June

4 4-H Court Crowning and Potluck, 5 pm, old Community Building
5 Youth Committee Meeting, 7 pm, Extension Office
6 Dog Obedience Class, 7 pm, Extension Office
6 Fair Entry Opens for STATIC, Communication and Clothing Events! Guthrie.fairentry.com
7 Rabbit Hopping, 6:30 - 8:00 pm, Community Building
8 Horse Clinic, 8 pm, Fairgrounds Horse Arena
10 AKSARBEN - all sheep, swine, goat, feeder calf DNA nominations due to the extension office
13 Dog Obedience Class, 7 pm, Fairgrounds - Showing
15 Engineering Adventures, 3-5th grade, 2:00 - 3:00 pm, Panora Public Library
16-17 Intermediate Zoo Trip, Omaha
17 Art Workshop 4 - 7th grade, 9 - 11 am, Art Exchange, Panora
17 Art Workshop 8-12th grade, 1:00 - 3:30 pm, Art Exchange, Panora
20 Day Camp registrations due!
20 Dog Obedience Class, 7 pm, Fairgrounds - Showing
21 Rabbit Hopping, 6:30 - 8:00 pm, Community Building
22 Ultimate Survival Camp, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm, Springbrook
22 Engineering Adventures, 3-5th grade, 2:00 - 3:00 pm, Panora Public Library
23 Lake Life Day Camp, 1-4 pm, K-3rd grade, Springbrook
24 Horse Clinic, 6 pm, Fairgrounds Horse Arena
27 Dog Obedience Class, 7 pm, Fairgrounds - Showing
28-30 State 4-H Conference in Ames, 8-12th grade
29 Engineering Adventures, 3-5th grade, 2:00 - 3:00 pm, Panora Public Library

July

1 Fair Entry Opens for Livestock/Small Animal Exhibits
1 State Fair Entries due
3 Youth Committee Meeting, 7 pm, Extension Office
4 Extension Office Closed
5 Rabbit Hopping, 6:30 - 8:00 pm, Community Building
5 AKSARBEN - Market Broiler forms due
6 Fair Entry Locks at Midnight for all STATIC, Communications and Clothing Event exhibits
9 Horse Clinic, 6 pm, Fairgrounds Horse Arena
10 STATIC Judging Day, 1-5 pm, Event Center
11 Dog Obedience Class, 7 pm, Fairgrounds - Showing
12 Clothing Event, 1-4:30 pm, New Homestead, Guthrie Center
12 Communications Event, 1-3 pm, New Homestead, Guthrie Center
12 Clothing Event/Share the Fun, 7 pm, The New Homestead, Guthrie Center
13 Horse Clinic, 6 pm, Fairgrounds Horse Arena
13-19 Mollie out of the office
18 Dog Obedience Class, 7 pm, Fairgrounds - Showing
20 Critter Crib Day Camp, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm, Springbrook
24 Rabbit Hopping, 6:30 - 8:00 pm, Community Building
25 Dog Obedience Class, 7 pm, Fairgrounds - Showing
26 Hike Through Time Day Camp 1-3rd grade, 9 am - noon, Springbrook

August

1 Fair Entry Closes at MIDNIGHT for Livestock/Small Animal Exhibits
1 Dog Obedience Class, 7 pm, Fairgrounds - Showing
6 Horse Clinic, 6 pm, Fairgrounds - Horse Arena
8 Ak-Sar-Ben Entry Deadline, 4:30 pm, Extension Office
8 Dog Obedience Class, 7 pm, Fairgrounds - Showing
10-20 Iowa State Fair
16 Rabbit Hopping, 6:30 - 8:00 pm, Community Building
17 Horse Clinic, 6 pm, Fairgrounds - Horse Arena
27 Pre-Fair Clean-up, 1-3 pm
27 Horse Clinic, 6 pm, Fairgrounds - Horse Arena
30 STATIC Check-in, 4-7 pm, Fairgrounds - STATIC Building

Aug, 31 - Sept. 4 Guthrie County Fair!

Guthrie County 4-H Court Crowning and Potluck
June 4th, 2017 @ 5 p.m.

We are writing to invite you to a potluck for all 4-H members and their families! The potluck will begin at 5 p.m. at the old Community Building. Drinks and tableware will be provided.

Along with crowning our king and queen we will also be crowning a prince and princess from our Junior and Intermediate levels.

We hope you will join us and bring along something to share!! If you have any questions, please contact the 4-H Court Committee!

Allie Brooks @ 641-757-0676 or Gina Arnold @ 712-830-0403

Art Workshop
Art Exchange, Panora

Please pre-register with Mollie by June 14th

4-7th grade are doing initial canvas (9x12) for $10

8-12th grade will be doing a painted canvas (16x20) for $15

Only room for 12 in each session!
4-H Poster Communication Exhibit – County & State

- Replace 4-H Conference theme – 2017 is “Start Your Future Here” We will continue with the “Nothing Compares” for state fair and keep “4-H is…” along with “Join 4-H” and “4-H Grows…”.

Alternative/Creative Photography—County & State—New Class

- A single photograph or photographic image that has been created with an alternative photographic process, or a photograph that was creatively edited or modified beyond reality in a creative, imaginative and experimental way to make it more interesting and visually engaging. Could be a composite of multiple overlapped photographs.

Alternative/Creative Photography Special Rules:

1. Photograph/image must be mounted on foam core no smaller than 4”x4” and no larger than 10” x 10” in height and width. No matting and no framing is allowed, put your creativity into the photography!
2. Photograph/image can be created from film negative, digital negative, or digitally manipulated in computer.
3. Photograph must be on photo paper, canvas, or other flat material.
4. Exhibit must have Photo Exhibit Label on back with required information for photo exhibits. Include information about the processes used.
5. Subject matter must be in good taste and be appropriate for public display in a 4-H setting, photographs depicting unsafe practices or illegal activities will not be displayed.

Auction/Parade of Champions—County

- Parade of Champions will start at 9:30 am on Monday and will include reserve champions
- If you can’t lead your animal through the Parade of Champions, you are able to take rosette i.e. pen of three cattle
- Auction will start immediately following Parade of Champions

Beef—County

- Adjusted Weigh-in time at fair to 2-5 pm from noon-5 pm
- All tattoos must be on file by August 1st
- Combined Home Raised and Purchased Steers to a Market Steer Class
- There will be NO Production class in July. We will continue Live Production which will be able to go into the champion drive

Dog—County

- Added Rally Class!
- A qualifying score must be achieved to move up to next class level
- Aligned with Iowa State Fair rules

Horse—County

- Rules are more detailed this year with aligning with the Iowa State Fair
- All Horses are required to attend one clinic to show at county fair
- Showmanship will be Senior or Junior. Removed Intermediate

Swine—County

- Adjusted Weigh-in time at fair to 10—noon
- Limit of 2 pigs per member in prospect class. Prospect class is for those pigs that don’t make weight. All pigs should strive to reach 220 lbs by fair

Fair Entry—County

We will be using an online database for all STATIC, Livestock, Communication, and Clothing Events. Please note that you will HAVE to sign up your STATIC, Clothing Event, and Communication Exhibits by Thursday, July 6th online in Fair Entry. NO walk-ins on STATIC day will be accepted!

4-H PLEDGE

I PLEDGE MY HEAD TO CLEARER THINKING, MY HEART TO GREATER LOYALTY, MY HANDS TO LARGER SERVICE, AND MY HEALTH TO BETTER LIVING, FOR MY CLUB, MY COMMUNITY, MY COUNTRY, AND MY WORLD.
Share The Fun, July 12

Share The Fun provides an opportunity for 4-H'ers to share their skills and talents before an audience purely for the sake of enjoyment. Share The Fun includes skits, songs, short one-act plays, dances plus other entertainment will be acceptable. The maximum time limit for one act will be eight minutes.

For more information, review the 2017 Guthrie County Fairbook or contact Mollie. **Remember you have to sign up through Fair Entry by July 6th**

Clothing Event Day, July 12

Clothing Event is an opportunity for youth to show what clothing they have made or purchased. There are three different categories.

Fashion Revue: Outfit has been constructed, hand knitted, machine-knitted or crocheted.

The $15 Challenge: Outfits must be purchased at a garage sale, consignment store, or resale shops. *Must have receipt.

Clothing Selection: Outfits may be selected and/or purchased from any source.

Clothing Event will be held **July 12th** at the New Homestead. Judging will be from 1:00 to 4:00 pm. The Fashion show will be that night at 7:00 pm mixed in with Share The Fun participants.

For more information, review the 2017 Guthrie County Fairbook. **Remember you have to register by July 6th in Fair Entry**

Static Exhibit Judging, July 10

Static Exhibit Day has been set for Monday, July 10, from 1 to 5:00 pm. Youth entering non-livestock exhibits for the Guthrie County Fair will participate in a conference judging experience at the Community Building at the Guthrie County Fairgrounds. A goal card or write up should be attached to each exhibit, along with a fair entry tag. A write up done in advance will usually be better than one that you put together when you arrive at judging. Information needed includes:

1) What did you plan to learn or do? (What was your exhibit goal(s)?)
2) What steps did you take to learn or do this? Explain what you wanted to do so it is easily understood. The judge wants to know and understand the steps you used to make your exhibit.
3) What were the most important things you learned?

Photography exhibits must include a photography label instead of a goal card. It is suggested you limit yourself to the best 5-10 photos.

Food and nutrition prepared exhibits must include the recipe and site the source of the recipe.

Preserved foods must include the Food Preservation Label.


Communication Day, July 12

Communication Day is Wednesday, July 13th from 1 to 3 pm. Come join the excitement at The New Homestead, Guthrie Center.

Educational Presentations: You have the opportunity to give a presentation about something that interests you. You can give a presentation on just about anything!

Working Exhibits: These are audience interactive and demonstrate or teach directly to a small group. The audience participates in a “hands-on” activity and takes home the item they made with you.

Extemporaneous Speaking: This contest gives you the opportunity to choose a topic and prepare a speech in thirty minutes to give to a judge. If you’re good at last minute preparation, this contest may be for you!

Poster: Communicate in a visual rather than an oral form. Choose from one of this year’s themes and get creative.

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The **elements of design** are shape/form, color, texture, and line. These are the tools used by you and clothing manufacturers when a garment is designed and constructed to enhance your appearance.

**Color** is the hue, value, and intensity that defines parts and sets off one area of design from another. Hue is the name of the color (red, blue). Value is how light or dark the color is (light blue, navy blue). Intensity is how bright or dull it is (4-H green, neon green).

**Line** can show direction, draw your attention, outline an object, divide a space, or communicate a feeling. Lines can be straight, curved, diagonal, thick or thin, horizontal or vertical. They can be part of the fabric (stripes or plaid) or part of the design (a yoke or seam).

**Form** is the shape and structure of an item.

**Shape** is two-dimensional and appears flat; form is three-dimensional with length, width, and depth. (A circle is a shape; a ball is a form.)

**Texture** is the surface quality of an item. It is how something feels when it is touched or looks like it would feel if touched (rough, smooth, soft, or hard).

The **principles of design** (rhythm, emphasis, proportion, balance, and unity) are how we use the tools (elements) to create looks (whole outfits, accessories, shoes, etc.) that are different or unique

**Rhythm** leads the eye from one part of a design to another part, creating movement through repetition of pattern or color. Follow the flow of orange waves or white daisies in the examples below

**Proportion** refers to the relationship between parts of a design, such as the size of the clovers compared to the size of the shirts. The examples below show good

**Unity** When things look right together, you have created unity. Unity includes clothing, all accessories, and you. Lines and shapes that repeat each other show unity (curved lines and curved shapes). Colors that have a common hue create unity. Texture also helps create unity (a soft texture with curved lines). Try to create a certain mood or theme—sporty, tailored, dramatic, casual—and keep the clothing and accessories in harmony with your coloring, your build, and your age. Then you'll have unity. Unity is a difficult principle to define. It is both a principle in itself as well as the goal for the overall look. What about the pink and green outfit? Is that a good example of unity? Notice the sundress with sandals in the picture. In your opinion, does that create “unity”?

**Emphasis** is the quality that draws your attention to a certain part of the design first (a logo or stripe, for example).

**Balance** makes the right and left side of a garment appear to be equal, even though they may not be exactly the same. If the two sides are the same, it is symmetrical balance. If the two sides are different in some way but still give the same weight, it is asymmetrical balance.

The judges will be looking for this information for all clothing, visual arts, sewing projects, etc.

Please make sure that you read the fairbook and use the tools on our website www.extension.iastate.edu/guthrie. We have created a webpage to help you prepare for STATIC, Clothing and Communications Event.
Guthrie County Extension
Summer Day Camps

This summer we are offering 2 different hands-on, FUN day camps for all youth having completed 4th—8th grades. Cost for each camp is $15 per participant and the registration deadline is June 20th for all camps. Please read each description carefully. Registrations are on a first come first served basis and we must have your payment and registration in hand to hold your spot.

We can’t wait for you to come and join us for some SUMMER FUN!

**Ultimate Survival Camp:** Join us at Springbrook to learn how to survive in the wild by learning first aid and fire building. Kayak through Springbrook and take part in the Survival Adventure Team Challenge!
Date: Thursday, June 22nd at the Springbrook Beach
Time: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm – Lunch and snacks are provided
Limit 30 participants

**Critter Cribs:** Explore the habitats and homes of the animals of Springbrook! Explore different habitats and learn to identify the animals that live there.
Location: Springbrook Beach
Date: Thursday, June 30th
Time: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm – lunch and snacks will be provided
Limit 30 participants

Name: ___________________________ Grade completed: __________

Parent(s) Name: ___________________________ 
Address: ___________________________ Town: __________ Zip: __________

Phone: ___________________________

Allergies: ___________________________

I would like to sign my child up for the following camp(s):
_____ Ultimate Survival Camp
_____ Critter Cribs

Total Due: ______

No refunds will be issued after registration is complete. Registration is on a first come, first served basis. Thank you!!

Make check payable to:
Guthrie County Extension
212 State Street
Guthrie Center, IA 50115

The fees for service will be used to off-set direct expenses and to support the 4-H Youth Development Guthrie County Extension Program.

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Guthrie County Extension
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We can’t wait for you to come and join us for some SUMMER FUN!

Lake Life: Search and investigate lakes and streams for aquatic life. This camp includes learning how to fish from the best.

Date: Friday, June 23rd at the Sprinbrook Beach
Time: 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm – snacks will be provided
Limit 30 participants

Hike Through Time: Explore the forest as you hike through Springbrook Park while you learn about geology, glaciers, and Native American Burial Mounds! Then take part in a camouflage game.

Date: Wednesday, July 26th at Springbrook Beach
Time: 9:00 am – 12:00 pm – snacks will be provided
Limit 30 participants

Name: ___________________________ Grade completed: ____________
Parent(s) Name: ___________________________
Address: _____________________________ Town: _____________ Zip: ___________
Phone: ___________________________
Allergies: ___________________________
I would like to sign my child up for the following camp(s):

_____Lake Life
_____Hike Through Time

Total Due: _______

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How to Enter Exhibits in Fair Entry for the Guthrie County Fair

Registration Opens: Tuesday, June 6, 2017 for STATIC, Communications and Clothing Event exhibits

Saturday, July 1, 2017 for livestock and animal exhibits

Registration Closes: Thursday, July 6, 2017 (at 11:59 p.m.) for STATIC, Communications and Clothing Event exhibits

Tuesday, August 1, 2017 (at 11:59 p.m.) for livestock and animal exhibits


2. Click ‘Sign in with 4HOnline’.

3. A separate box will pop up. Enter your 4HOnline family e-mail address and password. The role is ‘Family’. Click ‘Login’.

4. This will take you to the welcome screen. Click ‘Begin Registration’.

5. Click ‘Individual’.

6. Choose the 4-H’er you are entering an exhibit for. Click ‘Continue’.

7. The 4-H’er’s profile will appear. The Personal Details and Contact Info is exported from 4HOnline. If you’d like to make changes, please log into your 4HOnline account at https://iowa.4honline.com

8. Click ‘Continue to Entries’.

9. Click ‘Add an Entry’ to the right of the exhibitors name.

10. Click ‘Select’ next to the Department you would like to enter. To enter a Static Exhibit (exhibits that are judged and displayed in the 4-H Building), you must click ‘Static’ to view all of the Departments.

11. Click ‘Select’ next to the Division you would like to enter.

12. Click ‘Select’ next to the Class you would like to enter.

13. Review the entry and then click ‘Continue’.

14. Select the 4-H Club that you belong to. Click ‘Continue’.

15. If this is a livestock exhibit, please select the animal that is to be shown. Click ‘Add an Animal’. Select the animal. Click ‘Select Animal’. Click ‘Continue’.

   If this is a static exhibit, include a detailed description of your exhibit (example: black and white photo of butterfly with red mat). Click ‘Continue’.

If questions appear - please give complete answers as this will help us prepare for judging.

Fair Entry will not work in Internet Explorer. Use Mozilla Firefox, Safari, or Google Chrome.
16. Review the information. Click ‘Continue’.

17. You will now have three options:
   - “Register another Exhibitor”
   - “Add another Entry for this Exhibitor”
   - “Continue to Payment”. This function will prompt you to complete the entry process. 
     If you are not completed entering exhibits proceed with one of the first two options.

18. When finished entering exhibits for all the 4-H’ers in your family. Click ‘Continue to Payment’. Review the entries submitted. Click ‘Detail’ for more information. Click ‘Continue’ when ready.

19. If you have an entry fee, please send that to the office as soon as possible. Click ‘Continue’.

20. Click ‘Submit’. The staff at the Guthrie County Extension Office will review the entries and either approve the entries or send them back to the families with necessary revisions. Once you click ‘Submit’ you are unable to make any changes!

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**Helpful Tips**

You will need to sign up for Showmanship when you register online.

**Static Exhibits** are the exhibits you have worked on to bring to the County Fair and are judged and displayed in the 4-H Building.