CHENANGO 4-H SNAPSHOT





4-H Spotlights

THIS IS YOUR TIME TO SHINE!

We want to put you, our 4-H'ers in the spotlight! Send us your photos and let us know what you are up to. We would love to showcase all of your activities so we all can encourage each other and let everyone know that we have **AMAZING** 4-H'ers!



Send your stuff to Richard: rlt229@cornell.edu or Rhonda: rlt236@cornell.edu

HIDDEN PONDS HORSE LOVERS



Members of the Hidden Ponds Horse Lovers 4-H Club did an awesome job at the Chenango County Fair. They participated in the parade on Wednesday night showing off their 4-H spirit in style as they rode thier stick horses in a little riding demonstration.

On Wednesday they also prepared a craft for the kids on the fair grounds to make.

They finished off County Fair on Friday with 4-H'ers riding in the 4-H/Open Youth Horse Show. Great job everyone!

VALLEY BUSTERS

The Valley Busters have had a jam packed few months with a lot of their 4-H members attending the Farmers Museum Junior Livestock Show. Members were very busy preparing their goats for this show. They all did very well and their goats brought home some nice ribbons to round out all of that hard work.

Then it was off to the Chenango County Fair, more animals and more kids. It wasn't just their goats that did well, they brought some meat goats, pigs, and projects for the Case Building too. They all did an amazing job!

Way to go Valley Busters!





KREATIVE KIDS



The Kreative Kids is another group of our 4-H'ers that did an great job at the Chenango County Fair. The group got together before the fair to make an awesome banner to go along with the fair theme "4-H is Out of This World", to show off their 4-H spirit.

They continued to amaze the judges with their art projects for the case Building as well as doing a great job showing their animals.

One member raised animals for the Livestock Auction as well. Some of them even had even had time to relax a bit in the corn spa.

Awesome Job Kreative Kids!

VOLUNTEERS

If you should see any of these people, be sure to give a BIG thanks to all of the volunteers that helped to make the Chenango County Fair run. A special thanks to the crew at Chapman Hall for continuing to provide food and funds to the 4-H program. The County Fair would not be possible without people willing to donate their time and energy. These are just a few of the folks that volunteered to help out in Chapman Hall. There were more but not available at the time the picture was taken.



THANK YOU CHAPMAN HALL CREW!

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE

We had a great turnout for this year's Survival Skills Challenge, with 6 teams of youth competing from Chenango County and Broome County. Thank you to all of our amazing volunteers and staff who made this event so successful and enjoyable for all. The teams rotated through the various stations building a shelter, finding their way with a compass and building a fire to boil water. They also kayaked, learned basic first aid and had to design and build a device or tool to catch food. As a 4-H educator and outdoor enthusiast, it was truly incredible to see these youth outdoors working together to complete the different challenges. I hope that programs like these encourage youth to spend more time outside enjoying all that nature has to offer.

Keep a look out for the next fun Outdoor Adventure that Miss Erica has in store.











4-Hers' at AFTON FAIR

Chenango County 4H youth had a great day representing at the 132nd annual Afton Fair. Highlights include Master Showman- Owen Hill, Reserve Master Showman- Lily Marshman, Second Place Senior Showman- Morgan Hodge, Second Place Intermediate Showman- Adrienne Hodge, First Place Junior Showman- Ava Kemmeren, & Second Place Junior Showman- Grace Hodge. Thank you to Judge Matt Sharpe. Great Job by all!

Phalen Hill, Owen Hill, Morgan Hodge, Adrienne Hodge, Taylor Hodge, Will Rumovicz, Nate Rumovicz, Lily Marshman, Cora Hodge, Grace Hodge, Johnny Leizer and Ava Kemmeren were all from Chenango County.

The 132nd Afton Fair Rabbit Show was an exciting event for one young lady. Ava Kemmeren exhibited three rabbits received Best In Show with her Holland Lop Buck. Ava also did a superb job during showmanship and received Master Showman of the Rabbit Show.



THANK YOU SPONORS!



Thank you to all of our sponsors that have generously supported the 4-H Fair this year. We also want to thank all of you that work tirelessly to make sure our 4-H'ers have a successful and wonderful time at the fair. We cannot thank you enough, without all of your support this would not be possible!

Blue Seal—Court Furst

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Trail Farm—Austin Family

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Kathleen Hodge

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Meg Parfitt

John Worden

Ashley Young

Patsy Graham

Stewart's Shops

Jessica Henninge

Frog Pond

Storm Family 4-H Club

Hidden Ponds Horse Lovers 4-H Club

Amy Hill

Jen & Nate Funk

Lisa McBride

Vincent Family

Louise Butcher

Guilford Carry On 4-H Club

Catherine Stratton Hodge

Sharon Stratton

John & Lynda Lehr

Schmidt Family

Bell Family

Alan Proskine

Dickey Family

Don Toombs

Mark Berringer



Farmers Museum Junior Livestock Show

Chenango County was well represented at this years Farmers Museum Junior Livestock Show. Congratulations to all of the 4-H'ers that worked hard to get their animals ready for the show!

You all did an amazing job!

DAIRY:

Showmanship

10 yr olds- 2nd- Cora Hodge 13 yr olds- 1st- Lily Marshman, Reserve Master Showman 14 yr olds 4th- Phalen Hill, 5th- Nate Rumovicz 15 yr olds - 3rd Owen Hill 16 yr olds- 1st - Will Rumovicz

Lily Marshman-Holstein Winter Calf- 9th Holstein Fall calf- 3rd Holstein Summer yearling-3rd Cora Hodge -

Holstein Winter calf- 11th Jersey Spring Yearling- 1st, Mention Jr Champion Phalen Hill-

Holstein Winter Calf- 10th Owen Hill-

Holstein Summer Yearling- 11th Nate Rumovicz

Holstein Spring Yearling, 4th, 1st Place Bred & Owned. Will Rumovicz

Guernsey Fall Calf- 2nd

DAIRY GOAT:

Showmanship

Master Showman- Paige Warren Res. Master Showman- Cole Warren 1st place Interm. A Showman- Skyler Skyler Graham-Graham

Interm. B Showman-Cole Warren- 1st David Palmer III- 4th Aiden Brown Smith- 6th Senior Showman-

Paige Warren- 1st Peyton Graham-2nd Devon Fairchild- 3rd Raichel Brandt- 6th

David Palmaer III-Res. Champ. Lamancha Cole Warren-Grand Champ. Nubian Res. Grand champ. Saanen Res. Grand Champ. Toggenburg Paige Warren-Grand Champ Saanen

Jr. Champ. Saanen Jr. Best in Show

Raichel Brandt-Grand Champ Oberhasli Peyton Graham-

Grand Champ. Toggenburg

Res. Grand Champ. Recorded Grade

SWINE:

Showmanship Master Showman- Devon Fairchild 1st Senior- Devon Fairchild

Devon Fairchild-Grand Champ. Berkshire Supreme Breeding Female Grand champ. Best Bred & Owned

SHEEP:

Amon VanAlst-

Res. Champ. Ewe, natural color Res. Champ. Ewe, Finn













CHENANGO COUNTY FAIR Don and

Case Building Awards

Outstanding Horticulture: Mariah Lathrop - Sunflowers
Outstanding Clothing & Textiles: Abigail Mace - Pillowcase
Outstanding Home Environment: Josie Pierce - Refinished Chair
Outstanding Foods & Nutrition: Meghan Funk - Strawberry
Rhubarb Pie

Outstanding Science & Technology: Joe Thomsen - Cutting

Board

Don and Barbara Hodge Best in Sewing: Abigail Mace Decoration contest Winners:

1st place - Hidden Ponds Horse Lovers

2nd Place - Kreative Kids

3rd Place - Hanehan Family Farm

Barton and Charlotte Seager Awards for Best in Case Building

Best in Show Exhibit: Wyatt Austin - Lawn Tractor Best in Show Exhibit: Ethan Joslin - Flower Box Display Outstanding Senior Exhibitor: Emilee Bennett Outstanding Junior Exhibitor - Josie Pierce

4-H'ers of the Week

Shea Breese David
Phalen Hill Megha
Lily Marshman John S
Robert Smith Amon

David Palmer III Meghan Funk John Smith Amon VanAlst

Raichel Brandt katie Funk Morgan Hodge

Sportsmanship Winner: Raichel Brandt





Don and Barbara Hodge Premiere Exhibitor

2021 Premiere Exhibitor: Cora Hodge

Don and Barbara Hodge Premiere Breeder Exhibitor

2021 Premeire Breeder: Lily Marshman

Herdsmanship Winners

Goats: Skyler Graham
Dairy: Nate Rumovicz
Beef: Devon Fairchild
Poultry: Johnathon Leizer
Sheep: Amon VanAlst
Swine: Ethan Joslin

Dairy Judging Contest

1st- Emma Peila & Morgan Hodge

2nd - Tricia Bohaannon

3rd - Macie Vincent

4th - Adrianne Hodge

5th - Joey Thomsen

6th - Garrette Hyer

7th - Cora Hodge

8th - Aiden Brown-Smith

9th - Taylor Hodge

Volunteers of the Week

Rachel Hanehan Eric Warren





Dairy Goat Milking Competition

This years fourth Annual dairy goat milking competition was held at the Chenango County Fair, thanks to the generosity of the Funk, Austin, and Abrams Families. This competition involves taking 3 milk weights and samples, under ADGA sanctions, and sending them off to Dairy-One for official testing. Each youth was allowed to enter two milking does in this year's contest. Results from our county competition are used in national breed production averages and go towards earning each doe a Production Star.

Participants in this years Competition were: Abriauna Adams (Jacki-Frost) Jase Adams (Kal-Tech) Davia Adams (Accalia) Paige Warren (Rhea) Isabella Sayles (Wattless) Cole Warren (Champ) Cole Warren (Diamond)

This years Most Production Points went to: Paige Warren

Skyler Graham (Snow)

Proskine Award in memory of Shirley Proskine

Special Thank you goes out to the Proskine Family for their generous donations, in memory of Shirley Proskine. Several kids in the Dairy industry were awarded monetary gifts. It was the intent of the Proskine Family to encourage

and promote 4-H'ers to continue in the Dairy Industry. These gifts were handed out ring side during the Dairy Show as well as during our Awards night.

> The recipients of the three top awards were: Elizabeth Vincent Thomas Hanehan Jake Beers





Equine Sportsmanship Award

The first Annual 4-H Equine Sportsmanship Award is sponsored by 4-H Equine Alumni and Blue Seal, encouraging Chenango County 4-H Youth that exhibit exemplary sportsmanship.

This years recipient was: Emilee Bennett



Super Showmanship

Each year the "Best Of The Best", our Master Showman from Dairy, Meat Goats, Dairy Goats, Beef, Sheep, and Swine compete in a showmanship class to see who can show all these different species the best!

The 2021 competitors were:

Lily Marshman Paige Warren David Palmer III Skyler Graham Ethan Joslin Raichel Brandt

Winner of this years Super Showmanship: Paige Warren





FAIR HIGHLIGHTS!













SAVE THE DATES



September 15th - Project Record Sheets and Award applications are due.

There is a project record sheet for just about any project area so check out the 4-H web page. Questions call: Richard @ 334-5841 x. 1115 or rlt229@cornell.edu

September 18th - Mountain Bike Intro

Time: 9:30 -12:00

Place: Pharsalia Wildlife Management Area

Learn mountain biking basics, while exploring the roads and trails. We will end with a campfire and hot dog

roast. Questions: call Erica @ 334-5841 x. 1114 or

elc97@cornell.edu



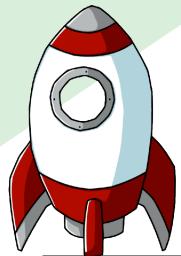


Achievement Day Oct. 3rd, 2021 1:00pm - 4:00 pm



Come join the fun! You are sure to have a **BLAST** as we celebrate all of the 4-H accomplishments that happened throughout the year.

More details coming.



HORSEBOWL

Each year our region sends 4-H'ers that have qualified to a New York State horsebowl competition. Chenango County 4-H'er Sarina Bell qualified and went to Cornell for the competition.

Horseebowl is a fast pace buzzer competition testing each contestant on their horse knowledge. Contestants go without any idea of what topics will be asked of them.

The combination team took 6th place. Nice job Sarina!



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If you have any questions about the events in this calendar, please contact Richard Turrell at: rlt229@cornell.edu



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Mr Richard, Mr Brown, and Miss Erica will continue to work hard keeping ideas coming your way, so send photos, we would love to know what you are up to!

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