E-blast June 11, 2015

Looking ahead… to the WAYNE COUNTY FAIR! (It’s only 59 days away!)

Rabbit Exhibitors:
Exhibitors of rabbits should bring one bag of shavings for every six animals you bring.

Poultry Exhibitors:
Information for alternative options for poultry exhibits will be forthcoming, please let Amy know if you have been working on a poultry project this year and had planned to exhibit at the fair.

Super Showmanship Update:
Due to the regulation preventing poultry at fair, the small animal super showmanship contest will be cancelled and replaced with a dog knowledge bowl and all 4-H’ers are welcome to participate.

Animal Set-Up
The set-up of housing for animals at the fair will take place on Friday, August 7th. All animals (except for horses) are to be set-up at 6:30pm. All exhibitors of these animals are EXPECTED to participate in set-up and clean up. Large animal clean-up will be immediately following the release of animals Saturday night and small animal clean-up will be on Sunday.

Fun Animal Science Events Happening at Fair
Exhibitors showing project animals are encouraged to enter the livestock costume show. All animals, large and small, and their exhibitors can join the fun.
There will also be a rooster crowing contest, rabbit review, goat obstacle course, and a beef-fitting demo.
Contact Amy for more information on any of these opportunities!

Mad Scientist Night June 22nd 6-8pm. $5/youth or $10/family. RSVP by June 15th to Margaret at mab567@cornell.edu. Come learn the ins and outs of aerospace, meteorology, chemistry, biology and physics! And be prepared to get MESSY! All ages are invited to attend.
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2015 Finger Lakes District 4-H Dairy Judging Contest
You are invited to attend the Finger Lakes Dairy Judging Contest, which will be hosted by Cornell Cooperative Extension of Steuben County and the Department of Agriculture & Horticulture at Alfred State College this year. The contest is being held in conjunction with the Alfred State College FFA Dairy Judging Tour. The contests will be held on Wednesday, July 8, 2015, at Alfred State College Farm, Route 244, Alfred, NY. Registration will be at 9:30 a.m. in the Livestock Pavilion and the contest will start at 10:00 a.m. Registration for the 4-H Contest is due to Cornell Cooperative Extension of Steuben County by Monday, June 29, 2015.
Please contact Amy (anr32@cornell.edu) for more information!

4-H Face Painters Needed!!
The annual Clyde Mothers’ and Children’s Health Fair will take place on Wednesday, June 24, 2015 from 10:00AM until 1:00PM at Lauraville Landing, Clyde, NY. The organizers have asked 4-H to provide face painting for children attending the fair. We need you!

Please let Jessica (jls233@cornell.edu) know if you are willing to help and available by 6/15! All ages welcome to help, but under 12 must be accompanied the whole time by a parent.

You do not have to be a great artist, face painting is just fun! Supplies will be provided.

This fair addresses the needs of the underserved children of all ages and families of Wayne County.

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4-H Spring/Summer Horse Shows
The remaining Wayne County 4-H Horse Shows will be Saturday, June 20, and Saturday/Sunday, July 11/12. All current 4-H members must have been re-enrolled by April 1st to participate in shows and new 4-H members must be enrolled by June 1st. Contact the 4-H office to find out more.

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Save the Date – Cloverbud Day!
The 4-H office will be offering a day just for 4-H members ages 5-7 – Cloverbuds! Mark your calendar for Friday, July 10th from 9:30-noon. More information to come, watch your eblasts and the Facebook page!

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The most recent edition of the World of Wayne can be found at http://blogs.cornell.edu/waynecce/program-areas/4-h-youth-development/

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Have you visited our Facebook page? It is the most up-to-date source of information! https://www.facebook.com/4hwaynecounty

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Calendar:
June 2015
June 16 – Teen Council
June 17 – 4-H Advisory Committee Meeting
June 20 – Wayne County Pointed Horse Show
June 22 - Mad Scientist Night
June 29 – Pre-fair Meeting and Project Entry Demos
June 30-July 2 – Career Explorations

July 2015
July 6 – Fair entries are due!
July 9 – Meeting with Fair Teen Leaders and Superintendents
July 10 – Cloverbud Day
July 11-12 – Wayne County Pointed Horse Show
July 20-24 – 4-H Camp Beechwood

August 2015
August 5 – Fair Set Up
August 6 – Pre-Fair Judging
August 10-15 – Wayne County Fair
August 27-September 7 – New York State Fair

**September 2015**
September 4-7 – Wayne County Exhibits Judged at the New York State Fair and Teens Work in Booth
September 15 – Teen Council