

Frequently Asked Questions

I'm worried we are going to miss a deadline. What do I need to know?

It might seem like there are lots of 4-H deadlines, but there really aren't. If you read your [Scott Scoop](#) every month, you will get all the information you need to know. Here are some of the dates you need to remember:

November 1st: If you have not completed an [enrollment form](#) and paid your program development fee by this date, you will no longer receive the [Scott Scoop](#) or other mailings. It is in your best interest to enroll in 4-H on or before this date.

September 30th: [Record books](#) and applications for [county awards](#) are due on this date.

December: Market Beef weigh-in is held in December. Watch your mail for details.

May 15th:* This is the last day you have to enroll in 4-H. If you are planning to bring livestock to the fair, this is the last date you have to complete [livestock identification forms](#). All animals EXCEPT poultry and rabbits need to be identified by May 15th.

July 1st:* If you plan to exhibit livestock at the fair, you must sign up for the classes in which you intend to show by this date. This [form](#) is ONLY for livestock. You do not need to complete an entry form for any classes except livestock. If you plan to participate in [Fashion Revue](#) or [Clothing Selection](#), registration by this date is appreciated. If you plan to participate in [Communications](#) (Educational Presentations, Working Exhibits, Extemporaneous Speaking, or Share the Fun), registration by this date is appreciated.

There may be other deadlines during the year, such as registration for 4-H Family Fun Night and the 4-H Basketball Tournament. Please refer the Calendar topic for more information.

**If deadline date falls on a weekend the deadline date is usually extended to the following Monday. Please refer to Scott Scoop for exact date.*