



4-H Newsletter

4-H Updates

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Upcoming Events

May 20: Deadline to Register for the UNL Livestock Judging Camp

May 23: Colfax, Butler, and Platte County Livestock Judging Contest at the Fairgrounds in Leigh, Nebraska

May 23: Face-to-Face YQCA Training immediately following the Livestock Judging Contest awards

Office Closed

The Extension Office will be closed Monday, May 27 for Memorial Day and Wednesday, June 19 in observance of Juneteenth Day.

4HOnline Emails

FYI, emails sent from our office through 4HOnline are coming from RegMax. Please do not delete and be sure to read these emails as they contain important updates.

Camp Scholarships

4-H Youth are encouraged to apply for a camp scholarship sponsored by the 4-H Council. The 4-H Council would like for you to complete the application for a 4-H Camp Scholarship that is included at the end of this newsletter and return it to the Extension Office. The 4-H Council will provide 2/3 of the camp cost. Some options are:

- Nebraska 4-H Summer Camps
- Livestock Judging Camp, Lincoln
- Big Red Summer Academic Camps

4-H'ers who did not receive a camp scholarship in 2023 will have first priority, but all 4-H'ers are encouraged to apply. To see full camp descriptions and to register online go to: <https://4h.unl.edu/camps-summer>

Deadline for the camp scholarships is June 1, 2024.

Livestock Judging Contest

The 2024 Colfax, Butler, and Platte County Livestock Judging Contest will be held May 23rd at the fairgrounds in Leigh. Registration is at 8:30 a.m.

4-H Diamond Clover Recognition

Colfax County will recognize 4-H'ers through the Diamond Clover program. 4-H'ers will be recognized for their accomplishments and life skills development. This is available to all 4-H'ers, regardless of age. There are six levels of recognition. A short form needs to be completed when you sign up for 4-H this year and the rest of the form will be completed in September. For more information, contact the Extension Office. Club leaders have also received information on the 4-H Diamond Clover Recognition Program.



Livestock Progress Shows Mailing List

All livestock exhibitors are encouraged to attend a Progress Show prior to the County Fair. This serves as good practice for both the exhibitor and their animals.

Contact the Extension Office if you want to be on the mailing list for 4-H Livestock Progress Shows. The information about progress shows will be sent only to those who notify us that they want the information.

We do not carry names over from last year's list. So, if you want to receive progress show information, give us a call.

Colfax County 2024 4-H Summer Workshops

We are so excited for a summer filled with fun learning opportunities! Attached to the newsletter are advertisements for all our 2024 Summer Workshops. Please call the Colfax County Extension Office at: (402) 352-3821 with any questions regarding these learning experiences, or to sign up.

Livestock Showmanship Reminder

Animals shown for showmanship, must also be shown in another class. Exhibitors cannot bring an animal just for showmanship.

Upcoming Fair Changes for 2024

Please note, that both the show and check in times have changed for **poultry** at the 2024 Colfax County Fair.

Check-in will now be on both Wednesday and Thursday of the fair.

Check-in times for Wednesday, July 17 are from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Check-in times for Thursday, July 18 are from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

The show will be held on Saturday, July 20 beginning at 8:00 a.m.



Home Environment Changes

When preparing for the Colfax County Fair in 2024, please note that Home Environment is now Home Design and Restoration. Please be sure to read and pay attention to your fair book when pre-entering exhibits. There are multiple changes, especially in Visual Arts. We are here to help, please email any of us, or call: 402-352-3821 for assistance when preparing exhibits. *A reminder to 4-H Club Leaders, if you would like Stephanie to attend a 4-H Club meeting to help with preparing exhibits for fair, please be sure to reach out to us.*

Colfax County Fair Camper Pad Contract

Anyone interested in having a camper at the Colfax County Fair will need to complete a camping contract and return it to the Colfax County Ag Society between May 1 - June 15. The contract can be found at the end of the newsletter.

Colfax County 4-H T-Shirt Orders

It is time to order a 4-H t-shirt! This year we have a new design, so each enrolled 4-H member will receive a free t-shirt on behalf of the Colfax County 4-H Council.



If you wish to purchase an additional t-shirt for your 4-H member, it will be \$5 per t-shirt. If other members of your family or friends would like to purchase a t-shirt, Youth Small-Adult XL will run \$9.63 a t-shirt, 2XL \$11.77 and 3XL \$12.84. Please send payment for additional t-shirts to P.O. Box 389, Schuyler, NE 68661, or bring payment to the Extension Office. If paying by check, please make payable to the Colfax County 4-H Council. Per the University, we cannot accept payments online.

A form has been created for you to place your order. Please fill out a separate form for each t-shirt order. **YOU MUST FILL OUT THE FORM FOR EVERY T-SHIRT, EVEN IF YOUR 4-H MEMBER(S) ARE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE A FREE T-SHIRT.** The t-shirt is pictured on the order form. **All orders are due by MAY 17th at 4:30 PM.**

<https://form.jotform.com/240993557090161>

As always, contact the Colfax County Extension Office at 402-352-3821 with any questions. Or contact Stephanie at sbell8@unl.edu.

Pre-Entry Process for 2024

Pre-Entry worksheets are due into the **Extension Office by 4:30 p.m. on June 14th.** Please include showmanship on your livestock form. These forms will be sent out soon.

Help Needed at County Fair

We will be needing adult and teen volunteers to help at the county fair during static judging days this year on Tuesday, July 16 and Wednesday, July 17. A meal and refreshments will be provided. If you are interested, please contact the Extension Office.

Attention Independent Members

For Colfax County 4-H to be successful we need all members, both in clubs and independent members, to help throughout the year, and especially at fair time! Both club and independent members will be asked to help clean the fairgrounds on the Monday of fair week and work at the food stand this year. Don't be surprised if you are an independent member and you get contacted to help!

4-H ID Requirements for Animals Showing at Colfax County Fair

Animals that will be shown only at the Colfax County Fair will need similar ID as last year *as shown in the table on the last page*. Animals that will also be shown at the State Fair will use ID requirements for those shows, but will need to turn in an ID sheet by May 31st to the Extension Office.

Copyright Materials

Remember that the use of copyrighted materials such as cartoon characters or commercial product names is PROHIBITED unless it is on purchased fabric. Avoid using decals or stickers and try using your art skills and paint or draw your logos for your fair projects.



Livestock Judging Contest

The 2024 Colfax County Livestock Judging Contest will be held on May 23rd at the fairgrounds in Leigh. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. The contest will likely finish after 3:00 p.m. There will be a lunch stand to purchase food and drinks.

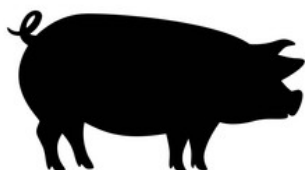
The contest will consist of seven classes of judging. This year we will have two classes each for beef, sheep, one class of swine, breeding, and meat goats.

Junior (age 8-10) will give oral reasons on one class: Intermediate (age 11-13) will give oral reasons on two classes: and Seniors (age 14 and up) and FFA will give oral reasons on three classes with no notes.

4-H and FFA members from neighboring counties will be attending and competing in the contest.

Also, remember the state PASE livestock judging contest will be held Friday, June 21st. Participants in the Junior, Intermediate, and Senior classes are eligible to participate at the contest in Lincoln.

Livestock Project Information for 2024

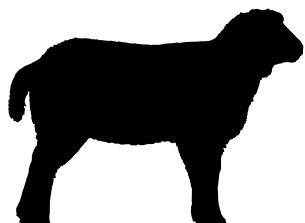


State Fair DNA Updates

All 4-H Breeding Livestock, Market Livestock, and Feeder Calves are required to submit a DNA sample/envelope to be eligible to exhibit at the Nebraska State Fair. DNA envelopes are available at the Extension Office. Call the Extension Office for more information.

Tags & DNA Testing for ALL Beef & Swine showing at State Fair

All beef and swine animals to be shown at the Nebraska State Fair must have an EID tag installed and hair pulled for DNA samples (registered breeding beef will continue to use a tattoo). DNA samples for market beef were pulled at weigh day along with EID tags. 4-H'ers will need to work with the office to get animals tagged with EID tags and the hair samples pulled. EID tags will cost \$3.75. DNA testing costs \$7.00 per animal. So, if you have any ideas of showing at the Nebraska State Fair be sure to get EID tags and samples pulled. Call the Extension Office for more information.

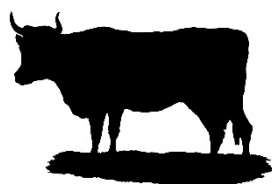


Scrapie Tags & DNA Testing for Market and Breeding Sheep & Goats showing at State Fair

Market and Breeding sheep and goats will need scrapie tags and DNA samples pulled to be shown at the State Fair. DNA testing costs \$7.00 per animal. So, if you have any ideas of showing at the Nebraska State Fair be sure to get samples pulled. Call the Extension Office for more information.

Livestock Nomination for State Fair

Any livestock animals to be shown at State Fair will need to be identified via an online nomination process at www.showstockmgr.com.



Market Lamb & Market Goat Tagging

County only market sheep and goats will need a scrapies tag to be eligible to show at the Colfax County Fair.

Youth Quality Care of Animals (YQCA)

State 4-H rules require that all 4-H members ages 8-18, who are enrolled in the following livestock projects (beef, sheep, dairy, swine, dairy goats, meat goats, poultry and rabbits) be certified in Youth for Quality Care of Animals (YQCA). There is an online and Face-to-Face option for YQCA.

Each youth wanting to show livestock at county or state fair needs to complete 3 modules. The link for this is: www.yqcaprogram.org. There is a \$12 dollar fee that you must pay if you complete the online modules.

Test-out options are only available to youth in the first year of Intermediate (age 12) and Senior (age 15) age levels. There is no test-out option for Juniors. If passed, youth will not be required to complete the annual training requirements for the remainder of their current age level (Intermediates: 12-14; Seniors: 15-18). Each test consists of 50 randomly selected questions and has a pass rate of 80% or better for certification.

Participants will have only one chance to take the test-out option. If youth fail, they will not be provided another opportunity to test out of that age level. Participants who do not pass will be prompted to take the web-based training annually.

If the youth passes, payment for the completed test-out course will be required after the completion of the test. No payment is required to attempt the test. Test-out costs are:

- Intermediate: \$36 (\$12 x 3 years of certification)
- Senior: \$48 (\$12 x 4 years of certification).

New this year, Face-to-Face YQCA trainings are being offered by Aleisha Meusch in Butler County. Information on these trainings and requirements are in the flier attached to the end of the newsletter. There is a training being offered immediately following the Butler, Colfax, and Platte County Livestock Judging Contest in the 4-H building. ***Please note, there is a pre-test that must be completed prior to the Face-to-Face trainings. The Face-to-Face options are \$3.*** Please refer any questions on the Face-to-Face clinics to Aleisha Meusch by emailing: aliesha.meusch@unl.edu

The YQCA training completion deadline is May 31.





Nebraska State Fair Age Change

As you know, in 2023, Nebraska 4-H lowered the age limit for participation in the Nebraska State Fair for all in-person events to nine years of age. That change increased our participation and provided more youth with the opportunity to have an engaging learning experience. We had many positive comments from legacy families as well as new.

*This fall, we have had follow-up conversations with many of you as well as the show superintendents and various teams that run these events during State Fair and throughout the year. Based on that feedback and our goal of increasing access, the decision has been made to change **the age of eligibility in 2024 to be 8 years of age before January 1 (of the current year) for all in-person State Fair events (livestock, contests, fashion shows) and other state competitions (Fonner Park State 4-H Horse Expo, PASE, communications contest).** Note: there will be some events that will maintain their ages due to specific program rules (shooting sports, FIRST LEGO League Challenge robotics). Please check information on each specific event as it becomes available. Please contact us if you have questions.*

UNL Livestock Judging Camp

The UNL Livestock Judging Camp will be held June 5-7, 2024 in Lincoln, Nebraska. Registration is due by May 20. For more information please refer to the flier attached to the end of the newsletter, or go to: go.unl.edu/judging-camp

Nebraska State 4-H Camps

Information on the Summer of 2024 Nebraska State 4-H Camp offerings can be found in the flier attached at the end of the newsletter.

4-H Plant and Insect Identification Contests

If you like plants and/or insects, here's an opportunity to build skills and have fun too! Attend to participate in one, two, three or all four contests! Your interest - your choice! Bring a friend too!

4-H'ers may earn a trip to a state and/or national contest! The contest will be held on **Thursday, June 27, 2024** at the Agricultural Park Exhibit Hall Club Room, Fairgrounds - 822 15th Street, Columbus NE. (Entrance to Ag Park is at intersection of 10th Av. and 15th St.)

Approximate Times after Initial Contest

12:15 – Welcome and Instructions

12:30 PM – Grass and Weed Identification

1:30 PM - Entomology (Insect) Identification

2:30 PM – BREAK with Refreshments

2:45 PM - Horticulture Judging and I.D.

3:45 PM - Tree Identification

PLEASE BRING A CLIP BOARD TO USE DURING THE CONTEST



Identify plant/insect samples for each contest. For horticulture, there is also 2 judging classes (vegetables, fruits, flowers, or nursery stock). Informational materials available at <https://4h.unl.edu/fairbook/contests>. For questions, contact your local Extension office or Kelly Feehan at kfeehan2@unl.edu or 402-563-4901. Registration is due by **Tuesday June 25th, 2024**. Register by calling the Colfax County Extension at: (402) 352-3821 and ask for Brenda.

Online Horticulture ID Contest

Do you know what it takes to pick the best fruit and vegetables out at the grocery store? Or do you know what judges are looking for when they judge your plants at the county fair? Have you ever wondered, what plant is that!?! We are excited to offer the opportunity to learn these and other important horticulture skills through the Online Horticulture Contest. The contest will be available June 7-21, 2024 at:

<https://go.unl.edu/online4hhortcontest>

The horticulture judging contest consists of three parts. The first is identification of plant material. Participants identify the plants by common name from a plant list. Specimens may be alive or preserved plant parts like stems, twigs, leaves, flowers, seeds, fruits, roots, bulbs, tubers, or plant products.

The second is a knowledge portion, usually in the form of a true/false or multiple choice quiz. Questions will test the contestant's knowledge of cultural practices for horticultural crops, plant science, pesticides, horticultural careers and other topics related to the production, processing and consumption of horticultural crops.

The last portion is judging or placings. This is where four different plants, plates of vegetables, or containers flowers are ranked from best to worst based on a set of criteria. Classes are judged on the basis of condition, quality, uniformity, true-to-type, and size.

More information about the Nebraska State contest along with a list of study materials can be found in the Fairbook. The link to the fairbook is: <https://4hfairbook.unl.edu/fairbookview.php/contests/45>

The Fairbook is where you can find the written study materials for the knowledge portion, follow links to plant pictures for help with identification, and read how judging of plant material is done.

More details at: <https://4h.unl.edu/online-horticulture-judging-contest>

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Upcoming Events:

May 27: Extension Office Closed for Memorial Day

May 28: 4-H Tech Changemakers Workshop for Educators

May 31: YQCA Completion Deadline

May 31: Livestock ID Deadline

June 1: Camp Scholarship Deadline

June 4: Insect Collecting, Pinning, and Mounting Workshop-1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Fairgrounds in Leigh

June 5: Cookie Bouquet Workshop-2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Heun Church

June 5-7: UNL Livestock Judging Camp

June 6: Piñata Workshop-1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Fairgrounds in Leigh

June 7: Exploring the Amazing World of Insects Clover Kid Workshop-1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Fairgrounds in Leigh

June 10: Building Better Babysitters Workshop-10:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Heun Church

June 11: Water Wonders Clover Kid Workshop-9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the Fairgrounds in Leigh

June 11: Beginning Sewing Workshop-1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

June 11: 4-H Council Meeting at the Extension Office-7:00 p.m.

June 11 and 12: Welding-9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. both days (sack lunch required) at Schuyler High School Ag Shop

June 12: Floral Design and Hydro dip-9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the Fairgrounds in Leigh

June 13: Building Better Babysitters Optional CPR Certification Workshop-9:00 a.m. to Noon at Heun Church

June 14: Pre-entry deadline for Livestock and Static Exhibits; pre-entry sheets **due to the Extension Office by 4:30 p.m.**

June 14: State Fair DNA due by 4:30 p.m. to the Extension Office

June 15: Rabbit and Poultry Showing Workshop-Rabbits is at 2:00 p.m., and Poultry is at 3:00 p.m. in the Small Animal Barn at the Fairgrounds in Leigh

June 15: State Fair Livestock Nominations due by 11:59 p.m. via Show Stock Manager Database

June 18: Let's Paint Runaways Workshop-2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Fairgrounds in Leigh

June 19: Extension Office Closed for Juneteenth Day

2024 Colfax County Summer Workshops!

We are so excited for a fun summer of learning! Please call the Colfax County Extension Office at: (402) 352-3821 to register, or with any questions regarding our summer workshops.

June 4- Insect Collecting, Pinning, and Mounting

- We are thrilled for another learning opportunity for preparing entomology projects for the Colfax County Fair with T.J.! T.J. will lead us through another insect collecting experience, and then demonstrate how to pin and mount the insects we collect.

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. **Location:** Fairgrounds in Leigh **Cost:** \$25

(This is free to those who participated in the Fall Insect Collecting Workshop)

*There is a maximum of 15 participants, and you must pre-register by 4:30 p.m. on May 24th

June 5-Cookie Bouquets

- We are so excited to explore the art of cookie decorating! Each youth who attends will make a cookie bouquet that they will get to take home! We hope you will come have fun with us!

Time: 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. **Location:** Heun Church **Cost:** \$20.00

*Must pre-register by 4:30 p.m. on May 29th to attend and there is a minimum of 4 participants, and maximum of 10.

There is a list of supplies that must be brought to the workshop.

June 6-Piñata Making

- We cannot wait for what is sure to be a “party” as we learn about the customs of piñatas while also making one that can be entered at the Colfax County Fair! We hope you will come celebrate with us as Maria Cantu Hines, a Rural Prosperity of Nebraska Extension Educator, leads us through this fun, hands-on learning experience.

- Each participant must bring a container for making their piñata such as a cereal box or oatmeal container.

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. **Location:** Fairgrounds in Leigh **Cost:** \$25.00

*There is a maximum of 15 participants, and you must pre-register by 4:30 p.m. on May 30th.

June 7-Exploring the Amazing World of Insects Clover Kid Workshop

- We are so excited to explore the “Amazing World of Insects” with T.J.! We will create two projects that can be entered at the Colfax County Fair! They will also have the opportunity to be a part of fun, hands-on challenges!

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. **Location:** Fairgrounds in Leigh **Cost:** \$15.00

*There is a maximum of 10 participants, and you must pre-register by 4:30 p.m. on May 31st.

June 11-Water Wonders Clover Kid Workshop

- What a fun morning it is sure to be exploring the wonders of water! Our Clover Kid members who attend will create a project that can be entered in the County Fair, and participate in a variety of hands-on opportunities!

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. **Location:** Fairgrounds in Leigh **Cost:** \$20.00

*There is a minimum of 6 participants and maximum of 15 participants. Must pre-register by 4:30 p.m. on June 4th.

June 11-Beginning Sewing

- We are very excited for what is sure to be a fun morning of sewing! This beginning sewing experience will be facilitated by multiple, experienced adult volunteers. Youth will be making some fun, comfortable pillows.

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. **Location:** Heun Church **Cost:** \$10.00

*There is a list of supplies required for this workshop. Minimum of 4 participants, and maximum of 10. Must Pre-register by 4:30 p.m. on June 4th.

June 11 and June 12-Welding

- Our amazing friends at Schuyler FFA are excited to graciously offer two days of welding workshops again this summer! We are excited to make welding boards that can be entered at the Colfax County Fair, and participants are able to bring scrap metal for making their own projects. **Must be at least 12 years old to attend. Youth are required to bring a sack lunch.**

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 and 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. both days **Location:** Schuyler High School Shop **Cost:** \$20.00

*Minimum of 3 participants, and a maximum of 15. Must pre-register by 4:30 p.m. on June 4th.

June 12-Floral Design and Hydro dip

- Art and science result in some amazing creations! We will begin the afternoon by hydro dipping a vase, and then dive into some principles of design to create a beautiful budvase arrangement. Youth will then create their own arrangement in their hydro dipped vase.

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. **Location:** Fairgrounds in Leigh **Cost:** \$35.00

*Minimum of 6 participants and a maximum of 15. Must pre-register by June 5th.

June 18-Let's Paint Runaways

- We are excited for our friends from Let's Paint Runaways to lead us through another amazing painting experience this year! Youth will leave with a fully painted canvas that can be entered at the Colfax County Fair!

Time: 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. **Location:** Fairgrounds in Leigh **Cost:** \$40

*Minimum of 6 participants. Must pre-register by June 11th.



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Summer



Building Better Babysitters Clinic



How do you know when someone is ready to babysit?

How about after they complete a class that teaches them about:

- The Business of Babysitting
- Child Development
- First Aid, CPR, and Safety
- Food & Nutrition
- Entertainment
- and more!

Youth ages 11 and up are
encouraged to attend.

Monday, June 10
10:00 am – 3:30 pm
CPR: Thursday, June 13 (optional)

9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Heun Church
Schuyler, Nebraska

Cost: \$25.00 per day
Bring a sack lunch for June 10

Call 402-352-3821 to register
***due by 4:30 p.m. June 3rd**

For more information contact KateLynn at
Nebraska Extension - Colfax County
at kness2@unl.edu





Want to Learn More about Showing Rabbits and Poultry?



Rabbit / Poultry Workshop **June 15th – 2:00 p.m. (Rabbits)** **3:00 p.m. (Poultry)** **Fairgrounds in Leigh in the small animal barn**

If you want to learn more about showing rabbits or poultry at fair, please plan to attend a Rabbit/Poultry Workshop. Parents are welcome to attend.

What will I learn?

- Practice showing poultry/rabbit
- Practice caging and holding poultry/rabbit
 - Learn the showmanship routine
 - Learn how to care for poultry/rabbit

What Should I Bring?

- Bring one of your poultry/rabbit to show

Please call the Extension Office at 402-352-3821 to register by June 10.
(Rabbit Tattooing will be available, please contact Rachel at 402-615-1725 to
set up an appointment)

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**Face-to-Face YQCA Trainings | Butler County 4-H
Highway 92 Building | 3190 N Rd, David City, NE 68632**

Saturday, March 9 | 10-11 am

Monday, April 1 | 1:30-2:30 pm

Colfax County Fairgrounds: Thursday, May 23 | 3:30 pm

****or immediately following the conclusion of Livestock Judging Contest****

Friday, May 31 | 10-11 am

****Youth are only required to attend ONE training to earn their certification****

Registering for quality assurance will be online at <https://yqcaprogram.org/>, using your YQCA login. If you are new - please create a new account. You can create a family account - with all youth under one account. Face-to-face sessions cost \$3 and online sessions cost \$12. This is paid online when you register. Youth will need to register online prior to coming to the face-to-face session. Face-to-face sessions will last at least one hour. **When registering for YQCA online - youth will need to complete a pre-test prior to attending the training and a post-test in order to access their certificate after training completion.**

Questions? Contact Aliesha at 402-367-7410 or aliesha.meusch@unl.edu.



Colfax County Fair Camping Contract

PAD # _____

Date rec'd _____

FOR OFFICE USE

JULY 17-21, 2024

This contract is for one camper pad at the Colfax County Fairgrounds, Leigh NE. One camper pad per exhibitor family.

The fee for the camper pad will be **\$75** for the duration of the fair. Submission of this application means you agree to abide by the rules and guidelines of conduct as outlined in the fair book, violations will be reviewed by the Colfax County Ag Society and can result in immediate termination of this contract.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

EXHIBITOR NAME(S) AND RELATIONSHIP(S) (ONE CAMPER PAD PER FAMILY)

CAMPER LICENSE NUMBER AND DESCRIPTION

Applications must be submitted no sooner than May 1st until June 15th. This application and a check for \$75 must be sent to Colfax County Ag Society, 1773 Road 6, Clarkson, NE 68629. Applications received prior to May 1st will be returned. Confirmation will be emailed before July 5th. Campers cannot be in place prior to 8 p.m. Monday night of fair clean up without prior approval via vote of the Colfax County Ag Society. By submitting this application, you agree to abide by the conditions and regulations as written in the Colfax County Fair book.

Applicant signature

Date

Colfax County Ag Society representative

Date

County Fair I.D. Tag Requirements

Livestock Division	Form of ID	Deadline
Market Beef	4-H Ear Tag or EID Tag & ID Sheet	May 31 (Not eligible for rate of gain after April 15 th)
Breeding Beef	Tattoo, EID Tag, or 4-H Ear Tag & ID Sheet	May 31
Feeder Calves	4-H Ear Tag or EID Tag & ID Sheet	May 31
Bucket Calves	4-H Ear Tag & ID Sheet	May 31
Market Goats	Scrapie Tag & ID Sheet	May 31
Breeding Goats	Scrapie Tag & ID Sheet	May 31
Dairy Goats	Scrapie Tag & ID Sheet	May 31
Market Sheep	Scrapie Tag & ID Sheet	May 31
Breeding Sheep	Scrapie Tag & ID Sheet	May 31
Dairy Cattle	ID Sheet	May 31
Market & Breeding Swine	Ear notches or EID Tag & ID Sheet	May 31
Rabbit	Tattoo and ID Sheet	May 31
Poultry	No ID Sheet Required	
Horse	ID Sheet Drawing	May 31
Cats & Small Pets	No ID Sheet Required	

State Fair I.D. Tag Requirements

Livestock Division	I.D. Requirements for Nebraska State Fair	Nomination Deadline
Market Beef	EID Tag, DNA Envelope & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database.	June 15
Registered Breeding Beef	Tattoo, DNA Envelope, & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database.	June 15
Commercial Breeding Beef	Tattoo OR EID Tag, DNA Envelope & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database.	June 15
Feeder Calf	EID Tag, DNA Envelope & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database.	June 15
Market Swine	EID Tag, DNA Envelope & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database.	June 15
Breeding Swine	EID Tag, DNA Envelope & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database.	June 15
Market Sheep	Scrapie Tag, DNA Envelope & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database.	June 15
Breeding Sheep	Scrapie Tag, DNA Envelope & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database.	June 15
Market Goats	Scrapie Tag, DNA Envelope & animal information submitted online via Show Stock Manager database.	June 15
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Dairy Cattle	ID Sheet Drawing	County Office: June 15
Rabbits & Poultry	No nomination required. Rabbits will be required to have an ear tattoo by the show entry deadline.	
Horse	ID Sheet Drawing	



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Thank you All!

It has truly been an amazing three years! Thank you for so many wonderful memories, and such strong support. There is no where else I would have rather worked.

I am graduating with my Master of Science in Youth Development this spring. I am excited for the opportunity to continue working with youth, and to utilize my education as a Jobs for America's Graduates (JAG) Nebraska Career Specialist with Scribner-Snyder Community Schools. June 19th will be my final day of working in Colfax County. Thank you for making good bye so hard.

My sincerest gratitude and best wishes to you all,

-KateLynn

