



Lucas COUNTY 4-H NEWS

**SAVE
THE
DATE**

July:

1st– livestock, static & YQCA entries due

3rd– Dog Practice

4th– Office Closed

8th–Fair Clean Up

10th– Dog Practice

22-26– Lucas County Fair

21st– Queen Contest

22nd–Cow/Calf

22nd– Static Entries

22nd– Dog Show

23rd– Horse Show

23rd– Livestock Weigh Ins

24th– Pet/Rabbit Show

24th– Goat/Sheep Show

25th– Poultry Show

25th– Swine Show

26th– Bucket Calf, Breeding & Market Show

26th–Sale

August:

3rd– ISF Projects due to Office

10-20th– Iowa State Fair

July/August 2023

County Fair Livestock Check In

All animals will go through the check-in process on Sunday, July 23th (except dogs and horses). Please read through the fair book for your species– lots of important info! Remember, all livestock must be in the assigned stall/pen by 8PM.

- Sheep Weigh in: 4:00- 5:15PM
- Goat Weigh in: 5:30– 6:00PM
- Beef and Swine Weigh in: 6:00– 8:00PM
- Poultry/Rabbit Check in: 7:00– 8:00PM

Purebred animals must provide a COPY of registration papers at check in. Copies can be made at the Extension office.

County Fair Livestock Sale

The 2023 Lucas County Fair Livestock Sale will be held on Wednesday, July 26th starting at 6PM in the small show ring. Sale order this year will be: Poultry, Rabbit, Goat, Sheep, Swine, and Beef. If you wish to sell your animals in the livestock sale you MUST notify the Extension office PRIOR TO the following times for each species:

- Rabbits: Tuesday, July 25th at Noon
- Sheep and Goats: Tuesday, July 25th at Noon
- Poultry: Wednesday, July 26th at Noon
- Swine: Wednesday, July 26th at 10AM
- Beef: Wednesday, July 26th at 1PM

The 2023 Lucas County Fair Book is now available for free download on the Lucas County Extension website. A printed version is also available at the Extension Office for \$1. Please read through the rules for your exhibits.



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Livestock Drug Affidavits

As responsible 4-H members, you raise animals intended to be in the food chain, which comes with the need to record any and all drugs/vaccines given to your animals. All swine, beef, goats, and sheep must have completed Drug Affidavit records turned in at county fair check in/weight in for their respective species. All the above animals, whether showing market or breeding, selling or not, MUST turn in a drug affidavit form. These forms are also required for state fair check in/weigh in, but you may not use the same form you turn in for county fair, as we are required to keep them on file for several years. You must turn in a new form for state fair. All forms can be found on our website under the "4-H & Youth" and "County Fair" headings here: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/lucas/county-fair>. These forms are available for pick up at the Extension office as well. Please have them filled out prior to checking animals in at county fair.

Swine Premise ID and Reporting

All swine exhibitors must provide a Premise ID for EACH HOG attending the Lucas County Fair. We must also know the address for which the hog was born or you purchased from. This information will be collected at check in and is turned in to the Iowa Department of Agriculture. Please come prepared. If you do not have a Premise ID, you may apply for one here: <https://iowaagriculture.gov/animal-disease-tracability> and click on the "Identification Number Application" form on the right-hand side about halfway down the page.

Lucas County Extension Office will be CLOSED Thursday: July 27, 2023 following the fair

Static Exhibit Judging Schedule

Judging for all static exhibits will be held on Saturday, July 23rd starting at 8:30am in the Open Class Building. There will be a check-in table set up on the south side of the building. Stop at that check in table first for further instructions. Judging times for each club are as follows:

8:30-9:00am—Cow/Calf Exhibitors

9-10:00am—Derby Blue Ribbon Winners, Liberty Flyers, Nor-Luco

10-11:00am—Shooting Stars, Chariton Challengers, SESS

11-12:00am—Russell Reivers, English Strivers

Remember to read the rules for your project areas in the fair book! Static exhibit classes can be found on pages 12-23.

Fair Clean Up Day

Fairgrounds clean up will be held on Saturday, July 8th starting at 8am. It is expected of ALL CLUBS to have representation at this clean up day! Please bring brooms, wash rags and buckets, shovels, mops, etc. with you. The following projects will be completed:

- Indoor arena bleachers/railings & sweeping announcers stand and aisles
- Setting up food stand— including patio
- Open Class Building— setting up for 4-H/Open judging
- Setting up 4-H Exhibit Building: Club Booths/State Fair
- Raking leaves, knocking down cobwebs, sweeping aisles, and cleaning pens in all barns
- Cleaning scale house out
- Sweeping sidewalks/washing benches



Clover Sprouts Opportunities

Clover Sprouts Meetings are completed for the year. Meetings will begin again in the new 4-H year in October.

Did you know Clover Sprouts can participate at the Lucas County Fair?

- Clover Sprouts Expo: “Kids Day” at the fair will be held on Tuesday, July 25th. There will be several activities on the fair grounds, as well as a tour of the livestock barns from the Youth Council members. The Clover Sprouts Expo will be held at 12:00pm in the small arena. Clover Sprouts have the opportunity to show an animal of their own or show an animal belonging to an older 4-H member. To sign up for the Clover Sprouts Expo, please come into the Extension Office to fill out paperwork or go to our website. Please complete the questions and submit registration to the office by July 1st. **Following the Clover Sprouts Expo. We will be holding a graduation for Clover Sprouts who will move up to 4-H next year.**
- Exhibit Building Projects: Clover Sprouts may also bring up to 3 projects to be “judged” for the Exhibit Building and be on display throughout county fair. Judging will be held on Saturday, July 23rd from 9-11am. Youth will sit down with a judge to share about their projects and receive a ribbon for each project.

Planning to show at the Iowa State Fair?

Livestock and Horticulture State Fair Entries are open June 1st– July 1st in FairEntry. The responsibility for making proper entry rests upon the exhibitor. All entries must be made by July 1 through the FairEntry software program online. Paper entries are not accepted. Entry fees must be paid at the time entries are made—no money goes through the Lucas County office for state fair. Only animals nominated by the May 15th deadline (sheep, goats, horses, dogs, beef, swine) or July 1st deadline (rabbits and poultry) can be entered to exhibit at the 2023 Iowa State Fair. Species details for entries can be found on the Iowa 4-H Page here: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/statefair/livestock> This website also provides the Premium Books for each species, drug affidavit forms that are required to be turned in during check in, exhibitor ticket order form, and parking permit forms. Please note, additional ticket and vehicle permit forms must be posted marked before July 20th and are the responsibility of the exhibitor. Each state fair exhibitor will receive ONE free gate admission ticket from the county office, regardless of the number of projects being exhibited. These tickets will be handed out during county fair.

Saturday, July 22 nd	Sunday, July 23 rd	Monday, July 24 th	Tuesday, July 25 th	Wednesday, July 26 th
10am- 2pm Shooting Stars	10am- 2pm Russell Reivers	10am- 2pm Nor-Lucco & SESS	10am- 2pm Derby BR Winners	10am- 2pm Liberty Flyers
2pm- 6pm Liberty Flyers	2pm- 6pm Chariton Challengers	2pm- 6pm Russell Reivers	2pm- 6pm Chariton Challengers	2pm- 6pm SESS & English Strivers
6pm- close English Strivers	6pm- close Derby BR Winners	6pm- close Shooting Stars	6pm- close Russell Reivers	6pm- close Nor-Lucco

Food Stand Shifts

Clubs are welcome to split shifts amongst members as they see fit. If your club is struggling to fill one of your assigned shifts, please reach out to the Extension office. We will work to fill in with extra community volunteers as best we can.

The meat cutting schedule and food stand cashier schedule are also available and ready to take names at the Extension office. We appreciate everyone’s efforts in working together to make the 4-H Food Stand possible! All proceeds from the 4-H Food Stand are given straight back to the Lucas County 4-H program in the form of shift payment to each club and paying the state 4-H enrollment dues for each member in Lucas County (\$40/year/member).

Clubs must work the number of assigned shifts

Chariton Challengers: 2
Derby BR Winners: 2
English Strivers: 2
Liberty Flyers: 2
Nor-Lucco: 2
Russell Reivers: 3
SESS: 2
Shooting Stars: 2

Food stand hours will be 7:00am to 30 minutes past the conclusion of the livestock show/sale (9pm on Wednesday).
10-15 people must be present at each shift (at least 5 adults).
Please arrive EARLY for your club's assigned shift & make sure to sign in.



2023 Pie Schedule



Saturday, July 22 nd	Sunday, July 23 rd	Monday, July 24 th	Tuesday, July 25 th	Wednesday, July 26 th
Heidi & Paige Ballard (4)	Blaine Beatty (3)	Blaine, Bristol Brown (4)	Brooke Lacey (3)	Brody Anderson (3)
Atley Williams (3)	Wyatt Bell (3)	Shawn Partlow (3)	Ava & Kate Krusinger (4)	Kylee Amos (3)
Grace Watkins (3)	Avery Best (3)	Kaleb Offenburger (3)	Keara, Landon, Layton, Atwell (4)	Amelia Alexander (3)
Trice Van Ryswyk (3)	Kendra Simmons (3)	Macie Norris (3)	Ava Johnson (3)	Lillian Duckworth (3)
Weston Updegraff (3)	Brayden & Natalie Shore (4)	Brett, Molly, Sarah Morgan (4)	Parker & Taylor Baldwin (4)	Bode & Bristol Duckworth (4)
Isabelle, Landon Travis (4)	Drake & Maci Schultz (4)	Avery Elston (3)	Cadence & Caylor Atwell (4)	Abigail Doran, Trent Tuttle (4)
Kasen & Wyatt Swartz (4)	Cayden, Colton, & Hannah Schlutz (4)	Eden Miller (3)	Hailee Dittmer (3)	Colt & Dekker DeMaria (4)
Cy, Lundy Stuart (4)	Sarah Fleming (3)	Brantley Goff (3)	Sage , Brayton, Dallas Head (4)	Ky & Mya Curran (4)
Baylor & Briley Atwell (4)	Bentlee Gillman (3)	Gabe , Harbor, Lee , Lynne (4)	Addie, Vania, Millie Hall (4)	Caden & Nolan Crawford (4)
Kayla Olson (3)	Paige McFall (3)	Ava McDonough (3)	Lance Walters (3)	Brandt & Chase Cobb (4)
Haley, Hunter Petty (4)	Colton, Cameron Ruth (4)	Stuart Masters (3)	Erin , Madeline , Guenzenbauser (4)	Austin & Sydney Cain (4)
Felipe Romo Rios (3)	Chloe Ruenke (3)	Abby Longley (3)	Jacob, Julia, Leah Gonthier (4)	Trevon Brown (3)
Ava Miltenberger (3)	Gwen, Mia Shanks (4)	Shantel & Shelby Larrieston (4)	Elianna, Liberty, Ruthanna Storey (4)	Chloe & Connor Briggs (4)
Jace Throckmorton (3)	Madison Tubbs (3)	Covey Williams (3)	Logan, Levi Evans (4)	Calvin Briggs (3)
			Trice Van Ryswyk (3)	
Total: 48	Total: 47	Total: 46	Total: 55	Total: 50

Fair Schedule

FRIDAY, JULY 21ST

6:00pm— Queen Contest

SATURDAY, JULY 23RD

7:30-8:30am—Cow/Calf Weigh In (show @ 9)

8:30am—Static Exhibit Judging

1:00pm—Dog Show

SUNDAY, JULY 24TH

8:30am—Horse Show

1:00pm—Exhibit Building Opens

4:00pm—Sheep Weigh In

5:30pm—Goat Weigh In

6:00-8:00pm—Beef & Swine Weigh In

MONDAY, JULY 25TH

8:00am—Pet Show/Rabbit Show

1:00pm—Goat Show

5:00pm—Sheep Show

TUESDAY, JULY 26TH

8:30am—Poultry Show

12:00pm—Clover Sprouts Expo

5:00pm—Swine Show

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27TH

8:00am—Bucket Calf Interviews

8:30am— Bucket Calf Show, Breeding and Market to follow

1:30pm— Fair Awards

2:00pm— Master Showman

2:00-5:00pm— Exhibit Building Release

6pm— Sale

The Extension Office is in search of individuals who want to be apart of a CameraCore Team at the Lucas County Fair. This will consist of taking Back-Drop Photos during the Livestock Shows. Please reach out to the Extension Office at 641-774-2016 with any question or to sign up for a show.

CONTACT US!

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HOURS

Monday-Thursday
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2023 Lucas County Fair

July 22-26

Fair Theme:

Sew It, Grow It, Show It



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