



Wilson County 4-H NEWS

July/August 2019 Newsletter

July

- 4 Office Closed
- 15 State Fair Livestock Entries Due
- 19 Clothing Judging/Style Revue 8:30 am
Fredonia Christian Church (303 N. 7th)
- 19 Public Revue 7:30 pm, Neodesha High School
- 21 County Fair Clean Up Day - 2 pm
Fairgrounds
- 22 4-H Foods Judging 4 pm, **Assembly of God Church, Fredonia**
- ?? Wilson Co. 4-H Horse Show - 6:00 pm
- 24-28 Wilson County Fair

August

- 15 Wichita Livestock Entries Due
- 19 & 20 State Judging, Horticulture, Meats & Livestock
- 26 4-H Council 7 pm Courthouse Basement.

September

- 16 Record Books, Kansas Awards Application, Achievement Plans, Key Award Applications Due
- 6 State Fair Exhibits Due in Extension Office
- 9-18 Kansas State Fair-Hutchinson
- ? Record Book Judging

2019 FAIR PHOTO BOOTH

Busy Beavers 4-H Club will again provide a booth for photos at the fair. Any 4-H or FFA member may use the booth for pictures of Grand or Reserve projects. The photo booth could be used to take photos for "Thank You's" and record books. Please treat the booth with care so we can keep it around for many years.

PLEASE REFER BACK TO PREVIOUS NEWSLETTERS FOR INFO. ON OTHER RESPONSIBILITIES FOR FAIR, THANKS!

Fair time is just around the corner and you will find this news-letter full of important pre-fair and fair activities and details. Be SURE TO KEEP THIS LETTER TO REFER TO!

Let's all remember that winning first place is great but everyone's a winner in the 4-H Program. If you have given it your best, have learned something, and are proud of your accomplishments, that is the most important thing. Then and only then are you a real champion. REMEMBER, WINNING WITHOUT LEARNING ISN'T WORTH VERY MUCH!

Since the County Fair is just weeks away... in all the hustle of project completion and fair preparation, let's remember that these activities require the cooperating and willingness of everyone. By working together as a family, a 4-H Club, and community, we can accomplish far more and get more enjoyment than if we had done it alone.

Don't Forget

CLOTHING NARRATION REMINDER

Narrations for Clothing Carousel, Clothing Strategy and Style Revue are due in the Office no later than Monday, July 15th. Remember you need record sheets for ALL Clothing and Fiber Art Exhibits!

Community and Project Leaders

Please turn your Project meetings held this past year into the office, even if you just worked with your own child. **Every 4-H'er is important and every leader/parent.** Project Leaders need to be VIP Certified to be recognized at the Achievement Banquet. If you are not a VIP Certified leader, please contact the Extension Office

Area Favorite Food Show Photography & Horticulture Judging

Several Wilson Co. 4-H members participated at the Southeast Area 4-H contests June 20th in Emporia. Members joined others from the Wildcat Extension District to form teams as well as judge individually.

Participating in the FCS contest were Abby Reaves, Piper Essington, Shelby Smith(1st), Mason Springer (2nd). Shelby Smith, Cooper Springer, Mason Springer Adyson Clubine placed 1st as Sr. Team.

In Photography judging the Intermediate team placed 2nd, Mason Springer(6th), Shelby Smith, Adyson Clubine, Maggie Chandler the intermediate division. Placing in Senior

Division Piper Essington, Sydney Clubine, Taya Maxson and Lex Ward, 1st in Sr. Team.

In Favorite Foods Abby Reaves received honorable mention. Also participating, Cooper Springer, and Piper Essington.

In crops judging Mason Springer was 1st, Cooper Springer also participated in crops.

Horticulture and crops judging included Shelby Smith(10th in Horticulture, 6th in crops), Mason Springer (1st in Crops), Cooper Springer (2nd in Crops). Mason Springer, Maggie Chandler and Brooke Bennors placed 1st as a team.

All members did a great job representing the Wildcat District.

Area Livestock, Meats & Skillathon Contest

Several Wilson Co. 4-H members participated in the Area Livestock, Meats & Skillathon Contest at Yates Center June 21th along with members from the Wildcat District.

Meats Judging started the day. Mason Springer placed 3rd. Tucker Leck placed 6th. The team placed 2nd members of the team were Mason Springer, Tucker Leck, Cooper Springer and Trey Newby. Also participating was Noel Eisele, and Tayte Leck. The Sr. Division team was 4th. Team members were Cadence Wheeler (9th), Maggie McVey and Julieona Erbe.

Participating in Skillathon was: Mason Springer, Cooper Springer, Cadence Wheeler, Noel Eisele, Tayte Leck and Tucker Leck.

The day finished with the Livestock Judging Contest. Participating were: Tucker Leck (2nd), Tayte Leck (5th), Mason Springer (9th), Cooper Springer, Noel Eisele, and Tayte Leck. SR Team finished 3rd, Cadence Wheeler, Hannah Graybill, Lauren Culver, and Trace Falkenstien. Also

participating Julieona Erbe.



Fair Clean-Up/Snow Cone Party

Clean-Up: Sunday, July 21st, at 2:00 p.m.
REMEMBER TO BRING SUPPLIES

For Barns: Weed eaters, rakes, shovels, forks, garden hoses, post driver, brooms.

For Buildings: Brooms, buckets and rags.

Clean-Up Assignments 2019:

Buildings-Lucky Horseshoe & High Prairie Pioneers

Buildings-Busy Beavers & Homebuilders

The families that help with clean-up will receive large snow cones following cleanup!

****Saturday Evening Dinner** At The Fair!**

It has become a tradition for members and their families to have a picnic after the beef show on Saturday night. Sandy Smith has taken this on and it has continued to grow each year. Everyone is invited to join in on the fun! Please bring something to share for the meal. Sandy would like for you to give her a call with some idea of what you might be bringing so we won't have a lot of one thing and not enough of something else. We hope everyone will join in. **Please contact Sandy Smith at 485-4008.**

4-H Livestock

The Wilson County Fair is quickly approaching. Please notice the check in times for livestock!
Livestock may be brought to the Fairgrounds on THURSDAY EVENING OR

FRIDAY MORNING AT SPECIES WEIGH IN TIME

Hogs, 7:30 - 8:30 am

Sheep/Goats, 8:30 – 9:30 am

Beef/Bucket Calves, 9:30 – 10:30 am

Livestock must be in place by the end of the species weigh in time!

Scales may be used Thursday night for unofficial weight. It will be your responsibility to "0" the scales.

LIVESTOCK WILL REMAIN ON THE FAIRGROUNDS UNTIL CHECK OUT!

The only exceptions will be due to sickness or special circumstances with approval from the department superintendent and Cheri.

In addition, as we are weighing in livestock, we definitely need to know which animals you are showing for 4-H and which ones for open class. After each show is completed, please let us know which animals you are selling in the premium sale, the ones you want to sell for base bid, and the ones you are taking back home. This will help the superintendents and myself in making things run smooth. *We will only have a base bid truck for the sheep and goats.*

Reminder: For those people contacting businesses and livestock premium buyers, you need to get them to turn money in by July 19th.

Bedding & Stall Cleaning

Livestock exhibitors need to make sure your stall(s) are cleaned after the fair. If the fair board has to clean your stall they will hold your ribbon premium money. **This is your responsibility!** There will be a truck available to put bedding in. Thank you in advance for taking care of this. With this in mind please only use wood chips. **(NO STRAW)** in your stalls. Wood chips will

be available for purchase (**no free chips this year**). Wood chips will be sold for \$5.25 per bag payable when you pick it up

**Food Conference Judging
First Grace
Assembly of God Church
Monday, July 22nd, 4 pm**

HELP NEEDED! Helpers are needed in the judge's rooms. If you can help please call the Extension Office, 378-2167.

Please be prompt. **Remember BE EARLY - You need to be in the building 20 minutes before your first scheduled judging consultation.** Be sure to check in at the door and pick up your exhibit cards. The schedule will sometimes run ahead. **Ribbon placings may be dropped at the judge's discretion due to lateness.** Judges will not be asked to stay over 15 minutes past their last scheduled judging consultation for the day. Schedules will be worked around if possible in the event of a conflict. If you are entered in more than 5 classes per level remember you can only bring 5 exhibits, one per class.

If you are unable to attend the conference judging, but can have your food there, it can still be judged. **You may have someone else bring your food for judging, but no one can accompany your exhibit to be judged.** Please make any notes you want the judge to know about your food and attach it to your exhibit. 4-H Foods Judging will only take place on the 17th.

*****Please take pictures of all perishable food entries. Mounting boards are available in the Extension Office for \$1.00 each to display them on.**

() Number in parenthesis is number of foods you have entered/or will be able to exhibit as listed on your pre-entry. If this is not correct call us in the Extension Office

Judge 1

Foods and Nutrition - Level I & IV

Level I, Ages 7 & 8

4:00 Hunter Reaves (4)
4:15 Spenser Cunningham (1)
4:30 Carleigh Compton (2)
4:45 Kinzley Evans (4)
5:00 Jackson Delong (5)
5:15 Matthew Lockhart (5)
5:30 Sam Meseraull (5)
5:45 Jace Sandbothe (2)
6:00 Morgan Vorhees (3)
6:15 Bella Hyler (2)
6:30 Hayes Cobb (1)

Level IV, Ages 15+

6:45 Kaylee Couch (5)
7:00 Abby Reaves (5)
7:15 Julieona Erbe (5)
7:30 Jordan Signer (5)
7:45 Cadence Wheeler (5)
8:00 Baily Chaplin (4)

Judge 2

Foods & Nutrition - Level II

Level II, Ages 9, 10, 11

4:00 Chloe Compton (2)
4:15 Noel Eisele (3)
4:30 Brooklyn Newland (5)
4:45 Jenna Meseraull (5)
5:00 Jacob Sandbothe (3)
5:15 J.P. Batzer (3)
5:30 Cooper Springer (5)
5:45 Marisa Ghramm (3)
6:00 Carter Hoesli (3)
6:15 Wyatt Cravens (5)
6:30 Cashton Wheeler (5)

Food Preservation

All entries will be left for judging.

Brayden Bosch (1)	Jace Sandbothe (2)
Jackson Brooks (1)	Jacob Sandbothe (2)
Hayes Cobb (4)	Allison Studebaker (2)
McKinzie Cobb (5)	Cadence Wheeler (5)
Noel Eisele (1)	Cashton Wheeler (5)
Carter Hoesli (1)	Brooklyn Newland (1)

Judge 3

Foods and Nutrition Level III

Level III, Ages 12,13,14

4:00 Elijah Cunningham (2)
4:15 Piper Essington (1)
4:30 Jill DeLong (2)
4:45 Shelby Smith (5)
5:00 Kaelyn Frankenbery (2)
5:15 Ellen Meseraull (5)
5:30 Tiffany Kuhn (5)
5:45 Brayden Bosch (4)
6:00 Mason Springer (4)
6:15 Tayler Ghramm (4)
6:30 Jackson Brooks (3)
6:45 Jerin Cobb (1)
7:00 Braxton Chaplin (4)



Style Revue Schedule

Style Revue and Purchased Revue Conference Judging will **be held on Friday July 19th beginning promptly at 8:30 am** at the **Fredonia Christian Church (303 N. 7th)**, Please do not bring food or drinks in the Church.

BE EARLY -You need to be in the building 20 minutes before your first scheduled judging consultation. Be sure to check in with the person in charge of the room. The schedule will sometimes run ahead. **Ribbon placings may be dropped at the judge's discretion due to lateness. Judges will not be asked to stay over 15 minutes past their last scheduled judging consultation for the day.** Please note: Schedules will be worked around in case of a conflict - but you must be present.

The Public Revue will be held Friday evening, July 19th at the Neodesha High

School at 7:30 p.m. Please be at the school by 7:15 dressed and ready to go. The evening revue styling order will be posted the morning of judging at the church (with what outfit you should wear in order of appearance). **The public style revue is part of the Fair and is mandatory to receive ribbons and premium money.** Absences may be excused by Cheri. **Displaying your garments at the Fair is also mandatory.**

When you arrive on Friday morning you will need to check in at the information table in the fellowship hall or the hallway. **Number of items to be judged for construction are in (). If this is not correct contact the Extension Office.**

Please plan to be early as we may be running ahead of schedule. If the schedule does not give you enough time to change (BE CALM) we will go on to the next person and work you in when we can or wait for you.

Please do not leave after you have styled until the judge has selected call backs for choosing Grand & Reserve Champions.

Narrations need to be into the office by Monday, July 15th. Minor changes may be made to the narrations the day of judging by telling the judges helper.

****** If your name does not appear on this schedule you have not entered the class - call the Extension Office.

FAIR ENTRY

Clothing and Heritage Arts will need to be checked in at the fair Thursday, July 24th 5:30 - 7:30 pm. Please attach exhibit cards and ribbons that were received at Public Style Revue to your exhibits.

Judge 1

Clothing Construction - Junior

8:30 Jenna Meseraull (5)

8:45 Ellen Meseraull (4)
 9:00 Shelby Smith (2)
 9:15 Marisa Ghramm (1)
 9:30 Naomi Black (3)
 9:45 Kinzley Evans (5)
 10:00 Spenser Cunningham (1)
 10:15 Allison Studebaker (1)
 10:30 Matthew Lockhart (4)
 10:45 Kaelyn Frankenbery (3)

Clothing Construction - Senior

11:00 Tiffany Kuhn (2)
 11:15 Abby Reaves (2)

Judge 2

Constructed Style Revue

8:30 Abby Reaves
 8:40 Tiffany Kuhn (Outfit 1)
 8:50 Naomi Black
 9:00 Jenna Meseraull (Outfit 1)
 9:10 Marisa Ghramm
 9:20 Ellen Meseraull (Outfit 1)
 9:30 Shelby Smith
 9:40 Tiffany Kuhn (Outfit 2)
 9:50 Jenna Meseraull (Outfit 2)
 10:00 Ellen Meseraull (Outfit 2)

Fiber Arts

10:15 Naomi Black (3)
 10:30 Julieona Erbe (1)
 10:40 Ellen Meseraull (2)
 10:50 Tayler Ghramm (1)
 11:00 Abigail Alexander (1)
 11:10 Erin Drybread (1)
 11:20 Mathew Lockhart (1)

Judge 3

Jr. & Sr. Carousel & Jr. Strategy

8:30	Marisa Ghramm	School
8:35	Tayler Ghramm	School
8:40	Kinzley Evans	School
8:45	Aydan Weaver	School
8:50	Cooper Springer	School
8:55	Jacob Sandbothe	School
9:00	Elijah Cunningham	School
9:05	Orian Hamilton	School
9:10	Mathew Lockhart	School
9:15	Sam Meseraull	School
9:20	Hayes Cobb	School
9:25	Cashton Wheeler	School

9:30	Jenna Meseraull	School
9:35	McKinzie Cobb	School
9:40	Shelby Smith	School
9:45	Ellen Meseraull	School
9:50	Jerin Cobb	School
9:55	Kaylee Couch	School
10:00	Julieona Erbe	School
10:05	Tiffany Kuhn	School
10:10	Abby Reaves	School
10:15	Cadence Wheeler	School
10:20	Ellen Meseraull	Dress
10:25	Aydan Weaver	Dress
10:30	McKinzie Cobb	Dress
10:35	Jenna Meseraull	Dress
10:40	Kinzley Evans	Dress
10:45	Shelby Smith	Dress
10:50	Cooper Springer	Dress
10:55	Jacob Sandbothe	Dress
11:00	Orian Hamilton	Dress
11:05	Sam Meseraull	Dress
11:10	Hayes Cobb	Dress
11:15	Cashton Wheeler	Dress
11:20	Jerin Cobb	Dress
11:25	Kaylee Couch	Dress
11:30	Julieona Erbe	Dress
11:35	Tiffany Kuhn	Dress
11:40	Abby Reaves	Dress
11:45	Cadence Wheeler	Dress



Photography Conference Judging Schedule Thursday, July 25th

Below is the judging schedule for photography. Each club has a time for their members to bring exhibits for judging. Please be considerate by coming when your club is scheduled. We ask that you be on time and do not wait until the last few minutes of your club's time slot.

PHOTOGRAPHY JUDGING SCHEDULE

() Number in parenthesis is number of items you have entered. You are limited to 10 total entries in Photography. If this is not correct please contact the

extension office.

9:00 am – 10:30 am – Busy Beavers

Baily Chaplin (2)	Marissa Ghramm (4)
Braxton Chaplin (1)	Tayler Ghramm (3)
Kaylee Couch (4)	Kelly Newton (10)
Hazel Estes (3)	Jordan Signer (10)

10:30 am – 11:00 am – Homebuilders

Abigail Alexander (10)	Anita Staker (5)
Naomi Black (5)	

11:00 am-11:30 pm – High Prairie Pioneers

Erin Drybread (3)	Tiffany Kuhn (10)
Garrett Engelman (1)	

11:30 pm - 1:30 pm – Lucky Horseshoe

Hayes Cobb (5)	Ellijah Cunningham (2)
Tayte Leck (5)	Jerin Cobb (10)
Jackson Delong (10)	Jace Sandbothe (10)
McKinzie Cobb (4)	Jill Delong (10)
Jacob Sandbothe (10)	Wyatt Cravens (10)
Piper Essington (10)	Cooper Springer (10)
Mason Springer (10)	Cashton Wheeler (10)
Chase TaliaFerro (2)	Cadence Wheeler (10)



**Arts & Crafts Conference
Judging Schedule
Thursday, July 25th**

() Number in parenthesis is number of items you have entered, if this is not correct call us in the Extension Office.

Judge 1 (Jr. Arts & Crafts)

Jr. Ages 7-9 Arts & Crafts

9:00	J.P. Batzer (3)
9:15	Abigail Alexander (5)
9:30	Naomi Black (10)
9:45	Elijah McCormick (10)
10:00	Allison Studebaker (9)
10:15	Aydan Weaver (10)
10:30	Hayes Cobb (4)
10:45	McKinzie Cobb (5)

11:00	Noel Eisele (3)
11:15	Matthew Lockhart (2)
11:30	Sam Meseraull (8)
11:45	Jace Sandbothe (10)
12:00	Morgan Vorhees (10)
12:15	Orian Hamilton (10)
12:30	Hunter Reaves (10)
12:45	Carter Hoesli (1)

Judge 2 (Int. & Sr. Arts & Crafts)

Int., Ages 10-13

9:00	Shelby Smith (10)
9:15	Tayler Ghramm (4)
9:30	Marisa Ghramm (4)
9:45	Wyatt Cravens (10)
10:00	Jill Delong (10)
10:15	Jenna Meseraull (10)
10:30	Brooklyn Newland (10)
10:45	Ellen Meseraull (10)
11:00	Cooper Springer (3)
11:15	Jacob Sandbothe (10)
11:30	Mason Springer (4)
11:45	Cashton Wheeler (10)
12:00	Anita Staker (10)

Seniors, Ages 14+

12:15	Jerin Cobb (10)
12:30	Kaylee Couch (5)
12:45	Jackson Brooks (1)
1:00	Abby Reaves (10)
1:15	Madison Coulter (1)
1:30	Julieona Erbe (5)
1:45	Tiffany Kuhn (7)
2:00	Kelly Newton (10)
2:15	Cadence Wheeler (10)



**Wildlife Conference
Judging Schedule
Thursday, July 25th**

We are following the State Fair rules for this department.

WILDLIFE JUDGING SCHEDULE

Number in () is exhibits you have entered.

Jr. Wildlife- 9:00 am Start Time

Naomi Black (1)
Jackson Delong (1)
Tucker Leck (1)
Jacob Sandbothe (1)

Sr. Wildlife

Abby Reaves (3)

4-H Council Meeting

The next regular meeting of the 4-H Council is scheduled for **Monday, August 26th at 7 pm** in the Courthouse Basement. State Fair Exhibits, Achievement Banquet Plans and Record Book and KAP Due Dates will be reviewed.

Financial Reports will be made from the Ice Cream Social/Financial Committee. **Busy Beavers will report on the date and location of the Achievement Banquet.**

4-H RECORD BOOK DO'S & DON'TS

As we approach the Fair the farthest thing from our minds is record books, but that should be the first thing you think about.

As we are busy cooking, sewing, cutting and pasting that craft project, and washing the pigs, take pictures. Action pictures of you doing the work are wonderful for your record book. Pictures in the show ring are nice, but most judges want to see you doing the hard part. I hope everyone has kept track of the hours spent working on those projects. An important part of your records is knowing how much time you spent in the kitchen or in the pen feeding. Remember 4-H records don't have to be hard. If I can be of help to you as you fill out your records, please give me a call.

Record Books and Kansas Awards Portfolio

At Achievement Banquet we will be giving Awards in two age groups, Junior (Age 7-13)

and Senior (Age 14-19) as of January 1, 2017 in each awards area.

The younger group will complete Record books as usual. The older group will complete the Kansas Awards Portfolio (which includes part of your record book) in order to compete for county Awards. Copies and instructions for the KAP (Kansas Awards Portfolio are in the office). This Award Application is what has to be filled out to go on to compete for Area and State Awards.

The Community Leaders or Parents Committee of your club will set the date that Record Books (age 7-13) and Kansas Awards Portfolio (age 14-18) are due. Please meet your club's deadline, as Leaders and Parent's Committee's must review the Record Books and make nominations for awards before they are turned in to the office.

If you need any help or information with Record Books or the Kansas Awards Portfolio, please let us know.

If the Senior 4-H'ers have filled out a KAP in an area they do not have to be nominated by the Community Leaders. The KAP is automatically eligible to compete for county awards so, seniors fill out KAP's in as many areas as you want to compete in for awards. But, remember you have to have a complete KAP for each award area including copies of your permanent record and personal page (we can help you with copies).