



WINTER 2023

SCIOTO COUNTY 4-H NEWSLETTER

Join us for our 2023 4-H Kickoff Party!

On **March 9th** the Scioto County 4-H Committee will be hosting a 4-H Kickoff Party from 6-8pm at the Portsmouth Welcome Center. Clubs are invited to come showcase their members and past projects so that new 4-H families can learn what 4-H is about and meet our clubs.



Portsmouth Welcome Center
342 2nd St, Portsmouth, OH 45662

Come see what 4-H has to offer and meet with our exceptional clubs!

For questions, call 740-354-7879!

iPads will be available to re-enroll members or enroll new members. Participating clubs will also receive a small gift! Call the Extension Office to let us know you will be joining!

It's Time To Enroll!

All club and project enrollments are due

April 15th!

Visit oh.4honline.com

See additional document for how to!



4-H Club Audits

Approximately 20 clubs will be randomly selected for a club audit. Should your club be selected, you will need to provide:

- Financial Summary
- Club Bank Statements
- Club Meeting Minutes

Selected 4-H clubs will be notified by Feb. 15th with all Information due March 15th.



Calling all **VOLUNTEERS**

Ohio 4-H requires that all volunteers attend volunteer training each year to maintain their status within the program. This year there will be a couple of options to meet that requirement.

** Session will fulfill annual mandatory training requirement.

Important Dates:

OHIO VOLUNTEER CONFERENCE **MARCH 11TH**

Call Extension to register by Feb. 10

SCIOTO COUNTY NEW VOLUNTEER TRAINING **MARCH 13TH**

CALL EXTENSION TO REGISTER BY MAR. 10

SCIOTO COUNTY VOLUNTEER CONFERENCE** **MARCH 28TH**

Time and location TBD. Call Extension to register by Mar. 14

VIRTUAL MANDATORY TRAINING** **APRIL 13TH**

Call Extension to register by Apr. 12

VIRTUAL LUNCH AND LEARNS

See Facebook for virtual meeting link

APRIL 5 - EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION
APRIL 12 - FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT & FUNDRAISING
APRIL 19 - CREATING POSITIVE CLUB CULTURE
APRIL 26 - MEMBER RETENTION & ENGAGEMENT

ALL VOLUNTEER TRAINING MUST BE COMPLETED BY APRIL 15TH!

**VOLUNTEER
BACKGROUND
CHECKS DUE
FEB. 15TH!**

If you are unsure if you are due for a background check, please call the Extension Office as soon as possible. Reimbursement forms available online at scioto.osu.edu under forms and applications.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

New to 2023

- Livestock Carcass Contest will be happening on August 19th!
- Market Turkey project will be available! Order Poults by 2/27.
- 35 Market Rabbits will sell in 2023!
- EquiStep Horse safety training is now a state requirement, due June 15th!
- Sheep and Goat Tagging In Person May 6th!

**2023 Pre Fair Calendar now available
at scioto.osu.edu!**

All About Camp!

Join us this summer at Canter's Cave 4-H Camp!

There is a camp option for everyone! All Scioto County youth will receive camp scholarships thanks to the Scioto County 4-H Committee. Call the Extension office for details!

SAVE THE DATE FOR CAMP OPEN HOUSE!

MAY 7TH 12-4PM

2023 Scioto County Camp Dates:

Spring Fling- April 22-23
Special Needs Camp- June 9-11
Beginner Camp- June 12-15
Teen Camp- June 16-19
STEM Camp- June 19-21
Junior High Camp- June 26-27
Cloverbud Camp- June 29-30



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