

Johnson County Hoofprints

June/July Newsletter

June 26, 2023

- Fair deadlines—
 - Fair Entries (online) for County Fair classes (<http://johnsoncountyindiana.fairentry.com/>)
 - Record Sheets (online) due by July 1st to complete the project and show at county fair.

Grades 3-5 : <https://bit.ly/436v1X8> ■ Grades 6-8 : <https://bit.ly/42Pxp4z> ■ Grades 9-12 : <https://bit.ly/3MC19wi>

- Stall request forms due July 1 if wanting to stall at fair. (<https://forms.gle/f6iYxi1qcTGawmut7>)

Mini 4-H Horse and Pony

Mini 4-H Horse and Pony Mini 4-Hers Must be enrolled in mini to show at the county fair. They must show an animal that is already at the fairgrounds—no bringing your own animal. A family member 18 or older must be the handler for the horse. You must still complete the poster project and turn in at mini judging on July 13 to show a horse. There is a waiver/form that must be turned in with the poster in order to show. See the extension office with questions.

Vaccination Reports

Must COMPLETE, including proof of purchase or vet signature, and carry to ALL 4-H events. MUST be on file with leaders before the horse gets off trailer at first clinic, show, and/or fair, whichever comes first. ****Must be a copy of Purdue form--NOT just a receipt from vet.

Club Reports

Award applications are available online! Awards are: Spirit of 4- H, most improved, sportsmanship! All nominations due to Stephanie Dunn by the last day of the fair. ● Poster Foam Boards and Plastic Sleeves-- available at Extension Office

Upcoming Activities

6/29--western/reining clinic 7pm 7/6--practice show at 6pm 7/8--fairgrounds clean up 1pm

POINT SYSTEM--Make sure to check the handbook for all the ways you earn points!

Hoofprints Scholarship--Seniors! Don't forget about the online and/or paper versions of the Hoofprints Scholarship Application! \$500 scholarship will be presented at the awards day on Saturday of fair. Due June 30.



Class Sponsor Forms—Please consider asking businesses, family, and friends to sponsor our fair classes! All money raised goes directly to our members for special awards at fair and our year end banquet. All forms earn members points and are due July 7.

Fair 2023 Schedule—

Sunday, July 16th 9am –Western Division

Monday, July 17th 9am–Trail, Costume, Musical Freestyle Division

Tuesday, July 18th 9am– English Division

Wednesday, July 19th 9am–Contesting Division

Thursday, July 20th 9am–Versatility Contest (pizza party to follow for all club members/families) Thursday, July 20th 7pm–fun show

DUE JULY 1—Fair entries (www.fairentry.com)

DUE JULY 1—record sheets (see google form in email)

DUE JULY 1—stall request forms (coming out soon)

DUE JULY 7—Class sponsor forms (Pick up a paper copy tonight! Will also be emailed out.)

Fair Entry Tips—Each horse that you plan on showing at fair must have at least one class entered in Fair Entry by July 1 (even back up horses that may not end up coming!) We can add and scratch classes as needed at fair as long as that horse is enrolled in one class.

Community Service—Keep bringing canned food items to clinics, and each day of the fair! Help Johnson County 4-H Fight the Hunger and Stock the Trailer!

Practice Show, Costume Class, Musical Freestyle, Fun Show, Versatility, Best Decorated Stall, Golden Pitchfork—Check email for info/rules for all classes!

Stick Horse classes—fun show! Bring your stick horse! Or bring supplies and make one after the pizza party in the shelter house! You can make one out of a pool noodle, broomstick, or another one you may already have at home.

New for 2023! 4-H Alumni Showmanship! Tuesday following the english show. Open to all 4-H Alum! Must use a current Johnson County 4-H enrolled horse. <https://forms.gle/TaEbQ9RFbjGsJk49>

Stall Requests for Fair—Reminder—you must fill out the stall request form by July 1 to be considered for stalls. Number of stalls requested on form is not a guarantee that you will get that number of stalls due to having way more horses and members than stalls available. No tack stalls will be given. If you do not receive the stalls needed, you will be allowed to haul horses in and out. Have a back up plan!

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