

# Important 4-H Fair Updates and Reminders for 2020

## **4-H PROJECT RECORD SHEETS REQUIRED FOR YOUTH BUILDING ENTRIES (4-H)**

A General Project Record or Cloverbud Project Record AND an Exhibit Tag must accompany each exhibit entered in the Youth Building. *Exception - Only one Project Record is required for: public presentations, table-setting, or Achievement Books.*

To obtain a copy of the General Project Record or Cloverbud Project Record, visit the Extension's web site at [www.ccedelaware.org](http://www.ccedelaware.org) or pick up copies at Cornell Cooperative Extension, Hamden.

## **FAIR BOOK UPDATED**

The 4-H section of the fair book has been updated and has been posted to the Extension's web site at [www.ccedelaware.org](http://www.ccedelaware.org). Be sure to review all sections before entering your animals or Youth Building exhibits.

## **4-H PARADE**

The 4-H parade will take place on Tuesday, August 18, at 6:30 pm. See section 26 for details.

## **4-H PHOTOGRAPHY AND MULTIMEDIA DESIGN – SECTION 22**

New York State 4-H has made changes to the Photography and Multimedia Design section. Be sure to review section 22 before entering your projects in the Youth Building.

## **4-H DAIRY CATTLE**

### **Dual Ownership (NEW RULE)**

Dual ownership between siblings will be allowed as long as ALL of the following criteria are met:

- a. They are bonafide siblings (sister, brother, step-sister, step-brother, half-sister, half-brother, adopted).
- b. All siblings on registration paper of animals are of 4-H age and regular members as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year. Cloverbuds are not eligible. For New York State Fair: entries entered through FFA or endorsed by a breed organization representative will need to follow 4-H rules on age also for the Dairy Youth Show.
- c. One sibling has to designate the animal as their project animal for the project year by June 15 of the current year by filing and completing animal identification form.
- d. Completed animal identification form needs to be filed with appropriate organization (4-H Extension, FFA or Breed Organization) to state youth designation by June 15. A copy of this form also needs to accompany State Fair Dairy Youth Entry form being mailed to Dairy Youth Superintendent along with the other required documents stated on entry form.
- e. Designation cannot change during the program year and animal must be shown and exhibited by designated sibling.
- f. Bred and owned recognition can be given to designated youth as long as dual ownership is a current and legal partnership filed with breed organization.

## **4-H BEEF CATTLE**

Reminder: All 4-H beef cattle must be in place by 5 pm on Sunday, August 16.

NEW for 2020: Minimum weight for auction steers to be entered in the auction is 1,000 pounds.

## **4-H SHEEP REGISTRATION FORMS**

Copies of 4-H sheep registration forms must be included with 4-H sheep entry form, due by July 29.

## **4-H GOAT ENTRY FORMS w/PROOF OF RABIES VACCINATION**

Proof of Rabies vaccination must be included with entry form, due by July 29.



#### **4-H PHOTO ID PASS**

Youth, ages 12 and younger, are admitted to the fairgrounds, FREE.

Passes for enrolled 4-H animal exhibitors and Youth Building 4-H teen assistants that are 13 years of age or older, can receive a FREE photo ID pass to enter the fairgrounds. To obtain a FREE pass, 4-Hers must submit a photo of themselves (preferably a school photo) with their fair entries by Wednesday, July 29. The pass will be good for the entire week of fair and will be available for pick up at either the Youth Building on Sunday, August 16 between 1 and 4 pm, or at Gate B upon entry to the fairgrounds on Monday, August 17.

If a teen received a FREE pass and does not show his or her animal at the fair or help in the Youth Building, he or she will not be able to receive a FREE pass for the 2021 fair season.

4-H photo ID passes will not be issued after July 29.

If a 4-H photo ID pass is lost, the 4-Her will need to purchase a fair pass.

#### **ANIMAL AND YOUTH BUILDING RELEASE TIMES**

1<sup>st</sup> Release: 4-H AUCTION animals may be released FOLLOWING completion of the 4-H Livestock Auction

2<sup>nd</sup> Release: All other SWINE will be release FOLLOWING the release of the auction animals.

3<sup>rd</sup> Release: ALL OTHER ANIMALS and YOUTH BUILDING EXHIBITS must stay in place until 8 pm.