

The 4-H Pulse



Fayette County

November 10, 2022

Cloverbud Camp Counselor Applications

DATE / DEADLINE: Applications are due no later than **December 2, 2022, by 11:59 pm**

REQUIREMENTS: Must be a current 7th or 8th grader.

Provide two references (Non-family).

SELECTION PROCESS: Selections will take place December 15 at the Extension office. Times will be sent out following the submission deadline.

Application Link <https://go.osu.edu/2023cloverbudcounselor>



4-H Achievement Awards

4-H members, 14 and above, are encouraged to complete an Ohio 4-H Achievement form. The 2023 Achievement form is posted at: <https://ohio4h.org/awardsandscholarships>

Due to the Extension office January 19th.

This is the equivalent to the FFA Proficiency Awards for 4-H.

Family Guides

One copy, will be mailed (USPS) to each family within the 4-H Online system. Thank you to Kroger!

NEW Member & Re-Enrollment - IS OPEN

4-H enrollment deadline, is March 1st here in Fayette County, to take advantage of all 4-H opportunities including participation in Fair.

- Enroll through club (no paper enrollment forms) [Use4-H Online2.0](#)

The Help Sheets and additional information on the enrollment process can be found [HERE](#).

Market Beef Tag-In

Market Dairy & Beef Steer Tag-In will take place December 3, 2022, 9am-11am @ Beef Barn.



Market Beef EID Tags and DNA Sample Kits

The Ohio State Fair requires all market beef entered in the 2023 Ohio State Fair to have individual DNA samples taken from each animal that may potentially be entered. These DNA samples must be in the possession of the Ohio State Fair by January 15. Contact the Ohio State Fair, if you have any questions (Andi Hershey, A.Hershey@expo.ohio.gov).



Also note that youth showing at any of the BEST sanctioned shows must have EID tags in their calves prior to the first show in which they exhibit. BEST shows prior to the January 15 deadline to submit samples to OSF include: AGR Holiday Classic (December 9-11, Columbus) and Scarlet & Gray Midwest Showdown (January 6-8, Columbus).

Advisor Training

You must attend one of these trainings to be an Advisor in 2023!

Returning Advisor's

November 29, 2022, at 6:00 pm
November 30, 2022, at 6:00 pm
December 1, 2022, at 10:00 am
December 1, 2022, at 6:00 pm

New Advisors

Applications due January 3, 2023
Training January 12 at 6:00 pm



2022 Buckeye Shepherd's Symposium

December 3, 2022 | 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

OSARC Shisler Conference Center – 1680 Madison Avenue, Wooster, OH 44691

The theme of the 2022 symposium is management and marketing. Throughout the day, we will hear reflections and insights about changes in the sheep, lamb and wool industry. We will discuss management as it primarily relates to confinement/dry lot management scenarios, one of fastest growing management systems in the east. We will also hear from speakers on marketing insights of both sheep, lamb and wool. Speakers and discussions will lead to the betterment of the flock and the American Sheep Industry.

Speakers and Discussions: Dr. Eric Gordon, Dr. Brady Campbell, Susan Shultz, Dr. Richard Ehrhardt, Dr. Andrew Weaver, Roger Hunker, Garth Ruff, Sandra Morris and more...



- OSU Sheep Research Update/OSU Sheep Facility and Production Update
- Confinement/Dry Lot System Topics
 - Animal Health and Welfare
 - Facility and Design
 - Economics
 - Genetics
 - Nutrition
- Sheep and Lamb Marketing
 - Marketing – on/off farm sales
 - Online Sales
- Wool Marketing
 - Adding Value to Wool

Friday December 2, 2022: Young Shepherd's Assembly

Shepherd's 18-40 are invited to join their peers for food and drinks at the JAFB Wooster Brewery, 120 Beall Ave., Wooster, OH 44691. Pre-registration required.

Registration

The 2022 symposium will be held in-person. Registration can be done online at ofb.ag/2022symposium or by printing off the registration form and mailing it into the OSIA office address listed on the registration form. Full program information will also be available on the website. Please register by November 18.

You can also register by scanning the QR code.

There will also be a virtual/online option for the Buckeye Shepherd's Symposium.



Fayette County 4-H Fundraiser

The Fayette County 4-H Committee are selling these awesome 4-H Signs, \$40! Proceeds from this fundraiser will be put back into the program to assist youth through scholarships (senior and camping), youth who cannot afford membership dues or project books, in addition to updating the 4-H Chuckwagon that all clubs work at during the Fayette County Fair.

By purchasing one of these amazing metal 4-H signs you will be supporting a local business and the 4-H program! The signs are 13"x 14" and weigh 2lbs 8oz. They are heavy-duty, durable, and can be displayed anywhere. Whether you are a 4-H alumni of the county or a current member this sign would make a fantastic gift or keepsake to honor your time as a member or even as one of our amazing volunteers.

If your interested in purchasing your very own, please contact the Extension office 740-335-1150 or stop in and place your order today! We do ask that you pay at the time of ordering.



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Additional Resources

[Fayette County Extension Website](#)

[4-H Family Guide](#)

[Quality Assurance](#) – must be completed 45 days prior to exhibition

[Volunteers](#)

Important Dates

Returning Advisor Training – 11/29/2022 @6pm

Returning Advisor Training – 11/30/2022 @6pm

Returning Advisor Training – 12/1/2022 @10am

Returning Advisor Training – 12/1/2022 @6pm

Cloverbud Counselor Applications – 12/2/2022 @ 11:59pm

Steer Tag-In – 12/3/2022 @9am

Cloverbud Selections – 12/15/2022

New Advisor Applications Due – 1/3/2022

New Advisor Training – 1/12/2022 @6pm



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