

2025 Delaware County 4-H Calendar

Dates are subject to change.

For State Programs & Events, refer to the following websites:

Dairy Cattle - <https://ohio4h.org/statewide-programs/animal-sciences/dairy>

Dog - <https://ohio4h.org/statewide-programs/animal-sciences/dog>

Horse - <https://ohio4h.org/animalsciences/horse>

Livestock - <https://ohio4h.org/livestock>

Poultry - <https://ohio4h.org/animalsciences/poultry>

Rabbit - <https://ohio4h.org/statewide-programs/animal-sciences/rabbit>

Ohio 4-H Shooting Sports Training - <https://ohio4h.org/statewide-programs/ohio-4-h-shooting-sports>

Ohio 4-H Science Programs - <https://ohio4h.org/statewide-programs/4-h-science>

Ohio 4-H Statewide Camp Programs - <https://ohio4h.org/camp>

January

- 3 Junior Fair Board, Camp Counselor and County Award Applications Due in Extension Office
- 9 Delaware County 4-H Committee – 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Meeting Room A
- 4 OFMA State Jr. Fair Conference – Columbus
- 13 First Year Counselor Applicants Selection Meeting – 6:30-8:00 PM, Byxbe Campus Meeting Room A
- 15 CARTEENS – 6:30-8:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 16 Jr. Fair Board Selection Interviews – 5:30 – 7 PM, Ag Center
- 20 Extension Office Closed - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- 21 State Achievement Forms Due in County Extension Office
- 27 Animal Committee Meetings – 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 30 4-H Volunteer and Member Recognition Banquet – Ag Center, Delaware County Fairgrounds

February

- 1 4-H Kick-Off & Volunteer Training – 9:30 -11:30 AM, Extension Office
- 3 Ohio 4-H Conference Registration Due - <https://ohio4h.org/events/ohio-4-h-conference>
- 3 Camp Counselor Meeting - 7-9 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 6 4-H Kick-Off & Volunteer Training – 1:30 – 3:30, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 6 4-H Kick-Off & Volunteer Training – 6:30- 8:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 8 CARTEENS – 9:00 – 11:00 AM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 12 New Volunteer Orientation – 6:30-9 PM, Byxbe Campus Meeting Room A
- 15 Ohio 4-H Scholarship Applications due online
- 17 Camp Counselor Meeting - 7-9 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 22 4-H Committee Retreat – 9 AM to 12:30 PM, Extension Office
- 24 Animal Committee Volunteer Training – 6:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 24 Animals Committee Meetings – 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 27 Market Beef preregistration due

March

- 1 Market Beef & Dairy Steer must be in Member's Continual Care and Possession
- 1 Market Beef & Dairy Steer Weigh-in and Tagging - 8-9 AM, Delaware Co. Fairgrounds



- 2-8 Ohio 4-H Week
- 3 Camp Counselor Meeting – 7-9 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 6 4-H Committee Meeting – 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Meeting Room A
- 8 Ohio 4-H Conference – Columbus Convention Center (registration due 2/3 to county office)
- 10 Animal Committee Meeting – 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 12 CARTEENS – 6:30 – 8:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 17 Camp Counselor Meeting – 7-9 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 20 New Volunteer Orientation – 6:30-8:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Meeting Room A

April

- 1 Ohio State Fair Scholarship Application Deadline – <https://ohiostatefair.com/scholarships>
- 1 Junior Fair Board Meeting – 7-8:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 3 4-H Committee Meeting – 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Meeting Room A
- 4-5 Camp Counselor’s Workshop – 4-H Camp Ohio
- 5 Quality Assurance-**New location- Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room – 10 AM
- ~~5 Rabbit and Poultry Clinic – Merchant Building Delaware County Fairgrounds – 11AM-1PM~~
- 7 Camp Counselor Meeting - 7-9 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 12 CARTEENS – 9:00 – 11:00 AM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- ~~12 Quality Assurance – Merchant Build Delaware County Fairgrounds – 10AM~~
- ~~12 Rabbit and Poultry Clinic – Merchant Build Delaware County Fairgrounds – 11AM-1PM~~
- 15 Project Enrollments Due in 4HOnline (Hard Deadline to be fair eligible)**
- 21 Camp Counselor Meeting - 7-9 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 22 New Volunteer Orientation – 6:30-9 PM, Byxbe Campus Meeting Room A
- 28 Animal Committee Meetings – 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 28 Market Turkey Orders Due to Extension Office
- TBA TSC Paper Clover Days Start

May

- 1 4-H Committee Meeting - 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Meeting Room A
- 5 Camp Counselor Meeting - 7-9 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 6 Jr. Fair Board Meeting – 7-8:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 12 CARTEENS – 6:30 – 8:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 14 Kick-Off 4-H Volunteer Training –6:30 – 8:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 19 Animal Committee Meetings – 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 20 Quality Assurance – 6:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 26 Extension Office Closed - Memorial Day
- 28 Quality Assurance – 6:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 28 Market Turkey Pick-Up – Time TBA, Champion Feed & Pet Supply, Rt. 36/37 East, Delaware
- 29 Quality Assurance – 6:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room

June

- 1 Possession and Continual Care Deadline (Hogs, Sheep, Goats, Llama, Alpaca, Breeding Rabbits, Rabbit Fryer Brood Doe, State Fair Horses, and Breeding Poultry)
- 1 Ohio State Fair Market Exhibitor Quality Assurance Deadline
- 1 Hartford Fair Quality Assurance Deadline
- 2 Camp Counselor Meeting-7 9 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room



- 3 Junior Fair Board Meeting – 7-8:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 5 4-H Committee Meeting – 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Meeting Room A
- 5 Quality Assurance – 6:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 7 Animal ID Due to Extension Office - Mkt Lambs, Goats, Hogs, Llamas/Alpacas, OSF Horses
- 7 Animal Leases Due – Non-market Poultry, Non-market Goats, Dairy, Llamas/Alpacas, OSF Horses, Breeding Sheep
- 11 CARTEENS – 6:30 – 8:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 14-15 PAS Ohio State Fair Qualifying Shows for Horses-Delaware County Fair Grounds
- 14 Cloverbud Camp—Ag Center/Merchant Building (pre-registration required)
- 16 Camp Counselor Meeting - 7-9 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 16-18 Ohio State Fair Dog Show
- 19 Extension Office Closed – Juneteenth Holiday
- 21 Ohio State Fair Livestock, Rabbit, & Poultry Entry Deadline at 1 PM
- 23 Animal Committee Meetings – 7:00 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 23 Market Chicken & Market Duck orders due to Extension Office
- 28 Goat Showmanship Clinic – 9:30 AM, Pig & Lamb Barn, Delaware County Fairgrounds
- 30 Camp Counselor Meeting - 7-9 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- TBD Ohio 4-H Cloverbud Engineering Adventure – <https://u.osu.edu/cloverbudconnections/cloverbot-challenge>
- TBA Still Project (Clothing, Food, Gardening & Horticulture) Clinic

July

- 1 Possession and Continual Care Deadline (Delaware Co. Fair Horses, Dairy Feeders & Beef Feeders)
- 1 Delaware County Fair Quality Assurance Deadline – all livestock
- 1 EquiSTEP Deadline for all 4-H Horse Project Members
- 1 Ohio State Fair Horse Show Online Entry Deadline – 1:00 PM
- 4 Extension Office Closed - Independence Day Holiday
- 7 Animal ID Due to Extension Office (Delaware County Fair Horses, Beef & Dairy Feeders)
- 7 Camp Counselor Meeting - 7-9 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 8 Open Scales—5:30-6:30 PM, Pig and Lamb Barn
- 8 Jr. Fair Board Meeting – 7:00-8:30 PM, Ag Center, Delaware County Fairgrounds
- 9 CARTEENS – 6:30-8:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 13-17 Delaware Co. 4-H Junior Camp and Teen Camp
- 15 Possession and Continual Care Deadline for Delaware County Fair Market Rabbit Roasters
- 14-18 Ohio State Fair Junior Horse Show – Ohio Expo Center
- 19 Summer Judging and State Fair Selections – all day—Ag Center, Delaware County Fairgrounds
- 28 Animal Committees Meeting – 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 23-Aug 3 Ohio State Fair
- 23 Ohio State Fair Dog Agility Trial (all other dog OSF shows are in June this year)
- 31 Market Chicken Pick-Up – Time TBA, Champion Feed & Pet Supply, Rt. 26/37 East, Delaware

August

- 7 4-H Committee Meeting – 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Meeting Room A
- 3-9 Hartford Independent Fair
- 8 Ohio 4-H Teen Leadership Council Applications Due to State 4-H Office
- 16 CARTEENS – 9:00-11 AM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room



- 16 Dairy and Beef Feeders Tagged and Vaccinated – 8-9 AM, Beef & Dairy Barn
- 18 4-H Horse Advisors Meeting – 7 PM, Delaware County Fairgrounds
- 22 Delaware Co. Jr. Fair Entries Due in FairEntry.com by 11:59 PM (Late entries pay \$50 exhibitor fee)**
- 23 Goat Exhibitors Barn Work Day – 9 AM, Delaware Co. Fairgrounds Goat Barn
- 25 Animal Committee Meetings – 7 PM, Ag Center, Delaware Co. Fairgrounds

September

- 1 Extension Office Closed - Labor Day
- 4 Junior Fair Board Meeting – 7:00 -8:30 PM, Ag Center, Coliseum & Merchant Building
- 6 Still Exhibits Judging (Cloverbuds, Healthy Living & Home Living, Creative & Leisure Arts, STEM, and Natural Resources & Shooting Sports; Food & Clothing Judging make-up) - 9 AM - 1 PM, Ag Center Fairgrounds
- 6 Livestock Project Judging (Alpaca, Beef, Sheep, Swine, Goats, Dairy, Rabbits, Poultry, Dogs) – 9:30 AM – 1:30 PM, Ag Center, Coliseum & Merchant Building
- 6 Animal Skillathon Judging – 11 AM - 2 PM, Ag Center, Coliseum & Merchant Building
- 6 Rabbit Tattooing and Poultry Pullorum Testing – 10:00 - 1:00 PM Poultry Barn
- 8 Junior Fair Board Work Night – 6:30-9:00 PM, Delaware Co. Fairgrounds Ag Center
- 8-12 Individual Livestock Committee Work Nights – Delaware County Fairgrounds
- 13-20 Delaware County Fair
- 21 Booth Tear Down and Still Exhibit Pick-Up 9 AM – 2 PM, Ag Center, Delaware Co. Fairgrounds
- 21 Junior Fair Board Meeting – 1:30-3:00 PM, Ag Center, Delaware County Fairgrounds
- 24 CARTEENS – 6:30-8:30 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room

October

- 2 4-H Committee Meeting - 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Meeting Room A
- 18 CARTEENS – 9:00-11:00 AM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 27 Animal Committees Meeting – 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room

November

- 6 4-H Committee Meeting – 7 PM, Byxbe Campus Meeting Room A
- 11 Extension Office Closed - Veteran’s Day
- 17 CARTEENS – 9:00-11 AM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 27-28 Extension Office Closed – Thanksgiving
- TBA TSC Clover Days

December

- 1 County Achievement Forms & Club Reports Due to Extension Office
- 1 State Volunteer Award Applications and Teen Award Applications Due to State 4-H Office
- 8 Animal Committee Meetings – 7:00 PM, Extension Office
- 13 CARTEENS – 9:00 – 11:00 AM, Byxbe Campus Large Meeting Room
- 24-25 Extension Office Closed - Holiday

January 2026

- 1 Extension Office Closed - Holiday
- TBA 4-H Volunteer & Member Recognition Banquet



Other State and National 2025 Events

March 13-16	Ohio Beef Expo, Ohio Expo Center https://www.ohiobeefexpo.com
March 26 – 29	Spring Dairy Expo, Ohio Expo Center https://springdairyexpo.com
April 10-13	Equine Affaire, Ohio Expo Center https://equineaffaire.com
April 14	Ohio Youth Institute https://ohio4h.org/families/just-teens/ohio-youth-institute
May 2-4	Forestry Wildlife Conservation Camp – Canter’s Cave 4-H Camp https://ohio4h.org/camp/forestry-and-wildlife-conservation-camp
May 15	OSF 4-H Event Youth Assistant Applications Due https://ohio4h.org/families/just-teens/4heya
June 1-5	Ohio 4-H Leadership Camp - 4-H Camp Ohio https://ohio4h.org/camp/leadership-camp
June TBD	Citizenship Washington Focus https://ohio4h.org/families/just-teens/citizenship-washington-focus
June 11-14	Ohio 4-H Spark EXPO – State 4-H Center, Columbus https://ohio4h.org/workforce-development/4-h-spark-expo
July 14-18	Ohio 4-H Sea Camp – Kelleys Island 4-H Camp https://ohio4h.org/camp/sea-camp
August	Teen Leadership Council Applications Due (exact date TBA) https://ohio4h.org/families/just-teens/teen-leadership-council
September 16-18	Farm Science Review https://fsr.osu.edu
TBD	Ohio 4-H Celebration of Youth https://ohio4h.org/foundation/foundation-events/celebration-youth
Sept 27 – Oct 26	Quarter Horse Congress http://www.quarterhorsecongress.com
November 28-Dec 2	National 4-H Congress – Atlanta, Georgia

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