

Weekly

4-H Word

July 5, 2019

REQUESTS FOR HELP

JUNIOR FAIR AWARD SPONSORS — We are continuing an effort to find continuing sponsors for all junior fair awards, to recognize those sponsors and to encourage our exhibitors to thank sponsors. If you know of someone—a business or individual—who would be willing to sponsor an award, please let us or a JFB member know so that we can send them a sponsorship form. The cost of one award can range from \$12 to \$35 depending on the award.

PREBLE COUNTY JUNIOR FAIR RELATED INFORMATION

RABBIT CHECK-IN DATES— A reminder that breeding and market rabbits are required to come to check in days. Mark your calendars...

Market Rabbit Check-In Friday, July 12 from 7-9 p.m. in the rabbit barn

FFA AND 4-H GENERAL LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST—There will again be a Livestock Judging Contest at the Fair open to any 4-H or FFA member. Registration begins at 8:00 a.m. in the Expo on August 1. The contest will begin at 9:00 a.m. The contest is sponsored by Farm Credit Mid-America. A flyer with more information can be found at www.preble.osu.edu.

OTHER INFORMATION

PROJECT EVALUATION/ SKILL-A-THON - It is time to sign up for livestock project book evaluation. A flyer posted at www.preble.osu.edu explains the process. Judging schedules for special interest, food and nutrition and clothing judging have been posted. If a member will not be completing a project, please let us know as soon as possible so that we can adjust schedules if needed.

A reminder that all members must complete a 4-H project evaluation.

SUMMER HOURS—Beginning now and continuing through August, we will be changing to our summer office hours

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday: 8:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m.
Wednesday: noon—4:30 p.m.
Friday: 8:30 a.m.—noon

Remember that it is never a bad idea to call ahead. During this busy time, we are out doing programs, at the fairgrounds working on Junior Fair paperwork, buying supplies etc. If you need a signature for something, please plan ahead and let us know you will be coming.

LIVESTOCK PROJECT SUPPLEMENT—The 2019 livestock project supplement is posted on our website on the project completion tab. This supplement can be used by members in the 2nd year of the project or beyond. When coming to have your project book evaluated, please bring your project book and the supplement.



HORSE PROJECT SUPPLEMENT—Horse project members should be sure that they are completing the correct requirements for project books. A summary of requirements for projects is posted on our website. A horse project supplement for Beginning Horse Management, Horse Training and Horse Nutrition. This supplement asks just a few additional questions to make project book evaluation go more smoothly. All projects except Beginning Horse Management should use #190R Equine Record Book. The Beginning Horse Management Book has record keeping pages in the book—if taking multiple years, these pages can be copied or #190R used. These documents are posted in the horse program page of our website www.preble.osu.edu.

FOR ADVISORS

FAIR WRISTBANDS — Fair wristbands are available at the Fairgrounds. Please take a list of your members when picking up the wristbands.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR EVERYONE:

JULY

9		Make-up Project Judging
12	7-9 p.m.	Market Rabbit Check In
15-19		State 4-H Junior Horse Show
15		4-H Special Interest Judging
15		Skillathon
16		Pre-Fair Foods and Clothing Judging

July 27—August 3, 2019 Preble County Junior Fair

A reminder that a complete calendar can be found at www.preble.osu.edu