



4-H is a community of young people across America who are learning leadership, citizenship, and life skills.

Dear 4-H Volunteer:

Hi. In a recent letter from National 4-H Council this statement was made. "Our mission is simple... to grow high quality local 4-H programs and ensure that a new generation of youth has access to high quality 4-H experiences and leadership opportunities." I thought it offered something for all of us to think about this year.

As we head into the New Year, there are a lot of things to think about:

- Do you have new volunteers that need trained, if so have them get the process started **now** so they will be ready to go by enrollment.
- There will be new Enrollment forms. Read the instructions closely so you know what has changed and why.
- Dues have increased to help with costs of books since our sponsors did not quite cover the costs last year.
- Volunteer Training helps you keep up to date so members are having a good experience. See enclosed article for dates. If you did not participate in Volunteer Training in 2009, 2010 or 2011, **you need to do so in 2012.**
- New projects are listed in this newsletter.
- There will be a new department, Llamas and Alpachas at the Crawford County Fair. So if you have kids interested there will be a place to show. For more info, contact Andrea Stump. This department will be at the March 17 QA Meeting.
- Clothing Judging will move to Thursday prior to Fair with other FCS judging (Non- livestock): FCS on July 14 and Department 1 on July 16.
- Pick up Year End Packets are here for pick-up.

- Enrollment materials ready January 17
- Hand book Available after Feb. 15
- Club Volunteer Update January 31 – Need at least one volunteer per club to attend
- Registration materials for Ohio Volunteer and Teen Conferences are posted. Erie Basin EERA Volunteer Retreat on Feb 11. Coming soon

Sincerely,

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Attachments: Topics for Volunteer Retreat
 Draft 2012 Calendar (final version in Handbook)

For Volunteers

Potential New Volunteers Begin Process

Your assistance is valued in recruiting new volunteers and clubs. If parents regularly help at your 4-H club meetings or are interested in 4-H, help them become a 4-H club volunteer (advisor). Recruit them. Now is the time of the year to begin the process. This will allow everything to be done at the beginning of the club year.

- They can become a traditional club advisor or a Cloverbud club advisor.
- They could also serve 4-H Advisory Committee, Auction or Scholarship Sub-Committees, 4-H Horse Council, or become a 4-H School Enrichment volunteer.

Remember that there are several steps:

Application

References Checked

Finger Printing (Back)

Interview

Training: March 19

Acceptance (by Enrollment if possible)

Applications are available online at

<http://crawford.osu.edu>

or at OSU Extension office on the 2nd floor of the court house.

2. Volunteer Training

If you have not attended volunteer training in the last three years, **this is your year to do so.**

If meetings are not working out for you let me know there are some on-line training options.

All Volunteers are welcome at any of these

training opportunities.

Here are the potential face-to-face training dates:

Ohio Horse Volunteer Training, January 28, 9:00a.m.-3:00p.m., Columbus, OSU Horse Barn

Club Volunteer Update: January 31, 7:00 p.m., LL Level Conference Rm., Court House

EERA Volunteer Training, February 11, Watch for posting of registration materials. Many sessions are offered for all volunteers with specialty topics for new advisor Training, Cloverbud Volunteers and Horse Volunteers. It may be here in Crawford County. Let's show up in force to share our county pride in 4-H. 4-H Advisory Committee may pay part of registration.

Current Volunteer Training, February 23, 7:00 p.m., LL Conference Room, Court House

Cloverbud Volunteer Training
March 1, 6:30 p.m. Bucyrus Public Library

Ohio Volunteer Conference, March 10, Registration due in February 9. Cost \$35. 4-H Advisory Committee will pay for first six to register and \$10 of each of the rest to register. This event is concurrent with Ohio 4-H Teen Conference so you and your Teen or Club Teens could travel together. 4-H Advisory Committee is also paying \$20 of each Teen registration.

Registration materials are online or you may pick up a hard copy at OSU Extension office.

New Volunteer Training

March 19, 7:00-9:00 p.m., LL Conference Rm.
Court House

Advisory Training (at Officer Training)

March 31, 7:00 p.m., Hannah Crawford
Elementary School in North Robinson

Hope you consider taking advantage of one of these. Well informed volunteers create better experiences for 4-H members and families!!!

3. Become a 4-H Volunteer Beyond the Club

Some ways parents or advisors might get more involved . . . in 4-H:

4-H Advisory Committee: Benefit the youth of Crawford County by assisting with the operation of the 4-H program, advising 4-H Extension program staff, serving on committees, helping with fund raising, and providing guidance in educational and leadership opportunities for 4-H membership. Several 4-H Advisor, community at large (interested person from the community), and youth positions are open on 4-H Advisory Committee.

4-H Scholarship Sub-Committee raises money for 4-H Scholarships and recognizes recipients.

4-H Auction Sub-Committee plans and conducts an annual fund raiser.

4-H Horse Council provides leadership for horse program shows, skillathon, etc.

All potential adult volunteers:

- 1) Receive a position description.
- 2) Receive and complete an application. Return it to the Extension office.
- 3) Agree to and sign the volunteer a "Standards of Behavior."
- 4) Have references checked.
- 5) Complete interview (between now and February)
- 6) Have a background check completed.
- 7) Participate in Orientation

The background check is required as a precaution to protect the children served by the Ohio State University Extension. If you know someone who is interested, contact us and begin the process today! Those already advisors do not need to do this.

To volunteer for a position on 4-H Advisory Committee, Horse Council, 4-H Auction Sub-committee or 4-H Scholarship Sub-committee contact Brenda at 419-562-8731.

Club Info

4. End of Year Club Packets to Pick Up

Certificates, pins, Officer Books, and Club of Distinction Certificates Clubs still needing to pick them up are:

- Barnyard Guys and Gals
- Buckeye Stars
- Dairy Maids and Gents

Galion Blue Ribbon Achievers
Heartland 4-H
Homes Liberty Royal Lions
Liberty Leaders
Mt. Zion Buckeyes
Ridin' High
Tiro Tailors and Balers
Tailwaggers
Whetstone Go Getters

It would help us if those were claimed before the enrollment process begins.

5. Ohio 4-H Family Guides (Available)

If you want to check out what is available in 2012 stop in and get an Ohio 4-H Family Guide for yourself and/or your club members.

Some of the New Projects are:

Canning and Freezing
Dashboard Dining
Robotics 2
Make Over My Space

There are also Project Masters for:

Leadership
Clothing
Sewing

A Project Master allows members to do something not otherwise available.

Some new Self Determined Idea Starters are:

American Sign Language
Pigeons
Skateboarding
Native American Artifacts

As you can see, it will be an exciting year!

A great classroom project is Project Citizen. It has two levels designed for grades 5-8 and 9-12.

Remember, if you have teacher friends, 4-H has some other great curriculum too. Chick Quest, Weather Together, Rockets Away and more. Please feel free to have them stop in or call to see what we can offer.

6. Ohio 4-H Age Requirements

There is still some confusion about the Ohio 4-H age requirements. For 4-H eligibility age requirements are:

- 4-H Cloverbud membership begins when a child is enrolled in kindergarten and has reached age 5 as of January 1 of current 4-H year (2012).
- Membership in a traditional (project) 4-H club begins when a child is in third grade and at least 8 years old as of January 1 of the current year. (2012)
- Ohio 4-H membership ends December 31 of the year in which an individual reaches age 19.

The question is often asked my son/daughter is 8, but not yet third grade can he/she join 4-H? ... The answer is no because they must have both or be beyond the grade and age requirements. I hope this clarifies the policy for you as you answer questions.

2012 Officer and Advisor Training
Thursday, March 29th
7:00 p.m.
Hannah Crawford Elementary School

7. 2012 4-H Calendar and Handbook

The calendar will be useful as you plan your club's program. It is ready and therefore in this newsletter. The 4-H handbook still an important tool for families will be posted in mid-February.

8. Be an International Host Family

Welcome a youth from another country into your home for a month through the LABO program or IFYE. If you are interested in being a host call me for more information or contact Mary Lynn Thalheimer at the State 4-H office or ask to look at the "4-H International Programs at A Glance". Applications are due February 28, 2012.

9. 4-H WEEK: Club's Window Display

Ohio 4-H week will be March 3-10, 2012. This will be when the store windows displays or library displays will be up. Line up your window this winter and save yourself a trip. Follow up with a phone call in the late winter. Give yourself, club members, or families time to think about your theme. Don't forget there is a window display contest. Your club could win 1st place.

County News

1. Certificate Presented to TSC

National 4-H Council notified us that TSC met their Fall "Clover Campaign" Goal and asked us

to present a certificate. It is being presented to Bucyrus TSC – Store #226 in the photo below.



Pictured for the presentation are: the TSC store manager, Frank Jerger, Sarah Bell - a youth from 4-H Advisory Committee, and myself.

Frank is interested in having youth in the Store during the Spring "Clover Campaign." May 2-13, 2012. He said that clubs can do fund raisers: bake sales, car washes, etc. or do demos to share about their projects, possibly even, manned petting zoo in the parking lot for a day. Clovers should sell better with 4-H help through member visibility. 60% of what they earn comes to us; the other 40% goes to National 4-H. If your club has an idea, he is open to ideas. Contact him to schedule at 419-562-0344.

Crawford County Jr. Fair

10. Dollar Benefits from Jr. Fair

Buyers invested over \$436,091 in the leaders of tomorrow, our youth, at our Jr. Fair sale. The Sr. Fair Board paid out over \$14,400 in premiums, ribbons, trophies, monetary awards and judges for Jr. Fair participants and 4-H clubs. Now that is belief in youth!

11. 2012 Crawford Co. Fair (Tentative Dates)

Sr. Fair has approved Sunday, July 15 - Saturday, July 21 for 2012 Fair. State approval has not been given yet but is expected.

12. Quality Assurance Dates Set

Quality Assurance dates for 2012 have been set.

They are:

Saturday, March 17, 2012

9:00-10:30 a.m.

Youth Building, Crawford Co. Fairgrounds

Wednesday, March 28, 2012

6:30-8:00 p.m.

Youth Building, Crawford Co. Fairgrounds

Monday, April 30, 2012

7:00-8:30 p.m.

Youth Building, Crawford Co. Fairgrounds

13. 2012 Livestock Skillathon Date

The Jr. Fair Livestock Committee the date for skillathon ... Saturday, July 7, 2012



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2012 Erie Basin Volunteer Retreat Break-out Sessions

February 11, 2012

Time Slot	Horse	Livestock	Cloverbuds	Teen	Club Management	Other
9:45 a.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * <i>New rule book</i> * <i>New classes</i> * <i>Broaden experiences beyond riding</i> 	<p>Paul Kuber</p> <p><i>Animal welfare: Going beyond quality assurance</i></p>	<p>Scott Scheer</p> <p><i>Policies and brainstorming ideas for Cloverbuds (match with critical elements)</i></p>	<p>Jayne & Jenny</p> <p><i>Recreation in Small Spaces</i></p>	<p>Bonnie Malone</p> <p><i>Parliamentary Procedure</i></p>	<p>Brenda Young & Angie Holmes</p> <p><i>New Volunteer Training</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">↓</p>
10:45 a.m.	<p>Masa Alman</p> <p><i>Bits & Body Scoring</i></p>	<p>Paul Kuber</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * <i>Educational opps</i> * <i>Progress w/ skillathons</i> * <i>Future livestock curriculum</i> * <i>Opps at state fair</i> 	<p style="text-align: center;">↓</p> <p>Scott Scheer</p> <p>continues</p>	<p>Sherry Nickles</p> <p><i>Character vs. reputation</i></p> <p><i>(pillars of character)</i></p>	<p>Vicki Schwartz</p> <p><i>4-H Club State Policy Requirements (EIN, charter, reporting funds)</i></p>	<p><i>New Volunteer Training continued</i></p>
1:00 p.m.	<p>Bonnie Malone</p> <p><i>Assisted classes; therapeutic riding & services</i></p>		<p>Gwen Soule</p> <p><i>Cloverbud kits and other resources</i></p>	<p>Jayne Roth</p> <p><i>Opportunities for Older Youth</i></p>	<p>Vicki Schwartz</p> <p><i>Building an Effective Club Program</i></p>	<p>Judy Villard Overocker</p> <p><i>Etiquette & Sportsmanship</i></p> <p><i>(club lesson plans)</i></p>
2:00 p.m.	<p>Angie Holmes</p> <p><i>Round table: county horse educational opportunities</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Other</p> <hr style="width: 20%; margin: auto;"/> <p style="text-align: center;">Donna Green</p> <p><i>MyPlate and State Opps</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Other</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ann Golden</p> <p><i>Special Needs Programming</i></p>	<p>Gwen Soule</p> <p><i>Social Networks: "Think before you type"</i></p>	<p>Kathy Booher</p> <p><i>Managing the Club Madness</i></p>	<p>Dave Crawford</p> <p><i>Becoming a Key Leader/Middle Manager</i></p>

**DRAFT 2012 Calendar
(not final)**

Note:

Complete Version of the Calendar will be in the Crawford County 4-H Family Handbook and on the web. This is just to give you an idea of JFB and Camp Counselors and Volunteer Training dates as you plan.

January 2012

- Market Barrows/Gilts must be born on/after date to be eligible for Crawford County Fair
- 3 4-H Advisory Committee 7:00 p.m. – Lower Level Conference Room
 - 4 4-H Horse Council – 6:30 p.m.
 - 7 Fair Manager’s Conference – Jr. Fair Day - Columbus
 - 8 Camp Counselor Selection – 1:30 p.m. 5:30 p.m. – Youth Building
 - 9 Jr. Fair Board- 7:00 p.m.– Lower Level Conference Room
 - 16 Holiday - OSU Extension Office Closed
 - 17 State Award Applications - Due at OSU Extension office: State 4-H Ambassador, State 4-H Achievement, Ohio 4-H Teen Council Applications, Ohio 4-H Ambassador Applications and State 4-H Scholarship
 - TBA Ohio 4-H Dog Judges Seminar Registration Due - (All day event)
 - 18 Livestock Committee, 7:30 p.m., LL Conference Room
 - 23 Camp Counselor Training, 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m., - Lower Level Conference Room
 - 25 Senior Fair Board Meeting – Secretary’s Office, Fairgrounds, 7:30 p.m.
 - 30 Jr. Fair Board- 7:00 p.m. – Lower Level Conference Room
 - 28 4-H Horse Advisor/Volunteer Training Session Columbus (TENATIVE)
 - 31 Required Club Update (All Clubs represented) 7:00 p.m. - LL Conf. Room

February 2012

- 1 4-H Horse Council -7:00 p.m.
- TBA Ohio 4-H Dog Judges Seminar – (All day event)
- TBA Ohio State University’s Horseman’s Association Clinic – OSU Horse Barn, Columbus
- 6 Brenda Out of Office for State 4-H In-Service
- 7 4-H Advisory Committee Meeting – 7 p.m. – Lower Level
- 8 Camp Counselor Training – 6:30 p.m. LL Conference Room, Court House

- 10 Registration for Ohio 4-H Volunteer Conference and Teen Conference Due Feb. 9
- 11 ERRA Volunteer Retreat, 9:15 a.m.- 3:30 p.m. – Erie County. Location to be Determined
- 17 Hippology and Horse Judging Clinic – OSU Horse Barn, Columbus
- 17-18 MXC Statewide 4-H Camp Counselor Training @ State 4-H Center in Columbus
- TBA Plowboy Prom – 4-H Center
- 20 Jr. Fair Board- 7:00 p.m. – Lower Level Conference Room
- 22 Livestock Committee, 7:30 p.m., LL Conference Room
- 23 Current Volunteer Workshop – 7:00 p.m.
- 28 Camp Counselor Training – 6:30 8:30 p.m.- LL Conference Room
- 28 State 4-H Camp Counselor Applications Due
- 28 International Host Family Applications due
- 29 Senior Fair Board Meeting – Secretary’s Office, Fairgrounds, 7:30 p.m.

March 2012

- 1 Cloverbud Volunteer Training — 6:30 p.m.- 8:30 pm – Lower Level Conference Room
- 3 4-H PetPALS Volunteer Leader Training Registration due Feb. 17. Cost \$30.00
- 3 State 4-H Horse Clinic – OSU Horse Barn, Columbus
Dairy Beef Tag Day
Suggested Hatch Week for Turkeys
Suggested Hatch Week for Pullets
- 6 4-H Advisory Committee Meeting – 6:30 p.m. Lower Level Conference Rm., Courthouse
- 7 4-H Horse Council - Galion – 6:30 p.m.
- 8 Camp Counselor Training, 6:30-8:30 p.m. – Lower Level, Conference Room
- 4-10 OHIO 4 H WEEK (Club Window Displays up on 5th)
- 10 Cloverbud Volunteer Training — 6:30 p.m.-8:00 pm – Lower Level Conference Room
- 10 Ohio 4-H Volunteer Conference & Teen Conference – Columbus Convention Center

- 13 Jr. Fair Board - 7:00 p.m. – Lower Level Conference Room
- 16 -18 OHIO BEEF EXPO – Ohio Expo Center
- 17 Quality Assurance – Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Youth Bldg. TEST OUT @ End
- 18 OHIO BEEF EXPO Judging Contest (Jr. & Sr. Youth Divisions) - Ohio Expo Center
- 19 New Volunteer Training, 7:00 p.m., LL Conference Room, Court House
- 21 Livestock Committee – 7:30 p.m., LL Conference Rm. Court House
- 22 Cloverbud Fun Day Planning- 6:30 -7:30 pm

- 27 Camp Counselor Training, 6:30-8:30 p.m. – Lower Level, Conference Room
- 28- April 1 Buckeye Leadership Workshop, TBA 4-H Youth Poultry Clinic – Fisher Auditorium in Wooster
- 28 Quality Assurance –6:30 p.m.- 8:30 p.m. Youth Building – TEST OUT @ End
- 28 Senior Fair Board Meeting – Secretary’s Office, Fairgrounds, 7:30 p.m
- 29 Officer and Advisor Training – Col. Crawford
- 31 State Horse Bowl Contest – Columbus

April 2012

- 1 4-H Enrollment DUE
- 1 Registration Due for Ohio Shooting Sports Volunteer Workshop
- 2 Jr. Fair Board - 7:00 p.m. – Lower Level Conference Room
- 3 4-H Advisory Committee Meeting – 7 p.m. – Lower Level Conference Room, Courthouse
- 4 Horse Council – Galion – 6:30 p.m. Equine Affair
- 13 Pre-registration due for 4-H Dog Expo
- 16 Camp Counselor Training, 6:30-8:30 p.m. – Lower Level, Conference Room
- 15 4-H Enrollment Changes/Enrollment Fees DUE
- 15-17 Global Youth Service Days (www.ysa.org/nysd/)
- TBA National Volunteer Week
- 18 Livestock Committee -7:30 p.m., LL Conf. Room
- ? Dairy Beef calves castrated (testicles must be removed by open castration), dehorned, vaccinated, and obtain health papers.
- 21 Ohio 4-H Dog Expo – OSU, Columbus
- 21-22 Camp Counselor Training/work weekend @ Kelleys Island

- 23 Jr. Fair Board - 7:00 p.m. – Lower Level Conference Room
- 25 Cloverbud FUN Day Planning – 6:00 p.m. LL Conference Rm.
- 25 Senior Fair Board Meeting – Secretary’s Office, Fairgrounds, 8:00 p.m.
- 30 Quality Assurance (QA) 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. Youth Building –TEST OUT @ end

May 2012

- TBA National Join Hands Day: Youth and Adults Volunteering Together
- ? Rabbits born to be eligible - Jr. Fair competition
- 1 4-H Advisory Committee Meeting – 7 p.m. – Lower Level Conference Room, Courthouse
- 2 4-H Horse Council – 6:30 p.m.
- 3 Camp Counselor Training, 6:30p.m.-8:30p.m.
- 4-6 Ohio Shooting Sports Volunteer Training
- 12 Market Goat Tagging, Fairgrounds – 8:00 am – 9:30 am – Fairgrounds
- 12 Market Lamb Tagging, Fairgrounds 8:00 – 9:30 a.m -- Fairgrounds
- 5 Market Barrows/Gilts must be in exhibitor’s possession by this date
- ? Hatch Week for Roaster Class - Chicks must be purchased from Eagle Nest Poultry
- 10 Dog Fair Entries Due
- 7 Swine Ear Notch identification forms due to Extension Office. State 4-H Space Adventure Camp registration due
- ? Dairy Beef calves castrated, dehorned, vaccinated, and obtain health papers by this date.
- ? Ohio 4-H Host Family Applications Due
- 14 Jr. Fair Board - 7:00 p.m. – Lower Level Conference Room
- 16 Camp Counselors Training – 6:30p.m.-8:30p.m. LL Conference Room, C.H.
- 25 Senior Fair Board Meeting – Secretary’s Office, Fairgrounds, 8:00 p.m.
- 28 Holiday: Extension Office Closed
- 31 Camp Counselors Training – 6:30p.m.-8:00p.m. LL Conference Room, C.H.
- ? Hatch Week for Broiler Class - Chicks must be purchased from Eagle Nest Poultry
- 31 Crawford County 4-H Camp Registration DUE without late fee

June 2012

- 1 Crawford Co. 4-H Scholarship Applications DUE

- 4 Jr. Fair Board – 6:00 p.m. Business -7:00 p.m.
Work Meeting– Lower Level Conf. Rm.
- 5 4-H Advisory Committee Meeting – 7 p.m. – Lower
Level Conference Room, Courthouse
- 6 4-H Horse Council –Horse Arena – 6:30 p.m.
- ? Ohio 4-H Conservation Camp (ages 8-14) @ Camp
Palmer
- 8 Final Date for Payment for 4-H Camp-Last Day to
Register for Camp even with Late Fee
- 8 Dog Vaccinations Done between 9/1/11 and
before 6/8/12 (Kept current)
- 12 Camp Counselor Workday -1:30 - 6:30 p.m
Youth Building
- TBA Ohio Special Needs Camp– Canters Cave
- ? BF Tagging
- 11 Youth Horse Judging Clinic–OSU Horse Barn
- 13 Livestock Committee- 7:30 p.m. Youth Building
Ohio Forestry & Wildlife Conservation Camp
State 4-H Hippology Contest– OSU Horse Barn
Space Adventure Camp – Marietta College
- 20 Jr. Fair King, Queen, Prince, Princess Applications
due to OSU Extension Office
- 20 Crawford County Jr. Fair Livestock Entries Due –
OSU Extension – Includes Rabbits. (must identify
animal to member) NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED
- 20 Style Review, Demonstrations, Favorite Foods,
Speech entries due to Extension Office
- 20 Ohio State Junior Fair Livestock Entry Deadline –
Columbus (including Rabbits and Poultry) Must be
signed by advisor & educator
- ? Crawford County Horse Skillathon, 6:30 p.m.
- 22-25 Crawford Co. 4-H Camp @ Kelleys Island
- 23 Ohio Dog Bowl Contest – Deadline May 25
- ? 4-H Day at Cedar Point
- 27 Sr. Fair Board –8:00 p.m -Secretaries office
- ? PAS Horse Show – 5:30 p.m.
- 27 Senior Fair Board Meeting – Secretary’s Office,
Fairgrounds, 8:00 p.m.
- 28 Cloverbud Fun Day , Youth Building
- 29-July 1 Ohio 4-H Shooting Education Camp (ages9-
12) Elizabeth L. Evans Outdoor Education

July 2012

- 1 Ohio State Fair Scholarship Applications
Due to Ohio State Fair
- 2 Writing Projects due to OSU Extension Office for
Judges early Review (Creative Writing, Writing &
Reporting For Teens)
- July 1-7 Citizenship Washington Focus
- TBA Gardening Judging (between July 1 and Fair)

- 2 Junior Fair Board Work Day -9 a.m.- 1 p.m., Junior
Fair Board Office
- 4 Office Closed Independence Day
- TBA 4-H Horse Council - 7:00 p.m.
- 7 Livestock Skillathon – Arena (8-10a.m.)
- 9 OSF Horse Show Registration Due by noon
- 9 Jr. Fair Bd. Workday -9 a.m.- 1 p.m., JFB Office
- 9 Royalty Preliminary Interviews, Lower Level
Conference Room, Courthouse
- 11 Ohio State Fair Companion Animal Entry Deadline
(Cats, Gerbils, Dog, Dog Posters, Drill
Team and Pets)
- TBA (July8?) Camp Counselor Wrap Up meeting
- 11 Livestock Committee, 7:00 p.m. – Arena
- 11 Senior Fair Board Meeting –Youth Bldg.
Fairgrounds, 8:00 p.m.
- 12 4-H Advisory Committee Wall– 6:30 p.m.
- 12 4-H Family Consumer Science Projects,
Miscellaneous Projects and Clothing Project
Judging - 9 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., Youth Building
- 13-17 Ohio 4-H Sea Camp – Kelleys Island
- 14 Department 1 Judging, 9 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., Youth
Building
- 15-21 CRAWFORD COUNTY FAIR
- 15 Style Show (5:00 p.m.)- Youth Building
- 15 4-H Non-Livestock Awards Program- 6:00 p.m.
Youth Building
- 15 Jr. Fair Royalty Pageant – 7:30 p.m.
- 15-20 Ohio 4-H Shooting Education Camp (age12-
18) - Elizabeth L. Evans Outdoor Education
Center
- 21 Junior Fair Livestock Sale
- 23-25 OSF 4-H Horse Show
- 25 Ohio Horse Judging Contest
- 25 – Aug. 5 OHIO STATE FAIR
- 26 Brenda - OSF Home Decorating Day
- 28 – Aug. 2 OSF Jr. Fair Dog Show

August 2012

- 7 4-H Advisory Committee Meeting – 7 p.m. Lower
Level Conference Room, Courthouse
- 11 OSF Horse Public Speaking Contest
- TBA (Aug. 12?) FB Wrap Up meeting, ??????
- 8-12 State 4 H Leadership Camp, Camp Ohio
Operation Military Kids Camp – Kelleys Island
and Camp Patmos

September 2012

- 3 Office Closed Labor Day

- 4 Club of Distinction Forms, Secretary/Treasurer, Historian Books Due
- 4 4-H Advisory Committee Meeting – 7 p.m. Lower Level Conference Room, Courthouse
- 5 4-H Horse Council – 7:00 p.m. – Horse Arena
- 12 Livestock Committee – 7:30 p.m., LL Conf. Rm.
- 15 Ohio 4-H Horse Competitive Trail Ride
- 29 State 4-H Horse Groom and Clean Contest - Buckeye Ranch - Grove City

October 2012

- 1 Club Reports Due – Volunteer Hours and Community Service
- 1 State 4-H Horse Photography Contest
- 2 4-H Advisory Committee Meeting – 7 p.m. – Lower Level Conference Room, Courthouse
- 3 4-H Horse Council – 7:00 p.m. – Galion
- 7-13 National 4 H Week
- 5-28 Quarter Horse Congress
- TBA North Central Regional 4-H Leader Forum
- 22 Make A Difference Day
- 21-25 National Association Extension 4-H Agents – Annual Meeting
- 26-28 Ohio 4-H Shooting Sports Volunteer Training

November 2012

- 6 4-H Advisory Committee Meeting – 7 p.m. Location to be determined
- 7 4-H Horse Council – 7:00 p.m. – Galion
- TBA 4-H Dinner & Auction – Youth Building
- 12 Office Closed Veterans Day
- TBA National Family Volunteer Day
- 22-23 Office Closed Thanksgiving

December 2012

- 1 Ohio Volunteer Awards Nominations Due
Nominate A Volunteer for State Awards
- 2 Trips, Camp Counselors and Jr. Fair Board
- 4 4-H Advisory Committee Meeting – 7 p.m. – Lower Level Conference Room, Courthouse
- 7 Teen Opportunity Application due for Award
- 7-9 Carving New Ideas Camp Ohio
- 24-25 Office Closed – Christmas Holiday

To Be Announced

- ☐ Teen Opportunity Interviews
- ☐ Junior Fair Board Interviews
- ☐ Camp Counselor Interviews