

# Highland Happenings

A 4-H Newsletter for Highland County

February 2019



## Last 2019 Current Advisor Training

The last Training for current 2019 advisors will be held on February 18, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. at the County Administration Building in the large conference room in the basement.

## Scholarship Applications Due February 14!!

Highland County 4-H members are eligible for several county and state 4-H scholarships. The individual scholarship requirements are different.

Stop by the office or visit our website: [highland.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development/forms-applications-resources](http://highland.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development/forms-applications-resources)

for more information.

The 4-H Endowment, Fetto, Hudson, Five Point Implement and Tissot scholarships are due **February 14, 2019 and the online form is a fillable pdf form.**

Ohio State Fair Scholarships are due **March 1, 2018.** Visit [OSF Scholarships](#) for more information.

## Ohio 4-H Conference

The 2019 Ohio Volunteer & Teen Conference will be held March 9 at the Columbus Convention Center. This is a great educational opportunity for 4-H Youth and 4-H Advisors. Again this year we are offering transportation from Southern State Community College to the Conference and back. The bus will be filled on a first come first served basis with Youth Members taking precedence. A Health Form will need to be completed if you are riding the bus. To register you will need to submit your enrollment form and list of the sessions that you would like to attend before 4:00 p.m. on February 8, 2019 to the OSU Extension Office. Stop by the Office for the forms, or use the following Link: <https://ohio4h.org/events/ohio-4-h-conference>

## Announcing Summer Judging Dates

July 9 – Project Judging @ Hillsboro High School  
July 10 – State Fair and Swine Breeding Judging in the large Meeting room of the County Administration Building  
July 11 – Award Ceremony @ Southern State in the Patriot Center

## Member Officer & Advisor Training (MOA)

All clubs must have at least one advisor attend MOA Training on Monday, April 29, 2019 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at Hillsboro High School in order to remain a club in good standing. Everyone is invited to attend. Jana Holbrook, Jr. Fair Coordinator, will be there to provide an update on all of the Jr. Fair changes for the 2019 Highland County Fair.

## Scholarship Opportunities

Highland County 4-H members are eligible for several county and state 4-H scholarships. Please make sure you closely read the requirements. Visit the website for scholarship eligibility requirements and applications: <http://highland.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development/forms-applications-resources>. The form on-line is in a fillable format. Handwritten forms will not be accepted. If you don't have access to a printer let the Extension Office know and we can print them out for a small fee. The 4-H Endowment, Fetro, Hudson, Five Points Implements and Tissot scholarships are due before 4:00 p.m. on February 14, 2019.

## New Advisors

Now is the time to recruit new volunteers for 2019! Any adult who is wanting to become a 4-H advisor must go through the volunteer selection process. If volunteers want to be active in 2019, they need to complete the selection process as soon as possible. Applications will not be accepted after March 14, 2019. New Advisor Training will be held On March 25, 2019, starting at 6:00 p.m., at the County Administration Building in the large conference room in the basement. Interviews will be scheduled upon receipt of the forms. The forms are available at: [https://highland.osu.edu/sites/highland/files/imce/New%20Advisor%20Application\\_1.pdf](https://highland.osu.edu/sites/highland/files/imce/New%20Advisor%20Application_1.pdf)

## Upcoming Clinics

Swine Clinic March 30, 2019

<https://www.facebook.com/osuextensiongallia/photos/a.112016252177798/2086040808108656/?type=3&theater>

Poultry Clinic April 13, 2019 [www.poultry.osu.edu](http://www.poultry.osu.edu)

Rabbit Clinic April 29, 2019

<https://www.facebook.com/Ohio4HAnimalSciences/photos/a.564526450319944/1741817475924163/?type=3&theater>

## Skillathons

Reminder to all clubs, Skillathons may be reserved 2 times during the year by a Club Advisor only. Check out the feed photo packets included in each Skillathon. Don't forget to reserve your times early by calling the OSU Extension Office at 937-393-1918.

## Teen Opportunities

4-H offers a wide variety of opportunities for teens to develop knowledge, skills, attitudes, and aspirations needed for adult success. The beginning point for teens to become involved in all 4-H opportunities is through local 4-H clubs. Through these clubs, they have the opportunity to participate in activities that could include projects designed especially for teens, community service and citizenship activities. After that there are many leadership opportunities at the county and state levels including numerous boards, committees and camping opportunities.

<http://www.ohio4h.org/families/just-teens>

## OSU Extension Annual Fundraiser

Mark your Calendars for Saturday, April 6, 2019. Join us for a wonderful meal, silent and live auctions at the Highland County Fairgrounds in the Poultry and Rabbit Barn. This is a great way to support OSU Extension, Highland County. Remember, donations are accepted at the OSU Extension office for the auction. We encourage all the clubs to donate an item or basket to help support the 4-H program in Highland County.

## Occasional Quantity Cooks Volunteer Training

Each club is required to have at least one advisor trained and it's that time again. Please print and send me a copy of your certification. Instructions can be found at:

<https://ohio4h.org/sites/ohio4h/files/imce/Directions%20-%20New%20Occasional%20Quantity%20Cooks%20Volunteer%20Training%20-%20May%202017%20CFAES%20Canvas.pdf>

We will also email this link to all advisors.



Terry Brittan and  
Jeff Duncan HC  
Commissioners



Gary Abernathy HC  
Commissioner



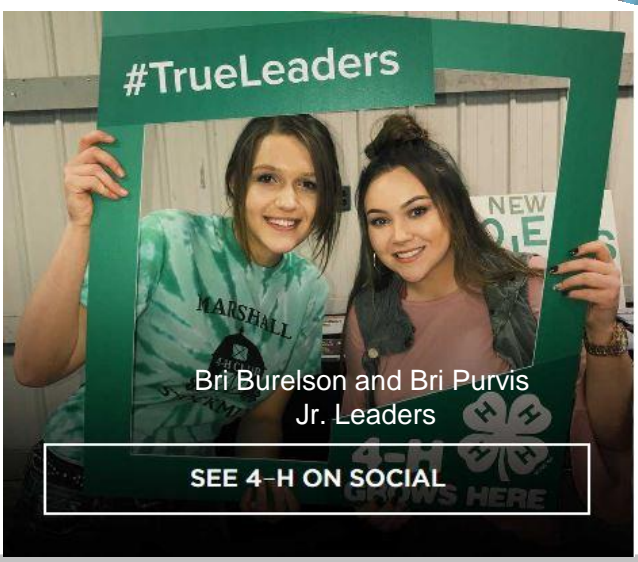
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Jr. Leader



Bri Burelson and Bri Purvis  
Jr. Leaders

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## 4-H Graduation Cords

4-H Graduation Honor Cords will be available this year for current 4-H seniors to purchase. These green and white cords will proudly proclaim seniors' long-time active involvement in the Highland County 4-H Program and their local 4-H club. The cords, pictured here, are available from OSU Extension Highland County. To order yours, please send a check, payable to OSU Extension, Highland County, in the amount of \$15.00, on or before Thursday, April 11. We will place the order with National 4-H Supply, and let you know when you can stop in to pick up your cords. Of course, purchasing and wearing the cords is optional. We will provide all area high schools with a list of all our graduating seniors who purchase a cord so they are aware of what the cord represents. Let's show our colors at graduation.

An order form is attached, or available online at:  
<https://highland.osu.edu/sites/highland/files/imce/Graduation%20cord%20letter.pdf>



## Counselor Training Opportunities Making

Extreme Counselors February 23 – 24, registration deadline is January 31, 2019  
Counselor College April 13 – 14, registration due March 15, 2019

## Ohio Beef Expo Judging Contest Registration

Registration for the contest is \$5.00 per individual and \$15.00 per team if registered by March 8, 2019.

Team registration after March 8, 2019 up until the day of the contest will be double the entry fee, \$10.00 per individual and \$30.00 per team and must be done the morning of the contest at the Expo Center.

More information and registration is available at: [https://ncba-uvcwn.formstack.com/forms/obe\\_judgingcontest\\_form?fbclid=IwAR2twgP0N0oWrk5GkqrWm70uotjXNGIhalD-nxg-5HtNhLELLGdw7x54QdM](https://ncba-uvcwn.formstack.com/forms/obe_judgingcontest_form?fbclid=IwAR2twgP0N0oWrk5GkqrWm70uotjXNGIhalD-nxg-5HtNhLELLGdw7x54QdM)



## 2019 4-H Camp Dates

Spring Fling May 4 -5  
Camp Open House May 5  
Stem Camp June 3 - 5  
Beginner Camp June 10 -13  
Teen Camp June 14 - 17  
Jr. High Camp June 18 – 21  
Cloverbud Overnight Camp June 21 – 22  
Cloverbud Day Camp June 26  
Junior Shooting Sports Camp June 28 - 30  
State Special Needs Camp July 5 - 7  
Senior Shooting Sports Camp July 14 -19

Scholarship forms are available online at:

<https://highland.osu.edu/sites/highland/files/imce/Scholarship%20Application%202019.pdf>



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### Extension Fundraisers

4-H Sun Catchers - \$15 for large, visit [highland.osu.edu/news/support-highland-county-4-h](http://highland.osu.edu/news/support-highland-county-4-h) for more information or stop by Extension Office to purchase.

Kroger Community Rewards – sign up at [krogercommunityrewards.com](http://krogercommunityrewards.com) – support Highland County 4-H, Organization #80836

Community Markets Community Cash – Save your Community Markets Receipts and drop them off at the Extension Office.

4-H Yard Signs – Purchase a Yard Sign for \$5.50 at the OSU Extension Office.



### Cloverbud News

The Cloverbud Connections Newsletter can be found at: <http://www.ohio4h.org/families/cloverbuds/ohio-4-h-cloverbud-connections>

### Facebook

Don't forget to checkout Facebook for up-to-date 4-H happenings.

<https://www.facebook.com/Highland-County-4-H-Ohio-158507614183904/>

You must be logged in to view the site, don't forget to like us in order to receive updates from the site.