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4-H Livestock Schedule

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Location</u>
Wed.	Jan. 2	6:30pm	Beef Breeding Mandatory Meeting (if showing a heifer/bull at the fair)	Fairgrounds
Thurs.	Jan. 3	6:30pm	Small Animal Barn Mandatory Meeting	Fairgrounds Bldg. C
Sun.	Jan. 6	12:00am	Goat Online Registration Due	
Tues.	Jan. 8	7:00pm	Horse Barn Mandatory Meeting	Fairgrounds Bldg. A
Sat.	Jan. 12	10:00am	Goat Mandatory Meeting	Fairgrounds
Thurs.	Feb. 7	No later than 5:00pm	Beef Breeding Record Books Due	Fair Office
Thurs.	Feb. 14	No later than 5:00pm	Small Animal Record Books & Cage Signs are Due	Leaders
Thurs.	Feb. 14	No later than 5:00pm	Goat Record Books are Due	Fair Office
Thurs.	Feb. 21	4:00-5:30pm 6:00pm	Small Animals Enter Beef Breeding Enter	Fairgrounds Fairgrounds
Fri.	Feb. 22	7:00-10:00am By 11:00am	Swine Enter Swine Record Books Due	Fairgrounds Show Arena
		6:30pm	Beef Breeding Show	Show Arena
Sat.	Feb. 23	8:00am-12:00pm 12:30pm	Rabbit & Cavy Show Junior Beef Breeding Show	Small Animal Barn Show Arena
		4:00pm 9:00pm	Swine Show Beef Breeding Load Out	Show Arena Fairgrounds
Sun.	Feb. 24	7:00-9:00am 10:00am 9:00am 12pm-2:00pm 2:00-4:00pm 2:30-3:30pm	Steers Enter Steer Record Books Due Horse Show Horticulture Contest Swine Buyers Dinner Small Animal Costume Contest and Parade	Fairgrounds Show Arena Fairgrounds Home Arts Bldg. Hospitality Tent Small Animal Barn
		4:00pm	Swine Sale	Show Arena
Mon.	Feb. 25	6:00pm	Swine Showmanship/Grooming	Show Arena

Tues.	Feb. 26	5:00pm	Swine Thank You Letters Due	Show Arena
		7:00pm	Steer Show	Show Arena
Wed.	Feb. 27	8:00-5:00pm	Swine Barn Clean-Up Mandatory	Swine Barn
		5:00-7:00pm	Steer Buyers Dinner	Hospitality Tent
		7:00pm	Steer Sale	Show Arena
Thurs.	Feb. 28	8:00am	Goats Enter	Fairgrounds
		6:30pm	Steer Showmanship/Grooming	Show Arena
Fri.	Mar. 1	4:00pm	Beef & Swine Exhibitors Awards	Show Arena
		6:00pm	Dog Show	Show Arena
		Approx. 5:30	Steer Thank You Letters	Livestock
			Due	Trailer/Scales
Sat.	Mar. 2	8:00am	Chicken/Poultry Show	Small Animal Barn
		1:00pm	Pee Wee Pig Show	Show Arena
		4:00pm	Goat Show	Show Arena
Sun.	Mar. 3	12:00pm	Horse, Goat & Small Animal Exhibitor Awards	Show Arena

4-H Home Arts & Horticulture Schedule

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Location</u>
Sat.	Feb. 2	10:00am -2:00pm	Youth Photography, Arts and Crafts Due	Fairgrounds
Thurs.	Feb. 21	10:00am – 5:00pm	Horticulture Exhibit Due	Fairgrounds
		10:00am – 5:00pm	Citrus, Fruits, and Vegetables Due	Fairgrounds
		6:00pm	Judging	Fairgrounds
Fri.	Feb. 22	11:00am-12:00pm	Veggie Wars Enter	Fairgrounds
Mon.	Feb. 25	4:00pm – 5:00pm	Cakes, Pies and Candies Due	Fairgrounds
		6:00pm	Judging	Fairgrounds
Wed.	Feb. 27	4:00pm-5:00pm	Breads, Cookies, Jams, Jellies, Vegetables and Relishes	Fairgrounds
		6:00pm	Judging	Fairgrounds
Mon.	Mar. 4	9:00am -12:00pm	Pick-up Home Arts Exhibits	Fairgrounds

General Rules & Regulations for 4-H Exhibits

1. Open to all St. Lucie County 4-H members enrolled by September 1, 2018
2. Each member is allowed a **maximum of 3 entries per category**. Exhibits must be made by the exhibitor since the 2018 St. Lucie County Fair. Categories include: photography, art, ceramics, sewing, woodworking, 4-H poster art, animal science, robotics, horticulture, Legos, environment, science and technology, recreation and general. The 4-H staff reserves the right to create more categories as necessary or to **reject items** if not deemed fair quality.
3. All exhibits will be entered into the 4-H Booth located at the Fairgrounds Bldg. A on **Sat. February 2nd** between 10am-2pm. **Exhibits will not be accepted at the 4-H Office unless SPECIAL arrangements are made prior to Sat Feb 2nd.**
4. Exhibits are entered at owner's risk. Every precaution will be taken to protect exhibits, but St. Lucie County 4-H will not be responsible for loss or damage.
5. **Food exhibits** must be brought to the Women's World exhibit area on Monday, February 25th from 4:00pm - 5:00pm and Wednesday, February 27th from 4:00pm - 5:00pm. All entries must be accompanied by the recipe on a **4 x 6 index card**. Items requiring refrigeration will not be accepted. **New!!** Youth must enter their items in person and must be present at time of judging for a personal interview by the judge. Limit 1 per category.
6. **New!! Canned Items:** No Paraffin is permitted. Must use half pint or pint sealed jars.
7. **Horticulture Exhibit:** All plants must be cleaned, trimmed and free from scale and other diseases.
8. Premiums will be awarded in the following events: Project Exhibits, Vegetables, Horticulture and Food Exhibits. Premium money will be given out on **March 4** when entries are picked up at fairgrounds.
Green Best in Show: \$25.00 Green Rosette: \$15.00 Blue Ribbon: \$10.00 Red Ribbon: \$8.00
9. **New!!** All Lego projects must be attached to a hard surface, preferably wood. No Heavy Cardboard.
10. All exhibits will be judged by qualified persons and decisions of the judges will be final.
11. 4-H Age Categories are below:

Category	Age Range
Clover Bud	5-7 years of age as of Sept. 1, 2018
Junior	8-10 years of age as of Sept. 1, 2018
Intermediate	11-13 years of age as of Sep. 1, 2018
Senior	14-18 years of age as of Sept. 1, 2018

Poster Art Contest

1. All exhibits will be entered into the 4-H Booth located at the Fairgrounds Bldg. A on Sat February 2nd between 10am-2pm.
2. On back of poster (upper left hand corner): name, age, 4-H Club, and a brief statement explaining the poster artwork.
3. Size 14x22 inch (standard poster board.) Only horizontal or vertical posters are acceptable. **No 3 Fold Science Fair boards allowed.**
4. Poster Theme can be any of the following:
 - Growing 4-H
 - Open: create a theme and poster to go with it.
 - Avoid "Join 4-H", 3-dimensional and copyrighted materials.
 - It's a Green Thing
 - Learn by Doing
5. Any art medium is acceptable (water color, ink, crayon, acrylic, charcoal, oils, collage)

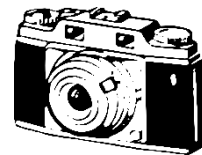


4-H Art Photography Show

Clover Bud: Under 8 years, Junior: 8-12 and Senior: 13-18
(Age division per St. Lucie County Fair)

1. All exhibits will be entered into the 4-H Booth located at the Fairgrounds Bldg. A on Sat February 2nd between 10am-2pm.
2. Each exhibitor is allowed **a total of 3** photography entries into the 4-H photography
3. All exhibits must be the work of the exhibitor.
4. No entry may be removed until Monday, March 4, 2018.
5. No entries larger than 11 x 14, which includes the matting.
6. **No photograph in frames will be accepted.**
7. All art and photographs must be matted securely attached. Entries not securely attached to the mat will not be displayed.
8. Ribbons and prizes will be awarded by qualified judges. Decision of judges is final.
9. On back of exhibit attach card with name, age, 4-H Club and a short identifying caption.
10. Blue, Red and White ribbons and Rosettes will be awarded.
11. Four (4) winners may exhibit at District Events and enter State Contest. (Top four (4) State winners exhibit at National).

To enter a fair exhibit in addition to the 4-H booth exhibit see the Home Arts St. Lucie County Fair Premium Book for rules: www.stluciecountyfair.org



Food Exhibits

1. Bring the following Food Exhibits to the Home Arts Building
 - Citrus, Fruits, and Vegetables: Thursday, February 21st 10:00 am – 5:00 pm
 - Cakes, Pies and Candy: Monday, February 25th from 4:00 pm -5:00 pm.
 - Breads, Cookies & Canned Items: Wednesday February 27th from 4:00 pm- 5:00 pm.
 - Judging is 6:00 pm on entry date
2. 1 item per category each day.
3. Youth participants must enter exhibits in person and must be present at the time of judging for judge's interview.
4. Recipe used must be submitted on a 4 x6 index card.
5. Use a non-returnable container, covered with clear plastic.
6. No Paraffin is permitted in canning. You must use regulation half pint or pint sealed jars.
7. Items that require refrigeration will NOT be accepted.
8. Bring a complete unit. (Whole recipe or at least 8 servings)
9. After foods are judged, the food cannot be provided for public consumption.

❖ Check Fair website for details: www.stluciecountyfair.org



Horticulture Exhibit

1. Any 4-H Member may enter.
2. Entries will be accepted Thursday February 21st from 10:00 am- 5:00 pm.
3. All plants and flowers must be cleaned and trimmed from plant scale and diseases.
4. All containers must be cleaned.
5. Entries will be judged on originality, design, and quality.
6. Ribbons and Premium money for each participant
7. All exhibits must be picked up by Monday March 4th between 9:00 am – 12:00 pm.



County Events Demonstrations

Date: Wednesday, March 27, 2019

Time: 3:00pm- 5:00pm

Place: Indian River Research Center, Rock Road

Registration through 4-H Online: Monday, March 18, 2019

1. Demonstrations and Speeches can be in a wide variety of categories and interest.
2. No live animals may be used.
3. Demonstration must have been given first at club level.
4. Must provide all equipment and supplies needed for presentation.
5. Presentation Time: Sr. (Age 14-18): 5 to 12 minutes
Int. (Age 11-13): 3 to 12 minutes
Jr. (Age 8-10): 3 to 12 minutes
6. One (1) Blue Ribbon Junior, one (1) Blue Ribbon Intermediate and one (1) Blue Ribbon Senior in each category will go to District Events (April 27th held in Indian River County).

To be eligible to attend 4-H University in July, 4-H'ers (14-18) must participate in County Events.



4-H Fashion Revue

Date: Wednesday, March 27, 2019

Time: 3:00pm- 5:00pm

Place: St. Lucie County Extension Office- Hurricane House

Registration through 4-H Online: Monday, March 18, 2019



The following rules will apply:

1. Participants must be enrolled in the Clothing Project.
2. Participants must submit description of garment and information about themselves by Monday, March 18, 2019.
3. Ribbons awarded for each division.

Share-the-Fun Talent Contest

Date: Wednesday, March 27, 2019

Time: 3:00pm- 5:00pm

Place: Indian River Research Center, Rock Road

Registration through 4-H Online: Monday, March 18, 2019



The following rules will apply:

1. Any 4-H member may enter.
2. Individual or group entries are acceptable.
3. In case of group entries, all members must be in the same age classification (Jr., Int. or Sr.) in order to go on District Events.
4. Groups are limited to five members.
5. Each act is allowed between 3 and 5 minutes.
6. A stage and a microphone will be provided. All acts must supply their own musical and sound equipment.
7. The top two (2) senior, top two (2) intermediate and top two (2) junior acts will be eligible for District Events (April 27th held in Indian River County).
8. Scoring:

Talent	30%
Showmanship	35%
Costume & Staging	35%
TOTAL	100%

4-H Pledge

I pledge my Head to clearer thinking,
My Heart to greater loyalty, my Hands to larger service, and
My Health to better living,
for my club, my community, my country, and my world.

4-H Motto

To Make the Best Better



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