



Wilson County 4-H NEWS

(Watch email for updates, we will notify changes asap)

July/August 2020 Newsletter

July

- 3 Office Closed
- 15 State Fair Livestock Entries Due
- 17 Clothing Judging/Style Revue 8:30 am
Fredonia Methodist Church (402 N. 8th)
- 17 Public Revue 7:30 pm, Bandstand
Courthouse
- 19 County Fair Clean Up Day - 2 pm
Fairgrounds
- 20 4-H Foods Judging 4 pm, **Assembly of
God Church, Fredonia**
- 22 Wilson Co. 4-H Horse Show - 6:00 pm
- 22-26 Wilson County Fair

August

- 15 Kansas Livestock Entries Due
- 15 State Horticulture Contest
- 22-23 State Livestock Sweepstakes
- 24 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

2020 FAIR PHOTO BOOTH

Since the livestock will not be staying at the fairgrounds this year, we will NOT be able to have the photo booth. We will have the Wilson County Fair banner you can use to take pictures with.

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 13th**. 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 in a virtual contests.

Participating in the FCS contest were: Seniors-Shelby Smith(8th), Jerin Cobb(14th) and Cadence Wheeler(22nd). Intermediate- Maggie Chandler(6th), Cashton Wheeler(8th) and Silas Good(27th). Non-Competitive- Josiah Good and Damien Evans.

In Photography the Intermediate group placed as follows: Maggie Chandler(6th), Cashton Wheeler(8th) and Silas Good(27th). The Senior Division placed as follows: Shelby Smith(8th), Jerin Cobb(14th) and Cadence Wheeler(23rd).

In Favorite Foods Abby Reaves placed 20th. Also participating was Tate Duft.

Horticulture included: Intermediate- Damien Evans(13th), Jenna Meseraull(15th) and Silas Good(33rd). Crops included: Intermediate-Damien Evans(2nd), Levi Good(7th) and Silas Good(13th). Non-Competitive- Josiah Good.

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 July 6th along with members from the Wildcat District.

Meats Judging results are: Senior-Jerin Cobb, 6th place and Shelby Smith, 8th Place; Junior-Josiah Good, 15th place, Silas Good, 16th place and Levi Good, 19th Place.

Participating in Skillathon was:Seniors-Trey Newby(11th), Cadence Wheeler(3rd) and Jerin Cobb(13th). Intermediate-Damien Evans(2nd), Cashton Wheeler(3rd), Maggie Chandler(25th), Silas Good(21st), Levi Good(35th) and Josiah Good(37th).

The day finished with the Livestock Judging Contest. Participating were: Junior Division-Tayte Leck(8th) and Tucker Leck(1st) Team placed 2nd: Tayte Leck, Tucker Leck, Maggie Chandler and Jaci Falkenstein.

Senior Division-Trace Falkenstein(10th) and Katie Zwahlen(8th) Team placed 3rd- Trace Falkenstein, Katie Zwahlen, Cecilia Newby and Trinity Kuehn.



Fair Clean-Up/Snow Cone Party

Clean-Up: Sunday, July 19th, at 2:00 p.m.

REMEMBER TO BRING SUPPLIES

(This year we will have everyone help set up in buildings ONLY!)

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

For Buildings: Brooms, buckets and rags.

Clean-Up Assignments 2020:

Buildings-Lucky Horseshoe & High Prairie Pioneers

Buildings-Busy Beavers & Homebuilders

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

4-H Livestock

The Livestock Superintendents of each species and I held a discussion yesterday July 1st about the Vesicular Stomatitis Virus (VS). This is a highly contagious disease and can affect cattle, horses, sheep, goats and swine. After discussion with local veterinarians about the disease and how it is spread (nose to nose and flies) I also learned that there are active cases in Butler, Cowley, Greenwood and Sumner Counties. THE DECISION HAS BEEN MADE, THAT ALL LIVESTOCK WILL COME IN THE DAY OF SHOW AND GO HOME THE SAME DAY. THIS INCLUDES POULTRY AS WELL.

Also WILCO Vet clinic has offered to do a certificate of veterinary inspection free of charge when animals arrive, you will need to contact them about a time. This will work for the health certificate.

I know this is not what any of us want, but we feel this is the best decision we can make to protect the livestock and the livelihood of a lot of people. The awesome members of Wilson County had to do this same thing in 2007 after the big flood. It turned out to be a great fair.

Livestock can be brought in 1 and ½ hours before the show. And should be taken home as soon as possible. I know some of you will have both bucket calves and sheep/goats we would ask that you please leave animals not showing at the time in the trailer. It will be the same on Saturday if you need to bring both hogs and beef leave the cattle at the trailer. For the Premium Sale, Kim Smith offered to put together photos of each member with their animal to use at the sale (this is what we did in 2007) along with the member in the ring. Round Robin showmanship is still being discussed. I have also contacted Dale Lanham who generally puts based bid on the sheep and goats to see what we can work out for those.

Please know that this decision has not been made lightly, we know some of you have a long drive and we are sorry for that, but felt it is the best decision we could make.

Food Conference Judging

First Grace

Assembly of God Church

Monday, July 20th, 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.

******New this year! Each club will have a table to display their members food items. Each member that has a non-perishable food item should display at least one item on the table. All perishable items and other non-perishables will need a picture and a recipe to be compiled in a notebook on the table as a collection. Tables may be decorated and they will be judged by people's choice.**

() 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 II

Level II, Ages 9-11

4:00 Harlie Keller(5)
4:15 Harlow Keller(5)
4:30 Noel Eisele(5)
4:45 Tyson Pierce(2)
5:00 Jace Sandbothe(2)
5:15 Jacob Sandbothe(2)
5:30 Jack DeLong(5)
5:45 Abigail Alexander(1)
6:00 Josiah Alexander(1)
6:15 JP Batzer(3)
6:30 Dylan Adams(3)
6:45 Carleigh Compton(2)
7:00 Chloe Compton(2)
7:15 Cooper Springer(2)

Judge 2

Foods & Nutrition - Level III

Level III, Ages 12-14

4:00 Kaelyn Frankenberg(5)
4:15 Ellen Messeraull(5)
4:30 Brooklyn Newland(5)
4:45 Jenna Meseraull(5)
5:00 Shelby Smith(5)
5:15 Jill DeLong(5)
5:30 Taylor Ghramm(4)
5:45 Marisa Ghramm(3)
6:00 Brayden Bosch(4)
6:15 Cashton Wheeler(5)

Level IV, Ages 15 and up

6:30 Tiffany Kuhn(4)
6:45 Abby Reaves(5)
7:00 Cadence Wheeler(5)
7:15 Piper Essington(1)
7:30 Jordan Signer(5)

Judge 3

Foods and Nutrition Level I

Level I, Ages 7-8

4:00 Matthew Lockhart(5)
4:15 Morgan Vorhees(5)
4:30 Sam Meseraull(5)
4:45 Kinzley Evans(5)
5:00 Bella Hyler(3)
5:15 Addilyn Kuhn(4)
5:30 Kenidee Bracken(5)
5:45 Zeke Batzer(2)
6:00 Dakota Ghramm(3)
6:15 Hunter Reaves(5)

Food Preservation

All entries will be left for judging

Starts at 6:30-

Brayden Bosch(1) Cadence Wheeler(5)
Jacob Sandbothe(2) Cashton Wheeler(5)



Style Revue Schedule

Style Revue and Purchased Revue Conference Judging will be held on Friday July 17th beginning promptly at 8:30 am at the Fredonia First United Methodist Church (402 N. 8th) (this is a change from our regular location so we can practice social distancing). Please be on time. 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 – if you see a conflict, please let us know as soon as possible.

The Public Revue will be held Friday evening, July 17th at the Band Stand on the Courthouse Lawn at 7:30 p.m. Please be at the here by 7:15 dressed and ready to go. **For 2020 we will only model one outfit. We are trying to encourage social distancing.**

The public review will be posted at the church (you may select what outfit you wear). **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 13th. 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 23rd 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 - Senior

8:30 Abby Reaves(2)
8:45 Julieona Erbe(2)
9:00 Shelby Smith(3)

Clothing Construction - Junior

9:15 Matthew Lockhart(5)
9:30 Kinzley Evans(5)
9:45 Harlie Keller(1)
10:00 Addilyn Kuhn(5)

10:15 Dylan Adams(1)
10:30 Ellen Meseraull(4)
10:45 Allison Studebaker(2)
11:00 Jenna Meseraull(3)
11:15 Kaelyn Frankenbery(2)**Senior

Fiber Arts

11:30 Julieona Erbe(1)
11:45 Matthew Lockhart(2)
12:00 Aydan Weaver(1)
12:15 Naomi Black(2)

Judge 2

Constructed Style Revue

8:30 Jenna Meseraull(outfit 1)
8:40 Ellen Meseraull(outfit 1)
8:50 Addilyn Kuhn(outfit 1)
9:00 Julieona Erbe(outfit 1)
9:10 Jenna Meseraull(outfit 2)
9:20 Addilyn Kuhn(outfit 2)
9:30 Julieona Erbe(outfit 2)

Strategy-School Outfit

9:40 Orian Hamilton
9:50 Hayes Cobb
10:00 Sam Meseraull
10:10 Jacob Sandbothe
10:20 Matthew Lockhart
10:30 Cashton Wheeler

Dress Outfits

10:40 Orian Hamilton
10:50 Hayes Cobb
11:00 Sam Meseraull
11:10 Jacob Sandbothe
11:20 Cashton Wheeler

Judge 3

Jr. & Sr. Carousel School & Dress

Jr School

8:30 Kinzley Evans
8:35 Abigail Alexander
8:40 Kenidee Bracken
8:45 McKinzie Cobb
8:50 Morgan Vorhees
8:55 Aydan Weaver
9:00 Marisa Ghramm
9:05 Adilyn Kuhn
9:10 Ellen Meseraull
9:15 Jenna Meseraull

9:20 Dylan Adams

Sr School

9:25 Abby Reaves
9:30 Jerin Cobb
9:35 Taylor Ghramm
9:40 Tiffany Kuhn
9:45 Shelby Smith
9:50 Cadence Wheeler

Jr Dress

9:55 Abigail Alexander
10:00 Kenidee Bracken
10:05 McKinzie Cobb
10:10 Morgan Vorhees
10:15 Ellen Meseraull
10:20 Marisa Ghramm
10:25 Kinzley Evans
10:30 Aydan Weaver
10:35 Jenna Meseraull

Sr Dress

10:40 Abby Reaves
10:45 Jerin Cobb
10:50 Tiffany Kuhn
10:55 Shelby Smith
11:00 Cadence Wheeler



Photography Conference Judging Schedule Thursday, July 23rd

Below is the judging schedule for photography.

Each club has a time for their members to bring exhibits for judging. Please be considerate becoming 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.

If you can NOT be present, you can send your photo's with someone else.

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 – 9:45 am – Homebuilders

Dylan Adams (1) J.P Batzer(1)
Abigail Alexander(5) Anita Staker(5)
Ezekiel Batzer(1)

9:45 am – 10:00 am – High Prairie Pioneers

Garrett Engelman(5) Tiffany Kuhn(10)

10:00 am-11:30 am – Lucky Horseshoe

Hayes Cobb(5) Piper Essington(10)
Jerin Cobb(5) Harlie Keller(5)
McKinzie Cobb(5) Tayte Leck(5)
Jackson DeLong(10) Jace Sandbothe(10)
Jill DeLong(10) Jacob Sandbothe(10)
Chase Taliaferro(2) Cadence Wheeler(10)
Cashton Wheeler(10)

11:30 am - 1:00 pm – Busy Beavers

Kenidee Bracken(10) Marisa Ghramm(5)
Braxton Chaplin(4) Taylor Ghramm(3)
Carleigh Compton(2) Eli McCormick(5)
Chloe Compton(2) Kelly Newton(10)
Madison Coulter(1) Jordan Signer(10)
Hazel Estes(3) Morgan Vorhees(10)
Kinzley Evans(10) Dakota Ghramm(1)



**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. If you can NOT be present, you can send your photo's with someone else.

Judge 1 (Jr. Arts & Crafts)

Jr. Ages 7-9 Arts & Crafts

9:00 Kenidee Bracken(10)
9:15 Carleigh Compton(4)
9:30 Hunter Reaves(10)
9:45 Orian Kuhn(10)
10:00 Addilyn Kuhn(10)
10:15 Abigail Alexander(3)
10:30 Zeke Batzer(3)
10:45 JP Batzer(2)
11:00 Naomi Black(10)

11:15 Bella Hyler(5)
11:30 Hayes Cobb(5)
11:45 McKinzie Cobb(5)
12:00 Jackson DeLong(10)
12:15 Dakota Ghramm(1)
12:30 Morgan Vorhees(10)
12:45 Matthew Lockhart(10)
1:00 Eli McCormick(10)
1:15 Sam Meseraull(9)
1:30 Jace Sandbothe(10)
1:45 Tysen Pierce(5)
2:00 Kinzley Evans(2)
2:15 Allison Studebaker(10)
2:30 Harlow Keller(5)

Judge 2 (Int. & Sr. Arts & Crafts)
Int., Ages 10-13

9:00 Chloe Compton(4)
9:15 Aydan Weaver(10)
9:30 Cashton Wheeler(10)
9:45 Marisa Ghramm(5)
10:00 Ellen Meseraull(10)
10:15 Jenna Meseraull(10)
10:30 Jacob Sandbothe(10)
10:45 Dylan Adams(1)
11:00 Wyatt Erbe(9)

Seniors, Ages 14+

11:15 Taylor Ghramm(5)
11:30 Julieona Erbe(10)
11:45 Abby Reaves(10)
12:00 Cadence Wheeler(10)
12:15 Jill DeLong(10)
12:30 Tiffany Kuhn(8)
12:45 Jerin Cobb(6)
1:00 Kaylee Couch(6)
1:15 Madison Coulter(1)
1:30 Kelly Newton(10)
1:45 Shelby Smith(10)
2:00 Anita Staker(10)
2:15 Harlie Keller(5)**Intermediate



Wildlife Conference Judging Schedule Thursday, July 23rd

We are following the State Fair rules for this department.

WILDLIFE JUDGING SCHEDULE

Number in () is exhibits you have entered.

Wildlife- 9:00 am—10:30 am

Naomi Black(1)	Hunter Reaves(3)
Jackson DeLong(1)	Jacob Sandbothe(1)
Tucker Leck(1)	Aydan Weaver(1)
Abby Reaves(3)	Cashton Wheeler(1)

4-H Council Meeting

The next regular meeting of the 4-H Council is scheduled for **Monday, August 24th 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. **High Prairie Pioneers 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 three age groups, Junior (Age 7-9) , Intermediate (Age 10-13) and Senior (Age 14-19) as of January 1, 2020 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).