# 2017 Adams County 4-H Calendar

If a deadline falls on a weekend or holiday, items will be accepted the following business day.

**Calendar subject to change! CONFIRM DATE, TIME, AND PLACE!**

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## January

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| 8-14 | **Adams County 4-H Week: Discover Yourself in Adams County 4-H!**  
*Window/displays: Help tell the 4-H story in your community! Put up a 4-H window display, or put up a display at your local library or in your school! Tell us where to find it, and we’ll post some pictures on our Facebook page! All displays should be in place by Noon on Saturday, January 7! (This is not a contest.)* |
| 11   | Small Animal Committee, 4:30 pm, Government Center |
| 11   | Horse Committee, 6:30 pm, Government Center |
| 14   | Child Protection Training for Advisors, “Stewards of Children,” presented by Kim Newman, Prosecutor’s Office. 9-11 am, Government Center |
| 16   | Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – Extension Office closed |
| 16   | Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service, 2-4 pm, Government Center. Make a dog toy to donate to the Adams County Humane Society or a survival bracelet to donate to the Nationwide Children’s Hospital, Columbus. |
| 17   | Annual 4-H Advisor Update and Child Protection Training, 7-9 pm, Government Center |
| 19   | Child Protection Training for Advisors, presented by Carolyn L. Belczyk. 6:30-8 pm, Government Center |
| 27   | **Deadline, 4:00 pm, Extension Office for:**  
*State 4-H Awards applications*  
*Camp Counselor applications* |
| 28   | State 4-H Horse Program Update, OSU (Registration due January 15. [http://www.ohio4h.org/events/state-4-h-horse-advisorvolunteer-training-session](http://www.ohio4h.org/events/state-4-h-horse-advisorvolunteer-training-session) for details.) |
| 28, 29 | Teen Winter Retreat, Canter’s Cave |

## February

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<td>4-H Camp Counselor Interviews, as scheduled, Government Center</td>
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| 15   | **Deadline, 4:00 pm, Extension Office for:**  
*4-H Member and Advisor Enrollment Forms*  
*Payment of Assessments*  
*Cross County Lines Forms*  
*Horse and Dog Permission to Participate Forms*  
*Horse Production Contracts* |
15 **Deadline, 4:00 pm, Extension Office for:**
- Livestock Exhibitor Agreements
- Club Book Orders
- Market Chick, Poult, and Duck Orders
- Candy and Nature’s Vision Orders
- Citizenship Washington Focus applications
- State 4-H Leadership Camp applications

18 Cloverbud Winter Wonderland, 9 am-Noon, Fairgrounds

18, 19 **4-H Making eXtreme Counselors, 4-H Center, Columbus**

20 Shooting Sports Orientation, 6:30-8 pm, Fairgrounds

24 **Deadline, 4:00 pm, Extension Office for:**
- Adams Co 4-H, Matt Baker, and Chad Downing Scholarship applications

**March**

1 Kick-off for countywide “Give a Hand – Give a Can to Hunger” 4-H Food and Dry Goods Collection to benefit Inter-Faith House; Coordinated by Liberty Farmers.
1 Junior Fair Board, 7 pm, OVCTC
3 Candy Bar Pick-Up, 4:00-5:30 pm, Government Center
3 Club Officers Training, 6-7 pm, OVCTC
3 Adult Session (for parents and advisors), 6:15-6:45 pm, OVCTC
3 4-H Member Dance (All members), 7-9 pm, OVCTC
4 Candy Bar Pick-Up, 10 am-Noon, Extension Office
4 Market Hog Clinic and Quality Assurance, 9:00-Noon, Sr Fair Admin Bldg, Fairgrounds
4 Annual Shooting Sports Fund Raiser Dinner and Cake Auction, 4-7 pm, Fairgrounds
6 Shooting Sports Safety – Mandatory for first year members, 6:30-8 pm, fairgrounds
8 Small Animal Committee, 4:30 pm, Government Center
8 Horse Committee, 6:30 pm, Government Center
9 Scholarship Interviews, as scheduled, Government Center
11 Ohio 4-H Conference, Columbus (Registrations due early February; date TBA)
11 Shooting Sports Safety meeting – Mandatory for first year members, 9-10:30 am, fairgrounds
15 Horse Safety and Ethics Meeting – first year horse project members must attend either this meeting or the one on March 21; 6:30-8:30 pm, Government Center
15 Horse Registration Packet Pick-up, 6:30-8:30 pm, Government Center
18 Goat Clinic and Quality Assurance, 9am-Noon, Sr Fair Admin Bldg, Fairgrounds
18, 19 **4-H Camp Counselor College, Canter’s Cave**
21 Horse Safety and Ethics Meeting – first year horse project members must attend either this meeting or the one on March 15; 6:30-8:30 pm, Government Center
22 Turkey Poult Pick Up – tentative (pending availability/delivery)
25 **Kids College, 9 am-3:30 pm, OVCTC – Classes for all interested 4-H members. Specific class list, schedule, and cost to be determined; lunch included.**
31 Candy Money due, 9 am-Noon, Extension Office

**April**

1 Candy Money due, 9 am-Noon, Extension Office
5 Junior Fair Board, 7 pm, OVCTC
12 Small Animal Committee, 4:30 pm, Government Center
12 Horse Committee, 6:30 pm, Government Center

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13 4-H Advisory Committee, 7 pm, Government Center
16 Easter Sunday
17 **Deadline, 4:00 pm, Extension Office**
   - Market Hog Registration/Tag-In
21 **Deadline, 4:00 pm, Extension Office**
   - Camp Scholarship applications
21, 22 Spring Fling, Canter’s Cave (3rd-6th Graders)
22 Rabbit Clinic and Quality Assurance, 9-11 am, followed by Breeding Rabbit Tattooing (all ages), 11 am-Noon, Youth Show Arena, Fairgrounds
29 Market Animal Tag in, Fairgrounds:
   - Feeder Calves, 8 am - Noon
   - Market Goats, 8-11 am
   - Market Lambs, 11 am - Noon

**May**

TBD  Junior Fair Board meeting
3, 4 Animal Skillathons & Quality Assurance, OVCTC – Skillathons from 3:30-7:30 pm each day; QA from 5-6:30 pm and 7-8:30 pm each day
7  Open House, Noon-4 pm, Canter’s Cave 4-H Camp
10 Small Animal Committee, 4:30 pm, Government Center
10  Horse Committee, 6:30 pm, Government Center
13 Equine Registration Day, 1:30-4:00 pm, Fairgrounds
   - Equine registration, measurements, pictures, and horse camp registration
17 Chick and Duck Clinic, 6-6:30 pm followed by Market Chick and Market Duck Pick Up, 6:30-7:30 pm, Fairgrounds (Note: Clinic does not satisfy Quality Assurance requirements.)
19 **Deadline, 4:00 pm, Extension Office for:**
   - Camp registrations and fees
29 Memorial Day – Extension Office closed
30 Cloverbud Fun Day, 9 am-2 pm, Fairgrounds
31 Check-in for Horse Camp, 4-8 pm, Fairgrounds

**June**

TBD  Junior Fair Board meeting
1  **Deadline, 4:00 pm, Extension Office for:**
   - Communications Contest entries
   - Breeding (beef, dairy and meat goat, sheep, swine, dairy, and rabbit) entries
   - Poultry (fancy, production, water fowl, fancy ducks, and geese, misc. birds)
   - Baking Contest entries
   - Club Booth entries
   - Fur & Feather Ambassador Program applications
   - Fair Queen Contest applications
1  Last day to submit proof of QA in order to exhibit livestock at the Fair.
1, 2 Horse Camp, Fairgrounds
3 Horse Camp Fun Show, 9 am, Fairgrounds
5-7 STEM Camp, Canter’s Cave
8-11 Beginner Camp, Canter’s Cave (Grades 3-5) with Adams, Highland, Brown, Lawrence, and Meigs Counties
14 Small Animal Committee, 4 pm, Government Center
14 Horse Committee, 6:30 pm, Government Center
12 Animal Skillathons Make-Up, 4-7 pm, Government Center (does NOT include QA Make-Up). Last day to complete Skillathons in order to exhibit at the Fair.
15 Market Rabbit (Fryer) Tattooing, 6-8 pm, Fairgrounds
16 **Deadline, Noon, Extension Office**
   • Writing and Reporting for Teens and Creative Writing project submissions
16, 17 Cloverbud Overnighter – Canter’s Cave
19-22 Junior High Camp, Canter’s Cave
20 Ohio State Fair Junior Livestock Entries due to Fair Office in Columbus
23-26 Teen Camp, Canter’s Cave
24 PAS Show, 10 am, Fairgrounds (tentative)
25-July 1 Citizenship – Washington Focus, National 4-H Center, Chevy Chase MD- Cost TBA
27 Pre-Fair Judging (All Non-Livestock Projects including Foods and Clothing), 9 am-4 pm; see schedule for specific project judging times; Location TBA.
29 Pre-Fair Judging Make-Up, 1-3 pm, Extension Office and Communications Contest, 4 pm, Government Center
30 Fair Queen Contest Interviews (Date, place, and time TBA)
30 Last day of horse club ride nights at the fairgrounds before Fair
30-July 2 Shooting Sports Camp, Junior; (Ages 9-12), Canter’s Cave - $225

**July**
4 Independence Day – Extension Office closed
5 Junior Fair Board Work Day, 9 am, Fairgrounds
5 Small Animal Committee Work Night, 4:30 pm, Fairgrounds
5 Horse Committee Meeting and Work Night, 6:30 pm, Fairgrounds
6 Junior Fair Board Work Day, 9 am-Noon, Fairgrounds
6 Junior Fair Board meeting, Noon, Fairgrounds
8 Junior Fair Office open, 9 am-9 pm, Fairgrounds
9-13 State 4-H Leadership Camp, Camp Ohio – cost TBA
9-15 **Adams County Fair** (detailed schedule available in fairbook)
   Junior Fair Board Office is open from 8 am-9 pm (or end of last show) daily
   Junior Fair Board meeting, Jr Fair Office
17-21 Leadership – Washington Focus, National 4-H Center, Chevy Chase MD- Cost TBA
23-28 Shooting Sports Camp, Senior; (Ages 12-18), Canter’s Cave - $325

**August**
9 Horse Committee, 6:30 pm, Government Center

**September**
TBD 4-H Recognition event
1 **Deadline, 4:00 pm, Extension Office for:**
   • Junior Fair Board applications (4-H, At-Large)
   • 4-H Advisory Committee applications
   • 4-H Small Animal Committee applications
   • 4-H Horse Committee applications

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<td>- Club Scrapbooks and Honor Club applications</td>
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<td>Farm Science Review</td>
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<td>- ALL suggestions for 2018 Jr Fair rule, awards, and procedure changes.</td>
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