

**2016 JACKSON COUNTY 4-H PROGRAM
TAG-INS, TRAININGS, JUDGING DATES AND CAMP SCHEDULES**

Species	Possession Date	Weigh-In/Tag-In Date	Other Requirements
Market Steers	December 20th	Weigh-In ~ Saturday, January 16th Jackson County Fairgrounds (8-10am)	950 lb. Minimum; Maximum of 2 Shown; Must be Dehorned and Castrated
Beef Breeding	April 15th	N/A	Maximum of 2 entries per class; Dehorned
Market Beef Feeder Calves	May 7th	Beef Feeder Calves-Saturday, May 7th (8am-10am)	Maximum Weight 650 lbs; Maximum of 2 Feeder Calves Shown; Castrated; Horns Allowed Up to 2 inches; Classes Divided by Weight, Born After Jan. 1st
Market Hogs	May 7th	Tag-In ~ Saturday, May 7th Jackson County Fairgrounds(8-10am)	220-290 lbs.; Born After Jan. 1st; Maximum of 2 Shown; Must Have 1/2" of Hair, Not Shaved; Pigs whose hair measures less than a half an inch of hair are subject to disqualification
Dairy Market Feeders	May 7th	Weigh-In ~ Saturday, May 7th Jackson County Fairgrounds (8-10am)	350-650 lbs.; Born between Jan. 1st & Mar. 1st; Maximum of 2 DMF Shown; Castrated, Horns Allowed Up to 2 inches
Market Lambs	May 7th	Weigh-In ~ Saturday, May 7th Jackson County Fairgrounds (8-10am)	85-145 lbs.; Born After Jan. 1st; Maximum of 2 Shown; Horns Allowed Up to 2 inches, Castrated, Lifiable Dock
Breeding Sheep	April 15th	N/A	Maximum of 2 entries per class; Must have a Lifiable Dock Horns of any length allowed if it is part of the breed standard.
Market Goats	May 7th	Weigh-In ~ Saturday, May 7th Jackson County Fairgrounds (8-10am)	60 lb. Minimum & Born After Jan. 1st (Market); Maximum of 2 Market Goats Shown; Male Goats Castrated;
Breeding & Dairy Goats	April 15th	N/A	Horns of any length allowed on goats only.
Market Chickens	Purchased Through The Extension Office	N/A	3-7 lbs.; Maximum of 4 Birds Shown (2 Pens). Cannot be comingled with other birds before the fair.
Breeding Poultry	30 Days Prior to Fair	Pullorum Testing ~ Saturday, June 25th Jackson County Fairgrounds; 7-10am **Note Time & Location Change**	Maximum of 2 entries per class. Cannot be comingled with other birds after pullorum testing. Breeding Turkeys must be purchased from a Pullorum-Free facility (provide documentation) or have pullorum testing done by a vet.
Market Turkeys	Purchased Through The Extension Office	N/A	Minimum Weight of 15 lbs. No Maximum Maximum of 2 Birds Shown (Shown individually). Cannot be comingled with other birds before the fair.
Market Rabbits	June 21st	Tattooing ~ Saturday, June 25th Jackson County Fairgrounds (7-10am)	3.5 - 5 lbs.; Maximum of 4 Rabbits (2 pens); Must be 8 weeks to 69 days old at time of show
Breeding Rabbits	30 Days Prior to Fair	N/A	Check for new Entry and Class Information for 2015...comign soon!
Dairy	April 15th	N/A	Must be shown by owner; Must have validated health certificate
All Exhibitors in the Above Species Must Attend a Livestock Quality Assurance Program			
Horses	May 7th	Pictures taken, Registration and Leases turned in at May Check-In	Must attend Mandatory Horse Check-In and View Safety Video ~ Saturday, May 7th; 11am-1pm at the Fairgrounds, Open Ride 12-2pm
Dogs	April 1st	N/A	1 Entry per Class, Must be 6 months of age by the date of show
Quality Assurance, Skillathon and Judgings			
All Members Must Attend Livestock Quality Assurance or General Projects Judging in Order to Compete or Receive a Fair Pass			
Please contact the Extension Office for information on other educational clinics/QAs offered for various species			
Beef Clinic & Quality Assurance (Jackson Co.)	Fulfills Quality Assurance Requirement	Tuesday, March 22nd	6-8pm; Jackson County Extension Office. Must stay the entire time. Doors close at 6:15pm to count for QA.
Rabbit & Poultry Clinic and Quality Assurance	Fulfills Quality Assurance Requirement	Wednesday, April 13th	5:00-7:30pm; Register at 4:30pm on site: Pike County Fairgrounds
Swine Clinic and Quality Assurance	Fulfills Quality Assurance Requirement	Thursday, April 7th	6-8pm; Register at 5:30pm on site: Scioto County Fairgrounds
Sheep & Goat Clinic and Quality Assurance	Fulfills Quality Assurance Requirement	Thursday, April 21st	6-8pm; Register at 5:30pm on site: Scioto County Fairgrounds
Rabbit & Poultry Clinic and Quality Assurance	Fulfills Quality Assurance Requirement	Tuesday, April 26th	6-8pm; Jackson County Extension Office. Must stay the entire time. Doors close at 6:15pm to count for QA.
Showmanship Clinic (All Species) and Quality Assurance	Fulfills Quality Assurance Requirement	Sunday, April 24th	2-4pm; Vinton County Fairgrounds
Jackson County Quality Assurance (All Species)	General Quality Assurance for All Species (Fulfills QA Requirement)	Saturday, May 14th at the Extension Office	9:00-11:00am; Jackson County Extension Office Sessions start every 15 minutes and last for 1 hour. Last session starts at 11am and will finish at 12pm. Participants will be placed in small groups on a first come first serve basis. Must stay for full 1 hour session.
Jackson County Skillathon and Quality Assurance (All Species)	General Quality Assurance and Skillathon for All Species (Fulfills QA Requirement)	Thursday, June 16th, 1pm-3pm	1:00-3:00pm; Jackson County Extension Office. Youth Sign-in By Species Upon Arrival and are taken on a first come, first serve basis. Registration begins at 12:45pm. Must be registered by 2:45pm.
Jackson County Quality Assurance Makeup (\$10 per participant) (All Species)	General Quality Assurance for All Species (Fulfills QA Requirement) \$10 per participant	Wednesday, June 29th, 10-11 am	Jackson County Extension Office 10-11am. Must stay for full 1-hour session. \$10 per participant for Make-Up Session
Other Quality Assurance Opportunities Available in Area Counties---Contact the Extension Office if you need further options			
General Project Judging ~ All Still Projects		Monday, June 27th	1:00-5:00pm; Extension Office
Foods		Monday, June 27th	5:30-6:30pm; Extension Office
Clothing		Monday, June 27th	7:00-8:00pm; Extension Office
Volunteer Training *Call ASAP for Makeups 286-5044		Tuesday, January 19, 6-8pm	Canter's Cave 4-H Camp
Horse Approved Club Volunteer Training		Tuesday, April 26th, 6:30-8:00pm	Contact the Extension office at 740-286-5044 to Register
New Volunteer Training *Required for all New Volunteers as well as an		Contact the Extension Office for available Dates	Jackson County Extension Office 740-286-5044
Camp Schedule ~Contact the Extension Office for Registration Information			
Teen Winter Retreat		January 30th-31st	Cost: \$35
Counselor College (anyone planning to be a counselor)		March 19th-20th	Cost: \$45
Spring Fling (grades 3-6)		April 22nd-23rd	Cost: \$30
STEM CAMP (5th-7th Graders)		June 6th-8th	Cost: \$65
State Special Needs Camp		June 17th-19th	Cost: \$80; \$45 for Caregiver (includes picture)
Cloverbud Overnighter		June 11th-12th (Adult Stay Required)	Cost: \$55 (1 youth, 1 adult & a picture); \$25 additional youth
3rd, 4th & 5th Grade Camp		June 8th-11th	Cost: \$136 (including a picture), \$140 for non-4-H members
6th, 7th & 8th Grade Camp		June 13th-16th	Cost: \$136 (including a picture), \$140 for non-4-H members
Teen Camp (Grades 9-12)		June 24th-27th	Cost: \$140 (including a picture), \$145 for non 4-H members
State Shooting Education Camp (ages 9-12)		July 1st-3rd	Cost: \$220 (including a picture)
State Shooting Education Camp (ages 12-18)		July 17th-22nd	Cost: \$320 (including a picture)