

ANIMAL ID DEADLINE

May 15th in 4HOnline

ALL animal identification needs to be done in 4HOnline (<https://v2.4honline.com>). If anyone needs help with this please don't hesitate to email (Hardaway@iastate.edu) or call (515-386-2138) and help you with the process. You can also make an appointment to come in and do this together! The following are the animals that need identified and what information is **REQUIRED** at each level: Greene County, Clay County, and the Iowa State Fair.

BREEDING BEEF

Greene : Tattoo + one of the following: registration #, calfhood vaccination #, or official USDA 4-H ear tag, breed, birthdate, sex
Registration Paper and # required to show in

Clay County: Commercial—breed, tag, tattoo, and birthdate;
Purebred—breed, tattoo, registration number, and birthdate

State Fair: breed, tattoo required (both registered and commercial), birthdate, and registration # (pending or applied will NOT be accepted) - tattoo + one of the following: registration # (if a purebred), calfhood vaccination #, or official USDA 4-H ear tag

BUCKET/BOTTLE/FEEDER CALF

Greene: breed, tag, ear (right or left), birthdate, and sex

COW/CALF PAIR

Greene: tattoo (if none, put tag #), dam birthdate, dam breed, and calf birthdate (if not born yet, put projected date)

If identifying twins, you will need 2 records—one for each calf.

DOG

ALL LEVELS: animal name, rabies certificate, rabies vaccination date, rabies expiration date, years training (both member & animal), breed, and sex

Each 4-H member must ID dual-identified dogs in 4HOnline.

RABBITS

Greene: JULY 1—ID deadline in 4HOnline — breed, colors & markings, tattoo, birthdate, and sex

Clay County/State Fair: tattoo (REQUIRED), all other same as county

POULTRY

ALL LEVELS: type of poultry, sex, tag—leg or wing band, proof of U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid clean flock is required, testing will be done June 24 and 25th, time TBD

All birds must be identified by July 1 in 4HOnline.

MEAT GOATS

Greene: market meat goats must attend county weigh-in—families must enter data in 4HOnline—breeding does just need 4-H ear tag/EID tag or official tattoo, birthdate, tag #/tattoo, left or right ear, weight (market only), ALL intact animals must have a scrapie tag

Clay County: same as county + ALL animals must have scrapie tag regardless of sex

State Fair: must attend a county weigh-in—must have retinal images collected—does must also have a recorded birthdate; uses declared weight system

HORSES

ALL LEVELS: breed, animal name, height (in hands), color & markings, sex, owned or leased and photos (back, front, left, right)

Each 4-H member must ID dual-identified horses in 4-H Online.

Horse leases are no longer required—leasing/sharing still an option

SHEEP

Greene: market sheep must attend county weigh-in—families must enter data in 4HOnline, birthdate, tag #, left or right ear, weight, breed, ALL intact animals must have a scrapie tag

Clay County: Breeding ewes must be born on/after Jan. 1 of current year

State Fair: All State Fair sheep must attend a county weigh-in—must have retinal images collected—ewes must have a recorded birthdate; uses a declared weight system

SWINE

Greene & Clay County: sex, ear notch, tag #, birthdate, breed, registration # and papers if wanting to show in Purebred Class.

State Fair: market and breeding must have DNA punch tags & USDA 4-H/EID tag; need to enter both numbers in 4HOnline—uses a declared weight system



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