





Cloverbud Judging



Clean Barn Winners



Master Showmanship Contest

Calendar of events

August

- 8....Records Workshop, 7 p.m. Shelby County Senior Center
- 13.... Shelby County 4-H General Projects Judging day at the IL State Fair

September

- 1....New 4-H year begins
- 5....Office closed for Holiday
- 12.... Year-end records due including Secretary and Treasurer books

Come to the next 4-H & Jr. Fair Board Meeting

The Shelby County 4-H and Junior Fair Board will have their next meeting on Monday, August 29, 7:30 p.m. at the Shelby County Farm Bureau.

This is the meeting to express your thoughts on how the fair went, concerns you may have and how we can improve the fair for next year.

Community Service Records

Due September 12, 2022

4-H members who have completed 3 community service projects should submit their records by September 12. Community Service medals will be awarded to 4-H members at the annual Achievement Night program in November.

Members do not have to submit year-end records to be eligible for this award.

Livestock Auction Pictures

Pictures taken at the 4-H Livestock Auction are available at the Extension office and should be picked up in a timely manner and delivered to the buyer. Without the buyers, there would be no auction!



Another Fair is in the books . . .

The Shelby County 4-H & Jr. Fair had another successful year! Thank you to all the superintendents, judges, judges' assistants, volunteers and fair board members who helped the fair run smoothly. Everyone comes together for the benefit of the kids to give the best fair that we can.

Thank you to all the 4-H members and their families for all their hard work preparing their animals for show and the many great general projects that were created by 4-H'ers.

A big thank you to everyone involved in the fair. Lots of wonderful memories were made in the summer of 2022.

Yolanda

Writing Thank-You's

Did you receive a banner, trophy, Clean Barn Award, Outstanding Exhibitor Chair, or other items? All 4-H'ers are reminded to send a thankyou note to the donors. The address of the donor should be on the bottom of the trophy, back of the banner or on the award. Donors appreciate acknowledgment of the awards and trophies and are more willing to donate in future years when their efforts are recognized. Let the sponsors know how appreciative you are!

Clean Barn Sponsors information were included on the letter that 4-H'ers received on Thursday morning .

Outstanding Exhibitor Chairs were sponsored by Shelby County 4-H. The address is 1125 W. North 2nd Street, Shelbyville, IL 62565.

Don't wait to mail your thank you's as the fair was already 2 weeks ago. We had more trophies this year because we had more donations so please get those thank you cards mailed TODAY!



The new 4-H year kicks off September 1st !.

Shelby County 4-H Members are headed to the State Fair

Saturday, August 13

Shelby County 4-H has 53 4-H members headed to the State Fair General Projects judging on Saturday, August 13. Stop by the Orr Building and check out all the projects! Judging starts at 9 and will continue throughout the day. Families can download the Illinois 4-H App and stay up to date on project judging, learn more about registering as a 4-H alumni and view a map of the State Fair and the Orr Building. Attention 4-H members: If you haven't picked up your State Fair packet, please do so as soon as possible. If you need your packet mailed, please let Yolanda know by calling 217-774-9546 or via email at nation2@illinois.edu.

We also have 4-H members exhibiting in the beef, goat, sheep, swine and dairy shows during the fair. **Best of luck to all our Shelby County 4-H Exhibitors!**

Wyatt Bauman - Vegetable Display Fallynn Beitz - Health Kyndall Bennett - VA Glass Carly Bland - Cooking 101 Coffee Cake Adalyn Blodgett - Health Amelia Bonny - VA Clay Lilah Bonny - VA Paper **Owen Bonny - Small Engines** Ty Burgener - Forestry Saebra Curl - Interior Design Audrey Durbin - VA Chalk, carbon, pigment Blair Elliott - Natural Resources Cooper Elliott - Tractor Garrett Endsley - Electricity Karalyn Endsley - VA Chalk, carbon, pigment Tymberlee Glick - VA Leather Elizabeth Hampton - Cooking 201 Muffins Joseph Hampton - Crops - Soybeans Harrison Helmink - Model Rocketry Emma Hickman - STEAM Clothing 1 Nathan Hickman - Cooking 101 Cookies Trip Higgins - Shooting Sports Archery Display McKinley Hippard - Floriculture B Tucker Hoyt - Photography 2 Taryn Hrabak - Computer Science Breyden Knearem - Woodworking 1 Josie Koester - VA Chalk, Carbon, Pigment

Colby McCormick - Photo Editing Adilee Meachum - Veterinary Science Abraham Morrow - Vegetable Plate Isabelle Morrow—VA Metal **Delaney Nation - Scrapbooking** Hunter Richards - Welding Brady Rivas - Family Heritage Owen Romack - VA Wood Isaac Rund - VA Computer Generated Art Claire Schafer - VA Heritage Arts Briston Sims - Woodworking Syra Sims - Cooking 401 Sponge Cake Mollie Slifer - VA Fiber Gauge Sloan - Natural Resources Esmi Small - Civic Engagement Barrett Thatcher - Crops -Small Grains Kaycee Thatcher - Crops - Corn Henry Vonderheide - Intercultural Tvler Vonderheide - Consumer Education Heath Westendorf - Natural Resources Ryder Wheeler - Geology Makenzie White - Beekeeping Elijah Wilson - Geology Ryann Wood - VA Food Decorating Delanie Yantis - VA Food Decorating Cherish Yearber - Floriculture A

Shelby County 4-H Federation

Are you interested in being apart of Shelby County 4-H Federation? But first, what is Federation? Federation is the youth leadership team in the county. They plan county activities and are very involved with community service projects. We are always looking for new ideas and projects for our 4-H members. Federation is open to youth in 8th grade and up. Junior federation members are those youth who are in 6th and 7th grades. We will have our first meeting in early September. Federation meets monthly. Members accumulate points throughout the year for the activities they attend and then are rewarded with a year-end incentive trip. If you are interested in more information, contact Yolanda and she will add you to her contact list. Watch upcoming newsletters and the Shelby County IL 4-H Facebook page for updates.

Shelby County 4-H — August 2022





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Checklist for Year-End Records

- ☑ My 4-H Activities (tan sheet)
- ☑ My 4-H Project Record (green sheet)
- ☑ Illinois Member Record
- ☑ Livestock Record if applicable
- ☑ Outstanding 1st and 2nd Year members. If you are a first or second year member, there are forms to complete for applying for the Outstanding 1st and 2nd year member awards.
- ☑ Junior Leader Nomination Form. This form is for older 4-H members who have helped mentor younger members or have been a "leader" to others in their clubs
- ☑ Illinois Experience Application (optional)
- ☑ Community Service Form (optional)

All record forms are to be completed by the 4-H member.

For assistance with year-end records, you may call the Extension office or schedule an appointment for help.

All forms must be signed by the 4-H member, parent and leader.

Year-end 4-H records are due September 12, 2022





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If you need a reasonable accommodation to participate, please contact the Shelby County Extension Office.

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