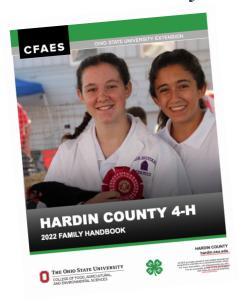
# ## HARDIN CO. 4-H#

July 2022 Newsletter



Check your family handbook for all times & locations

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### LIFE SKILLS JUDGING

Life Skills Judging is Tuesday, July 12 from 1:00 to 7:00 p.m. at the Fairgrounds Community Building.

Appointments are open now at http://go.osu.edu/hardinjudging.
Please sign up for an appointment to avoid long wait times!

What do I bring to judging?

Required items for all projects are listed in the 4-H Family Handbook!

**Pro tip:** dress professionally for judging or wear an outfit that is appropriate for your project area.



#### Can't make judging?

Make up judging will be by appointment only and must be completed between July 13 and August 5. Call our office to schedule at 419-674-2297.



There will NOT be a make up date for skillathon this year. If your family is at the Ohio State Fair for both dates, please contact Amanda at Raines.74@osu.edu.

Completed records are required each year for all livestock projects!



#### LIVESTOCK SKILLATHON

JULY 28 or AUGUST 4

Skillathon is required for ALL livestock projects. Members must complete for each species they plan to show.

There are two dates for skillathon this year, but members only need to attend ONE. Appointments are available now at http://go.osu.edu/hardinskillathon.

Members must receive a passing score to show at the Hardin County Fair.

Study guides for each species are at http://go.osu.edu/hardinskillathon.

What to bring? Your Hardin County Livestock Record PDF or 4-H project book. Be sure your records are complete!

### FAIR ENTRIES DUE

Hardin County Jr. Fair Entries are

**DUE JULY 31.** 

Enter NOW at http://hardin.fairwire.com. This is NOT the same as the livestock registration form completed by June 6.

All Livestock AND Life Skills projects must enter by the deadline to show/exhibit.





#### CHICK PICK UP

Don't forget! If you ordered market chicks from our office, pick up is JULY 13 from 11:00 to 1:00 at the fairgrounds Grandstand.

There are NOT extra chicks for sale at pick up, so only those who ordered and paid in advance will be able to pick up chicks.

#### STATE FAIR GRANTS

Hardin County 4-H will be offering grant for members who are participating at the Ohio State Fair. The grants are part of a Hardin County Community Foundation grant. Grants will be \$50 and awarded as a refund after OSF.

Who can apply? Any 4-H member showing livestock or participating in state fair project judging.

What can grants be used for?
Any expense associated with OSF participation: gas, family member admission, stall fees, etc.



Applications are OPEN for Ohio State Fair grants.
Apply now at http://go.osu.edu/hardinOSF Deadline to apply is July 27



Register for CIT Classes at http://go.osu.edu/hardincit

## CIT TRAINING

4-H members who have completed 8th and 9th grade are eligible to serve as a Counselor In Training (CIT) at camp this year.

CITs must complete one training per year. An email more details will be sent directly to those eligible.

There is one training day left on July 8, 2022. Be sure to register.

#### 4-H ALUMNI CAMP

4-H Camp Ohio is holding their first ever ALUMNI CAMP August 12-14, 2022.

All 4-H alumni, parents, grandparents, and friends are invited to participate in a weekend of camping fun.

Cost is \$100 and includes lodging, meals, and supplies.

Amanda Raines will be serving as the camp director for this year's Alumni Camp, so we'd love to see a good Hardin County group attend.

For more informatio, visit the 4-H Camp Ohio Facebook page.



Registration is OPEN

http://go.osu.edu/alumnicamp