

## Hamilton County 4-H December 24

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Hamilton County 4-H Website: https://hamilton.unl.edu

Nebraska 4-H Website: https://4h.unl.edu

#### **Important Dates**

**December 2-** Home fo the Holiday

Kits Sign Up opens

December 9- 4-H Council Mtg

**December 18-19-**Home for the

Holiday Kit Pick Up

December 25 - Office Closed -

Christmas

**January 1 - Office Closed - New Years** 

January 6 - YQCA

January 19- Target Archery Contest

February 2 - Beef Weigh Day

#### 2025 4-H Enrollment

4-H members must re-enroll annually to maintain their membership. Returning families/members should not create a new family profile, but instead, log into their existing profile, update contact info and projects, and sign permissions.

To enroll, visit 4honline.com or scan the QR code.



### **Save The Date**

2025 Hamilton County Fair July 24th - 27th

## 2025 YQCA Certification

Mark your calendars for one of the two YQCA opportunities that will be offered in Hamilton County in 2025. The first training will be held on January 6th, 2025 from 1p.m. - 2p.m. The second training will be held on June 9th, 2025 from 6p.m. - 7p.m.

To register, scan the OR code or visit

https://go.unl.edu/yqca



Hamilton **County YQCA** will be due by June 15th, 2025!

## 2025 Special Garden Project

As you begin making plans for 2025, be sure to check out the Special Garden Project. It offers a unique introduction to plant science. Members are given seeds and guided through planting, growing, and harvesting seasons. Members can exhibit a cut flower or harvested vegetable at the fair if all goes well. Otherwise, youth can share their experience through a poster, story, or video exhibit. Next year, members will work with the GOLDIE HUSK CHERRY.

# **Hamilton County Extension**

**Office CLOSED** 

**December 25, 2024** 

January 1, 2025

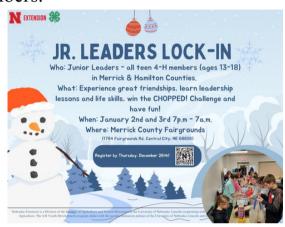
## 4-H Fed Steer Challenge

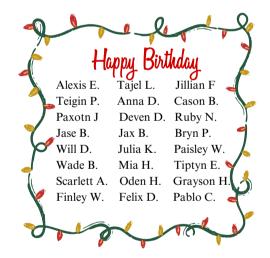
The Nebraska 4-H Fed Steer Challenge is an opportunity for youth interested in learning more about the cattle industry and is designed to cultivate the next generation of leaders in the Nebraska cattle industry. The goal of the Fed Steer Challenge is to enhance educational value of the traditional 4-H beef projects by providing an affordable option that rewards production merit and carcass value of the market animal, along with accurate and complete record-keeping, industry knowledge, and producer engagement by 4-H member. the **Applications** due Dec. 15th. are 4h.unl.edu/fed-steer-challenge





Junior Leaders is for youth enrolled in 4-H that is 4-H age 13-18. Junior Leaders allows youth to gain leadership opportunities while serving in their communities and acting as mentors and role models to other members.





#### LIVESTOCK WEIGH-IN DATES

BE SURE TO MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW FOR THE 2025 HAMILTON COUNTY 4-H LIVESTOCK WEIGH-IN DATES!



# Home For The Holiday Kits

Kits are available at no charge for youth enrolled in Hamilton County 4-H for 2024-25!

Not enrolled for 2024-25? Visit <u>4honline.com</u> and enroll today! Kits are generously sponsored by the Hamilton County 4-H Council.

A limited number of kits will be available. Sign up begins
December 2nd. Scan the QR code or visit
<a href="https://go.unl.edu/holidaykits">https://go.unl.edu/holidaykits</a>

\*All supplies will be in a prepackaged kit for you to pick up from the Extension Office December 17-18.



Magnetic Door Hanger

Gnome Succulent Pot Cherry Cheesecake Bars







Giving Plates + Cookie Mix Jars



Family Dinner: Chicken Tortilla Soup



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