East Pottawattamie County

Dog Help Sheet

The dog project is open to 4-H members, Clover Kids, and FFA members.

Prior to County Fair:

- Enroll in East Pottawattamie County 4-H using [4-H Online](https://4h.iastate.edu).
- Attend your monthly club meetings (attending 4 meetings is required to be eligible to participate in the Pottawattamie County Fair) & read the monthly [4-H newsletters](https://4hextension.iastate.edu/files/sites/default/files/resource_briefs/4h_newsletters.pdf).
- Attend dog clinics and classes! Contact the Extension Office to learn about these opportunities.
- **All dogs must be identified in 4-H Online by May 15** with colors/markings, breed, sex, rabies vaccination dates/certificate, name, birthday. FFA dogs must have paperwork complete and submitted to the Extension Office by May 15.
- **Enter for the Pottawattamie County Fair** using the online system, [FairEntry](https://fairentry.extension.iastate.edu/). Online registration and payments are due by 5:00pm on June 15, 2021.
- Pottawattamie County Fair exhibitors and their families are responsible for reading the 2021 Pottawattamie County Fair Book and agreeing to all rules and regulations prior to the online FairEntry registration and payment.
- Attend Pottawattamie County Fair Set Up to help prep the fairgrounds and barns for livestock, youth, and the public.

County Fair:

- **ARRIVAL/CHECK IN:** Must have copy of current rabies vaccination. Dogs must check in at 12:45PM prior to start of show (1PM on Friday, July 16, 2021) and are released immediately following the dog show.
- Dog show orders will be posted the night before the show.
- Attend Pottawattamie County Fair Clean Up to help clean up the fairgrounds from a long week of fair.
- Ribbon premiums will be distributed to exhibitors in September through the mail.
- Complete and submit a 4-H record book to your club leaders by the club deadline using the suggested [record book guidelines](https://4hextension.iastate.edu/files/sites/default/files/resource_briefs/record_book_guidelines.pdf).
- Attend year-end awards ceremony to receive your record book and awards.