2023 Wayne County 4-H & Jr. Fair
Dog Project Guidelines

Checklist for Dog Projects:

☐ Check the 4-H calendar for the most up to date information regarding our program
  o https://go.osu.edu/20234hcalendar
☐ **Enroll in 4-H** through 4-HOnline (oh.4honline.com) by April 1. Individual clubs may set an earlier date.
☐ **Attend Quality Assurance Training** on May 17th at the Dog Informational Meeting and Clinic. A last chance QA session will be held on July 26th (fee will be charged). QA must be completed by July 26th.
☐ **Project Record Book:** Due on August 8 at late project judging. Guidelines for raising and caring for your dog is available in the Dog Resource Book.
☐ **Junior Fair Book**: Obtain and read a Wayne County Junior Fair Book for rules and regulations for our county fair.
☐ **Possession Date:** Obtain and care for your animal(s) by June 1st. The animal must remain in your care during the entire project period or through the duration of the fair.
☐ Upload to 4-HOnline **photos of the front and side view of your dog**, **completed Dog Health Form**, and **copy of your dog license** certificate by *June 1, 2023.*
☐ Attend Dog Clinics (encouraged) to learn more about how to properly care for and show your dog – dates and details are listed on the Dog Projects Calendar of Events.
☐ **Project Completion:** Attend and participate in Wayne County 4-H Skillathon Interviews, State Fair Dog Skillathon, or complete the Wayne County Jr. Fair Outstanding Exhibitor Exam. *Proof of State Fair Skillathon completion must be submitted to the Wayne County Extension Office by August 8th.*
☐ **ODE:** All exhibitors who wish to participate in the Outstanding Dog Exhibitor program will take an exam. The exam will be held July 11th at the Event Center, Wayne County Fairgrounds. Members earn points by participation at clinics, other activities and fair. ODE award will be given at the recognition banquet. **All members are urged to participate in ODE.**
☐ **Jr. Fair Class Entries** - **Due August 1st**: Make ALL fair entries online at waynejrfair.fairentry.com for your animal(s).
☐ **Awards**: All exhibitors who receive a trophy, plaque, or other award sponsored by a donor are expected to send a Thank You note to the sponsor(s).
☐ **Outstanding Record Book:** We will be offering an Outstanding record book award to all exhibitors in 2023. Books will be due at the Extension office on October 4, 2023.
☐ *Read and follow all rules pertaining to your project animal(s) in the Jr. Fair Book. This book should be given to you by your 4-H club advisor in July.*

A dog that appears to be in estrus (heat) will not be permitted at fun shows, clinics or the county fair. For safety reasons, dogs showing unruly behavior or signs of aggression or general unsoundness will be dismissed from the fairgrounds or show.

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Please carefully review the following page for important information about your respective dog project(s). If you have any questions, please contact your club advisor, a member of the Dog Committee or the Extension Office.

**Be sure to Like and Follow the
Wayne County 4-H Dog Projects Facebook page for
updates & announcements at
https://www.facebook.com/WayneCounty4HDog**

All About Dogs (200), You and Your Dog (201-D), Performance (201-P), Showmanship (201-S), Obedience/Rally (201-O), Working Dogs (201-W), and Dog Achievement Program (202)

There are two options for completing your project. Option 1 is Skillathon Interview and Option 2 is Project Judging (poster & interview). Details for each option are listed below. Only completed projects are eligible to be displayed at the Wayne County Fair. **Only completed Showmanship (201-S) and Obedience / Rally (201-O) projects are eligible to be shown in the Wayne County Fair and Ohio State Fair Dog Shows.**

Option 1 - Participate in and Complete Dog Skillathon
- Complete your project book and submit on the day of Skillathon Interviews.
- Subject matter to study and prepare for Skillathon Interview will come from your project book.
- Skillathon Interviews will be held June 15th & 19th from 6:30-9:00pm at Event Center, Wayne County Fairgrounds.

Option 2 - Participate in either early or late Project Judging
- Bring your project book completed as fully as possible and educational poster board.
- The educational poster should be 22" x 28" full-size poster showing something you learned from the project. Please note posters cannot be constructed on foam or foam board. Posters should be displayed in your club's fair booth or turned in at project judging to be displayed in the center aisle of Building 10 during the fair.
- Make sure all posters have the member's name, club, and project printed on the front of the poster.
- Member may bring their dog to interview judging, but it is not required

Project Judging Dates

Early Still Project and Small Animal Judging
July 11, 2023: 6:00 – 9:00 p.m.
at the Event Center, Wayne County Fairgrounds

Late Still Project / Small Animal Judging
August 8, 2023: 6:00 – 9:00 p.m.
at the Event Center, Wayne County Fairgrounds

Dogs are welcome at both Judging events this year!

Please Note

- Information on participating in the Ohio State Fair Dog Show is available online at:
  http://www.ohio4h.org/statewide-programs/animal-sciences/dog
- Projects **200, 201-D, 201-P, 201-W, and 202** are NOT eligible to participate in the Dog Show at the Wayne County Fair. Only completed projects 201-S and 201-O are eligible to be shown in the dog show.
- Projects winning a Best of Show award must be displayed at the Wayne County Fair to receive the award.
- It is suggested that members take 201 D – You and Your Dog as an entry-level project before taking any other dog projects.
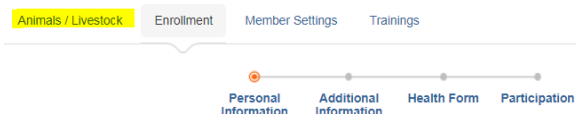
4HOnline Animal ID Instructions

Every animal that may be taken to the fair MUST be entered into Oh.4honline.com.
Please complete the following steps through 4-HOnline to add your information.

Step 1:
- Log in to Oh.4honline.com
- Click "I have a profile"
- Click **Continue to Family ▶**
- To the right of your name, click **Edit ✏**.

Animals / Livestock   Enrollment   Member Settings   Trainings

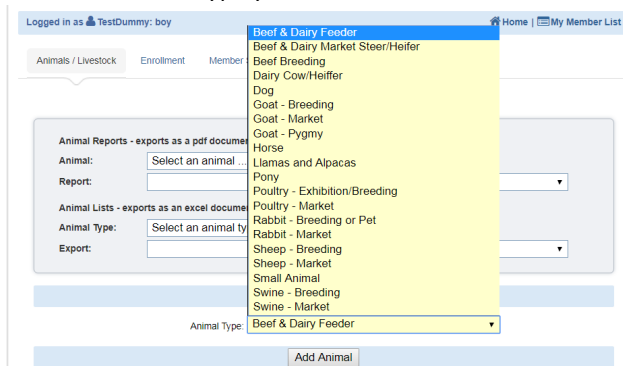Personal Information   Additional Information   Health Form   Participation

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- Next, click on the Animals/Livestock tab.

Step 2:
- Select the animal type you want to submit then click "Add Animal"

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Animals / Livestock   Enrollment   Member

Beef & Dairy Feeder
Beef & Dairy Market Steer/Heifer
Beef Breeding
Dairy Cow/Heiffer
Dog
Goat - Breeding
Goat - Market
Goat - Pygmy
Horse
Llamas and Alpacas
Pony
Poultry - Exhibition/Breeding
Poultry - Market
Rabbit - Breeding or Pet
Rabbit - Market
Sheep - Breeding
Sheep - Market
Small Animal
Swine - Breeding
Swine - Market

Animal Reports - exports as a pdf docume
Animal: Select an animal ...
Report:

Animal Lists - exports as an excel docume
Animal Type: Select an animal ty
Export:

Animal Type: Beef & Dairy Feeder

Add Animal

Step 3:
- Fill in the information – <u>ALL BOLD FIELDS MUST BE COMPLETED!</u>
- Add documents and photos of your animal. Click the "Select" button and find the file or photo. (Acceptable file formats include PDF or .jpg)

Step 4:
- MAKE SURE ALL INFORMATION IS COMPLETE AND ACCURATE! You cannot edit the information once you hit save.

Save

- After you have made sure everything is complete, click

** To add additional animals, start at Step 2 and repeat! **

If you happen to find a mistake on an animal that has already been submitted, it cannot be edited by members. You will need to create a new animal with the correct information or you can contact the Extension office and they will make the change <u>only if it is before the deadline.</u> The ONLY exemption to this is if an animal tag is lost and replaced.

Species specific requirements can be found at wayne.osu.edu/help

Listing of 4-HONLINE Animal ID fields and forms for Dog Projects

Dog	
Animal Name (identifier):	*Required*
Sex:	*Required*
Spayed or Neutered (Check only if spayed or neutered):	*Required*
Breed:	*Required*
Birthdate (If unknown make educated guess):	*Required*
Colors & Markings:	*Required*
Owned or Leased (Must be owned by immediate family):	*Required*
Owner Name:	Optional
Years Training - Animal:	Optional
Years Training - Member:	Optional
Rabies Product Name:	*Required*
Rabies Vaccination Date:	*Required*
Rabies Expiration Date:	*Required*
Health Inspection:	Optional
Files/Photos of Animal	
Front of Animal:	*Photo Required*
Side of Animal:	*Photo Required*
Vaccination Certificate:	*Photo or PDF Required*
Dog License Certificate:	*Photo or PDF Required*
Permission to Participate:	*Photo or PDF Required*