAL Horse Show** (Fair Entry online submission)

**August 1** – 4-H UNIT Dog show/Cat Show – Logan Co Fairgrounds

**August 1** – Home & Family Shows [Clothing, Interior Design, Family Heritage, Consumer Ed (Financial Champions, Entrepreneurship), Child Development, and Communications (Communications, Creative Writing, Journalism) projects]

**August 1** – Food, Nutrition & Health Show (Foods, Food Decorating & Health projects)

**August 3** – General Project Exhibit Day [all other 4-H projects (including Animal Science Displays) besides those listed for above shows and livestock/small animals]

**August 3** - Cloverbud Exhibit Day (ages 5-7 enrolled in Cloverbuds)

**August 2 – 9** – Logan County Fair

**August 15** – Logan County Day at State Fair (General projects)

**August 13 – 23** – Illinois State Fair