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Tag In Dates for Steer & Heifer

The 2018/2019 steer & heifer tag-in will be Saturday, December 1st from 9 - 10:30 a.m. at the Erie County Fairgrounds for all beef and dairy steers and market beef heifers that will be exhibited at the 2019 fair.
Thank You Notes Reminder

If you have not already done so, please take the time to write and send thank-you notes to your trophy and award sponsors, buyers, and to Roger Hunker for donating his time and auctioneer service to the Junior Fair sales. Trophies and awards have attached labels or letters with donor information. The labels are usually on the bottom of the trophy. Thank-you notes are simple to do, yet the effects are great! Notes really can make a difference as to whether a person or business supports 4-H and the Erie County fair in the future.

If you have not yet turned in thank-you notes for your buyers, you must drop off stamped and addressed thank-you notes to the Extension Office ASAP! You will not receive your sale check until all of your thank-you notes have been submitted to the Extension Office.

Attention Parents, Members and Volunteers

April 1, 2019 will be the 4-H enrollment deadline next year. The deadline for project changes will be May 1st.

Collegiate 4-H at The Ohio State University Presents:

Carving New Ideas

November 16th-18th – 4-H Camp Ohio
11461 Camp Ohio Rd, St Louisville, OH 43071

Open to 8th-12th grade 4-H members, Carving New Ideas is a camping opportunity for older youth, concentrating on the principles of critical thinking and program facilitation. The weekend includes sessions, speakers, fun activities, and the opportunity to meet 4-H members from around the state.

Participation at CNI will…
- enhance leadership skills.
- connect you with other 4-H teens around Ohio.
- look amazing on your Ohio 4-H Achievement Record.
- be so much FUN!

REGISTER TODAY!
Questions? Contact Beth Boomershine at boomershine.10@osu.edu
Or find us on Facebook- Collegiate 4-H at The Ohio State University
Congratulations!

4-H Committee Scholarship Recipients
James Hill, Kari Puckrin, Gavin Schaeffer, Abby Singler & Samantha Smith

Art R Veleba Scholarship Recipients
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Outstanding 4-H Girl
Emma Wensink

Outstanding 4-H Boy
Jake Kromer

Erie County Homemakers Scholarship Recipients
Abby Singler & Kari Puckrin

2018 State Fair Results (non-livestock)

Outstanding of the Day
Joseph Faber- Scrapbooking Jr
Elizabeth Patrick – The Truth About Tabacco Sr.
William Werling- Cake Decorating Int.Jr.
Samantha Smith – Your First Home Away From Home
Thomas Faber – Crank It Up
Maggie Mehling – Science Fun with Dairy Foods
Kyle West - Welding
MaKayla Clark – Science Fun with Kitchen Chemistry
Timmy Wensink – Welding (Bigger Weldment)
William Bruns- Finishing Up
AnneMarie Covey – Cat 2
Tavilynn Dillender – Pet Rabbit
McKayla Krawczyk – Dress Up Outfit –Formalwear
Aubrey Malott- Sew Fun Jr.
Sara Skaff- Everyday Food and Fitness Jr.

Honorable Mention
Camden Riggs – Pet Rabbit

Clock & Wool Award Recipient
Mikayla Canino- Tops for Tweens

*Disclaimer: to the best of our ability, sorry if we missed anyone

Thanks to the 2018 Junior Fair Board
The Jr. Fair Board helped make the 2018 Fair a success. These 4-H youth volunteered many hours of their time getting ready for fair and worked several hours during fair. We greatly appreciate the awesome job they did.

Emma Beal Joey Faber addie Kromer Elizabeth Patrick
Kirsten Beal Topanga Farlow Brittn Kromer Gavin Schaeffer
Sara Bias Madeline Flick Jake Kromer Mikayla Schippel
Caroline Brewer Kamry Gravenhorst Jill Kromer Madalyn Thayer
Grace Colavincenzo Madilyn Grimm Brynn Laughlin Kalynn Welch
Kayla Cox Emily Hineline James Lowery Elle Whelan
Valerie Deehr Ashley Huntley Lincoln Meredith Emerson Young
Lily Dendinger Miranda Jones Emily Mitchel
Allison Faber Trent Jones Delaynie Nejedly
Jenna Faber McKayla Krawczyk Austin Ott

A special thanks to those who served as officers: Caroline Brewer, President; Jake Kromer, Vice President; Kaynn Welch, Secretary; Gavin Schaeffer, Treasurer
4-H Awards Ceremony

Thanks to everyone who helped make our 4-H Awards Ceremony at the fair a success! For those who were not in attendance, we would like to, again, recognize our tenured members. If you have not received your tenure award/recognition, please stop by to pick it up at the Extension office by September 30th. We apologize if we mistakenly omitted any names.

10 years 4-H Completion - 4-H Backpack
Caroline Brewer  James Hill  Mel Lindner  Meredith Lincoln
Kami Neuberger  Kari Puckrin  Samantha Smith  Emily Yocum

11 years 4-H Completion - 4-H Water Bottles
Sierra Auck  Emma Canino  Simon Kromer
Chloe Limberios  Katie Otto

12 years 4-H Completion - 4-H Key Chain
Abby Flesher  Kelly Leimeister  Morgan Otto
Dylan Popke  Tyler Sayler  Kaylen Welch

13 years 4-H Completion - 4-H T-Shirt
Matthew Geiger  Lauren Schenk  Melanie Sayler
Clayton Schmidt  Gavin Schaeffer

14 years 4-H Completion - 4-H T-Shirt
Collin Lane

Unclaimed Fair Projects and Awards

Please stop by the Extension Office to pick up your project. Our office is open 8-4:30, Monday through Friday.

The following members have unclaimed fair projects:
Natalee Gast, Madelyn Peugeot, Kennedy Keim, Cassidy Smith-Fields,

4-H members who have 4-H Awards to pick up:
Coline Lane, Matthew Geiger, Kelly Leimeister, Chloe Limberios, Sierra Auck

After September 30th, projects will be discarded.
Animal & Me Show Huge Success Thanks to Many
This 7th annual Animal & Me show was held this year at the Erie County fair. Animal & Me allows individuals with special needs to show an animal at the fair. The participants signed up ahead of time with a “wish list” of animals that they wanted to show. 4-H and FFA exhibitors served as mentors and brought their animals to the show and shared them with another youth. Thanks so much to the following youth members for sharing their animals and their self: Mikayla Canino, Valerie Deehr, Breanna Ensley, Adam Ensley, Cassie Enzor, Caleb Holmes, James Lowery, Miranda Jones, Emily Hineline, Lincoln Meredith, Charlotte Gall, Evelyn Gull, McKayla Krawczyk, Austin Ott, Brynn Laughlin, Madilyn Grim and Emma Wensink.

Thank you to our judges for the event, Olivia Krumwiede and Julie Geiger. All the participants received a 4-H medal for the wonderful job they did showing their animals. The medal were sponsored by Kelling Equipment Repair Inc of LaGrange, Ohio. The Townsend Ruritanian provided certificates for shaved ice for all the participants and mentors to enjoy. THANK YOU so much to all our sponsors and supporters!!

And get this….13 other counties in Ohio contacted us with plans to start an Animal & Me in the past two years.