



4-H FOCUS

December 2023



Is your 4-H enrollment up to date?

Make sure to go to v2.4honline.com to make sure that you are all set for this year!



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List of Events at a Glance

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December 7: Youth Committee/County Council meeting, Extension Office, 6:30 p.m.

December 16: Market Beef Weigh In, 8-11 a.m., Westfair

December 25-27: Office Closed

February 1: Last day to ID Market Beef in 4-H Online for 4-H members showing at Westfair (FFA members ID animals in Fair Entry).



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Congratulations to those members who completed a Record Book!

Clover Kid Certificates: Elise Minssen, Brantley Behrendt, Maysen Lausen, Clarabell Clark, Brailey Olsen, Jordan Harder, Penelope Campbell, Carleigh Campbell, Keegan Campbell, Parker Moses, Cooper Moses, Evelyn Urban, Steven Ferro, Garth Ferro, Zeke Davis.

Discovery Certificates: Charley Ord, Ryder Campbell, Blake Scott

Junior Certificates: Madison Leaders, Wiley Sward, Regan Ausdemore, Hadyn Ausdemore, Josie Garrison, Keilyn Goodman, Quinn Calhoon, Kenadi Dunn, Korbin Clark, Lauren Harder, Haley Harder, Jolien Cook, Lane Leinen, Kinsey Leinen, Nick Moses, Jayda Neighbors, Lyla Hanwright, Kolton Thompson, Oakkley Kalb, Elise McCormick, Lilly Cain, Elena Brummett, Creed Hough, Parker Leaders, Sawyer Leaders, Eivin Letner, Soren Letner, Eli Minssen, Patrick Scriven

Junior Pins: Eli Minssen, Elena Brummett, Creed Hough, Oakkley Kalb, Lyla Hanwright, Eivin Letner, Soren Letner

Outstanding Junior Record Book: Jayda Neighbors, Kolton Thompson

Intermediate Certificates: Charlie Brummett, Aiden Hagar, Wyatt Cain, Ella Vorthmann, Tucker Olsen, AJ Harder, Joanna Cook, Ali Leaders, Oliver Letner, Landon Leaders

Intermediate Pins: Charlie Brummett, Aiden Hagar, Oliver Letner

Outstanding Intermediate Record Book: Charlie Brummett, Aiden Hagar

Senior Record Book Certificates: Emily Newby, Monica Osborn, John McCormick, Lina Cain, Mikenzie Brewer, Connor Brummett, Will Tiarks, Shane Tiarks, Genevieve Deitchler, Ryan Deitchler, Camille Karr, Grant Karr

Senior Record Book Pins: Connor Brummett, Shane Tiarks, Emily Newby, Will Tiarks, Monica Osborn

Outstanding Senior Record Book: Connor Brummett, Monica Osborn

The list of project award winners and other overall winners has been posted on the West Pott. 4-H Facebook page—make sure to check it out!

Congratulations to all!

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Market Beef Weigh In

When: Saturday, December 16th

Where: Westfair

Time: 8-11 a.m.



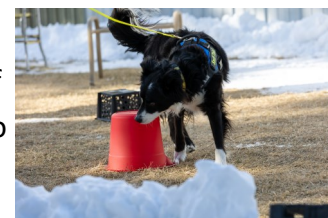
Who: Any 4-H'er or FFA member who is going to show market steers and/or market heifers at the 2024 Westfair.

If you are going to nominate a market beef animal for the Iowa State Fair, you must have a retinal image taken and the cost for that is \$5.00 per animal. There is no cost for Westfair only animals.

All market beef animals must be ID'ed in 4-H Online by February 1st. If you need to attend in another county, you **MUST** contact the county to make sure it is o.k. for you to attend (not all counties take out of county animals for weigh in).

Questions? Contact the office at 712-366-7070 or email jenvin@iastate.edu

4-H Dog Enthusiast Club



What to take your 4-H dog project to the next level? Want to see what kinds of activities you can do with your dog aside from just showing at the fair? Want to hear from some great guest speakers who are in the industry? We are excited to invite any West Pott. 4-H'er to our "4-H Dog Enthusiast" club. This special interest club is open to any already enrolled 3rd-12th grade West Pott. 4-H'er who is interested in the dog project.

The special interest club will meet six times December through May (dates, times and locations TBD). Some of the activities planned include: Shaping/Tricks, Rally, Barn Hunt, Frisbee (Up Dog), Flyball, Scentwork, Grooming, Vaccinations, Showmanship and much more!

There are a few more spots available! Email jenvin@iastate.edu if you would like to be added to the communication list!

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