



2024-2025 WCD 4-H Family Calendar of Focus

This list is of approximate dates of important 4-H events, these dates are subject to change. Please watch emails and Facebook posts for the most current and up to date information.

OCTOBER

- 1 NEW 4-H YEAR Begins – Open Enrollment
- 4 4-H on the 4th Chalk the Walk 4-H Fun
- 6-12 National 4-H Week
- 6 4-H Sunday
- 7 Lane County 4-H Council
- 12-13 48 Hours of 4-H
- 14 Rush 4-H Junior Leaders/ Council
- 21 Ness 4-H Council
- 22-24 Annual Conference for Agents
- 27 Rush Achievement 2pm Rush Center WC/RCRR Trick or Treat for Others to Eat



NOVEMBER

- 1 ALL 4-H Re-Enrollment DUE
- 2 District Officers Training,
- 3 Lane Co Achievement Banquet
- 4 4-H on the 4th Lane: Food Fun/Show Appreciation
- 4 Lane County 4-H Council
- 10 Ness Co Achievement Banquet
- 11 Veterans Day Holiday
- 11 RH Community Leaders Meeting
- 18 Ness 4-H Council
- 23-24 Kansas Leadership Weekend
- 24 Walnut City 4-H Club Visit
- 28-29 Thanksgiving Holiday
- TBA New Family Orientations

DECEMBER



- 2 Lane Co 4-H Council
- 4 4-H on the 4th Rush: Christmas Crafts
- 7 Ness Community Christmas
- 8 Rush 4-H Junior Leaders/Council
- 16 Ness 4-H Council
- 23- Jan3 Christmas/New Year's break
- TBA Project Talk & Demo Training

JANUARY



- 1 New Year's Day Holiday, Office Closed
- 4 4-H on the 4th Ness
- Project Day
- 6 Lane 4-H Council
- 13 RH Community Leaders Meeting
- 20 Martin Luther King Day
- Project Focus: Foods & Nutrition and sewing



FEBRUARY

- 3 Lane 4-H Council
- 4 4-H on the 4th Lane Love of Ag Activities
- 10 Rush 4-H Council
- 14 Happy Valentine's Day
- 15 District 4-H Club Days, LaCrosse
- 17 Ness 4-H Council
- 16-17 Citizenship in Action, Topeka
- 22-23 4-H Horse Panorama
- Project Focus: Photography
- Order Bulk Rockets for District



MARCH

- 1 Regional Club Days, Dodge City
- 3 Lane County 4-H Council
- 4 4-H on the 4th Lane: Horticulture Day Activities
- 10 Rush Community leaders
- 15 St Patrick's Day Parade in Rush Center
- 16 Lane Beef Weigh in
- 22 Super Saturday Judging Event in Colby
- 26 Ness Beef Weigh in
- 30 Rush Beef Weigh in
- Project Focus: Horticulture/Natural Sciences





APRIL

- 4 4H on the 4th Rush Earth Day Activities
 - 7 Lane County 4-H Council
 - 14 Rush County 4-H Council
 - 17 Youth Entrepreneurship Challenge. Manhattan
 - 18 Good Friday Office Closed
 - 20 Easter
 - 21 Ness 4-H Council
 - 22 Earth Day
 - 20-26 National Volunteer Week
 - 27 Ness & Lane Small Animal Weigh-in
- Project Focus: Lawn Mower/ Babysitting/ Bicycle Safety



MAY

- 3 Rush Small Animal Weigh-in
 - 4 4H on the 4th Ness Wildlife Day
 - 5 Lane 4-H Council
 - 11 Mother's Day
 - 12 Rush Community Leaders
 - 19 Ness 4-H Council
 - 26 Memorial Day Office Closed
- Project Focus: Reading, 4-H Lock-in

JUNE



- TBA Insect Spectacular
- TBA Camp Dates
- 1 Horse ID Papers Due
- 2 Lane County 4-H Council

- 4 4H on the 4th Rush Daycamp
- 4-6 Discovery Days in Manhattan
- 9 Rush 4-H Council
- 13-15 State Geology Trip
- 15 Father's Day
- 19 Juneteenth Office Closed



JULY

- 4 4-H on the Fourth Ness: Fun Run with Activities
- 7 Lane County 4-H Council
- 14 Rush Community Leaders
- 14 Lane Clothing Judging
- 16-19 Lane County Fair
- 21 Ness Clothing and Photography Judging
- 23-27 Ness County Fair
- 28 Rush Clothing, Fiber Arts, Photography Judging
- 30-Aug 2 Rush County Fair



AUGUST



- TBA Livestock Sweepstakes, Manhattan
- 1-2 Rush County Fair
- 4 4-H on the 4th Lane Pool Party
- 4 Lane County 4-H Council

- 11 Rush 4-H Council
- 15 Lane Thank You Letters Due
- 16 State Horticulture Judging Contest, Manhattan
- 18 Ness County 4-H Council



SEPTEMBER

- 1 Labor Day, Office Closed
- 2 Ness Thank You Letters Due
- 4 4-H on the 4th Rush Poster Party
- 5-14 Kansas State Fair, Hutchinson
- 8 Rush County Community leaders
- 15 Ness County 4-H Council
- 24 Record Books Due, Rush Thank You's due



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- Watch your 4-H Online e-mails (Reg Max) for the most current information
- Connect with us at www.walnutcreek.k-state.edu for WCD forms and documents
- Follow Walnut Creek District Extension Facebook page
- Join Walnut Creek Dist. 4-H Facebook group