June 2015

Dear 4-H Families:

Poultry Show

With great sadness, the Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship announced on May 21, they are cancelling all live bird exhibitions at the County Fairs, The Iowa State Fair, and other gatherings of birds due to the Avian Influenza. This begins immediately and is effective through the end of 2015 and also prohibits live birds from being sold at livestock auction markets, swap meets, and exotic sales.

If you are signed up for animal science or veterinary science, you can do a poster or a booklet report on your poultry. You could also do an educational presentation. I know this is a big disappointment, but please think of other opportunities.

The theme for the Page County Fair this year will be “Dare to Discover.”

June 15 Deadline

- Educational Presentations—Extemporaneous Speaking
- Share the Fun—Working Exhibits
- Fashion Revue—Clothing Selection
- $15 Challenge—Stitch This
- Decorator Showcase
- Tablesetting Contest
- Cook This
- Junk In A Bucket
- Queen Contest
- Hall of Fame
Safety and Education in Shooting Sports is open to all 4th grade through 12th grade in Page County. If you are not in 4-H, the fee is $15.

Shotgun is held at the Conservation building on highway 71. Archery and air rifle are held in the Cow Palace at the Page County Fairgrounds. Both sessions begin at 2:00 P.M.

The following schedule:
June 28, September 20

Call the Page County Extension office for any questions at 712-542-5171. Listen to KMA and KCSI for any cancellations.

FSQA - New State Rule

New this year - livestock exhibitors at both the county and state levels will need to take FSQA. All species except for Dog, Pet, and Horse need FSQA.

4th - 6th grade must attend the class.

Intermediates and Seniors can test out and not have to take the class. Intermediates and Seniors, please look at your enrollment online to see when you expire.

I will give the tests on May 26, 27, and 28 from 9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. I will stay on the 28th until 7:00 P.M.

Remember you have to do this in order to show at the county or state level.

June 3 will be the class for 4th - 6th grade. It will be held from 6:30 P.M. - 8:30 P.M. in Wibholm Hall in the Page County Fairgrounds.

Please call 712-542-5171 and register for the class, so we know how many to plan for.

Page County 2015 Fair Dates
July 21 - 26
“Dare to Discover”
Cayuse Club Meetings

The Cayuse Club meetings have started. The meetings will begin at 6:00 p.m. and you need to bring both roping reins and split reins. Meeting dates are: Wednesdays, June 3, 10, 17, 24, July 1, 8, and 15. The Cayuse Horse Show is June 20 at 10:00 a.m.

4-H Dog Classes

The 4-H Dog Classes have began. They are at 6:00 P.M. at the Page County Fairgrounds. Meetings dates will be as follows:

- May 29 * July 10
- June 5 * June 26
- June 19 * July 17

The superintendent’s phone number is 712-438-0882. IF you cannot make it to the meetings, please call her. Please bring your dogs and leashes.

Iowa 4-H Youth Conference

The Conference registration is open—so register now!!

You also need to bring your money to the Page County Extension office. You are not fully registered until your money is paid in full.

Conference registration deadline is May 30. For more information go to http://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/iowa4hyouthconference.

OUR VISION

A WORLD IN WHICH YOUTH AND ADULTS LEARN, GROW, AND WORK TOGETHER AS CATALYSTS FOR POSTIVE CHANGE
Explore Design Workshop

Students from the Iowa State University College of Design have offered to provide workshops that explore the possibilities of a future in art and design. There will be a workshop in Sidney on June 3. This will be a day camp for grades 6 through 12. The workshop will begin at 8:30 A.M. and close with a parent showcase at 3:30 P.M. The fee is $15 which includes meals and snacks.

All registrations are done online at http://www.design.iastate.edu/youthprograms/workshops.php

First Annual Page County Horse Camp

We are excited about the First Annual Page County Horse Camp. It will be held June 8 & 9 at the Page County Fairgrounds. There will be several presenters throughout the day and evening with lots of helpful information. You will be able to be with old friends, make new friends, and have tons of fun!! Deadline is quickly approaching. If you have any questions, please contact Debbie at 712-542-5171. You will get a detailed letter telling you what to bring after you register. Come have fun, ride your horse, see old friends, make new friends, and make the First Annual Page County Horse Camp a success!! The registration form is included in this newsletter.

There is also a camp counselor application if you would like to be a counselor.

Iowa State Fair

August 13–23

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.
Farm Safety Day Camp

On June 17, Page County Extension will host a Farm Safety Day Camp for grades 3 - 6. It will be held at the Page County Fairgrounds in Clarinda.

The day will include hands-on activities, safety stations, and food! Please see the enclosed flyer.

Mutton Busting ~ NEW~

New at the Page County Fair will be Mutton Busting on Friday evening. There will be two classes; 5 and under, and 6-7-8 year olds.

There is something for everyone at the Page County Fair!

Breeding Gilt Show at the Fair ~ NEW~

The Page County Swine show has added a Breeding Gilt class for the 2015 year. These would be from the pigs you weighed in in March. The Page County Fair book has the complete description, your leaders will have your fair books at your June 4-H meeting.
July 1 Deadline

- Iowa 4-H Animal Disclosures forms for Market Beef, Market Lamb, Market Swine, Meat Goat, and Horse
- Page County Stall or Pen and Insurance Fees
- Blue Horse Supplemental Form
- White Rabbit Supplemental Form
- Historian Book Entries
- Little Mr. & Miss Page Contest
- Cherry Pie Contest
- Clover Kids Cupcake Contest

Jim Wallick Scholarship

The family of Jim Wallick is offering a $300 scholarship to any graduating Page County 4-H or FFA member. The graduate must plan to continue his/her education in the area of Agriculture. An application form is included in this newsletter. The deadline is July 15.

Queen Tea

The 2015 Queen Tea will be held July 18 at the Saint Paul’s Lutheran Church at 1:00 P.M. Queen registrations must be turned in by June 15 to the Page County Extension office.

Rabbit Show ~ NEW DATE~

The Rabbit Show at the Page County Fair will be moved to Saturday morning at 8:00 A.M. in the Rabbit Barn. The is only be for this 2015 year because of the Poultry Show being cancelled.
Mandatory Horse Exhibitor Meeting

There will be a mandatory Horse Exhibitor meeting on Wednesday, July 22, at 8:30 P.M. in the Horse Barn bleachers. There will be topics for the fair shows, rules and regulations, and other important information given. So do not miss this meeting. All Horse parents and 4-H exhibitors should attend.

News for 4-H Horse Exhibitors!

Julie Walters is the new 4-H Horse Superintendent. She has a lot experience and is excited about the Page County Fair. Welcome Julie!

Last year several 4-H Horse leaders asked for clarification on Horse A, Horse B, and Horse C. When you complete the Supplemental Horse Entry this year, instead of seeing “Please Check Below Each Class You Are Entering With Horse #1,” you will see “Please Check Below Each Class You Are Entering With Horse A.” If you have questions, call the Page County Extension office at 712-542-5171.

Check out our Webpage!!

Go to www.extension.iastate.edu/page to find all the forms for the fair, upcoming events, and links to the Iowa State Fair, and 4-H online.

WANT TO KNOW MORE?
FIND US AT: EXTENSION.IASTATE.EDU/4H/PAGE COUNTY
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