

LARUE COUNTY 4-H

NEWSLETTER

July 2025

Congratulations



**MACKENZHEY RUCKER AND JACOB MARKSBURY
RECEIVED SCHOLARSHIPS FROM KENTUCKY 4-H
FOUNDATION DURING TEEN CONFERENCE.**

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Lexington, KY 40506



**Dog Club had a training at the May Meeting.
The next meeting will be July 15th at 6 pm**

Sincerely,

Misty Wilmoth


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JULY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 WRANGLERS HORSE CLUB 6 PM AT LARUE COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE	2	3 SHOOTING SPORTS 6:30 PM AT NEW HAVEN GUN CLUB	4 	5
6	7	8 GARDENING CLUB 5 PM AT LARUE COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE	9	10	11	12 KY 4-H STATE COMMUNICATIONS COMPETITION
13	14 CROCHET CLASS - FAIR PROJECT 10 AM AT LARUE COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE <i>*REGISTRATION REQUIRED*</i> CLAY COIL POT CLASS - FAIR PROJECT 5 PM AT LARUE COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE <i>*REGISTRATION REQUIRED*</i> LIVESTOCK CLUB 6 PM AT LARUE COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE	15 DOG CLUB 6 PM AT LARUE COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE	16 CANOE & KAYAK CLUB 6:30 PM AT LARUE COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE	17 SHOOTING SPORTS 6:30 PM AT NEW HAVEN GUN CLUB	18 FARM TO TABLE DAY CAMP 9 AM AT LARUE COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE	19
20	21 FALL FEST COMMITTEE MEETING 5 PM AT LARUE COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE TEEN CLUB WARM BLESSINGS	22	23	24	25	26
27	28 4-H COUNCIL MEETING 6 PM AT LARUE COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE	29	30 FAIR FOODS - FAIR PROJECT 2 PM AT LARUE COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE	31		

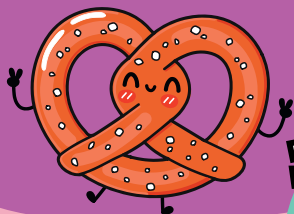


LARUE COUNTY 4-H FAIR PROJECT CLASSES



JUN 26 PRETZEL MAKING

4:30 pm - 6:00 pm
LaRue County
Extension Service



JUL 14 BEGINNER CROCHET WASH CLOTH PROJECT

10 am - 12 pm
LaRue County
Extension Service



JUL 14 CLAY COIL POT

5 pm - 6 pm
LaRue County
Extension Service



JUL 30 4-H FOODS FAIR PROJECT

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
LaRue County
Extension Service



JUL 31 4-H FAIR ENTRIES

Taken at
Floral Hall
10 am - 1 pm



**CALL 270-358-3401 OR EMAIL HALEY.MCCREERY@UKY.EDU
TO REGISTER OR FOR MORE INFORMATION.**

BUILD-A-BURGER

EVER WONDER WHERE YOUR
BURGER BEGINS?
JOIN US AND TAKE A TASTY TRIP
FROM MOO TO CHEW! FROM
PLANTING VEGGIES TO FLIPPING
PATTIES, WE'LL EXPLORE HOW
EVERY BITE MAKES ITS JOURNEY
FROM THE PASTURE TO YOUR PLATE,
ALL WHILE MAKING YOUR OWN
BURGER FROM SCRATCH.

YOUTH AGES 8 AND UP

JULY 18, 2025

9 AM - 1 PM

LARUE COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE

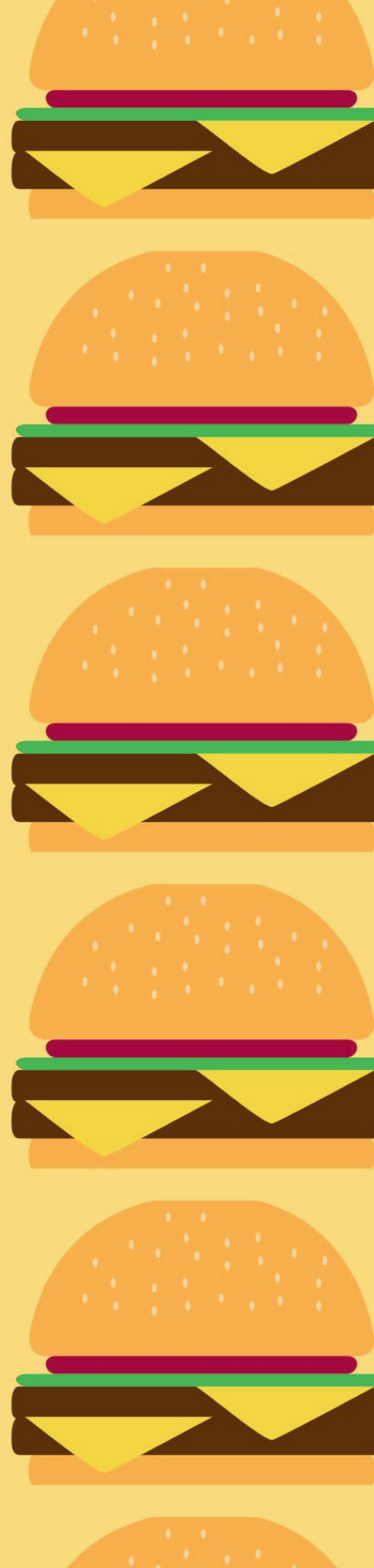
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CALL THE EXTENSION OFFICE TO
RESERVE YOUR SPOT TODAY!

(270)-358-3401

LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE



7/26/25 Saturday

PAGEANTS

Tiny - Little Miss & Mister
Pre-teen - Teen - Miss - Ms./Mrs.

Registration begins at 9 a.m.

LaRue County High School Auditorium
925 S. Lincoln Blvd., Hodgenville

LaRue County Fair Pageants
Contact: Tabi Smith, (270)763-2308 &
Montana Metcalf (270) 537-4951

7/31/25 Thursday

Floral Hall Exhibit Entry - Open & 4-H - 10 AM - 1 PM

Floral Hall Building - LC Fairgrounds
Contact: LaRue County Extension Service, 270-358-3401

Goat Show 4:30 PM

Show Barn - LC Fairgrounds
Superintendent: John Ball

Sheep Show - To follow the Goat Show -

Show Barn - LC Fairgrounds
Superintendent: John Ball

8/1/25 Friday

Floral Hall Showcase 9:30 - 11:30 AM

Celebration of talent with refreshments!
Floral Hall Building - LC Fairgrounds
Contact: LC 4-H Council, 270-358-3401

Dairy Cattle Show 10 AM

Show Barn - LC Fairgrounds
Superintendents: Patty Holbert & Chris Thomas

Senior Citizen's Day 12:30 - 3:30 PM

Mother of the Year Presentation
Entertainment - Refreshments
LaRue County Extension Service
807 Old Elizabethtown Rd., Hodgenville
Contact: Doris Jean Holleran

8/2/25 Saturday

Rabbit Show 9 AM

Morrison Building -LC Fairgrounds
Superintendent: John Ball

Poultry Show 10 AM

Morrison Building -LC Fairgrounds
Superintendent: John Ball

Beef Cattle Show 10 AM

Show Barn - LC Fairgrounds
Superintendents: Jim Shaw & Rooter Gray

Exhibits - Pick up 1-3 PM

Floral Hall Building - LC Fairgrounds
Contact: LaRue County Extension Service, 270-358-3401

Baby Contest 5:30 PM Registration begins at 5pm

Hodgenville Christian Church Annex
100 W. Main St., Hodgenville
Contact: ABE 93.7, (270) 491-5937



LaRue COUNTY FAIR SCHEDULE

Presented by the LaRue County 4-H Council - (270) 358-3401 - larue.ext@uky.edu LaRue County Fairgrounds - 375 S. Greensburg St., Hodgenville

Cooperative Extension Service

2025 LaRue County Fair 4-H Exhibit Catalog

Entries will be accepted on
7/31/25 from 10 am - 1 pm at Floral Hall

LC Fairgrounds, 375 S. Greensburg St., Hodgenville, KY 42748

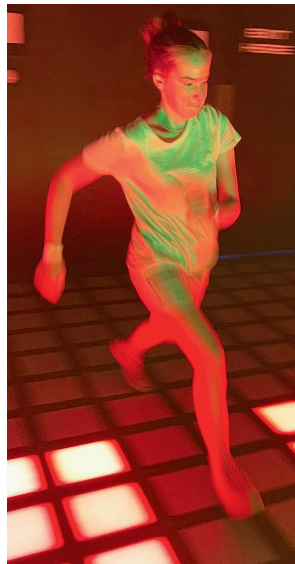
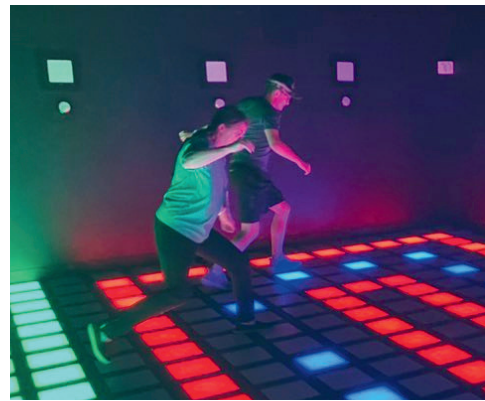
Sponsored by the LaRue County 4-H Council

Questions? Call 270-358-3401 or email mwilmoth@uky.edu

CHECK IT OUT!

Catalogs are available for pickup at the LaRue County Extension Service or found online at <https://larue.ca.uky.edu/county-fair>.

Teen Conference



DESIGN THE PLATE

\$500
CASH PRIZE

THAT DRIVES AGRICULTURE



FRIENDS OF AGRICULTURE LICENSE PLATE DESIGN CONTEST



The Kentucky Department of Agriculture is excited to launch the Friends of Kentucky Agriculture Specialty License Plate Contest with Kentucky 4-H and Kentucky FFA Association. This contest is open to current 4-H and FFA members or any student interested in agriculture! Submit your original photography, digital, or hand-drawn artwork that includes the 4-H, FFA, and Kentucky Proud logos. \$500 cash prize to the winning design!

This brand new plate will be available to all Kentucky drivers who want to show their support for agriculture, not just production farmers. Proceeds will benefit 4-H, FFA, and Kentucky Proud programs across the state. The new Friends of Ag plate will come out in 2026!

DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 5TH, 2025

ENTER AT: [HTTPS://WWW.KYAGR.COM/AGFRIENDS/](https://www.kyagr.com/agfriends/)

Scan the QR Code or go to [kyagr.com/agfriends](https://www.kyagr.com/agfriends/) for all contest rules

SCAN HERE



SHOOTING SPORTS CLUB



Shooting Sports Club practice at the New Haven Gun Club at 6:30pm on the first and third Thursday of each month
Next Meetings: July 3rd & July 17th



4-H Camp Magic







Volunteers do not necessarily have the time; they just have the heart.
- Elizabeth Andrew





CLOVERBUD CAMP

Thirteen Cloverbuds along with eleven parents attended Cloverbud Camp in Dawson Springs. Campers stay in cabins with other campers and guardians. Activities at Cloverbud Camp included: swimming, fishing, canoeing, crafts, and many more. Cloverbud monthly meetings will resume back on September 25th.



Horse Camp



KY 4-H STATE HIPPOLOGY

Hippology Judging

Oakleigh Wells - 3rd Place

Overall Junior

Morgan Redner - 5th Place

Oakleigh Wells - 10th Place

Hippology Stations Individual

Morgan Redner - 3rd Place

Oakleigh Wells - 8th Place



Hippology Written Test Individual

Morgan Redner - 6th Place

Hippology team places 2nd Overall!

Team Written Test: 2nd Place Overall

Team Judging: 2nd Place Overall

Team Stations: 5th Place Overall

Morgan Redner and Oakleigh Wells participated on a team with two Hardin County 4-Hers.





STATE FAIR LIVESTOCK ENTRY DEADLINE



The deadline to register is July 10, 2025 at Midnight.

Families must visit <https://kystatefair.org/livestock-exhibitor-info> or scan the QR code to register: Beef, Dairy, Swine, Sheep, Goats, Open Rabbits, and Open Poultry for the State Fair Livestock Shows.

4-H Families can order discounted State Fair tickets to visit their 4-H projects or attend 4-H events and activities! Tickets are \$4/each. Payments are due to the office by July 28th!

FIND THE FULL STATE FAIR SCHEDULE AT:

<https://kystatefair.org/visit/schedule>

or scan the QR code!





4-H Participation Form & School Excuse Request

Due to the Extension Office by 4:30 p.m. on 7/28/2025

First Name _____ Last Name _____

School _____ Grade _____ Date of Birth _____

SSN _____ Phone Number _____

Address _____

City _____ State KY Zip _____

Email Address _____

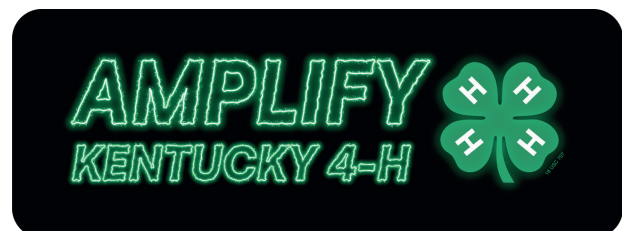
Number of Tickets Needed (\$4 each) _____

Dates & Events that you plan to attend State Fair

(School excuses will be sent for days attending with 4-H participation)



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Disabilities accommodated with prior notification.

GARDENING CLUB



To celebrate Pollinator Month, the 4-H Gardening Club created a pollinator garden at the Extension Office at their June meeting
Next Meeting:
July 8th at 5 PM



Special thanks to Olivia Leasor, Morgan Redner and Oakleigh Wells from the Wrangler's Horse Club and Danny Ronkainen from the Teen Club for volunteering at Warm Blessings on June 16th.

Warm Blessings
Community Kitchen