



FRANKLIN COUNTY 4-H

Calendar of Events

April 24 – Public Speaking Contest, 6:30 p.m. Franklin County Fairgrounds

April 30 – Sheep and Goat Clinic, 2-4 p.m. Franklin County Fairgrounds

June 15 – 4-H Enrollment Due

June 15 – All Livestock/Horse ID Sheets Due

June 15 – Nebraska State Fair Livestock Deadline—Mark your Calendar

KIDZ KOLLEGE SESSIONS IN 2023

Kidz Kollege sessions have been held the last few months. We are planning more for May including sessions on Babysitting, Heritage and Livestock Judging. Watch for these Kidz Kollege announcements.

Youth for the Quality Care of Animals-YQCA

YQCA certification is required for all 4-H or FFA members enrolled in any of the following projects: Beef (bucket calf, feeder calf, breeding beef, market beef), Goat (breeding meat goat, dairy goat, meat goat), Sheep (breeding sheep, market sheep), Swine. YQCA is required annually.

Web-based Training can be found at https://yqcaprogram.org The online YQCA course costs \$12 per individual regardless of age.

4-H PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTEST

Our new Communications Event is coming up soon! If you haven't started on your entry get started now. The event will be held on Apri 24th at 6:30 p.m. The guidelines were in the last newsletter. It has changed a bit so check it out! New Opportunities!!

SHEEP AND GOAT CLINIC

Want to learn more about showing Sheep and Goats? Here is your chance! Attend the Sheep and Goat Clinic on April 30th at the Franklin County Fairgrounds. See the enclosed flier for more details!

PREMIER ANIMAL SCIENCE EVENTS!

The Premier Animal Science Events will be held June 21-22nd. We will once again be having a Livestock Quiz Bowl Team and Judging Team. You may also participate in Meats or Poultry Judging. Anyone 10 and older as of January 1, 2023 is eligible. Please call the office if interested.

COMMUNITY SERVICE-LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

An important part of 4-H is helping others and making the best better! SERVICE is our word for 2023. What are you doing to SERVE in 2023? We will be scheduling a work day at the Fairgrounds in the next month. Please consider helping out!

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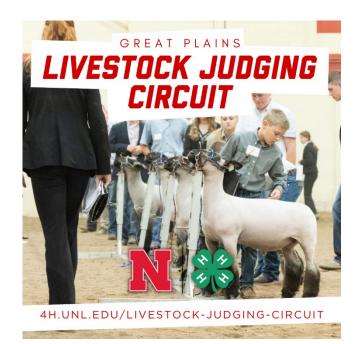
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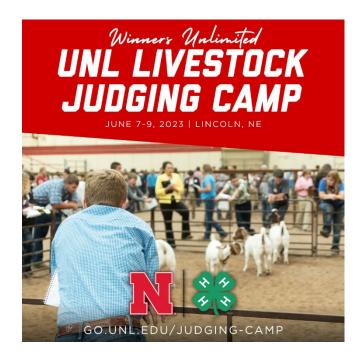
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FRANKLINCOUNTY FAIR DATES

The Franklin County Fair will be held July 5-9th Please mark your calendars!











High School students (ages 14-18)! We are inviting you to join us for the **4-H Youth Leadership Conference, June 19-21, 2023**, at Camp Comeca in Cozad, NE. *Learn more and register at*<u>4h.unl.edu/leadership-conference</u>

by June 4th to claim your spot in this amazing experience.







For more information on the Phelps County 4-H Small Animal Progress Show contact the Phelps County Extension Office at 308-995-4222