

2024 Warren County Camelid Club



Camelid Club Website



<https://camelidclub.com/>

Primary Member Requirements

To be eligible to participate in the Warren County Fair, primary club members will be required to:

- Attend a minimum of 6 regularly scheduled meetings
- Give a 4-H related presentation at a club meeting. Advisor must approve topic prior to presentation.
- Participate in at least one community service club activity.
- Fulfill all county 4-H requirements, such as livestock interviews, barn meetings, thank-you notes to sponsors

Secondary Member Requirements

To be eligible to participate in the Warren County Fair, secondary club members will be required to:

- Attend a minimum of 3 regularly scheduled meetings,
- Give a 4-H related presentation at a club meeting. Advisor must approve topic prior to presentation.
- Participate in at least one community service club activity.
- Fulfill all county 4-H requirements, such as livestock interviews, barn meetings, thank-you notes to sponsors

Dues

Dues must be paid before Jan 31. No project books will be distributed until dues are paid.

Primary Members \$20

Secondary Members \$5

Cloverbuds \$10



County Requirements

Policy regarding absence from mandatory county events or deadlines

In order to be excused from a countywide mandatory 4-H event or deadline, the absence or emergency must be reported to the county 4-H personnel immediately. Emergency circumstances may result in a case by case review by the 4-H personnel, with the decision made solely by the 4-H personnel with input, as needed from the 4-H Committee and/or a Fair Rules Committee. Notifications received in a timely manner or by 10:00 a.m. of the next working day will be looked upon more favorably than those received after that time frame.

County Requirements

4-H Eligibility in the Warren County Junior Fair Junior Fair eligibility will be achieved by meeting the following requirements:

1– Each person exhibiting as a 4-H Member must have been enrolled in the 4-H program and declare the project(s) they plan to take no later than 4:30 p.m. on April 1st of the current year

2– Member must complete project requirements as outlined in the Warren county 4-H project guidelines (included with 4-H Project book) including attending the mandatory livestock interview on June 29, 2024.

3– 4-H Members must have attended at least six (6) meetings per club in which they are registered. Clubs must conduct a minimum of eight (8) meetings between January 1 and Fair. Members who fail to attend six club meetings will not be able to enter projects listed in that club.

4– The 4-H member (or their representative) must turn in a completed Junior Fair entry for to the Extension office by June 15, 2022. Entry forms are available through 4-H Advisors in late May. All entry forms must be signed by the exhibitor before they are turned in to the Extension office.

2024 Camelid Club Schedule

Hard Copies available on Information Table

Posted on Club Website



Meeting Date	Meeting Location	Topic/Activity	Presentations	Meeting Host (Set up at 6:30)
Thurs. Jan. 4 6:15 New Members 7:00 Returning Members	RGHI	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Review By-Laws & Contract (for new members only) <hr/> 2. Website 3. Camelid Club Scholarship info 4. Activities/Meeting Schedule 5. Meeting Host Intro 6. T-shirt info 7. Intro officer positions 8. Family Guide 9. Presentation sign ups 10. Vote – Showmanship Extravaganza Donation 11. Pass out 2023 <u>Awards</u> 12. Slideshow 13. Get Acquainted Games - Campbell 14. <u>Sign ups</u>, pay dues, etc. 	Christine	Pohlman Family
Wed. Jan 17 7:00 pm	RGHI	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Officer speeches 2. Officer voting - <u>New</u> officers stay for brief intro to position 3. Education – Alpaca Behavior 	John	
Feb. ???	<u>Heatherbrook Farm</u>	CLOVERBUDS/JUNIORS ONLY Keep an eye out for snow! If we get enough snowfall, we will schedule some sled riding on the farm	Christy	

Thurs. Feb. 1 7:00 pm	RGHI	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Business Meeting 2. Education: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Project Book Overview & Goal Setting B. Alpaca Colors 	A: Christine B: Bernie, Rick	
Sat. Feb. 17 3:00-5:00	Eastern Lanes Bowling Alley	Camelid Club Bowling Party		
Wed. Feb. 21 7:00 pm	RGHI	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Education: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Feed Tags B. Predicting Alpaca Colors Through DNA Blood Analysis 	A: John B: Bernie/Rick	
Thurs. Mar. 7 7:00 pm	RGHI	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Business Meeting 2. Education: OAR info 3. Assemble Bessing Bags 	Christine	
Wed. Mar. 20 7:00 pm	RGHI	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Education: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. History & Types of Camelids B. Crias & <u>Cria</u> Care 	A: John B: Rick/Bernie	
Fri. Mar. 29 10:30 am	Springboro <u>Hillspring</u> Nursing Home	Community Service Activity Sharing Alpacas with Residents		
Sat. Mar. 30 1:00pm	<u>Heatherbrook</u> Farm	CLOVERBUDS/JUNIORS ONLY Cloverbud Easter Egg Hunt	Christy	
Thurs. Apr. 4 7:00 pm	RGHI	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Business Meeting 2. Education: What to Feed Alpacas and What Not to Feed Alpacas/Plants Poisonous to Alpacas 	John & Rick	

Wed. Apr. 17 5:30-6:30	CBI Middletown	Community Service Activity Sharing Alpacas at CBI		
Wed. Apr. 17 7:00 pm	RGHI	1 st Year Member Informational Meeting		
Sat. Apr. 27 Time TBD	Fairgrounds	Showmanship Extravaganza		
Thurs. May 2 7:00 pm	RGHI	1. Business Meeting 2. Education: Skillathon Review		
Sun. May 5 Time TBD	Caesar Creek Visitor Center	Garlic Mustard Pull Community Service Activity		
Wed. May 15 7:00 pm	<u>Heatherbrook Farm</u>	1. Showmanship Clinic with Judge		
Sat. <u>May 18</u> 2:00 pm	<u>Heatherbrook Farm</u>	CLOVERBUDS/JUNIORS ONLY 1. Cloverbud Picnic and Scavenger Hunt/Hike	Christy	
June 1 or 8 10:00 am	<u>Heatherbrook Farm</u>	1. Armco Park Cops and Bobbers Community Service Activity	John	
Thurs. June 6 7:00 pm	RGHI	1. Business Meeting 2. Presentations 3. Interview Prep		
Wed. June 19 7:00 pm	<u>Heatherbrook Farm</u>	1. Alpaca Games & Obstacles 2. Alpaca Fair Prep Stations <u>Fecals</u> <u>Toe Nail</u> Trimming Body Scoring		

Sat. June 29		Mandatory Livestock Interview		
Wed. July 3 Time TBA	Berry Int. School	4 th of July Parade Community Service Activity		
Sat. July 6 9:30 am	<u>Heatherbrook</u> Farm	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Obstacles/Showmanship Practice 2. Make alpaca pen tags for fair 3. Club Breakfast 		
July 14-20		Warren County Fair		

Other Community Service Opportunities will be announced as they are scheduled. Remember, each member must participate in at least one community service activity to be eligible to show at the fair.

Family Guide

2024 4-H family guide is available at <https://ohio4h.org/familyguide>. Returning members should have received a hard copy in the mail.

Visit Project Central to learn about other 4-H projects. You can see a sample of each project book and project requirements.

<https://projectcentral.ohio4h.org/>

Online Enrollment
More info to come
Please enroll before Mar. 22

<https://v2.4honline.com/#/user/sign-in>



Meeting Host

Meeting Hosts arrive 20 minutes before meeting to set up and provide snacks/drinks for after the meeting.

Hosts also stay to clean up at the end of the meeting.

Two families can share this responsibility.

Sign up sheet is on table.

Warren County Camelid Club Officers and Duties

President

- Presides at all club meetings
- Uses parliamentary procedure to conduct business meeting
- Shows a real interest in the club and helps carry out club decisions
- Plans ways to get every member to participate in meetings and delegates responsibility.
- Calls the Vice-President to reside at the meeting if unable to attend.

Vice President

- Presides at meetings if the President is absent
- Thanks the educational guest speakers, presenters, member demonstrators, etc.
- Assists as needed

Secretary

- Keeps an accurate written record of the business meetings.
- Reads club's minutes at each meeting.
- Writes thank you letters to speakers, sponsors, etc.
- Writes all club correspondence as directed by the President and/or advisors.



Treasurer

- Gives a financial report at each 4-H club meeting

Historian

- Takes photographs at all 4-H club meetings and activities.
- Creates a slide show of pictures/music to be played at end of year awards ceremony

News Reporter

- Writes articles about club activities and submits to the local newspaper.

Recreation Leader

- Conducts a recreation activity at each 4-H Club meeting
- Leads or assists with get acquainted activities.

Health and Safety Officer

- Provide some type of health/safety information at club meetings. This could be a scheduled guest speaker, demonstrations, ice breaker, or recreation activity.

Skillathon Coach

- Plans and leads a skillathon review at one meeting each month.

Cloverbud Committee

- Helps at Cloverbud Events at the Farm – egg hunt, scavenger hunt, etc.

Interested in being a club officer?

Sign up for the office you would like.

Prepare a brief speech outlining why you would like to hold that office and your qualifications.

Speeches will be given at the Jan. 17 meeting. If unable to attend this meeting, email your speech to Christine and she will share it at the meeting.

Voting will take place at the Jan. 17 meeting.



Club Shirt Information

Sign ups

Sign up sheets are on the table. Please sign up for...

Meeting Host

Presentation

Club Officer



Before you
leave...

Pay Dues and get
project book

Order Club shirts

Sign ups

Turn in signed
contract (new members only)