



LANCASTER COUNTY
Super Fair

Aug. 1–10, 2019

4-H & FFA Exhibits & Events Aug. 1–4

4-H Horse Show July 30–Aug. 4

Lancaster Event Center



4-H & FFA Fair Books have complete information about entering 4-H/FFA exhibits and contests.

Fair Books are available at the Extension office and at <http://lancaster.unl.edu/4h/fair>



4-H will livestream from the fair!  **YouTube**

Lancaster County 4-H will livestream video of several events at the Super Fair via YouTube which will then be archived! Watch at www.youtube.com/user/4HLancasterNE
A tentative schedule will be posted at <http://lancaster.unl.edu/4h/fair>

Premium Payouts

Read carefully — premiums not picked up at the specified time will be forfeited! Review premium payouts carefully and report any errors to 4-H staff. No changes or corrections will be made on premium amounts after 14 days.

STATIC EXHIBITS and CONTESTS (except cat and household pet static exhibits, and Livestock Judging and rabbit contests): Premium payouts for all static exhibits and contests held before and during the fair must be picked up on Monday, August 5, 7–11 a.m. in the Lincoln Room. 4-H/FFA members or their representatives may pick up premium payouts — a signature will be required. Please pick up premium payouts BEFORE picking up static exhibits.

ANIMAL EXHIBITORS (except horse, rabbit and poultry): All 4-H & FFA animal exhibitors will receive premium payouts as they exit the show arena or at the conclusion of the show. Livestock Judging Contest participants will receive premium payouts after the contest.

HORSE EXHIBITORS: Premium payouts must be picked up on Monday, August 5, 7–11 a.m. in the Lincoln Room. The entire 4-H club must have removed all bedding from each stall in order for premiums to be received. Stalls will be checked. 4-H/FFA members or their representatives may pick up premium payouts — a signature will be required.

RABBIT EXHIBITORS: All rabbit payouts (including rabbit shows and contests) will be made to 4-Hers at the Rabbit Awards on Sunday, August 4, 5:30 p.m. in the Business Center – Nebraska Room.

POULTRY EXHIBITORS: Poultry premium payouts (including poultry shows and contests) must be picked up from the 4-H/FFA livestock office in Pavilion 1 during specified date and time. Date and time will be posted at the livestock office during the fair. Premiums not picked up by Sunday will be forfeited.

Static Exhibit Check-In/Release

4-H & FFA static exhibits do not preregister, but MUST be physically checked in during Static Exhibit Check-in on Tuesday, July 30 between 4–8 p.m. at the Lancaster Event Center, Lincoln Room. An adult — such as a club leader or parent(s) — should assist 4-H members in entering exhibits. A registration table is set up for each of the project areas — please take project(s) to the appropriate area(s). All entry tags, additional information, recipe cards, data tags, etc. MUST be attached at this time.

EACH 4-H static exhibit must have a **4-H Static Exhibit Entry Tag** attached. Some classes require additional information — see 4-H/FFA Fair Book for detailed entry requirements for each class. Specific tags are required to be completed and attached to the following exhibits:

- **Home Environment Supporting Information Tag** for each home environment exhibit. Note: “Quilt Designs Other Than Fabric” exhibits also use this tag.
- **Food Preservation Card** for each food preservation item.
- **Photography Data Tag** for each photography exhibit.

4-H Clover Kids (ages 5–7) static exhibits require a Clover Kids Entry Tag.

It is highly encouraged to pick up tags/cards at the Extension office or download at <http://lancaster.unl.edu/4h/fair> and fill them out beforehand, however, tags/cards will be available during check-in. (Exception: Static Exhibit Entry Tag is not available online because it is a carbon-copy triplicate.)

All 4-H/FFA static exhibits will be released on Monday, Aug. 5 from 7–11 a.m. All static exhibits MUST be picked up during release time. Please pick up premium payouts BEFORE picking up static exhibits. Staff at the payout table will provide a list of each 4-Hers static exhibits, which will help families collect all of their projects without leaving any behind.

Interview Judging, July 31

Interview judging is Wednesday, July 31 beginning at 9 a.m. in the Lincoln Room. 4-Hers have the opportunity to talk to judges about their static exhibits and share what was easy, what was challenging and the lessons they learned. 4-Hers also learn what the judge looks for and how to improve skills. 4-Hers may interview judge ONE exhibit from each project area. Refer to page 19 of the Fair Book for project areas which have interview judging. **To sign up members for a five-minute time slot, call the Extension office at 402-441-7180 between July 8 and 26.** If slots are still available, you may sign up during Static Exhibit Check-in on Tuesday, July 30, 4–8 p.m.

Clover Kids Show & Tell, Aug. 4

All Clover Kids, youth ages 5–7 by Jan. 1, 2019, are invited to show & tell one of their 4-H exhibits or a small animal during Clover Kids Show & Tell on Sunday, Aug. 4 in the Lincoln Room, Clover Kids exhibit area (15-minute time slots run from 1–2:45 p.m.). Clubs may show a group project or perform a short skit or song. See page 12 of the Fair Book for more information. To sign up for a time slot, call 402-441-7180 between July 8 and July 26. If slots are still available, you may sign up on Tuesday, July 30, 4–8 p.m. at the Clover Kids static exhibit check-in table in the Lincoln Room.

4-H Clover Kids Animal Showmanship

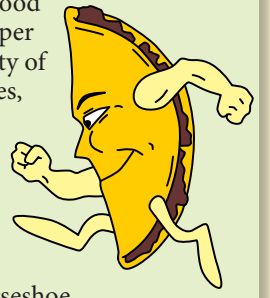
Due to state 4-H policy, Lancaster County 4-H will no longer offer Peewee Showmanship. Most 4-H/FFA livestock shows will now offer 4-H Clover Kids Showmanship for 4-H members ages 5 through 7 (by January 1 of the current year). Participants must be enrolled in Lancaster County 4-H by June 15 as a Clover Kid — need not be signed up in an animal project. Listen to livestock show announcers for instructions on how 4-H Clover Kids may participate. The Nebraska 4-H policy is online at <https://4h.unl.edu/policy-handbook/section-16>.

Livestock Judging Contest, Aug. 4

A 4-H/FFA Livestock Judging Contest will be held Sunday, Aug. 4, noon–2 p.m. in Pavilion 1. Register by Thursday, Aug. 1, 6 p.m. in the Livestock Office at the fair. Come join the fun judging livestock and bring your parents! There will be a short orientation before the contest, outlining how to fill out the judging cards and where to answer questions for those who have never judged before. Youth may judge as individuals or teams. Teams will consist of four youth and one adult.

Support 4-H by Eating at Clover Cafe/ Horseshoe Cafe

4-H Council's food stand during the Super Fair features a variety of snacks and beverages, including the popular “Walking Taco,” snow cones and cotton candy!



The Clover Cafe (in the Lincoln Room) and the Horseshoe Cafe (in the Multipurpose Arena) will be open Aug. 1–4, 10 a.m.–9 p.m.

The food stand is Lancaster County 4-H Council's primary fundraiser. Proceeds support 4-H youth programs, activities and scholarships.

Chicken Dinner & Silent Auction, Aug. 2

Lancaster County 4-H Council is hosting a Chicken Dinner on Friday, Aug. 2, 5:30–7:30 p.m. at the Exhibit Hall - Lancaster County Farm Bureau Room (during the 4-H Table Setting Contest). Dinner features Raising Cane's chicken fingers hot off their food truck, tasty side dishes, dessert and a drink! This is a fundraiser for 4-H. Advance tickets are \$8 at the Extension office before the fair or at the 4-H food stand during the fair. Tickets at the door are \$9. Cash or check only.

A silent auction will be held during the Chicken Dinner to help raise funds for 4-H. Top bidders may pay for and pick up items after 7:30 p.m. Cash or check only.

Volunteers Needed

Lancaster County 4-H asks for adults and youth ages 8 and up to help 4-H during the Lancaster County Super Fair. If you, someone from your club or an interested volunteer would like to help, contact the Extension office at 402-441-7180. Help is needed:

- **IN THE 4-H FOOD STAND** (ages 8 and up) from Wednesday, July 31 through Sunday, August 4 (sign up online at <http://go.unl.edu/foodstandsignup>). All volunteers are strongly encouraged to attend a food stand training on Sunday, July 28, 5 p.m. at the Lancaster Event Center – Lincoln Room.
- **WITH STATIC EXHIBIT SET-UP** (ages 8 and up) on Sunday, July 28, 5:30 p.m., in the Lincoln Room. Pizza will be served to the volunteers after set-up.
- **DURING JUDGING OF STATIC EXHIBITS** (ages 12 and up) on Wednesday, July 31.

The Lancaster County Ag Society invites 4-H/FFA exhibitors and their families (ages 5 and up) to participate in the 4-H/FFA Family Volunteer Fun Days to help with fairgrounds setup on Monday, July 29 and Tuesday, July 30, 4–10 p.m. Sign up at <http://SuperFair.org/GetInvolved> by July 20. Meal and beverages provided!



The 2019 Nebraska State Fair will be Friday, Aug. 23–Monday, Sept. 2 at Fonner Park in Grand Island! For a schedule of 4-H activities at the state fair and more, go to <http://4h.unl.edu/state-fair>

Static Exhibit Entries

At the Super Fair, 4-H static exhibits will be selected for the Nebraska State Fair by the judges in the respective areas. A state fair sticker will be placed on all exhibits selected for State Fair along with a detailed State Fair instruction sheet.

Animal Entries Due Aug. 10

Animal exhibitors (4-H ages 10–18, FFA ages 10–21) are eligible to participate at the Nebraska State Fair regardless of county fair placing. 4-H/FFA youth or their families must submit their animal entries in ShoWorks online before Saturday, Aug. 10, 8 p.m. Information, instructions and link to register are at <https://4h.unl.edu/state-fair/live-animal-exhibitor>. Lancaster County Extension staff will NOT collect State Fair animal entries or entry fees.

4-H Exhibitor Tickets

New in 2019: 4-H youth exhibiting static exhibits at the Nebraska State Fair will order advance discount tickets directly from the Nebraska State Fair. Discount tickets will no longer be available through the county offices. Details on ordering tickets will be available soon.

All livestock exhibitors and in-person event exhibitors (contests, fashion show, presentations) will still be able to order discounted tickets when they enter in ShoWorks for State Fair. Additional information is available in the State Fair Operations Handbook at <https://go.unl.edu/sfjhb>.