

Page County Cloverleaf Express July 2020



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4-H News

Mark your calendars for the following dates.

July 6th Communications

July 7th Little Mr. & Miss

July 8th Cherry Pie Clover Kid Cupcake

July 9th Table Setting Cook This

July 10th Awardrobe

July 13th Milk Made Magic & Cake Boss

July 16th All static project entries entered on FairEntry. See information in our newsletter.

July 18th Static project drop off See assigned times in the newsletter. Queen Tea

July 21st Static Judging

July 22nd Swine show, static project pick up.

July 23rd Horse show, Sheep & Goat show

July 24th Poultry Show, Rabbit Show, Bucket Bottle calf, lamb & goat show

July 25th Dog & Pet show, Beef show.

Page County Fair See schedule in this newsletter.

Iowa State Fair the 4-H & FFA shows will happen over three weekends in August.

A Letter from Lexy



The 2020 Page County Fair theme is *STRIVE FOR GOLD!*

Together we will move **FOUR**WARD!

I know the 2020 Page County Fair is not going to look like past years, but together we will move

FORWARD! We have used our 4-H knowledge to prepare for this year's fair. The four **H**'s have been very helpful this year as we formed our plan. We have used our **Head** to come up with a plan that is workable and follows the guidelines that we have due to COVID-19. We have **Heart**— We as 4-Hers put our heart and soul in everything we do. Our **Hands**— we have used to serve our community and prepare for this year's fair. **Health**— We are providing hand sanitizer and encouraging frequent hand washing. We are recommending keeping social distancing and recommending you wear a mask to keep everyone healthy.

We will be posting pictures and videos of all the fair events on the Page County 4-H Facebook, so tell your friends and family to like our page.



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2020 PAGE COUNTY FAIR - CLARINDA, IOWA

July 6th Communications: Educational Presentations 4:00PM, Working Exhibits 6:00PM. Extemporaneous Speaking 6:30pm, Share the Fun 7:00PM St. Paul Lutheran Church, 2463 State Hwy 2, Clarinda. (Event information will be e-mailed to participants.)

July 7th Little Mr. /Miss: Assigned judging times between 5:00PM -7:30PM. St Paul Lutheran Church, State Hwy 2, Clarinda. (Event information will be e-mailed to participants)

July 8th Cherry Pie: Pies can be made at home and dropped off at the Page County Extension office between 8:00AM -4:30PM. (Event information will be e-mailed to participants)

Clover Kids Cupcake: Pick up supplies at Wibholm Hall South Wing between 3:00PM -5:00PM. Cupcakes will be decorated at home. (Event information will be e-mailed to participants)

July 9th 4-H Table Setting: Wibholm Hall East Wing. Set up 8:30AM – 9:00AM. Judging begins at 9:00AM. Awards immediately following. (Event information will be e-mailed to participants)

Clover Kids Table Setting: Wibholm Hall South Wing. Set up 9:00AM – 9:30AM. Judging begins at 9:30AM. Awards immediately following. (Event information will be e-mailed to participants)

Cook This!: Junior exhibitors drop off 10:00AM – 10:30AM. Intermediates & Seniors drop off 10:30AM – 11:00AM. Wibholm Hall Kitchen. Food items may be picked back up from Wibholm Hall from 4:00PM – 5:00PM (Event information will be e-mailed to participants)

July 10th Awardrobe: Assigned times between 8:00AM – Noon. (Event information will be e-mailed to participants)

July 13th Milk Made Magic: Drop off entries 8:00AM – 9:00AM. Wibholm Hall South Wing. (Event information will be e-mailed to exhibitors.)

Cake Boss: Drop off entries 10:00AM – 11:00AM Wibholm Hall Kitchen. (Event information will be e-mailed to exhibitors)

July 16th DEADLINE: All static projects must be entered on FairEntry:

<https://faireentry.com/Fair/SignIn/14148>

July 18th Static Exhibit Drop off. Entry card pick up will be in the Cow Palace. **Bring your own tape** to attach entry cards to your projects. After attaching your entry cards to projects, you will then proceed to Wibholm Hall South Wing to check in and drop off your projects.

8:00AM – 8:45AM East River Knotty Pines

9:30AM – 10:15AM Nebraska Top Notcher's

11:00AM – 11:45AM Nodaway Nuggets

12:45PM – 1:30PM Valley Boosters

2:15PM – 3:00PM Shenandoah Teamsters & Tri-M's

8:45AM – 9:30AM Clarinda Classics

10:15AM – 11:00AM Fremont Farmer's 4-Her's

11:45AM – 12:45PM Lunch Break

1:30PM – 2:15PM Tarkio 4-Her's

3:00PM – 3:45PM Lincoln Luckies & Amity Aces



July 18th Queen Tea (scheduled interview times) Announcement of the 2020 Page County Fair Queen and Little Mr. & Miss. Winners announced on Facebook.

July 21st Static Judging: Only judges and staff present for judging.

July 22nd Swine Show: Weigh-in from 6:00AM -8:00AM. Show to begin 11:00AM with showmanship. Load out hogs Wednesday after the show. (Event information will be e-mailed to participants,)

Static Exhibit Pick Up: Projects can be picked up from Wibholm Hall the same time schedule as drop off.

July 23rd Horse Show: Check in 6:00AM -7:30AM. Show to begin at 8:00AM. Horse Arena (Event information will be e-mailed to participants)

Sheep/ Goat Show: Weigh in 6:30AM – 8:30AM. Goat's priority on the scale. Goat show to start at 9:30AM show arena. Sheep show to follow immediately after. (Event information will be e-mailed to participants)

July 24th Poultry Show: Poultry 7:00AM -8:00AM check in Show to start at 8:00AM in the show arena. (Event information will be e-mailed to participants)

Rabbit Show: check in 1:00PM -2:00PM show to start 2:00PM under the sheep barn canopy. (Event information will be e-mailed to participants)

Bucket/Bottle Calf, Lamb, Goat show: Check in 5:30PM -6:00PM. Show starts at 6:00PM in the show arena.

Beef Junior Feeder Project Pen of Three weigh in: 7:00PM – 9:00PM (Event information will be e-mailed to participants)

July 25th Dog & Pet Check-in 8:00AM: Dog Show begins at 8:30AM Pet show to immediately follow. (Event information will be e-mailed to participants) *Due to health issues, the judge has asked that all dog and pet exhibitors please wear a mask during judging.*

Beef Check in/Weigh in: 7:00AM -9:00AM (Event information will be e-mailed to participants.)

Junior Feeder Project Pen of Three: Judging 9:30AM

Breeding Classes: Judging to begin at 11:00AM followed by Market Class.

(There will be a 30 minute break between Breeding Class and before Market Class.)

Blocking chutes may be set up at the fairgrounds beginning Friday night. Beef will load out to packer Sunday night at 6:00PM. Any beef animals going to the packer that were taken home after the show must be back by 5:00PM Sunday night to load out by 6:00PM.

If you have any questions, please reach out to Lexy Davies, County Youth Coordinator via phone 712-542-5171 or email ladavies@iastate.edu



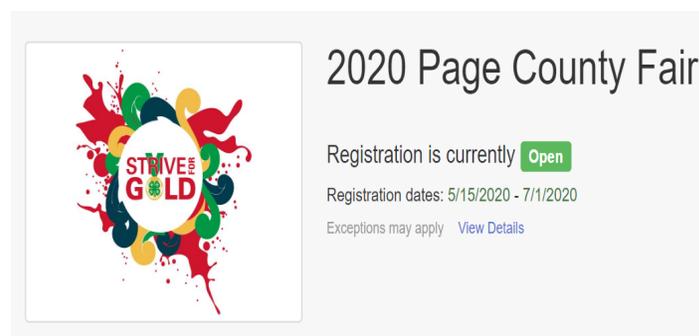


This year, each family will be entering their static exhibits (by July 19th) and livestock (by July 1st) on FairEntry. This program that integrates with the information entered on 4Honline, such as project areas and animal identification. Many other counties and the Iowa State Fair are already using the Fair Entry program. There will be no paper entry forms this year.

We will be available to help assist anyone who needs help with FairEntry.

<https://fairent.com/Fair/SignIn/14148>

This is the official link and webpage for ALL entries.



Static exhibits must be entered by July 16th

Need Assistance? We are here to help! Feel free to come in during normal business hours.

Can't make it during normal business hours? We will offer after hours assistance on

July 13, 14, 15, and 16th 4:30 –7PM. (Static exhibits)

We are also available via phone or email to assist.



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Resources to help you with FairEntry!

Here is a 3-minute video that demonstrates the entry process for families.

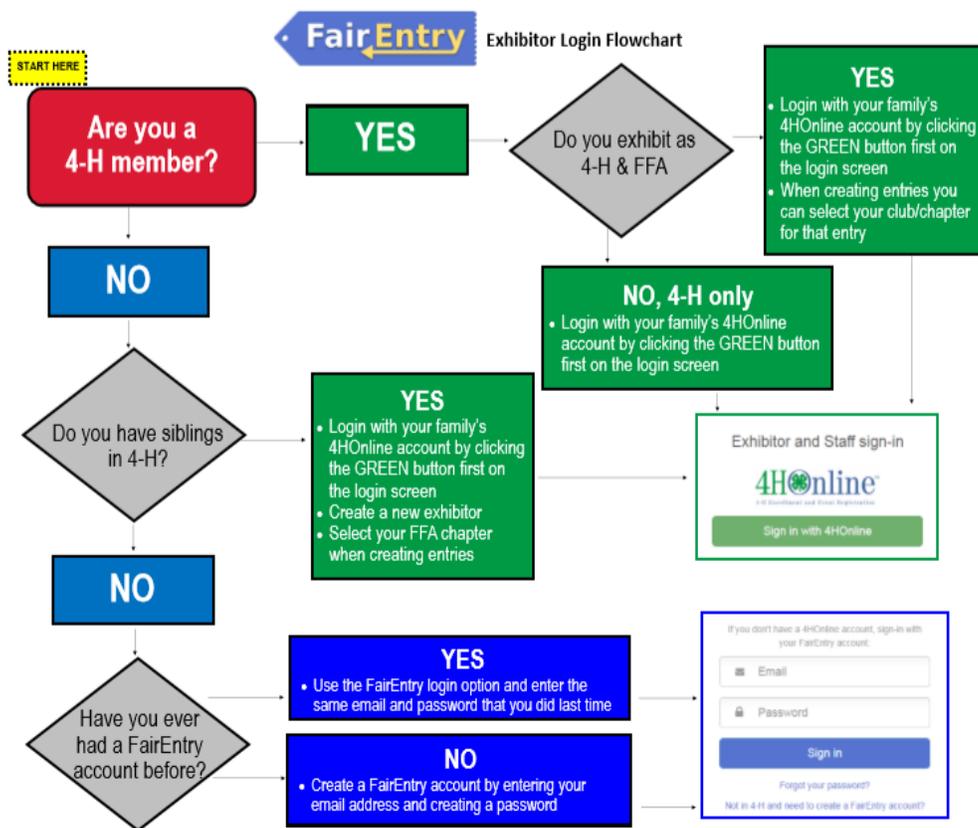
<https://vimeo.com/209918998>

A step by step written guide to FairEntry can be found on our webpage at

<https://www.extension.iastate.edu/page/4h>

Tips for Exhibitors making Online Entries:

- Recommended browsers: Google Chrome or Mozilla Firefox. Older versions of Internet Explorer may cause unexpected results.
- Register all entries for each exhibitor in the family before proceeding to the Payment section.
- Be sure to click the "Submit" button when you have completed your entries. Entries are not final until they have been submitted.
- Check your email inbox for a confirmation email with a list of your entries and any related fees.
- You will receive a second email when your entries have been approved by your fair.



4-H Write Up Example

What does a 4-H write up look like?

1. Top of the Page

- A. Name:
- B. 4-H level: Junior, Intermediate or Senior
- C. Club:
- D. Project area and class number:

2. My Goals

- A. What did you want to learn or learn to do?
- B. What do you want to share or teach others?

3. How you worked towards your goals?

- A. Why you selected this project area, why was it important?
- B. Step by step process of how you completed the project.
- C. What did you like most about this project? What was the hardest part of this project?

4. Examples of project specific items to include in project areas.

A. Home Improvement, Visual Arts, Sewing and Needle Arts, Clothing and Fashion, Junk in a Bucket and Other Family and Consumer Science need to have Elements and principles of design. They can be found here. <https://store.extension.iastate.edu/product/262>

B. Photos of yourself in the process of the project process and of the final product are important in all write ups.

C. Budget information is also helpful. How much did it cost to make your project?

D. Food and Nutrition: recipe and recipe source. (Pinterest is not a source- look further to where it originated. Was it a recipe from a church cookbook or one your great grandma passed down?)

E. Visual Arts

Where did you get inspiration? What materials did you use? What was the process?

Elements and principals of design

Sketch or drawing of your idea. Original photo if you are painting from a picture and copyright permission if needed.

F. Photography has a separate form. This form can be found at

<https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/projects/photography> or <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/page/4h>

g. Horticulture- identify plant type in description when entering on Fairentry. Example- Tomato, red slicing. Refer to fairbook for classes.

5. Most important things I learned.

A. What I learned and what I changed or did differently? For instance: did you slightly alter a recipe, did you learn about copyrights?

6. Be sure to check the fairbook or <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/projects-list> for more information on all project areas. "Hotsheets" are available for each project area and are extremely helpful!



How to prepare static projects for the fair:

This year static projects will be dropped off during assigned times. (See schedule below)
We are asking that you tie your write up to any project you can so that the project
and write up stay together.

Photography please put into a zip loc bag along with your photography write up form.

Any project that can be put into a bag or box to keep it protected should be, along with the write up.

Food exhibits are not being tasted due to the COVID rules, please limit the number of items on the plate.

Etc. Plate 3 –5 cookies instead of a dozen cookies. Also all food items should be bagged, or in a storage container.

Please label all items of your exhibit with your name and club.

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Pick up is July 22nd at the same designated time.



4-H tee shirts available for
\$10.00 at ISU Extension &
Outreach Page County



Clover Kids tee shirts for
\$10.00



4-H Arm bands \$3.00
(horses, rabbits, and poultry)

WE WANT YOU TO SHARE YOUR NEWS,

We want you to be part of our monthly newsletter!

Clubs can share pictures and stories about what they are doing in their meetings and in the community.

Members can share stories, poems, photos, or artwork that they have done. Parents can share their 4-H memories or stories.

Send your contribution for our next newsletter to
xpage@iastate.edu



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Welcome JennaLee Bramble. JennaLee is our Page County Summer Intern. JennaLee has been busy packaging programming each week for the four school districts in Page County. Each week, she prepares 500 bags of learning activities for the summer lunch programs. Jenna wrote the photography camp we have had on Facebook. She was a 4-H member for nine years. She loves her dog Ruger and likes to spend her free time with friends and family. JennaLee will be transferring in the Fall to SWICC. You will see lots of JennaLee at the prefair events and at the fair. Make sure to stop and say hello!



ARE YOU BRINGING A FOOD AND-NUTRITION PROJECT TO THE FAIR?

CHECK OUT THE UPDATED FOOD FOR IOWA FAIRS DOCUMENT

Plan for a successful fair experience. Use these guidelines to help select and acceptable product for exhibit, find an approved recipe source, and identify the appropriate preparation method.

<https://store.extension.iastate.edu/product/6434>

Dates to Remember

Page County Fair July 21st—26th

The theme for the fair is

STRIVING FOR GOLD!

Iowa State Fair 4-H and FFA livestock shows scheduled for 3 weekends in August.

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Swine Exhibitor Reminder

We are not allowing the feeding of Ractopamine/ Paylean to any swine exhibited at the Page County Fair in 2020. We are banning Ractopamine/ Paylean on the Page County Fair Grounds.

This feed is extremely transferable and extra bio-security measures are warranted to prevent cross contamination.



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