

Livingston Livewire

June 2026

The Countdown has Started!

Hemlock Fair is Almost Here!

And We Are Excited!!

IMPORTANT PRE-FAIR DATES

June 2nd

Rabbit & Cavy Showmanship Clinic

June 10th

Poultry Showmanship Clinic

June 17th

Let's Tie Dye!

June 22nd

Fair Entries Due

July 9th

Pullorum Testing (*NEW DATE*)

July 12th

Market Poultry Show

July 14th

Large Animal Barn Set Up

IMPORTANT FAIR DATES

July 19th

Building Exhibit Judging Day

July 20th

Animals Move In (Small Animals in place by 8:30pm)

July 21st

Animals Move In (Large Animals in place by 12pm)

Animal Exhibitors Meeting (Non-Horse)

PINY Contest

4-H Social Event - All LivCo 4-H Members Welcome!!

July 22nd & 23rd

Public Presentations

July 24th

Cupcake Showdown

July 25th

Market Animal Auction

Animals Released (8pm & 7/20 by 12pm)

Exhibit Building Pick Up (8pm & 7/26 10am-12pm)

Questions? Let us know! We would love to help!
Let's make this the best year yet!!



Calendar of Events



DATE	TIME	EVENT
June 1		Livestock Non-Ownership Forms Due
June 1		Horse Paperwork Due
June 2	6pm	Rabbit & Cavy Showmanship Clinic (Chip Holt Nature Center)
June 3	5pm	Bucket Brigade (Werner Greenhouse)
June 9	4pm	Puppets Alive Club (Chip Holt Nature Center)
June 10	6pm	Poultry Showmanship Clinic (Chip Holt Nature Center)
June 11	4:30pm	Let's Tie Dye! (LivCo. Conference Center)
June 16	5:30pm	Gardening Club (CCE Office)
June 22		Fair Entries Due
July 1		Pre-Fair Educational Requirement Due
July 9		Pullorum Clinic (Hemlock Fair Grounds)
July 12		Market Poultry Show (Hemlock Fair Grounds)
July 19		Building Exhibit Judging (Hemlock Fair Grounds)
July 20		Animal Move In (Hemlock Fair Grounds)
July 21-25		Hemlock Fair
July 25		4-H Livestock Auction (Hemlock Fair Grounds)

FREE
Animal Supplies

Courtesy of
Caledonia &
Dansville TSC Stores

Coop Control-Pen Odor Control (2) * Zen House Cooper Refresher (2) *
 Botanica Bath-Dust Bath Additive * Probiotic & Prebiotic Plasma Protein
 * Poultry Pellets-1 lb. (2) *Poultry Wound Spray * Poultry Skin Healing
 Spray * Egg Cleanser (10) * Tattoo Kits (6) * Tattoo Ink (2) * 3/8" Tattoo
 Letter Set (7) * 3/8" Tattoo Digit Set (2) * Livestock Antiseptic Spray *
 Thrush Antiseptic Spray (2) * Stress Dex - Oral Electrolyte Powder *
 Liniment Gel * Synergize Cleaner/Disinfectant * Cool Gut * 13" Dehorner-
 Non Electrical (4) * 1" Dehorner-Electrical (7) * Hand Scale (2) * Equitum
 Amprolium Crumble Pellets * Ultrashine Advanced Coat Supplement-20
 lbs. (2) * Ivomec for Cattle-5MG (2.64 Q (4) * Lamb Nipple Set (3) *
 Positive Pellet Goat Dewormer-20 lbs. * Colstrx Colstrum Supplement

Contact Mark or Jenn to Make
arrangements to view/claim these items



There is now a version of the 4-H
Summary Book available just for
Cloverbuds!

Parents/guardians and
leaders can help Cloverbuds
record their 4-H experiences
and reflect on them using
this book



Cloverbuds who submit completed books by the year-end Trips
& Awards deadline will be recognized at 4-H Achievement Day
with a certificate and prize!

2026 4-H Hemlock Fair Theme

BEACH

Welcome to "FAIR-a-dise"

What's Going On In 4-H?

Puppets Alive

We explore puppet making & puppetry theatre, with each year's focus defined by youth members' interests & abilities. Members learn new skills incrementally through guided group activities and independent exploration.



Second Tuesdays, 4-6 PM
Chip Holt Nature Center

- January 13, 2026
- February 10, 2026
- March 10, 2026
- April 14, 2026
- May 12, 2026
- June 9, 2026
- July 14, 2026

Open to all Livingston County 4-Hers

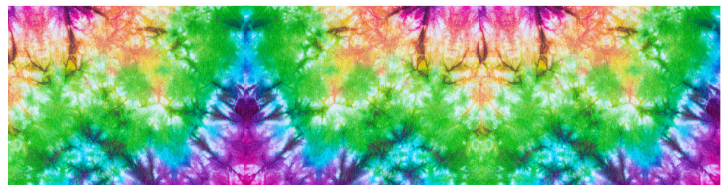
INFORMATION: beesandland@gmail.com

Let's Tie Dye

Tuesday, June 11th | 4:30-7pm
Livingston County Conference Center
1 Murray Hill Drive, Mt. Morris

WE WILL BE TIE DYING OUR FAIR SHIRTS! YOU MUST PRE-ORDER A FAIR SHIRT BY MAY 1ST
Learn several tie dye techniques - the spiral, the fold, crumple, sunburst, and stripes.
RSVP to Jenn (jls669@cornell.edu) by June 5th.

It's highly recommended that fair shirts are pre-washed for this activity. Please make arrangements to pick up your shirts by contacting Jenn at jls669@cornell.edu.



4-H is as American as Apple Pie

DO YOU LIKE TO MAKE PIES AND WANT TO SHOW OFF YOUR SKILLS?

JOIN THE APPLE PIE CONTEST AT THE HEMLOCK FAIR!

THIS IS OPEN TO ALL 4-H YOUTH!

JUDGING WILL BE ON THURSDAY, JULY 23RD STARTING AT NOON.

PIES MUST BE DROPPED OFF TO THE EXHIBIT BUILDING THURSDAY MORNING.

PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN TO TOP 3 PIES!

LET RANDY KNOW IF YOU WANT TO BE A PART OF THIS CONTEST! (RJS546@CORNELL.EDU)



Do you like, or want to learn about, gardening?

Join Randy in a startup meeting for a County Wide Gardening Club

When? Tuesday, June 16th 5:30-6:30
Where? CCE Office (3 Murray Hill, Mt Morris)

RSVP TO RANDY BY 6/12 (RJS546@CORNELL.EDU)



Animal Science



New York Youth Livestock “Non-Ownership” Policy

- **Non-ownership Forms are required for all dairy & livestock animals exhibited at fair that are not owned by the exhibitor. Forms must be on file with the 4-H Office by June 1st**
- **Specie Forms may be found by scanning the QR Code**



The exhibitor, upon request to the event sponsor, shall provide proof of ownership of any exhibit.

This certificate verifies that a 4-H member in New York has enrolled this animal as a 4-H Project Animal by June 1st of the current year.

For all “non-owned” animals, the 4-H member and the owner of the animal have entered an agreement. A lease agreement allows a 4-H member to use the specified animal as a 4-H project. Cornell Cooperative Extension (CCE) encourages the use of written lease agreements, however, it is the responsibility of the exhibitor and the animal owner to agree upon the lease terms. Neither CCE nor Cornell University is legally involved in writing, implementing or terminating any lease agreements.

The following bill was legally adopted by the NYS Department of Agriculture & Markets July 1987.

Exhibits shall have been owned by the exhibitor for a period of at least (30) days prior to the entry of the exhibit provided, however, that any animal exhibit entered in a youth fair, youth exhibition or 4-H show or exhibition shall have been in the care of the exhibitor for a period of at least (60) days prior to entry of the exhibit.

CCE staff and state program administrators have maintained the following philosophy since 1987:

Non-owner/lease opportunities are intended for youth who do not already own an animal of this type. For exhibition purposes, youth are limited to one non-owned breeding class animal of this type.

Specific for Equine: The only approved NYS Horse Program exceptions are donkey, mule, miniature equine, and driving equine (used only for driving). In which cases a youth may own or lease an equine and also lease a donkey, mule, miniature equine, and driving equine (used only for driving).

Forms must be submitted to the CCE Office by June 1st.

****ATTENTION ALL HEMLOCK FAIR 4-H ANIMAL EXHIBITORS****

Pre-Fair Educational Activity Requirement

All Dairy & Livestock and Small Animal exhibitors exhibiting at the Hemlock Fair are **required to complete one 45-minute animal-related educational activity by July 1st**. Cloverbuds are exempt:

- This requirement is for all members exhibiting at least one of the following species: Rabbit, Cavy, Poultry (Fancy & Meat Birds), Dairy, Beef, Goat, Sheep, or Swine
- Only 1 activity required regardless of the number of species being exhibited
- Failure to complete this requirement on time will result in forfeit of all fair animal premiums for the species listed above
- An activity can include any of the following:
 1. Any Livingston County 4-H Animal Activity Night participated in during current 4-H Year
 2. Participation in the Livingston County 4-H Public Presentation Program (**MUST be an animal-related presentation**)
 3. Any county, regional, state or Cornell University-sponsored 4-H animal science activities
 4. Independent 4-H animal activity pre-approved by a 4-H educator. A completed Pre-Fair Educational Activity Form must be completed and submitted with this option. Form may be found at <http://celivingstoncounty.org/resources/pre-fair-educational-activity-form>. Examples may include researching an animal-related topic of interest, attending an animal show, participating in a hands-on animal experience with a knowledgeable adult, watching videos/presentations on raising/showing an animal, etc. Contact Mark or Jenn regarding one of these ideas or if you have one of your own.

If you are willing to work with us, we will work with you to complete this requirement! Questions? Contact Mark at mjw16@cornell.edu | 585-991-5441 or Jenn at jls669@cornell.edu | 585-991-5439.



Animal Science



4-H Horse Program Reminders

Required Horse Show Paperwork Due June 1st

Important Information:

- A completed 4-H Horse Certificate and copies of current coggins & rabies certificates must be submitted to the CCE Office by June 1st for ANY horse that may be shown during the show season. Consider having an extra horse on file in case something happens to your primary horse. 4-H Horse Certificates may be found at our county 4-H Horse Program Webpage.
- All members who are riding in a 4-H Horse Show are required to have a Riding Skills Evaluation completed and on file with the CCE Office by June 1st or prior to their first show of the season. Any member is who showing for the first time or wishes to “move-up” a level must be re-evaluated - i.e.-Walk/Trot to Jr. or Sr. level or from Walk/Trot or Jog/Canter or Lope with no diagonals or leads to Walk/Trot/Canter with diagonals and leads. A member who has previously been evaluated to ride safely in Junior or Senior levels does not need to be reevaluated due to change of age from Jr. to Sr. Evaluation forms with complete information/instructions can be found at our county 4-H Horse Program Webpage.
- All 4-H Horse Shows will follow the rules outlined in the NYS 4-H Equine Show Rule Book. Livingston County 4-H Horse Shows will additionally follow the rules outlined in the Livingston County 4-H Horse Program Policy Book.
- **10 qualifying non-mounted educational points, as specifically outlined in the Livingston County 4-H Horse Program Policy Guide will be required to qualify to ride in a mounted event at the NYS Fair 4-H Horse Show but NOT at the county level.**

Visit the link at the code below for:

- Riding/Driving Evaluation Forms
- Rule Books
- Educational Events
- Horse Shows



Paperwork Due June 1st:

- Horse Certificates
- Current Coggins & Rabies Certificate
- Riding Evaluation (June 1 or prior to rider's first show of the season)

All paperwork is due in the CCE Office for any horse you may be considering using at any county, regional, or state event. Please consider having an extra horse on file, just in case something happens to your primary horse

**Questions? Contact Mark at
mjw16@cornell.edu**



Animal Science



4-H Animal Project Record Awards

Each year at 4-H Achievement Day, awards are presented to members who submit outstanding 4-H Animal Project Records. Species-specific project records (Rabbit, Cavy, Poultry, Pet, Beef, Sheep, Swine, Goat, & Dairy) may be found on our website. Records are due in September along with 4-H Trip & Award Applications. Please consider submitting a project record.



Small Animal Clinics

New to showing or just want to brush up on your showmanship skills? Join us for showmanship clinics ran by the judges. Not only will you learn the basics, but you will also learn the preferences of the judge and have the opportunity to ask questions!

Rabbits & Cavies

Showmanship Clinic with the Judge June 2nd | 6pm
Chip Holt Nature Center

Poultry

Showmanship Clinic with the Judge June 10th | 6pm
Chip Holt Nature Center

RSVP to Jenn by the Thursday before each event

NYS 4-H HORSE COMMUNICATIONS RESULTS



Congratulations to Hannah Gall for giving an outstanding presentation at the NYS 4-H Horse Communications Contest at Cornell University!

Hannah placed Fifth in the Senior Individual Division with her presentation, "Equine Genetic Disorders"

Seeking Fair Dairy & Livestock Show Helpers

In an effort to help our dairy & livestock shows run as smoothly and effectively as possible, we are seeking a couple ring helpers for each show. Helpers may be parents, volunteers, or responsible teens. Please contact Mark (mjw16@cornell.edu) for more information or if interested in helping with one or more shows. Tasks/responsibilities include:

- Set up of make-shift holding pens before show for hog, sheep, and goat shows.
- Water down show ring before show and as needed between breed divisions or classes.
- Ensure next class (exhibitors and animals) is "on deck" and ready to enter the show ring when called upon. This includes champion drives.
- Direct/assist exhibitors and animals in and out of show ring.
- Assist judge in directing exhibitors and animals in the show ring.
- Assist judge in lining up animals in the show ring as needed (champion drives).
- Assist exhibitors and animals with posing for champion pictures.
- Pick up manure in show ring as needed.
- Assist show superintendent(s) as needed.



Animal Science



Attention Poultry Exhibitors



PULLORUM TYPHOID TESTING REQUIREMENT FOR FAIR

TESTING AVAILABLE (FREE!)

Wednesday, July 9th | 5-7:00pm
Hemlock Fairgrounds

Registration Deadline: July 2nd

RSVP to Jenn at jls669@cornell.edu

Must provide the number of birds you will be bringing to be tested

ALL POULTRY MUST HAVE:

1.) a negative pullorum-typhoid test conducted within 90 days prior to date of admission to the fair OR 2.) proof that the bird originated from a US pullorum-typhoid clean flock or equivalent flock. If utilizing a receipt, it must be dated within 1-year of the date of admission to the fair.

PROOF OF NEGATIVE TEST MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE CCE OFFICE BY JULY 17TH

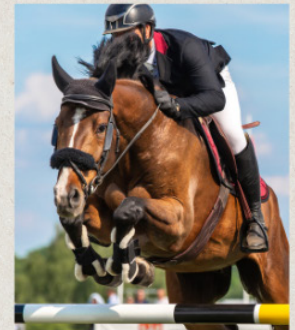
All birds must be tested with the exception of doves, pigeons, waterfowl, and meat birds purchased through the 4-H meat bird program. Birds purchased through the 4-H meat bird program will already have proof on file and need not be tested. **Birds four months of age and older are eligible for this test.**

If you have 10+ birds to be tested, it is highly encouraged that you contact NYS Ag & Markets to have a flock certification. Email Jenn (email above) for our state vet tech's contact information.

*****TESTING WILL NOT BE OFFERED AT FAIR ANIMAL CHECK-IN*****



Thank you Margy Holyst, Kade Hill, and Rachel & Courtney Potts for cleaning out, inventorying, and reorganizing the 4-H Horse Show jump supplies at the fairgrounds!!! It was a great team effort and MUCH appreciated!!!



IMPORTANT FAIR INFORMATION

2026 4-H Hemlock Fair Exhibitor's Book

Due to high production and postage costs, the Hemlock Fair 4-H Exhibitor's Book will not be massed produced and distributed

It is **NOW** available
on our CCE Website

Click [Here](#) or
Scan the Code



You will find 6 easy-to-use links/"books" that can each be viewed, downloaded, and printed as needed:

- **4-H Hemlock Fair Schedule**
- **Animal Science Departments**
- **Building Exhibit Department**
- **4-H Events & Leadership Department**
- **Independent Member Displays & Exhibits Department**
- **Club Leadership, Displays, & Exhibits Department**

NEED PAGES OR BOOKS PRINTED??

Not a problem! 4-H staff will be happy to print any pages or books needed. Just reach out to a staff member.

**Fair Entries
Due:
June 22nd**



Important Building Exhibit Entry & Judging Day Information

- Building Exhibit Judging will take place on Sunday, July 19th, at the Hemlock Fair Festival Building, from 1 - 4:30 pm. We ask that exhibitors arrive by 4:30 pm. Judging may continue past 4:30 pm if you arrive by 4:30 pm.
- PLEASE CHECK IN AT THE CHECK IN TABLE PRIOR TO GETTING YOUR EXHIBITS JUDGED! This just lets us know that you are all set and ready to show your hard work to our judges.
- ALL projects you would like judged or think you may bring to the fair MUST be entered by the entry deadline. Do NOT bring exhibits to judging day that have not been entered.
- Double Entry tags will not be available again this year.
- All entry tags will be computer generated from the Fair Entry System.
- After entries are closed, you will receive an email with your entry tags. Please print (ONE SIDED) and attach them to your projects. This tag will stay with your project throughout the fair. If you are unable to print them, you MUST let Randy know by July 13th.
- You will need to write the information below on the back of your Entry Tag. This will help you be prepared to talk about your project when being evaluated.
 - Number of years in the Project Area
 - 2 things learned or improved on

Other Fair Opportunities for Members & Clubs

Did you know there are more ways to participate in the fair than just exhibiting projects in the 4-H Building and showing animals? There are MANY activities that are classes in the Hemlock Fair 4-H Exhibitors Book. Completing these activities at fair will earn exhibitors points towards their premium checks. Check out these activities/classes and contact staff if you have questions.

- Food stand worker serving customers (individual & club)
- Exhibit Building Judging Assistant
- Club Educational Activity
- Public Presentations
- Animal Presentation/Demonstration in a 4-H Barn
- Cupcake Showdown Contest
- PINY Demonstration
- Animal Barn Ambassador
- Ice Cream Booth Attendant
- Club Educational Exhibit
- Exhibit Building Activity Leader
- Food Tent Menu Challenge

4-H Member Photo Release for Hemlock Fair

Please contact Mark (mjw16@cornell.edu) if a parent/guardian does NOT wish to have their child's picture used by 4-H for 4-H only promotion purposes.

Camping at the Hemlock Fair

Camping Registration Forms are available on the Hemlock Fair Website (hemlockfair.org) under "Exhibitors" and should be returned with payment to:
PO Box 263, Hemlock, NY 14466

Hemlock Fair Celebrates America's 250 Years of Independence!!

Hemlock Fair will be honoring America's 250 years of independence throughout the five days of the fair! There will be an exciting "America 250" themed parade on Wednesday evening of the fair. Check out <https://hemlockfair.org/> for more information on this and other related activities/events. 4-H families are invited to join in the celebration by creatively incorporating red, white, & blue and the "America 250" theme into this year's 4-H beach theme – "Welcome to Fair-a-dise. Exhibitors are encouraged to include the themes in their exhibits, projects, displays, and barn decorations.



FOOD CONTESTS AT THE FAIR!

CREATE A FOOD TENT MENU ITEM

Scheduled throughout Fair Week

- Use any of the ingredients currently available at the 4-H Food Tent (breakfast all day)
- Add one additional ingredient from another food vendor at the fair
 - Create a new and unique menu item
 - Work individually or in a team of 2

Participants will prepare the dish on-site during Fair Week! Food Tent Staff will select a winner and your item will be added to next year's menu!

FOR AGES 10+.

Email Randy at rjs546@cornell.edu by July 17th to sign up!!



CUPCAKE SHOWDOWN

Friday, July 24th beginning at 10am

Create a Patriotic/Beach Themed Cupcake Display

- Must be at least 2 feet tall
- Contains 24 cupcakes
- Demonstrates at least 3 different decorating techniques

Bring all your items pre-baked, but not decorated. Frosting may be pre-made, but not store bought. You will have 1 hour to decorate and assemble your display.

Work individually or in a team of 2.
For ages 5+.

Email Randy at rjs546@cornell.edu by July 17th to sign up!!



For more information on how to participate, contact Randy (rjs546@cornell.edu)



Seeking 4-H Teens to be Judge's Assistants Building Exhibit Judging Day - Sunday, July 19th

We are seeking approximately 15 4-H teens (12-18 years old) to serve as judge's assistants during 4-H exhibit judging on Sunday, July 19th in the Hemlock Fair Festival Building. As part of the entry tag system, there is a need for a second person to work with each judge to record the Danish ribbon for each exhibit and exhibits for state fair consideration.

Judges and Assistants will have Orientation at 11:30am. Then Judging Exhibits for Assistants will be from 12:00pm-1:00pm. From 1:00pm to 4:30pm will be the Judges Assistant's shift

What are the benefits of being a Teen Judge's Assistant?

- You will receive a fair \$ premium. Enter Section 44: 4-H Leadership Opportunities, Class Number 02, Exhibit Building Teen Assistant in faireentry.com.
- Lunch will be provided.
- Learn judging techniques firsthand from the judge you are working with.
- This role and experience will look very impressive on scholarship applications!

Contact Randy (rjs546@cornell.edu) if you are interested, need more information, or have questions.

VOLUNTEER AT THE HEMLOCK FAIR FOOD TENT

Fair Premiums & Club Fundraising Incentives Available

4-H members (9 years or older) and adults are needed to help in the food tent during the fair. Responsibilities include maintaining a clean sanitary area, serving the public, taking food orders, counting change, and following the supervisors' directions. Four individuals are needed for each shift. Parent supervision is required for children 12 years and younger.

Incentives Available!

- Premiums will be awarded for multiple shifts completed.
- Work 6+ hours and receive a 4-H Hat, Bag, or T-Shirt
- Clubs that have 3-4 members working 2 shifts together will receive at least a \$200 incentive check depending on the total sales during fair.

2 Hour Shift Schedule

- Daily, Tuesday-Saturday of Fair
- 7-9am, 9-11am, 11am-1pm, 1-3pm, 3-5pm, & 5-7pm

How to Sign Up

- Sign-up using the Fair Entry Online System.
- Enter class 06 in Section 44: 4-H Leadership Opportunities.
- Enter the class for each shift you would like to sign up for.
- After June 22nd you will be able to schedule a shift(s) through a Google Doc that will be in the weekly email blast.
- After July 17th, you will be able to schedule a shift(s) on a master white board in the 4-H Exhibit Building on Judging Day (July 19th) and at the food tent during the fair.



Club Sign Up

- Club members will sign up the same as an individual member above
**Everyone must pick the same time
- Club leaders must do an Entry in Class 02 in Section: 46 for the club incentive

Congratulations!

Congratulations to the following 4-H seniors who earned a \$1,000 Russell B. Ace 4-H Scholarship:

- *Tori Charlebois**
- *Sydney Kolodziej**
- *Payton Slade**

Senior Recognition!!!

- Michaela Bugman - Victoria Charlebois
- Thomas Cicero - Danica Greene
- Sydney Kolodziej - Kaelub Rodgers
- Tessa Rodwell - Payton Slade
- Brady Wood



Congratulations to all of the Graduating Seniors! We Wish everyone the best of luck in the future endeavors! Keep in contact with the 4-H Program!

NYS 4-H Capital Days

May 17-19 4-H Teens Michaela B. & Lily S. traveled to Albany to participate in the 91st NYS 4-H Capital Days. They were able to learn about NYS Policy, meet with local legislators, tour the NYS Capital, & meet other 4-H teens from across the state.



PiNY 2026 Results!

Twenty-five talented Livingston County 4-H members participated in the annual Produced in New York Food Demonstration event. Creative use of a New York ingredient was evident as 4-H members prepared a recipe in front of judges and answered questions from the judges and audience members.

The event offers a chance to learn about New York food products and demonstrate culinary skills. It also serves as a fun introduction to presenting in public. Since several 4-H members present at the same time, this event can help youth build confidence in a less stressful setting. There was a delightful assortment of recipes this year from gluten free zucchini bread to Tuscan soup to breakfast casseroles

Youth Development Team Leader Mark Wittmeyer said, "The Produced in New York Food Demonstration Contest provides youth with an opportunity to showcase their cooking skills to an evaluator while sharing some of their favorite recipes. Youth are able to receive constructive feedback on what they did well and what they can do even better in the future. Because recipes must contain an ingredient produced in New York State, the contest is a wonderful way to help connect youth with the many food products grown locally here in the state."

Congratulations to 4-H members and Cloverbuds: David Kniley, Bryn McGarvey, Janae Duryea, Naveah Deya, Brigid Cole, Nora Cole, Taylor Olsowsky, June Gibson, Jayden Coty, Madelyn Coty, Isabella VanScooter, Harper VanScooter, Finn Cole, Amelia Ingerick, Cecilia Ingerick, Arianna Cook, Cassandra Fischer, Evelyn Faulring, Kiara Gramkee, Saphira Marcellus, Aryia Marcellus, Kameron Marcellus, Owen Swisher, Icarus McHenry and River McHenry

Finn Cole (Venison Meatloaf) and Naveah Deya (Apple Pancakes) were selected to do their Produced in New York Demonstrations at the State Fair!

Many thanks to our volunteer judges: Becky Minnich, Tess Wallace, Sue Werner, Pat Auinger, Mary Clark, Peggy Auinger, Linda Carney, Anna Macauley, Ron Niedermaier, Megan Coty, and Jayden Coty (Teen Evaluator).





Club News



Hilltop Riders Club Report

On May 3rd, the Hilltop Riders had a meeting at Coleman Farms. We fed the horse, groomed her and stretched her. We then got a demonstration and talk from Sydney about the importance of deworming, common parasites and how to deworm. We had two of our 4-Hers, Naomi and Hannah present their Horse Communications presentations. They were fascinating presentations and very engaging and educational. It was a lovely meeting!

Submitted By Sydney Kolodziej

4-H Club Reports & Articles Wanted!

4-H Club Leaders and Secretaries are encouraged to share their club happenings (meetings, projects, activities, events, etc.) with our 4-H community by submitting a brief report or write up for publication in the monthly Livewire. Reports/write ups should be submitted by the 15th of the month to Jenn at jls669@cornell.edu.



YOUTH NATURE PROGRAM

July 6- August 14 Monday-Friday **9:15- Noon**
The Chip Holt Nature Center
Vitale Park, Lakeville

Free hands-on activities for ages 5+.

Short break between activities; attend one or both!
Parent/guardian expected to remain on site during programming.
Conducted by CCE Livingston County and sponsored by the Town of Livonia & Chip Holt Nature Center.
Questions? Email Mark Wittmeyer at mjw16@cornell.edu.

Did You Know



Trips and Awards
Descriptions
Summary Book



Possible Trips and Awards!

- Cloverbud 2A Trip
- 3A Trip
- Tween Trip
- STAR (or STARR)
- Cornell Career Explorations
- Capitol Days
- Cobleskill Agri-Business
- Career Conference
- First Year 4-H'er Award
- Project Pins
- Animal Science Project Record Awards
- Horsemen of the Year
- Outstanding 4-H'er
- Russel B. Ace Memorial Scholarship

Did you know that there are many trips and awards you can earn in 4-H?

Here's what you need to start doing NOW!

- Check out the list of all award trips and recognitions along with criteria and requirements using the QR code on the left!
- Choose the ones you want to earn
- Make a plan to fulfill criteria and requirements of each award including doing needed 4-H project work and participating in activities/events.
- Start working on your required 4-H Summary Book now documenting your 4-H project work and activities/events. It's a lot easier to work on it throughout the year then all at once at the of the year.
- 4-H Summary Books can be found using the QR code on the right!
- Just remember that the 4-H Trips & Awards Application and completed 4-H Summary Book are due in September.

Questions? Contact Randy at rjs546@cornell.edu

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This newsletter comes to you as part of the educational program provided by the Livingston County Cornell Cooperative Extension 4-H Program. It is prepared by the 4-H staff and published every month.

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