



**Ottawa County 4-H Newsletter**

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**Featured**

4-H Re-Enrollment   
 Youth In Action   
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 Ottawa County Fair Results

<p><b>This Month's Events:</b>  <b>Sept. 1—4-H Enrollment Opens for 2024-2025</b>  <b>Sept. 2 – TSF Contest Entry Deadline</b>  <u><b>Sept. 2 – Office Closed/Labor Day</b></u>  <b>Sept. 3-6—</b>Read an Accurate Ag Book Week, SR and INT members.  <u><b>Sept. 4—Youth In Action Registration Due</b></u></p>	<p><b>Sept. 9 – 4-H Leader's Meeting</b>  <u><b>Sept. 11—Tulsa State Fair Dutch Oven &amp; Cupcake Wars Sign-up Due</b></u>  <b>Sept. 20 – Indoor Exhibit Entry Deadline</b>  <b>Sept. 24 – 4-H TSF Judging Day</b>  <b>Sept. 26-Oct. 6 – Tulsa State Fair</b>  <b>Sept. 28—TSF Cupcake Wars Contest @ 1:00 PM</b></p>
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**Thank you for your 2023-2024 4-H Enrollment!**

We had a great year and we look forward to another one with you! Our total enrollment for 2023-2024 was a whooping 134 members and volunteers! Thank you for helping us expand this program in Ottawa County! Let's strive to invite more to join this next year!

**4-H Re-Enrollment**

Remember to enroll in 4-H for the 2024-2025 year! This is the last newsletter that will go to the 2023-2024 email list! 4-H'ers MUST be enrolled for 30 days before they can compete or attend camp under 4-H. Submit your enrollment to participate in upcoming events like Youth In Action. Enrollment is still done through ZSuite.



**Youth In Action**

7th-12th graders are now invited to attend the Youth in Action Leadership Camp at the Fin and Feather Resort in Gore, OK. The camp will be held from **October 16th-18th, 2024**. YIA is an exciting leadership camp for 4-H'ers from Oklahoma's Northeast District. Delegates will help with an impactful community service project and experience the stories of motivational speakers. YIA is full of fun games, workshops, and nightly dances! Sports Tournaments in Volleyball, Basketball, Horseshoes, and Cornhole are available to participate in during the camp. YIA allows participants to meet other 4-H'ers from the Northeast Area, as well. Don't miss out on this awesome opportunity!

Registration forms are due **September 4th, 2024**. Cost is **\$125**.

**Tulsa State Fair Contests**

**Dutch Oven Cooking:** Teams consist of 3 youth, they can be in 3rd-12th grade. There are no age divisions for this contest. Teams will create a main dish, side dish, and dessert in a Dutch Oven! Teams will have 3 hours to complete all 3 dishes This year's must have ingredients are a dish with beef and a dessert with strawberries.

**Cupcake Wars:** Teams consist of 2-3 youth, they can be in 3rd-12th grade. Juniors are 3rd-7th grade. Seniors are 8th-12th grade. Teams will decorate 3 cupcakes for show. Teams will have 30 minutes to decorate and clean-up.

**Sign up for each contest is due by September 11th, 2024. We will have a practice date for the contests.**

**FUTURE 4-H EVENTS**

**Sept. 26-Oct. 6** – Tulsa State Fair

**Oct. 14** – **Office Closed/Columbus Day**

**Oct. 16-18** – Youth In Action Conference

**Nov. 5-Jan.18th**—Giving Tree Exhibit

**Nov. 9**—Oklahoma Dog Rally Invitational (Virtual)

**Nov. 11**—**Office Closed/Veteran's Day**, Veteran's Day Parade

**Nov. 16**—Horse Science Academy, Stillwater

**Nov. 23**—4-H Achievement Celebration & Fundraiser

**Nov. 28-29**—**Office Closed/ Thanksgiving**

**Achievement Celebration & Fundraiser**

It will soon be time for the Achievement Celebration! This Celebration is an awards ceremony for 4-H'ers who submitted a record book. We also recognize individuals who represented 4-H at District and State events including the Pecan Food Show, Tulsa State Fair, and Oklahoma Youth Expo. All Ottawa County members are welcome to come to the Achievement Celebration to support their fellow 4-H'ers. You may receive recognition for something you have done!

The 4-H Fundraiser is held shortly after the Achievement Celebration. A silent auction is held during the day's events but the main fundraiser is a "stick party". Participants buy bid sticks and use the sticks to bet. Each bet costs a quarter. The sticks are all numbered and have a matching coin with the same number. The auctioneer will ask who wants to bet their sticks on the item. Participants can bet however many sticks they have. The sticks that have a bet are "live", while the number is being drawn participants hold up these sticks. Sticks without a bet are "dead", leave these sticks on the table while the number is being drawn. A number is drawn for each item, whoever has that "live" stick wins the item. If the number drawn is a "dead" stick, the number will be drawn again until it is won by a "live" stick. New bets are placed with each item!

This is a fun fundraiser for everyone, be sure to save all your quarters and come participate. Please collect items for both the silent auction and "stick party".

## Giving Tree Exhibit

Last year, the Giving Tree Exhibit was held for the first time by the Dobson Museum on Miami Main Street. Ottawa County 4-H participated in the event and decorated a 4-H themed Christmas tree that was displayed. The tree had 4-H promotion on it and there was a donation box place near the tree. We are taking ideas for our exhibit next year. Keep the 4-H theme in mind and present different decoration ideas. Submit your ideas to [spirit.cox@okstate.edu](mailto:spirit.cox@okstate.edu).

## Ottawa County OSU Extension Staff

We have added on new staff this year! We want to reintroduce everyone and explain some of what their job entails so you know who to contact.

**Kathy Enyart—County Extension Director, Family and Consumer Science Educator, 4-H Youth Development Educator.** Kathy organizes and offers programming in both FCS and 4-H. Her FCS programs includes advising the Ottawa County Home and Community Education groups, Co-Parenting Classes, Poverty Simulations, Food Nutrition, and more. Kathy can perform canning pressure cooker tests at the office. She holds classes for sewing, painting barn quilts, and cookie decorating. For 4-H, Kathy writes grants for our program and attends camps with our youth. She organizes events like our county contests and trips.

**Jamie Foster—(FRTEP) Family and Consumer Science Educator, 4-H Youth Development Educator.** Jamie is our newest hire. She came back to our office after 2 years in a different company. Jamie has 10 years of previous experience with our Extension office. She has been the Program Assistant and Support Specialist and is now an Educator. Jamie will be bringing new 4-H programming to our county. She is striving to build our program and reaching more youth. She wants to provide more 4-H experience for those enrolled!

**Reba Palmer—Agriculture Educator, 4-H Youth Development Educator.** Reba has been with our office for 1 year as of July 17th. She focuses on Ag programming like Cowgirl Confident, Pesticide conferences, Poultry Waste Management conferences, Cattlewoman's Boot Camp, and much more. Reba performs in office nitrate tests. She does field visits to collect samples from farms to send to the OSU Laboratory. Once results are back, she analyzes them and offers suggestions for the clients. Reba's 4-H programming includes attending camps with youth and organizing classes. Reba also offers help with youth's livestock projects.

**Samantha Williams—CNEP Nutrition Education Assistant.** Samantha was hired in March of 2024. Her position of part of a District program. Samantha offers healthy nutrition classes to individuals of all ages. Some classes are Fresh Start and KIK it up. Samantha pairs with other groups of our community to hold classes such as the Boys and Girls Club and the Miami Public Library. She has attended many Farmer's Market to share her classes and hold mini classes. If you are interested in attending a class with Samantha, get in touch with her by calling the office or emailing. [samantha.williams14@okstate.edu](mailto:samantha.williams14@okstate.edu).

**Donna Richard—Extension Administrative Support Specialist.** Donna takes care of our Extension finances. 4-H enrollment fees and camp fees are received by her. Donna gathers the registration forms and sign-up information of most programs. She sends off our 4-H registration forms for camps and contests. She helps with the purchases of 4-H and office supplies. Donna helps use get ready for our 4-H programs and orders our awards. She takes in the award sponsors for 4-H events and for the fair! If you are interested in sponsoring an award at the fair or for a 4-H award, contact Donna!

**Spirit Cox—Extension Program Assistant.** Spirit helps with all of our educators programming. She creates flyers for events and publishes information on the Extension Facebook page and Extension website. Spirit handles to ZSuite website, if you have any questions about ZSuite or 4-H, she can help!

## Ottawa County Fair

The Ottawa County Fair has once again come to an end. We had a total of 272 exhibitors in the livestock shows, youth contests, and indoor exhibits. There were 1,148 Open Indoor Exhibits, 338 4-H Indoor Exhibits, and 39 FFA Indoor Exhibits in the Exhibition Building. In the livestock barn, there were 126 swine, 7 dairy, 38 sheep, 59 goats, and 54 beef animals. In the Poultry and Rabbit barn, we had 93 birds and 28 rabbits! Our fair was a blast, thank you to everyone who participated and to all of those who supported the exhibitors!

Thank you to all of our 4-H exhibitors and volunteers for helping make this year's fair run smoothly! Be sure to thank a fairboard member (or all of them) for their hard work, as well. Remember to write your "Thank you" cards to the award sponsors and send them as soon as you can! We appreciate those individuals and want to recognize them. Also, be sure to come by the office and pick up your placing checks! They are available for all exhibitors so tell your friends, too!

### Fair Results:

#### **Tractor Driving**

Senior Champion—Kolton Harris, Quapaw FFA  
Junior Champion—Charles Harris, Quapaw FFA

Reserve Champion—Zach McMain, Miami FFA  
Reserve Champion—Lane Wayland, Afton 4-H

#### **Dog Show**

Showmanship Top Exhibitor—Jace Rigg-Austin, Miami 4-H  
Obedience Top Exhibitor—Holland Lewis, Fairland 4-H  
Agility Top Exhibitor—Hadessah Lewis, Fairland 4-H  
Rally Top Exhibitor—Jace Riggs-Austin, Miami 4-H  
Top Senior Dog Quiz—Jace-Riggs-Austin, Miami 4-H  
Top Junior Dog Quiz—Holland Lewis, Fairland 4-H  
Top PeeWee Dog Quiz—Hadessah Lewis, Fairland 4-H  
Overall Supreme Handler—Holland Lewis, Fairland 4-H

#### **Horse Show**

##### **7 & Under**

Showmanship—Seger Dugan, Afton 4-H  
Flags—Burkley Evans, Open Youth  
Stakes—Burkley Evans, Open Youth  
All Around—Burkley Evans, Open Youth

Barrels—Jessalynn Dry, Fairland 4-H  
Poles—Burkley Evans, Open Youth

Reserve All Around—Jessalynn Dry, Fairland 4-H

##### **8-11**

Showmanship—Kolton Newton, Wyandotte 4-H  
Flags—Kolton Newton, Wyandotte 4-H  
Stakes—Hadley Wyrick, Open Youth  
All Around—Kolton Newton, Wyandotte 4-H

Barrels—Kolton Newton, Wyandotte 4-H  
Poles—Hannah Harris, Quapaw 4-H

Reserve All Around—Hadley Wyrick, Open Youth

##### **12-18**

Showmanship—Payton Finn, Open Youth  
Flags—Jarín Cox, Miami FFA/4-H  
Stakes—Jarín Cox, Miami FFA/4-H  
All Around—Jarín Cox, Miami FFA/4-H

Barrels—Jarín Cox, Miami FFA/4-H  
Poles—Jarín Cox, Miami FFA/4-H

Reserve All Around—Callie Oakley, Fairland 4-H

**Poultry Show**

Champion Large Fowl—Kailyn Woods, Fairland 4-H  
 Champion Bantam—Mason Oakley, Fairland 4-H  
 Champion Waterfowl—Payton Finn, Miami 4-H  
 Champion of Barn—Mason Oakley, Fairland 4-H

Reserve Large Fowl—Kailyn Woods, Fairland 4-H  
 Reserve Bantam—Slade Dixon, Quapaw FFA  
 Reserve Waterfowl—Payton Finn, Miami 4-H  
 Reserve Bird of Barn—Payton Finn, Miami 4-H

**Rabbit Show**

Champion Buck—Kaylyn Wise, Fairland 4-H  
 Champion Doe—Mason Bradley, Quapaw 4-H

Reserve Buck—Kody Spotts, Miami 4-H  
 Reserve Doe—Kenzi Price, Miami FFA

**Swine Show****Breeding Gilt Show**

Champion Berkshire—Jace Fent, Wyandotte FFA  
 Champion Chester White—Payton Issacs, Fairland FFA  
 Champion Duroc—Jace Fent, Wyandotte FFA  
 Champion Hampshire—Case Ellison, Fairland 4-H  
 Champion Poland China—Cooper Ellison, Fairland FFA/4-H  
 Champion Spot—Case Ellison, Fairland 4-H  
 Champion Yorkshire—Jace Fent, Wyandotte FFA  
 Champion Bred & Owned—Yorkshire, Jace Fent, Wyandotte FFA  
 Reserve Bred & Owned—Duroc, Jace Fent, Wyandotte FFA

Reserve Berkshire—Cooper Ellison, Fairland FFA/4-H  
 Reserve Chester—Emma Maple, Miami FFA  
 Reserve Duroc—Dani Douthit, Wyandotte Youth  
 Reserve Hampshire—Acen Earp, Quapaw 4-H  
 Reserve Spot—Skylar Forkner, Fairland FFA  
 Reserve Yorkshire—Payton Issacs, Fairland FFA

Champion Commercial—Cooper Ellison, Fairland FFA/4-H

Reserve Commercial—Chloe Merit, Fairland 4-H

**Supreme Gilt—Yorkshire, Jace Fent, Wyandotte FFA**

**Reserve Gilt—Spot, Case Ellison, Fairland FFA**

**Market Show**

Champion AOB—Spot, Nakaya Lawson, Fairland FFA  
 Champion Berkshire—Carter Ramsey, Fairland 4-H  
 Champion Duroc—Chloe Clapp, Wyandotte FFA  
 Champion Hampshire—Clay McCoin, Afton FFA  
 Champion Yorkshire—Carley Clapp, Wyandotte 4-H  
 Champion Cross—Skylar Forkner, Fairland FFA

Reserve AOB—Poland, Cooper Ellison, Fairland FFA  
 Reserve Berkshire—Hunter Wieneke, Wyandotte FFA  
 Reserve Duroc—Jace Fent, Wyandotte FFA  
 Reserve Hampshire—Jose Padron, Wyandotte FFA  
 Reserve Yorkshire—Dalton Siegrist, Wyandotte 4-H  
 Reserve Cross—Clay McCoin, Afton FFA

**Grand Champion Market—Cross, Skylar Forkner, Fairland FFA**

**Reserve Champion Market—Cross, Clay McCoin, Afton FFA**

**Junior Showmanship—Chloe Merit, Paizlee Jones**

**Senior Showmanship—Cooper Ellison, Jose Padron**

**Dairy Show****Dairy Cattle**

Champion Jersey—Skylar Forkner, Fairland FFA  
 Champion Milking Shorthorn—Trust Forrest, Fairland 4-H

Reserve Jersey—Chloe Merit, Fairland 4-H

**Supreme Dairy—Jersey, Skylar Forkner, Fairland FFA**

**Reserve Dairy—Jersey, Chloe Merit, Fairland 4-H**

Junior Showmanship—Chloe Merit

Senior Showmanship—Skylar Forkner

**Dairy Goat**

Champion Alpine—Holand Lewis, Fairland 4-H  
 Champion Lamancha—Fayth Couch, Quapaw 4-H

Champion Nubian—Fayth Couch, Quapaw 4-H  
 Champion Toggenburg—Caytie Couch, Quapaw FFA

**Supreme Dairy Goat—Toggenburg, Caytie Couch, Quapaw FFA**

**Reserve Dairy Goat—Alpine, Holland Lewis, Fairland 4-H**

**Junior Showmanship—Fayth Couch**

**Senior Showmanship—Caytie Couch**

## Sheep Show

### Breeding Ewe Show

Champion Hampshire—Sophia Rexwinkle, Miami 4-H

Champion Natural—Brynlee Victor, Afton 4-H

Champion Speckle—Sutton Gaines, Afton 4-H

Champion Suffolk—Ivy Lipps, Miami FFA

Champion Cross—Sophia Rexwinkle, Miami FFA

Reserve Hampshire—Kendal Spriggs, Afton FFA

Reserve Cross—Addison Dugan, Afton FFA/4-H

**Supreme Ewe—Hampshire, Sophia Rexwinkle, Miami 4-H**

**Reserve Ewe—Cross, Sophia Rexwinkle, Miami 4-H**

### Market Show

Champion Hampshire—Sophia Rexwinkle, Miami 4-H

Champion Natural—Kendal Spriggs, Afton FFA

Champion Shropshire—Ivy Lipps, Miami FFA

Champion Suffolk—Joslyn Stovall, Wyandotte 4-H

Champion Cross—Sophia Rexwinkle, Miami FFA

Reserve Hampshire—Ivy Lipps, Miami FFA

Reserve Natural—Kailyn Woods, Fairland 4-H

Reserve Shropshire—Aiden Victor, Afton FFA

Reserve Suffolk—Cade Wheeler, Afton FFA

Reserve Cross—Kendal Spriggs, Afton FFA

**Grand Champion Market—Shropshire, Ivy Lipps, Miami FFA**

**Reserve Champion Market—Cross, Sophia Rexwinkle, Miami 4-H**

**Junior Showmanship—Sawyer Gaines, Corbin Brown**

**Senior Showmanship—Ivy Lipps, Gracie Smith**

## Goat Show

### Breeding Meat Goat Show

Division 1 Champion—Raimey Williams, Afton 4-H

Division 2 Champion—Katee Shouse, Afton FFA

**Supreme Breeding Meat Goat—Raimey Williams, Afton 4-H**

**Reserve Breeding Meat Goat—Katee Shouse, Afton FFA**

Division 1 Reserve—Ruby Williams, Afton 4-H

Division 2 Reserve—Lexi Merrit, Miami FFA

### Market Show

Division 1 Champion—Gracie Smith, Wyandotte FFA/4-H

Division 2 Champion—Brylee Roberts, Afton FFA

Division 3 Champion—Gracie Cook, Afton FFA

**Grand Champion Market—Gracie Cook, Afton FFA**

**Reserve Champion Market—Brylee Roberts, Afton FFA**

**Junior Showmanship—Kenadee Shouse, Raelynn Wright**

Division 1 Reserve—Alexander Nuñez, Afton FFA

Division 2 Reserve—Gracie Smith, Wyandotte FFA

Division 3 Reserve—Brylee Roberts, Afton FFA

**Senior Showmanship—Brylee Roberts, Gracie Smith**

## Beef Show

### Breeding Heifer Show

Champion Angus—Nika Henry, Afton FFA

Champion Beefmaster—Harper Rutledge, Miami 4-H

Champion Charolais—Mason Marino, Afton FFA

Champion Gelbvieh—Paisley Knepp, Fairland 4-H

Champion Hereford—Addison Dugan, Afton FFA/4-H

Champion Limousin—Kendal Spriggs, Afton FFA

Champion Red Angus—Addison Dugan, Afton FFA/4-H

Champion Shorthorn—Sterling Gillette, Afton FFA

Champion Simmental—Chase Wheeler, Afton FFA

Champion Bred & Owned—Caytie Couch

Champion Commercial—Malachi Barnes, Fairland FFA

**Supreme Heifer—Commercial, Malachi Barnes, Fairland FFA**

Reserve Beefmaster—Harper Rutledge, Miami 4-H

Reserve Charolais—Parker Manning, Quapaw 4-H

Reserve Gelbvieh—Grace Anderson, Fairland 4-H

Reserve Hereford—Stella Siegrist, Quapaw 4-H

Reserve Red Angus—Nika Henry, Afton FFA

Reserve Shorthorn—Olivia Gillette, Afton FFA

Reserve Simmental—Tenley Davis, Wyandotte 4-H

Reserve Commercial—Chase Wheeler, Afton FFA



**Beef Show****Breeding Heifer Show**

Reserve Heifer—Angus, Nika Henry, Afton FFA

**Market Show**

Champion Prospect—Ella Shelton, Miami FFA

Champion AOB—Trevor Henry, Afton 4-H

Champion Charolais—Mason Marino, Afton FFA

Champion Maine-Anjou—Lane Wayland, Afton 4-H

Champion Shorthorn—Avery Dugan, Afton FFA/4-H

Champion Simmental—Nika Henry, Afton FFA

Champion Cross—Addison Dugan, Afton FFA/4-H

**Grand Champion Market—AOB, Trevor Henry, Afton 4-H****Reserve Champion Market—AOB, Kinley Hofschulte, Wyandotte 4-H****Junior Showmanship—Harper Rutledge, Cash Cook****Senior Showmanship—Malachi Barnes, Addison Dugan**

Reserve Prospect—Caytie Couch, Quapaw FFA

Reserve AOB—Kinley Hofschulte, Wyandotte FFA

Reserve Charolais—Renee Wayland, Afton FFA

Reserve MaineAnjou—Parker Manning, Quapaw 4H

Reserve Shorthorn—Caytie Couch, Quapaw FFA

Reserve Simmental—Tenley Davis, Wyandotte 4-H

Reserve Cross—Kasin Keith, Afton FFA

**4-H Special Award**

Junior High Point—Dillon Foster, Miami 4-H

Senior High Point—Gracie Smith, Wyandotte 4-H

**Youth Livestock Judging**

Senior High Individual—Gracie Smith, Wyandotte FFA/4-H

Junior High Individual—Case Ellison, Fairland 4-H

Senior High Team—Afton FFA— Alexander Nuñez, Kendal Spriggs, Haily Ervin, Chase Wheeler

**Youth Fitting Contest**

Champion Team—Haily Ervin, Kendal Spriggs, River Barnes, Acen Earp

Reserve Champion Team—Gracie Smith, Harper Lucky, Caytie Couch, Fayth Couch

**Super Showmanship**

Junior Champion—Corbin Brown, Afton 4-H

Junior Reserve Champion—Sawyer Gaines, Afton 4-H

Senior Champion—Gracie Smith, Wyandotte FFA/4-H

Senior Reserve Champion—Brylee Roberts, Afton FFA

**Congratulations to all of the Ottawa County Fair Exhibitors!**

In the next few pages, we want to recognize the all of our 4-H exhibitors at the fair.  
Great job and congratulations to all of you!

### **Tractor Driving 4-H Exhibitor**

Lane Wayland, Afton 4-H

### **Dog Show 4-H Exhibitors**

Jace Riggs-Austin, Miami 4-H

Holland Lewis, Fairland 4-H

Hadessah Lewis, Fairland 4-H

Hope Cox, Miami 4-H

Mason Bradley, Quapaw 4-H

Raylan Bradley, Quapaw 4-H

### **Horse Show 4-H Exhibitors**

Josie Brewster, Wyandotte 4-H

Jarin Cox, Miami FFA/4-H

Callie Oakley, Fairland 4-H

Melanie Oakley, Fairland 4-H

Kinzley Rupert, Quapaw 4-H

Jessalynn Dry, Fairland 4-H

Seeger Dugan, Fairland 4-H

Hope Cox, Miami 4-H

Hannah Harris, Quapaw 4-H

Hadessah Lewis, Fairland 4-H

Kolton Newton, Wyandotte 4-H

Kyrann Newton, Wyandotte 4-H

### **Rabbit 4-H Exhibitors**

Natashia Biddle, Miami 4-H

Mason Bradley, Quapaw 4-H

Morgan Price, Afton 4-H

Kody Spotts, Miami 4-H

Kaylyn Wise, Fairland 4-H

Molly Wise, Fairland 4-H

### **Poultry 4-H Exhibitors**

Kailyn Woods, Fairland 4-H

Gracie Smith, Wyandotte 4-H

Mason Oakley, Fairland 4-H

Kody Spotts, Miami 4-H

Raylan Bradley, Quapaw 4-H

Natashia Biddle, Miami 4-H

### **Market And Breeding Swine 4-H Exhibitors**

Fayth Couch, Quapaw 4-H

Acen Earp, Quapaw 4-H

Case Ellison, Fairland 4-H

Cooper Ellison, Fairland FFA/4-H

Paizlee Jones, Afton 4-H

Trenton Korb, Afton 4-H

Madison Lairson, Wyandotte 4-H

Harper Lucky, Fairland 4-H

Mia Manner, Fairland 4-H

Chloe Merit, Fairland 4-H

Dawson Ramsey, Fairland 4-H

Rory Reynolds, Fairland 4-H

Kolt Alleman, Quapaw 4-H

Jaxson Allemann, Quapaw 4-H

Aydan Carter, Afton 4-H

Carley Clapp, Wyandotte 4-H

Lexi Enyart, Wyandotte 4-H

Destiny Glennen, Wyandotte 4-H

Hannah Harris, Quapaw 4-H

Paizlee Jones, Afton 4-H

Lani Kinsey, Afton FFA/4-H

Samantha Maxson, Fairland 4-H

Carter Ramsey, Fairland 4-H

Kinzley Rupert, Quapaw 4-H

Dalton Siegrist, Wyandotte 4-H

Avery Stovall, Wyandotte 4-H

Ayden Stovall, Wyandotte 4-H

Cale Todd, Afton 4-H

HadLee Todd, Afton 4-H

Jackson Tynon, Wyandotte 4-H





**Dairy Goat and Cattle 4-H Exhibitors**

Trust Forrest, Fairland 4-H  
Chloe Merit, Fairland 4-H  
Fayth Couch, Quapaw 4-H  
Holland Lewis, Fairland 4-H

**Market and Breeding Sheep 4-H Exhibitors**

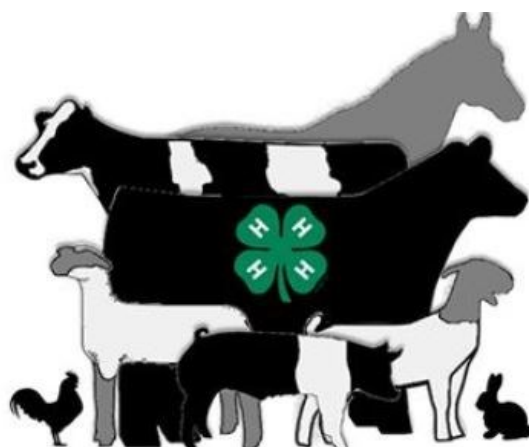
Addison Dugan, Afton FFA/4-H  
Sutton Gaines, Afton 4-H  
Sophia Rexwinkle, Miami 4-H  
Joslyn Stovall, Wyandotte 4-H  
Brynlee Victor, Afton 4-H  
Corbin Brown, Afton 4-H  
Michalyn Coppedge, Afton 4-H  
Sawyer Gaines, Afton 4-H  
Gracie Smith, Wyandotte FFA/4-H  
Jude Wheeler, Afton 4-H  
Kailyn Woods, Fairland 4-H

**Market and Breeding Goat 4-H Exhibitors**

Fayth Couch, Quapaw 4-H  
Kenadee Shouse, Afton 4-H  
Raimey Williams, Afton 4-H  
Ruby Williams, Afton 4-H  
Brooks Wright, Fairland 4-H  
Raelynn Wright, Fairland 4-H  
Melanie Oakley, Fairland 4-H  
Rylie Oakley, Fairland 4-H  
Kinzley Rupert, Quapaw 4-H  
Kenadee Shouse, Afton 4-H  
Gracie Smith, Wyandotte  
FFA/4-H

**Market and Breeding Beef 4-H Exhibitors**

River Barnes, Fairland 4-H  
Cash Cook, Quapaw 4-H  
Tenley Davis, Wyandotte 4-H  
Addison Dugan, Afton FFA/4-H  
Avery Dugan, Afton FFA/4-H  
Trevor Henry, Afton 4-H  
Parker Manning, Quapaw 4-H  
Lane Wayland, Afton 4-H  
Grace Anderson, Fairland 4-H  
Clay Cook, Quapaw 4-H  
Fayth Couch, Quapaw 4-H  
Seger Dugan, Afton 4-H  
Paisley Knepp, Fairland 4-H  
Easton Manning, Quapaw 4-H  
Morgan Marino, Afton 4-H  
Tyler Minson, Wyandotte 4-H  
Harper Rutledge, Miami 4-H  
Sadie Siegrist, Quapaw 4-H  
Stella Siegrist, Quapaw 4-H  
Raimey Williams, Afton 4-H  
Ruby Williams, Afton 4-H



**4-H'ers who made Premium Sale!**

**Trevor Henry**, Afton 4-H, Grand Champion Steer

**Sophia Rexwinkle**, Miami 4-H, Reserve Grand Champion Lamb

**Chloe Merit**, Fairland 4-H, Swine

**Cooper Ellison**, Fairland FFA/4-H, Swine

**Cale Todd**, Afton 4-H, Swine

**Charles Harris**, Quapaw 4-H, Swine

**Case Ellison**, Fairland 4-H, Swine

**Carley Clapp**, Wyandotte 4-H, Swine

**Addison Dugan**, Afton FFA/4-H, Steer

**Avery Dugan**, Afton FFA/4-H, Steer

**River Barnes**, Fairland 4-H, Steer

**Lane Wayland**, Afton 4-H, Steer

**Tenley Davis**, Wyandotte 4-H, Steer

**Raelynn Wright**, Fairland 4-H, Goat

**Kenadee Shouse**, Afton 4-H, Goat

**Gracie Smith**, Wyandotte FFA/4-H, Lamb

**Michalyn Coppedge**, Afton 4-H, Lamb

**Corbin Brown**, Afton 4-H, Lamb

**Dalton Siegrist**, Wyandotte 4-H, Swine

**Ayden Carter**, Afton 4-H, Swine

**Harper Lucky**, Fairland 4-H, Swine

**Acen Earp**, Quapaw 4-H, Swine

**Kinzley Rupert**, Quapaw 4-H, Swine

**Avery Stovall**, Wyandotte 4-H, Swine

**Paizlee Jones**, Afton 4-H, Swine

**Dawson Ramsey**, Fairland 4-H, Swine

**Jackson Tynon**, Wyandotte 4-H, Swine

**Samantha Maxson**, Fairland 4-H, Swine

**Congratulations to these individuals!**



## Active Project Clubs:

### Shooting Sports

- **Shotgun**

- Discussing practices.
- Coaches are Dale Smith.

- **Air Rifle**

- Practices will start soon!
- Coach is Spirit Cox.

- **Archery**

- Practices will resume soon!
- Coaches are Jake & Mindy Wise and TJ Brewster.

- Watch the Ottawa County 4 H Shooting Sports Oklahoma Facebook page for updates.

- **If you know someone who may be interested in leading or helping with any 4-H shooting sports activity please let office know!**



### Horse Club

- Series Dates are posted on Facebook!

- **If you would like to volunteer to help with the series please contact Spirit, we need more help!**

-Contact spirit.cox@okstate.edu and/or watch Facebook for more info.



### Livestock Club

- Ottawa County is wanting to build a Livestock Quizbowl team and offer more opportunities for Livestock Judging and Skill-a-thons.
- Learn more about cattle, sheep, goats, swine, poultry, fish, and horses. We will explore these species through Kahoot games, Trivia, Quizbowl games, Quizlet, etc.!
- Coach is Reba Palmer, contact her if you are interested.

### Teen Leaders

- Jamie Foster is revamping our Ottawa County Teen Leaders and Officers program!
- In this club, young teens learn how to become leaders to youth and peers and prepare them for many different situations as a leader.
- It is open to the Ottawa County Youth Officer Council and 7th-12th graders.
- Be watching for an email with more details.
- For more information, contact Jamie Foster.

**If there is a club that you would like to participate in, please let the office know so we can try to get one organized!**

## 4-H/Cloverbud Meetings

4-H/Cloverbud meetings will resume this month! Dates and times will be posted on our Facebook page and emailed out after the September 9th 4-H Leader's Meeting when club leaders confirm their meetings.

4-H and Cloverbuds attend the same meetings. Meetings consist of a craft/project activity, a snack, and a business-like meeting discussion.

**We need volunteers to be Club Leaders in Commerce and Quapaw! If you are interested, please contact the office! Your help is greatly appreciated!**



## 4-H'ers gear up for leadership development

Oklahoma 4-H'ers have the opportunity to hone their leadership skills, learn new things, engage in community service, make new friends and have fun at the upcoming leadership conferences slated in all three districts.

### **Southeast District**

The Southeast District Leadership Conference is slated for Oct. 16-18 at the Ardmore Convention Center. The conference is open to club members in 7th through 12th grade who are interested in beefing up their leadership skills. This year's theme is Leading Through the Storm.

"Our fall leadership conference will provide club members an opportunity to sharpen their skills as leaders," said Sara Randolph, Southeast District 4-H program specialist. "In addition to leadership-focused workshops, the conference attendees will participate in various community and civic engagement activities."

Participants will have a chance to meet other 4-H enthusiasts from around the district and learn great information to take back home to their local clubs. New district officers will also be elected.

Registration is \$125 and due Sept. 5 For more information, contact your county 4-H Youth Development educator.

### **Northeast District**

Oklahoma 4-H'ers from the Northeast District will gather at the Fin and Feather Resort in Gore, Oklahoma, for their conference slated Oct. 16-18 and open to 7th through 12th grade 4-H'ers. The theme is 4-H Is My Superpower.

"Developing leadership skills is always a part of 4-H, and we'll focus on that this year. We're also planning a fun community service project of bringing school supplies that can be donated to area schools in need," said Leslie Lewis, Northeast District 4-H program specialist. "Our district club members will stay active at this conference with activities such as roller skating, bingo and a sports tournament."

The group will also hear from several guest speakers and elect the 2024-2025 Northeast District officers

Registration is \$125 and due by Sept. 6. Contact your local 4-H educator for more information about this conference.

### **West District**

West District 4-H'ers are gearing up for two days of fun and learning at their leadership conference slated for Oct. 16-18 in Oklahoma City. The theme is Blazing the Leadership Trail!

"Financial literacy is an important life skill and this year's conference will feature workshops geared toward making wise financial choices," said Jim Rhodes, West District 4-H program specialist. "The conference also provides opportunities to work on public speaking skills and several club members will present a citizenship project fair share."

Motivational and leadership speaker Aaron Alejandro will be on hand to share information with 4-H'ers, and the group will also elect their 2024-2025 district officers.

Registration is \$115 and due to the West District office by Sept. 16. County deadlines vary by office, so be sure to check with the local 4-H office in order to meet the deadline.

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