

# K-State Research and Extension - Wilson County



## 4-H NEWS

### Calendar of Events

#### February/March/April Newsletter

##### February

- 1 Kansas 4-H Scholarship Applications Due- State Office by 5:00 pm
- 6 4-H Project Add/Drop Deadline
- 18 County Club Day, 2:00 pm/Soup Supper, 5:30 pm- North Lawn, Neodesha
- 19-20 Citizenship In Action
- 20 President's Day - Ext. Office Closed
- 25 Beef Tag Day - Fairgrounds
- 26 Livestock Club Meeting - 2:00 pm

##### March

- 1 KAP's - Area Finalists due in the State 4-H Office
- 4 Regional Club Day - Chanute High School
- 11 2017 Kansas Jr. Swine Day-Manhattan
- 25 2017 Kansas Jr. Goat Day-Manhattan
- 25 Wilson Co. Spring Beef Show
- 27 4-H Council Meeting - 7:00 pm

##### April

- 1 4-H Dinner/Auction Fund Raiser-Fredonia High School, 6:00 pm
- 15 4-H Discovery Days Registration Due
- 29 State Spring Shooting Sports Match

##### May

- 1 New member deadline to exhibit at fair
- 1 Horse Identification Papers Due
- 1 Wichita/Hutchinson Steers & Market Heifers Tagged
- 5&6 Tag Day-County Fairgrounds **All Market Hogs, Lambs, Goats & Bucket Calves must be weighed and tagged**
- 6 Livestock Judging Contest - 1:00 pm
- 22 4-H Council Meeting-7:00 pm
- 30-June 2 Discovery Days-Manhattan

##### June

- 6&7 or 7&8 County Camp - Overnight at **Greenbush - Watch for more information on this.**
- 11 Livestock Fitting & Showing Workshop - 2:00 pm, Fairgrounds
- 13 Wilson Co. Favorite Food Show
- 15 Wichita/Hutchinson tag deadline
- ?? State Geology Tours
- 16-26 Citizenship Washington Focus Trip
- 17 Multi-County Dog Show- Wilson Co. Fairgrounds (WL,EK,GW,MG)
- 20 Area Horticulture/Crops/Photography Judging/FCS/Favorite Food Show
- 24-27 County 4-H Camp - Rock Springs
- 29 Meats/Livestock Skillathon-Yates Center
- 27-30 Campference
- 30 All 4-H entries and all livestock Fair entries due

### Area Award Application Screening

Wilson County 4-H'ers, Abigale Reaves, Bryce Signer and Clifford Hershberger had KAP applications in competition at the SE Area Award Application Screening on January 20th. Even though no Wilson County KAP's were chosen to advance to the State Judging, we congratulate them. We are proud of the hard work and accomplishments they had in their project areas this past year.

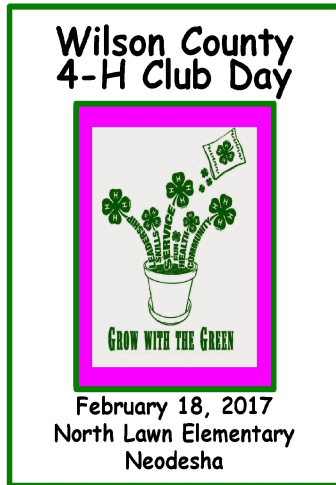
### Project Leader List Reminder

Project Leader Lists are needed from clubs. If your club has not turned in their list please do so as soon as possible.

## County Wide Project Meetings

County-wide Project Leaders please give us a copy of your scheduled meetings for the year so that we can print them in the next newsletter.

We are also willing to send out reminders by email if you would like us to.



### Club Day Schedule

Club Day begins at 2:00 pm at **North Lawn Elementary in Neodesha** on Saturday, February 18th. Those that qualify for Regional Club Day need to let Cheri know if they plan on going to

regionals. Please do this as soon as possible after the Club Day results are announced, as our regional entries need to be turned in right away. Regional Club Day is scheduled for March 4th at Chanute High School.

### THERE WILL BE NO HOME ROOMS!

All music numbers need to present the judge with an original sheet of music. It is illegal to photocopy copyrighted material without the author's permission. (Be sure to collect the judge's copy before you go home!)

In Public Speaking remember the judge needs an outline.

### Clubs please bring EASELS to events listed.

Model Meeting - Busy Beavers

Public Speaking/Project Talks - High Prairie

Demonstrations - Lucky Horseshoe

*We have tried our best to work with scheduling. Because some members are in several events some of the scheduling runs close. All of the event rooms will do their best to work with you - check with them on any problems you may be*

*having. Please be considerate and let us know of any cancellations as soon as possible in the Extension Office or let the door monitor of your scheduled event know first thing Club Day.*



### MODEL MEETINGS

- 2:00 Lucky Horseshoe
- 2:30 Busy Beavers
- 3:00 Homebuilders
- 3:30 High Prairie Pioneers

### TALENT & DANCE

Club in charge: Busy Beavers



#### Readings - Jr.

- 2:30 Cashton Wheeler
- 2:35 Tayte Leck
- 2:40 Tucker Leck
- 2:45 Emma Savage

#### Readings - Int.

- 3:00 Tiffany Kuhn
- 3:05 Piper Essington
- 3:10 Cadence Wheeler
- 3:15 Jerin Cobb

#### Readings - Sr.

- 3:20 Hannah Drybread
- 3:25 Austin Hobbs
- 3:30 Clara Hibbard

#### Skits

- 3:40 Homebuilders

#### Readings - Sr. Continued

- 4:15 Abigale Reaves

**SR DEMOS &  
ILLUSTRATED TALKS  
14 & OVER  
PROJECT TALKS  
7-12 YRS**



Club in Charge: Lucky Horseshoe

Sr. Demos & Illustrated Talks (14 & Over)

2:00 Jordan Corley  
2:15 Camden Hobbs  
2:30 Austin Hobbs  
2:45 Kaleb Catterson  
3:15 Sierra Eaton  
3:30 John Reese  
3:45 Clifford Hershberger  
4:00 Abigale Reaves

Project Talks

4:15 Elijah Cunningham  
4:25 Wyatt Erbe  
4:35 Cashton Wheeler  
4:45 Mason Springer  
4:55 Rosetta Catterson

**INT DEMOS &  
ILLUSTRATED TALKS, 10-13 Yrs  
JR DEMOS &  
ILLUSTRATED TALKS 7-9 Yrs  
PUBLIC SPEAKING 13 & OVER  
SHOW & SHARE**

Club in Charge: Homebuilders

Int. Demos & Illustrated Talks (10-13)

2:00 Shelby Smith  
2:10 Anita Staker & Shawn Hawley  
2:20 Kaelyn Frankenbery  
2:30 Julieona Erbe  
2:40 Cadence Wheeler  
2:50 Jerin Cobb

Jr. Demos & Illustrated Talks (7-9 Years)

3:00 Rosetta Catterson  
3:10 Cashton Wheeler  
3:20 Cooper Springer

Public Speaking

3:30 Julie Sherrod  
3:45 Cadence Wheeler  
4:00 Jadin Reese

Show & Share

4:15 Ayden Weaver

**VOCAL & INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC**

Club in charge: High Prairie Pioneers

Vocal Solo - Jr.

2:00 Anita Staker  
2:10 Tiffany Kuhn

Vocal Solo-Sr.

2:20 Maria Kimzey  
2:30 Cadence Wheeler

Vocal Ensemble

2:40 Lucky Horseshoe

Instrumental Ensemble

2:50 Piper Essington & Jill DeLong

Instrumental Solo - Jr. (7-12)

3:00 Elijah Cunningham  
3:05 Piper Essington - Piano  
3:10 Tayte Leck  
3:15 Mason Springer  
3:20 Tiffany Kuhn  
3:25 Tucker Leck  
3:30 Anita Staker  
3:35 Noel Eisele  
3:40 Piper Essington - Violin

Instrumental Solo - Sr. (13 and Over)

3:45 Julie Sherrod  
3:50 Julieona Erbe  
4:00 Erin Drybread  
4:05 Kaleb Catterson  
4:10 Cadence Wheeler

## Community Club Day Soup Supper

The Club Day Soup Supper will be held following Club Day events at **approximately 5:30 pm**. Busy Beavers are in charge this year. Each club should bring 6 crock pots (or equivalent) of soup and 6 dozen cookies. All clubs will be asked to help with set up and clean up. Be sure to invite friends, family and 4-H supporters to come share the evening with us.

4-H members will be asked to share their Club Day presentations with the audience that evening.

## 4-H Council Fundraiser Dinner/Auction



The 4-H Council Fundraiser Dinner and Auction has been scheduled for **Saturday, April 1st, 6:00 pm at the Fredonia High School**. Homebuilders is in charge of the event this year.

Springer Family Foods will be donating a hog (**THANK YOU to the Springer family!**) for a pulled pork dinner. High Prairie Pioneers will be in charge of potatoes, Busy Beavers will do coleslaw and Lucky Horseshoe will do baked beans.

Clubs will be asked to provide a minimum of 2 silent auction and 2 live auction items. 4-H members and families should be thinking about what they might be able to donate or collect for the auction.

Please remember funds from the dinner and auction are used to purchase fair trophies, help with 4-H trips and activities and also help with expenses for events including building rentals, Achievement Banquet, Club Day ribbons etc. All donations to help with this fundraiser are appreciated!

We will be sending out more information about the Auction/Dinner soon.

## Discovery Days

Discovery Days will be held May 30 - June 2nd. At this time we do not have full details or registration costs. If you are interested in attending Discovery Days please contact the office and we will make sure you get the full information when it is available or watch the State 4-H website for details.

## Regional Club Days

Regional Club Days are scheduled for Saturday, March 4th at the Chanute High School. If you qualify at County Club Days, please let us know that day if you are planning to compete on the 4th of March.



## 4-H Council

The next 4-H Council Meeting will be held on **March 27th** in the Courthouse Basement. **All** Council Representatives should attend or find an alternate to come in your place.

## Judging Contests & Spring Shows

There will be several judging contests, sales, field days and shows coming up this spring. This includes everything from Family and Consumer Science contests to horticulture, etc. We keep a file of these in the office and try to forward flyers by email. We would appreciate the community leaders announcing these at club meetings or contacting project leaders so they can reach interested youth. If there is enough interest we will try to attend some contests.

## Livestock Club Meeting Sunday, February 26th

The second Livestock Club Meeting will be held Sunday, February 26th at 2:00 pm in the Courthouse Basement.

**Remember, you must attend 2 out of the 4 meetings to sell your livestock at the premium sale at the fair.**

## Wilson Co. Spring Beef Show

The Spring Beef Show will start at 8:00 am on **Saturday, March 25th** with weigh in and the show starting at 10:00 am. All members with steers or heifers are encouraged to participate.

## Market Beef Tag Day

All market beef steers and market heifers that you plan to show at the county fair must be weighed and tagged on **February 25th**. Cheri will tag from 9:00 until 11:00 am at the fairgrounds. Breeding stock does not need to be tagged. Tags will cost \$3.75 each.

## Tag Day

Livestock Tag Day for **all market hogs, lambs, goats & bucket calves will be held on Saturday, May 6th, 9:00 am - 11:00 am.** *Cheri will tag by appointment only on Friday May 5th*. Please call the Extension Office to set up an appointment with her if you want to tag on Friday. Tags will cost \$3.00 each.

## Wilson County Livestock Judging Contest

The Wilson County Livestock Judging Contest will be held **Saturday afternoon May 6th** following tag day. Registration will begin at 1:00 pm. I will be contacting members about bringing animals.

## Wilson County Extension Board 4-H Fund Raising Policy



The Wilson County Extension Board approves fund raising for any 4-H activity, but all fund raising must be approved by the 4-H Council and all funds raised must be divided equally among participants. Also, all funds donated must be collected by 4-H Council and distributed by the 4-H Council.

The Wilson County Extension Board encourages the 4-H Council to pursue fund raising tied to public speaking for other organizations (ie. ask other organizations for donations in exchange for providing an oral presentation for that organization after returning from a trip.)

Be sure to contact the Extension Office and follow the above rules before attempting any individual fund raising activities!

