# 2023-2024 FREMONT COUNTY 4-H CALENDAR (Revised 11/09/2023)

Reminder that Fremont County is on a 4-day work week and the CSU Extension Office will be closed on Fridays.

Dates, events, locations are subject to change. We make every effort to provide as accurate a calendar as possible, but dates sometimes have to be changed. Changes will be listed in the monthly 4-H newsletter and on our website:

www.fremont.extension.colostate.edu. Please contact the Extension Office (276-7390) for information regarding calendar items or email csuext@fremontco.com.



## **OCTOBER**

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New 4-H Year Begins! Enrollment Open! 2-6

National 4-H Week

4-H Council, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building 4

Fremont County Fair Board, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder Park Event Center

21 4-H Discovery Day and Open House

23 CSU Extension Advisory Committee, 6:00 p.m., 4-H Building 23 Fremont County 4-H Cornerstone, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building

TBD Discover Shotgun Camp, Cactus Flats Nov. 2 Achievement Awards Program

Nov. 6 **Enrollment Night** 

## **NOVEMBER**

2 Achievement Awards Program

6 **Enrollment Night** 

8 New Family 4-H Family Orientation, 6:00pm, Pathfinder 9 Holiday (Veterans Day) Extension Office Closed

Colorado Leadership Camp, (6<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> graders), Glenwood Springs Fremont County Fair Board, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder Park Event Center Park 10-12

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Dare to Be You Camp (11-13 4-H age), State Fair Grounds 17-18

23 Holiday (Thanksgiving) Extension Office Closed

#### **DECEMBER**

4-H Holiday Craft Fair, 10am -7pm, Pathfinder Park 4-H Holiday Craft Fair, 8am - 4pm, Pathfinder Park 2

LAST DAY- Early Enrollment contest deadline to be enrolled in Fremont County 4-H by 5:00 p.m. to be eligible for early enrollment prize drawing. We 4

recommend all families enroll by Dec 4th.

6 4-H Council, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building, officer Installation

12 Fremont County Fair Board, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder Park Event Center

25 Holiday (Christmas) Extension Office Closed

#### **JANUARY**

Holiday (New Year's Day observed) Extension Office Closed

3 4-H Council, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building

9 Fremont County Fair Board, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder Park Event Center

18 4-H Horse Council, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building

New 4-H Family Orientation, 6:00pm, Pathfinder Park Event Center 23 27-29 State Leadership Development Conference (LDC), Denver (ages 14-18)

Fremont County 4-H Cornerstone, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building

## **FEBRUARY**

- LAST DAY to be enrolled in, own and have in your possession-Market Beef Project
- 1 4-H Re-Enrollment Deadline. Re-Enrollment Late Fee of \$30 per member after Feb. 1.
- 1 LAST DAY to own and have in your possession-Breeding Beef and Dairy Cattle for County Fair

7 4-H Council, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building

3 Market Beef Weigh Day, 9:00 a.m.- 10:00 a.m.

Fremont County Fair Board, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder Park Event Center 13

4-H Horse Council, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder

4-H Officer Training for all Club Officers! 5:30pm - 9, Pathfinder Park Event Center 15

Hunter Education for Shooting Sports (Must attend all 3 sessions) 5:00 p.m.- 9:00 p.m., 4-H Building

17 Hunter Education for Shooting Sports (Must attend all 3 sessions) 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., 4-H Building

Holiday (Presidents' Day) Extension Office Closed 19

Hunter Education for Shooting Sports (Must attend all 3 session) 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. 4-H Bldg. & on the range. 24

26 New 4-H Family Orientation, 6:00pm, Pathfinder

## MARCH

4-H Council, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building

12 Discover Cooking Mini Camp, 8am - noon, 4-H Building 12 Fremont County Fair Board, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder Park Event Center

4-H Horse Council, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building

TBD MQA Class, is in person this year. Your family will receive an email if you have anyone who needs to take the MQA as a Jr. or Sr.

TBD Youth Fest, Ponderosa Camp, TBD

15-17 District Retreat (ages 13 & older), Camp Golden Bell Early March - End of April

# **APRIL**

Fremont County Swine Identification Forms, Ear Tags and CSF Nomination Cards can be picked up in Extension Office.

4-H Council, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building 3

Fremont County Fair Board, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder Park Event Center

18 4-H Horse Council, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building

22 22 Fremont County 4-H Cornerstone, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building

LAST DAY to own and have in your possession-All Breeding Rabbits, including Doe(s) that you must breed to kindle a litter for Market Rabbit pen for County Fair

#### MAY

PROJECT ADD DEADLINE. Last day to add a project.

LAST DAY to own and have in your possession-Cat, Dog and Horse.

LAST DAY for CAT, DOG and HORSE certificates to be turned in to the Extension Office and through 4HOnline no later than 11:59pm.

4-H Council, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building

6 4-H Contest Night! (Demonstrations, Public Speaking, Parli Pro, Creative Cooks) 5pm

Fremont County Fair Board, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder Park Event Center

#### **May Continued LAST DAY** to own and have in your possession-Market Sheep, Market Goats, Market Swine, Breeding Sheep and Breeding Goats. 9 LAST DAY TO TURN IN Fremont County Swine Identification Forms and CSF Nomination Cards to the Extension Office before 5:00 p.m. WEIGH DAY-Market Sheep and Goats, 8:00 a.m.- 10:30 a.m., Pathfinder Park (For State Fair Must request DNA packets from State Fair website). 11 16 4-H Horse Council, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder Park 23 Market Rabbits MUST be born to Does you own (see April 22) on/or after (TBD by date of show at fair) in order to meet the "less than 70-day age limit". 27 Holiday (Memorial Day Observed) Extension Office Closed 29 Registration Deadline for 1st Gymkhana, 4:00 p.m., Extension Office **JUNE** First Gymkhana, Pathfinder Park, 20205 Highway 115, Florence. Test at 7:30 a.m., Starts at 8:00 a.m. (ONE DAY ONLY) LAST DAY TO OFFICIALLY DROP a project to be able to repeat it next year (The ONLY way to officially drop a project is IN WRITING at the Extension 3 Office or by e-mail no later than 5:00 p.m.) Any projects dropped after June 1 FOR ANY REASON will mean an incomplete in that project. 3 Cake Decorating Contest at 6 p.m. at 4-H Building 4-H Council, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building 5 6 Take County Fair Market Animal and Horse Tests in Extension Office. 6-8pm 4-H Summer Day Camp, 8:30am – 3:30pm, Pathfinder Park Event Center 11-13 10 **FAIR ENTRY OPEN for online entries** 12 Registration Deadline for 2<sup>nd</sup> Gymkhana, 4:00 p.m., Extension Office Second Gymkhana/Clinic, Pathfinder Park, 20205 Highway 115, Florence. Test at 7:30 a.m., Starts at 8:00 a.m. (ONE DAY ONLY) 15 11 Fremont County Fair Board, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder Park Event Center 18-21 State 4-H Conference, Colorado State University 20 4-H Horse Council 25-26 4-H Leadership Lock-In 26 Registration Deadline for 3rd Gymkhana, 4:00 p.m. Extension Office 27 27 **27** 29 Retake tests for County Fair Market Animal and Horse Tests in Extension Office 6-8pm Last day to have Horse Levels written and riding tests completed for the County Fair. MAIN CLUB LEADERS 4-H Attendance page due by 5:00 p.m. Attendance page MUST be filled out correctly! (REQUIRED) Third Gymkhana/Clinic, Pathfinder Park, 20205 Highway 115, Florence. Test at 7:30 a.m., Starts at 8:00 a.m. (ONE DAY ONLY) Rain date for 4-H Gymkhana will be determined if needed, Pathfinder Park, 20205 Highway 115, Florence 30 **JULY** LAST DAY to enter Fremont County Fair at no charge. 2 2-3 Entomology Mini Camp, 8am - Noon, Pathfinder Park Late entries for Fremont County Fair accepted until 5:00 p.m., \$25.00 per project. No entries accepted after July 3. 3 **4** 9 10 4-H Council, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building Independence Day Observed Extension Office Closed Fremont County Fair Board, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder Park Event Center 4-H Record Book Workshop, 5:30pm-7pm Fremont County Fair, Trap, Cactus Flats, 8:30 a.m. Check-In, 9:00 a.m. Shoot Fremont County Fair, Skeet, Cactus Flats, 1:00 p.m. 13 13 14 14 14 14 18 20 TBD Fremont County Fair, Sporting Clays, Cactus Flats, 9:00 a.m. Check-In, 9:30 a.m. Shoot Fremont County Fair, Air Pistol, 4-H Building, Check-In 1:30 p.m., 2:00 p.m. Shoot Fremont County Fair, Air Rifle, 4-H Building, Check-In 3:30 p.m., 4:00 p.m. Shoot 4-H Horse Council, 7:00 p.m. Fremont County Fair, Muzzleloading, Archery, Cactus Flats 8:30 a.m. Check in, 9:00 a.m. shoot Fremont County Fair, .22 Pistol TBD Fremont County Fair, .22 Rifle, Cactus Flats, 7:30 a.m. Check-In, 8:00 a.m. Shoot 21 21 22 Shooting Sports Awards, Pathfinder Event Center, 6:00 p.m. Fremont County 4-H Cornerstone, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building 23 25 Shooting Sports Record Books, State Fair and Shirt Fees due in Extension Office by 5:00 p.m. Shooting Sports Record Book Judging, 6:00 p.m. 4-H Building 26-Aug. 3 Fremont County Fair Set Up for County Fair at Pathfinder <u>AUGUST</u> Fremont County Fair Livestock Auction Fremont County Fair Clean-Up Day (all 4-Her's requested to be here) 5-12 Non-perishable 4-H projects for the Colorado State Fair due in the Extension office by 4:00 p.m.

13 Fremont County Fair Board, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder Park Event Center 13

Perishable 4-H projects for the Colorado State Fair due in the Extension office by 12 noon.

MAIN CLUB LEADERS All County Reports are due by 5:00 p.m. The REQUIRED reports are as follows: Club Continuation, Community Service, and Completion 15 Reports for members, Cloverbuds and leaders.

MAIN CLUB LEADERS 4-H Club/Organizational State Reports are due by 5:00 p.m. The REQUIRED reports are as follows: Annual Affirmative Action Report, 15 Financial Report, Club Annual Plan, Club Budget, and Constitution & Bylaws.

LAST DAY to turn in Secretary and Reporter books for judging and Treasurer Books for outstanding club award credit to the Ext. Office no later than 5:00 p.m.

15 22 4-H Horse Council, 7:00 p.m. Final Completion Display Day

22 22 LAST DAY to turn in record books for projects not completed at Fair.

LAST DAY to turn in ALL Animal e-Record Books to the Extension Office no later than 5:00 p.m. There is not going to be an option for completion only.

23- Sept 2 Colorado State Fair 24

Saturday, Livestock Record Book Judging, 8:00 a.m. Each club is requested to send at least 2 adults (leaders or parents) to help. Remember, if a club is not represented by at least one adult to help judge, that club's record books will not be eligible for record book awards. We encourage sending more than 2 if you can, the more people we have to help the faster it goes!

# **SEPTEMBER**

Holiday (Labor Day) Extension Office Closed 4

4-H Council, 7:00 p.m., 4-H Building 4-5

Pickup Colorado State Fair projects at CSU Extension Office. 10

Fremont County Fair Board, 7:00 p.m., Pathfinder Park Event Center

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