



Kendall County 4-H Calendar 2019-2020

Calendar dates are subject to change

MAY

- 1 Ownership Deadline, Horse & Pony, Papers and Photos, due by 4:30 pm to office.
- 1 Deadline for QA&E Certification for all animal species youth doing a poster, Deadline for YQCA for all animal species showing livestock at the Kendall County Fair.
- 3 4-H/FFA Spring at the Farm 9 am set up-event 10 am – 3 pm
- 4 4-H Leaders Meeting – End of Year Packets distributed, Fair Preparation, Fairbook available 1 and 7 pm, Extension Office
- 15 Possession date Wethers
- 21 State Fair 4-H Horse enrollment papers due.
- 25 **Memorial Day Observed – Office closed**

JUNE

- 1 Horse State Fair entries, photos, papers due to state fair office
- 1 Possession date Barrows, Gilts, Calves, Heifers, Dogs, Rabbits, Pygmy Goats and Poultry
- 5 Swine Nomination Deadline – Extension Office by 4 pm
- 9 4-H Teen Federation Meeting 7 pm
- 18 Pork Chop Barbecue Drive thru at Extension office 4:30-6:30 pm
- 19 Fair Entries Due – Online midnight/Extension Office by 4:30 pm
- 21-27 Illini Summer Academies
- 24 4-H Dog Show, Kane Fairgrounds
- 25 Ownership date Sheep: Ewes and Rams
- 30 Livestock entries due **Online midnight/Ext. Office by 4:30 pm**
- TBD Millbrook Spring Fling, 3-5 pm 4-H Community Service

JULY

- 3 Office closed Independence Day Holiday
- 6 4-H Leader Meeting – Fair Entry supplies, 1 and 7 pm, Ext. Office
- 8 4-H Horse Gaming Show 3 pm (TBD rain date)
- 11 4-H English Pleasure Horse Show at Harris Forest Preserve 9 am
- 12 4-H Western Pleasure Horse Show at Harris Forest Preserve 10 am
- 18 Raindate for Horse shows at Harris Forest Preserve 9 am
- 21 Rate of Gain Beef weigh in and judging, 6 pm
- 22 4-H Sewing and Textile Judging at Yorkville Congregational Church, 9:15 am judging starts, 9-10:30 Check-in
- 22 Fashion Revue –6 pm arrive participants, 6:45 pm group photo, 7 pm at Yorkville Congregational Church,
- 26 Fair Set-up 9 am start, Livestock General and Home Ec. Supt set up 10 am. All Superintendents meet after set up
- 28 **Tuesday** Check-in and Judging for Engineering and Technology, Bicycle/Video/Welding judged 5-6 pm, Community and Personal, Home and Family, Natural Resources, Photography and *Shooting Sports* at Smith 4-H Hall, Fairgrounds for the 4-H Show 3 - 7 pm.
- 29 **Wednesday** Education Building Floriculture check-in 4-6 pm Cloverbuds judged at 3:30 pm Check-in and Judging Day for Food & Nutrition; Horticulture; Plants & Soils; and Visual Arts 3-6 pm check-in, Knitting, Crocheting, judged 6-7pm. Clothing checked in) Livestock Weigh-in 3-8 pm.
- 30 **Thursday:** First Day of Fair Shows: Sheep 8 am, Goat 8:30 am Flag Raising noon, Open Horse 11 am, Poultry 4 pm, Swine Breeding 5 pm
- 31 **Friday:** 4-H Shows: Swine 8:30 am, Rabbit 9 am, Dairy 9 am

AUGUST

- 1 **Sat.** 4-H Shows: Beef 9 am, Cat 10 am, Livestock Auction 6 pm
- 2 **Sunday:** Master Showmanship Livestock Arena 10:30 am, Fashion Revue on Family Stage 3:30 pm, Parade of Champions line up 3:45 pm, begins at 4 pm, pick up projects 5 pm, Fairgrounds clean-up.
- 3 **Monday:** Superintendents at Fairgrounds to refill poultry building. Family & Youth help rolling up temporary fences, racking area where bales of hay used for seating, chairs stacked and put away, refilling poultry building, taking out fencing poles to return grounds to normal usage.
- 15 Kendall County Fair Day at State Fair
- 24 General & Home Ec Superintendent fair meeting 7 pm Ext. Office
- 25 Livestock Superintendent fair follow-up meeting 7 pm Ext. Office

SEPTEMBER

- 1-4 4-H leaders' mandatory individual meetings
- 7 Office Closed for Labor Day
- 8 4-H Teen Federation 7 pm
- 15 RECORDS DUE TO THE 4-H OFFICE
- 28 Leaders Records judging 5-6 pm light supper, judging following
- 29 Records judging scholarships 5-6 pm supper, judging following



SEPTEMBER

- 8 4-H Fun at the Farm, 9155 Kennedy Road, Yorkville
- 9 Leaders meeting, 1 pm and 7 pm, 4-H Office*
- 10 4-H Federation planning year meeting
- 13 *Award applications & project summaries due, Treasurer's reports due, Secretary 4-H club attendance due
- 15 Fair Appreciation dinner 4:30 at Fairgrounds
- 23 Records judging leaders and parents, judge project summaries.
- 24 Records judging, state awards and individual awards.

OCTOBER

- 2 Science Ambassadors training 6:30-8 DuPage, Office
- 5 Science Ambassadors training 2:30-4 Kane, Office
- 6-12 National 4-H Week –promote 4-H
- 8 4-H Teen Federation Kick-Off, Officers election
- 10 4-H Kick-Off, Fairgrounds, 6-7:30 pm
- 12 Food Truck Rally on Fairgrounds (4-H help needed)
- 15 4-H Horse committee 7 pm
- 17 Dog Committee meeting 5:30-6:30 pm office
- 20 HCE Victorian Tea 1:30-4 pm Cross Lutheran, Servers needed
- 28 4-H Foundation Meeting 6 pm judge awards 7 pm Annual Meeting
- 29 Key Award, 4-H Illinois State Award, LCP, Legacy Scholarship, Livestock Scholarship, Diamond and Emerald Experience Awards applications are all due. **NEW DATE, changed from January 1.**

NOVEMBER

- 1 Office Submit awards to state for judging.
- 2 Bridge Building workshop 10-12 noon, Oswego Library, Montgomery Branch.
- 4 Leaders Meeting – 1 and 7 pm, Extension Office
- 5 Expansion and Review committee meeting 6 pm
- 9 Teen Science Ambassador training 2:30-4 pm DuPage Ext. office
- 12 Officers' Training 6:30- 8 pm, 4-H Teen Federation arrive 6 pm
- 15 Achievement Night – 7 pm, Plano High School
- 28-29 **Office Closed for Thanksgiving Holiday**

DECEMBER

- 1 First Project Enrollments due online by midnight
- 2 Enrollment fees and risk form due by 4:30 pm
- 6 4-H Teen Federation practice for workshop day 6-8 pm
- 7 Holiday Workshop, Extension Office 9:30-12:30 pm
- 7 Bridge Bust workshop, Extension Office 1- 3 pm
- 10 4-H Teen Federation 7 pm, Extension office
- 11 Bridge Busting contest 8 am to 1 pm Cross Lutheran School
- 24-31 **Office Closed for Holidays**

JANUARY 2020

- 1 Possession date Heifers, Cows, Dairy Goats and Steers
- 1 Office Closed for Holiday
- 4 Rate of Gain Beef Weigh-in 9 am, David Wheeler Farm
- 6 4-H Leaders Meeting – 1 and 7 pm, Extension Office
- 9 **New Family Orientation** 6:30 pm Ext. Office
- 11 Bridge Busting, Cross Lutheran School, Yorkville 9 am program
- 13 Dog Committee Meeting 3:30 pm
- 14 4-H Teen Federation Teen regular meeting 7 pm 4
- 20 **Office Closed-Martin Luther King Day**
- 25 Premier Beef Tattoo and weigh-in, Josh Johnson's, Sheridan 9 am

FEBRUARY

- 1 Possession date Beef/Steer
- 8 Fairboard Drawdown fundraiser, Smith 4-H Hall
- 11 Bowl-A-Thon forms and prizes due, 4-H Federation meeting 7 pm
- 22 **Cloverbud Workshop 9:30-11:30 am**
- 29 **Charity Bowl-A-Thon @ Yorkville Bowling Alley**

MARCH

- 2 Leaders' meeting 1 and 7 pm Extension Office
- 10 4-H Teen Federation Meeting 7 pm
- 12 Fashion Revue Meeting 7 pm Extension office
- TBD Horse Bowl Regional Contest
- 23-27 **Spring Break Workshops**

APRIL

- 1 **Project Enrollment Deadline to show at Fair: 4-H Show**
- 4 Fairboard Adult Egg Hunt
- 14 4-H Teen Federation Meeting at Extension office 7 pm
- 19 **International Night 3-5 pm**, Smith 4-H Hall, Fairgrounds, Yorkville, Judging for the Passport to the World Project 1-3 pm
- 25 **4-H Public Presentations**, DuPage 4-H Office, Naperville