



POWESHIEK COUNTY 4-H NEWS

July 2021

SAVE THE DATE

July 5th— Office is Closed

July 6th— Bottle Calf Books due to Extension Office

July 7th— Pre Fair Booth Set Up 4pm-7pm

July 7th— Pre Fair Clean Up— 6pm

July 9th— Carcass Contest

July 10th— Indoor Judging

July 14th-19th— County Fair

July 23rd & 26th— Tractor Safety Course

July 28th— Agricultural Everywhere

4-H Senior Spotlight!

We want to take a moment to spot light out amazing seniors in the program this year!

Alex—Member of Deep River Helping Hands

Ashlyn— Member of Deep River Helping Hands

Emily— Member of Deep River Helping Hands

Gavin— Member of Deep River Helping Hands

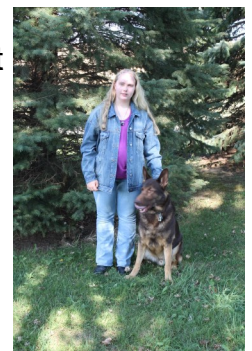
Ashlynn— Member of Sheridan

Hanna- Member of Madison Moovers

Jerrica— Member of Poweshiek Pioneers

Kirsten— Member of Mighty Golden Clovers

- ◇ Kirsten favorite memory is showing her animals at the fair.
- ◇ Advice— Learn a lot— so many areas to get involved in.



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August

August 12th-21st– Iowa State Fair

August 5th– Cardboard Ragatta Camp

Clover Kid Information



Indoor Judging:

- ⇒ July 10th from 9am-Noon.
- ⇒ Exhibitors are to wear the Clover Kid/4-H club t-shirts when being judged.
- ⇒ Register via FairEntry: <https://www.fairentry.com/Fair/SignIn/15124>

Arrival Times for animals on Fairgrounds:

- ⇒ **Stalling:** Clover Kids that indicated they are stalling on Fairgrounds:
 - ⇒ Animals may arrive Wednesday, July 14th from 4pm-7pm or all livestock must be in place on the fairgrounds by Thursday, July 15th at 8am.
 - ⇒ If you have a bottle calf and have not paid the \$2.00 bedding fee, they will collect when you arrive at fair.
- ⇒ **Bringing Day of Show:**
 - ⇒ Families can park anywhere that is open.
 - ⇒ Please arrive 30 minutes before your show time.
 - ⇒ Tammy will have back numbers for all Clover Kids.

Show Schedule:

5pm– Rabbit & Cavy– If not stalling meet just outside the pro-line building main entrance prior to show

5:30pm– Poultry– If not stalling meet just outside the pro-line building main entrance prior to show.

6pm– Bottle Calf– If not stalling meet in the grassy area just west of the show arena prior to the show.

6:30pm– Bottle Lamb & Goat– If not stalling meet in the grassy area just west of the show arena prior to the show.



Fair Information



FairEntry Registration

FairEntry registration is now open. **Please note this is only used for Indoor Judging!**

- ♦ Help Sheets and Help videos can be found here: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/poweshiek/content/projects>
- ♦ 4-H families will log in using their 4-H online email and password.
- ♦ If you have questions, please give us a call or email at poweshiek4h@iastate.edu.

Indoor Judging

Indoor Projects will be entered into FairEntry by July 8th.

- ⇒ We encourage you to enter anything you think you might bring. It is very easy for us to delete an entry.
- ⇒ We understand youth may have last minute projects that they didn't get entered. That is okay you can add those projects at the door.
- ⇒ Please make sure you have all forms required for judging.

All Indoor Judging Forms: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/poweshiek/content/projects>

FairEntry Registration: <https://www.fairentry.com/Fair/SignIn/15124>

Bottle Calf and Lamb Forms

- ⇒ Bottle Calf and Bottle Lamb record forms can be found online at: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/poweshiek/content/animal-projects>

Bring your completed form to the Extension Office by Noon on July 6th, 2021 and take a form with you to your interview on July 10th.



Indoor Judging

Indoor Judging Day reminders:

Indoor Judging Day:

When: Saturday, July 10th

- Judging will begin at 9am
- Check-in at the front table to check in projects.
- Check the county fairbook for your club's judging time. Found on page: 32

ALL information related to Indoor Judging can be found here on our website: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/poweshiek/content/projects>

Design Elements:

These are to be incorporated in with visual arts projects and clothing and textiles. Those hand outs can be found here: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/poweshiek/content/projects>

These are very important to include and judges will be looking for them.

Horticulture:

(see page 44 of the fairbook / not eligible for State Fair)

1. Judging will be 9am—Noon on Saturday, July 10th.
2. Write ups are not required for exhibits in this department
3. Please take a picture of your exhibit to be on display as flowers and vegetables will not stay fresh all week.

Exhibit Write Ups:

You must complete one exhibit write-up for each exhibit you bring to indoor judging day on July 10th. You can find the form here: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/poweshiek/content/projects>

Using Pinterest:

Pinterest is a great way to find ideas for fair exhibits however, it can be difficult to cite where you got your idea. Please share what website you found your idea from and not just "Pinterest" when working on your write up.



Indoor Judging Reminders

Indoor Judging Day Reminders

Copyright:

If any part of your exhibit contains copyrighted material (college logos, Disney characters, business logos, etc.) it cannot be displayed without proof of permission being granted by owner of copyright. More information can be found here: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4hfiles/statefair/SFDocuments/SF1UseofCopyrightVI010401.pdf>

Food and Nutrition:

1. Any perishable food exhibit should be accompanied by a picture of the item. The picture, write up and recipe will be on display during fair week. Following being judged, the food item will be placed in the Bake Sale to support the Poweshiek County 4-H program.
2. Please be aware some items are not safe to bring to fair. You may find information on "inappropriate food items for Iowa 4-H fairs Here: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/poweshiek/content/projects>

Photography:

1. If you plan to exhibit in the digital photography class, bring your photo on a flash drive on judging day.
2. **All photos this year MUST be 5X7 or larger and matted or mounted.**
3. All Photography exhibits should have a Photography label instead of a write up. Those are found here: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/poweshiek/content/projects>

International Harvester Collector's Club Award

International Harvester (IH) Collector's Club Award Program is a great opportunity for Iowa 4-H youth. All Iowa State Fair 4-H exhibits that are associated with the International Harvester brand family qualify for this additional award sponsored by the IH Collector's Club.

Participants will provide information related to their project goals, processes, problem solving, expenses and learning for an opportunity to win a monetary award. Awards are courtesy of the International Harvester Collectors Club, Chapter 5. Link to apply: <https://form.jotform.com/211166211639046>





Fair Events

Thursday, July 15th:

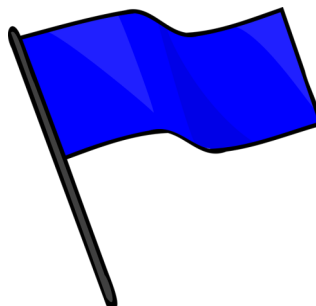
- ⇒ Livestock Calling Contest– during intermission of pageant.
- ⇒ Awards Ceremony:
 - ⇒ Community Awards Ceremony will be at 7:30pm. Please check the poster in the Exhibit building to see if you have received an award form Event Day or Indoor Judging.

Friday, July 16th:

- ⇒ Pony Rides– 10am-Noon & 2pm-4pm
- ⇒ Skill-A-Thon– 10am and the species will be Goat.
 - ⇒ Grab a team and come test your knowledge of goats. Teams must register by 8am on Friday and meet in show ring to start. Prizes will be given to winning teams.
- ⇒ STEAM on the Patio– Noon-1pm Activities with Youth Entertainment
 - ⇒ Spin Art, Marshmallow shooters and more.
- ⇒ County Council Ice Cream Sundae Fundraiser– 5:30pm-7pm
- ⇒ Kiddie Tractor Pull– Register at 6:30pm and pull is at 7pm. Sponsored by Poweshiek County Farm Bureau
- ⇒ Celebrity Sheep Show– Starts at 8:30pm. Come watch local celebrities show sheep.

Saturday, July 17th:

- ⇒ Pony rides—10am-Noon & 2pm-4pm
- ⇒ Photo booth– 1pm-2pm in the Exhibit building
- ⇒ Scavenger Hunt– 2pm-3pm
 - ⇒ Teams of 3-5 members.
- ⇒ Shooting Sports Trailer– 4pm-5pm
 - ⇒ Come try archery with Amy Andrews.
- ⇒ BINGO– Show arena from 5pm-6:30pm



Sunday, July 18th

- ⇒ Barnyard Games– 3:30pm
- ⇒ Capture the Flag– 9pm



Poweshiek Summer Programming

Register online at: <https://v2.4honline.com/#/user/sign-in>

AGRICULTURE EVERYWHERE

Grades 4th-12th | 8am-3pm

July 28th @ Montezuma School Bus Barn

Cost: \$5

Youth will spend the day learning about agricultural topics. Ranging from animal safety, GPS, drones, pollinators, food science and more. Farm Tours will be throughout the camp.

CARDBOARD RAGATTA

Grades 4th-8th

August 5th

Montezuma Golf Course

1pm-6pm } 6pm Races

Cost : \$15

Have you ever wanted to build a boat out of cardboard? Learn about the engineering design? This is the camp for you. Youth will work in teams to build the best boat they can out of only cardboard and duct tape.

Note: Parents are invited to watch the boat race at 6pm.

Tractor and Farm Safety Course

- ⇒ July 23rd & 26th at Montezuma School from noon-4pm
- ⇒ Ages 14-15 (Ages 14 and up will get priority)
- ⇒ Participants must be 14 or older to receive their official certification.
- ⇒ Register by July 19th at: <https://v2.4honline.com/#/user/sign-in>

Youth will learn basic safety for tractor and machinery operation. Students complete classroom time, instructed driving, behind the wheel logs and final testing.



Family Faircation!

We hope all families have a wonderful time at the 2021 Poweshiek County Fair! We can't wait to see all of the projects from indoor to livestock. We know the hard work all youth have put into these projects and now is the time to show off all that work.

See you all at the fair!



Other Information

⇒ FilmFest 4-H Opportunity for Youth Ages 11-18

- ⇒ University of Missouri Extension invites 4-H'ers ages 11-18 from anywhere in the United States to participate in FilmFest 4-H. The workshops included professionals in the film industry, networking with other creative youth from across the country. It also gives youth an opportunity to showcase their work! More information can be found here: <https://extension.missouri.edu/events/filmfest-4-h-2021>

⇒ Iowa State Fair Skillathon Contests

- ⇒ There will be a sheep, swine and goat skillathon at the Iowa State Fair. Youth do not have to be exhibiting livestock to participate. The swine (9am-11am) and sheep (1pm-2:30pm) skillathons are August 15th and goat (12:30-2pm) is August 18th. More information can be found here: <https://www.ans.iastate.edu/4-h-livestock> or



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