

## 2015 Portage County Calendar

		No meetings: <b>Life Skills, Sheep</b>
JANUARY		
	8	<b>Beef</b> committee meeting: 8:00 pm, Fair Board office
	13	<b>Goat: Market</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Fair Board office
	15	<b>Swine</b> committee meeting: 7:30 pm, Fair Board office
	20	<b>Horse Advisors'</b> meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	26	<b>Goat: Pygmy and Dairy</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	30	<b>Deadline:</b> to Extension office: Applications for County-sponsored trips
FEBRUARY		No meetings: <b>Beef, Market Goat, Sheep</b>
	3	<b>Dairy</b> committee meeting: Extension office
	4	<b>Life Skills</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	13	<b>Deadline:</b> Registration for Ohio 4-H Conference & Recognition Luncheon
	15	<b>Deadline:</b> STATE Scholarship applications to State 4-H Office
	17	<b>Horse Rules</b> committee 7:00 pm, Extension office
	19	<b>Swine</b> committee meeting: 7:30 pm, Fair Board office
	23	<b>Goat: Pygmy and Dairy</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
MARCH		No meetings: <b>Life Skills, Market Goat</b>
	1	<b>Deadline:</b> to Extension office: Enrollment with <u>fees paid</u> for Honor Club points; Secretary & Treasurer club books; Constitution & By-Laws; Charter Checklist; Honor Club form; County Scholarship applications; County Gold Medal Award nominations (including Horse)
	2	<b>Communications</b> meeting: 7:30 pm, Fair Board office (Committee Presidents & County Educator)
	5	<b>Beef</b> committee meeting: 8:00 pm, Fair Board office
	8-14	<b>Ohio 4-H week</b>
	10	<b>Sheep</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office.
	14	<b>Ohio 4-H Conference</b>
	17	<b>Horse Advisors'</b> meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office.
	17	<b>Deadline:</b> <b>Horse</b> committee award nominations to Extension office for Ruth Matheos (Horsemanship, Leadership, Academics, Achievement, Sportsmanship)
	19	<b>Swine</b> committee meeting: 7:30 pm, Fair Board office (if needed)
	20-22	<b>Ohio Beef Expo</b> – Ohio Expo Center, Columbus
	23	<b>Goat: Pygmy and Dairy</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	28	<b>Youth Poultry Clinic</b> – OARDC Campus, Fisher Auditorium, Wooster
APRIL		No meetings: <b>Life Skills, Market Goat</b>
	2	<b>Beef</b> committee meeting: 8:00 pm, Fair Board office
	7	<b>Horse <i>Safety and Ethics</i></b> - <i>REQUIRED once for ALL new members and parents 7:00 pm, Extension office</i>
	14	<b>Sheep</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office.
	15	<b>Deadline:</b> to Extension office: All Club Enrollments with \$10 fee per member, not including Cloverbuds.
	16	<b>Swine</b> committee meeting: 7:30 pm, Fair Board office
	21	<b>Horse Advisors'</b> meeting - 7:00 pm, Extension office.
	27	<b>Goat: Pygmy and Dairy</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	26	<b>County Gold Medal Award Ceremony</b> (Time and Place: TBA)
MAY		No meetings: <b>Beef, Swine</b>
	2	<b>Horse Tack Swap</b>
	2	<b>Dairy Palooza Northeast</b> – Trumbull County Fairgrounds, Cortland
	6	<b>Life Skills</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	7	<b>Horse <i>Safety and Ethics</i></b> - <i>REQUIRED once for ALL new members and parents 7:00 pm, Extension office</i>
	12	<b>Goat: Market</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Fair Board office
	16	<b>Market Goats, Sheep, Swine Weigh/Tag-in:</b> Fairgrounds (TENTATIVE). <b>Mandatory</b> for all exhibitors.
	19	<b>Horse Advisor's</b> meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office.
	20	<b>Horse SKILLATHON #1</b> – 5:00-7:00 pm at Fairgrounds ( <b>Mandatory</b> to attend Randolph Fair).
	25	<b>Goat: Pygmy and Dairy</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
JUNE		No meetings: <b>Goat: Market</b>
	1	<b>Deadline:</b> to Extension office: Horse Leases and Registrations for horses going to fair
	3	<b>Life Skills</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	4	<b>Beef</b> committee meeting: 8:00 pm, Fair Board office
	9	<b>Sheep</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office.

JUNE	15	<b>Deadline:</b> Ohio State Fair Scholarships
	16	Horse Advisor's meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office.
	18	Swine committee meeting: 7:30 pm, Fair Board office
	20	<b>Postmark Deadline:</b> Ohio State Fair Junior Rabbit, Poultry, Livestock, and Horse Production entries
	22	Goat: <b>Pygmy and Dairy</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	23	Horse SKILLATHON #2 – 5:00-7:00 pm at Fairgrounds ( <b>Mandatory</b> to attend Randolph Fair).
	25	Horse PORTAGE COUNTY PAS (State Fair selection) show <u>pre-registrations due</u> to Angie Polichena, 2433 St. Rt. 44, Atwater OH 44201
JULY	1	<b>Postmark Deadline:</b> Ohio State Fair Dog entries
	1	Life Skills committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	11	Horse PORTAGE COUNTY PAS (State Fair selection show) 8:00 am, Randolph Fair grounds
	14	SKILLATHON: Beef, Dairy, Goats, Sheep, Small Animal, Fairgrounds
	14	Goat: Market committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Fair Board office
	14	Sheep committee meeting: 8:00 pm, Fair dining hall
	14	Beef committee meeting: 8:00 pm, Fair Board office
	16	Swine committee meeting: 7:30 pm, Fair Board office
	20-23	Life Skills judging: (TENTATIVE)
	21	Horse Advisor's meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	27	Goat: <b>Pygmy and Dairy</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Fair grounds
	28	<b>Deadline: to give HORSE SHOTS.</b> Horse shot papers to Extension office for Ruth Studer.
	29	Ohio State Fair in Columbus BEGINS <a href="http://ohiostatefair.com">http://ohiostatefair.com</a>
AUGUST	9	Ohio State Fair in Columbus ENDS <a href="http://ohiostatefair.com">http://ohiostatefair.com</a>
	3	Communications meeting: 7:30 pm, Fair Board office (Committee Presidents & County Educator)
	4	Dairy committee meeting: Fair Board Ag Bldg.
	5	Life Skills committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	11	Goat: Market committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Fair Board office
	12	Horse Advisor's meeting: 7:00 pm, Fair Dining Hall. Get Fair passes from 3-5pm.
	18	Swine committee meeting: 7:30 pm, Fair Board office (after carcass)
	25-30	Portage County Randolph Fair
SEPTEMBER		No meetings: <b>Sheep</b>
	2	Life Skills committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	3	Beef committee meeting: 8:00 pm, Fair Board office
	8	Goat: Market committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Fair Board office
	15	Horse Advisor's meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	17	Swine committee meeting: 7:30 pm, Fair Board office
	28	Goat: <b>Pygmy and Dairy</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
OCTOBER		No meetings: <b>Life Skills</b>
	1	Beef committee meeting: 8:00 pm, Fair Board office
	4-10	National 4-H Week
	5	Communications meeting: 7:30 pm, Fair Board office (Committee Presidents & County Educator)
	13	Goat: Market committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Fair Board office
	13	Sheep committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office.
	15	Swine committee meeting: 7:30 pm, Fair Board office
	20	Horse Advisors Rules and Fair sub-committees meetings
	26	Goat: <b>Pygmy and Dairy</b> committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
NOVEMBER		No meetings: <b>Beef, Market Goat, Swine, Pygmy &amp; Dairy Goat</b>
	4	Life Skills committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
	10	Sheep committee meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office.
	17	Horse Advisor's meeting: 7:00 pm, Extension office
2015	21	Beef steer weigh-in, Fair grounds: 7-9am for committee members; 9-10:30am for others. <b>Mandatory</b> to go to the <b>2016</b> Fair.
DECEMBER		No committee meetings in December
	1	<b>Deadline:</b> Volunteer Award Nominations due to State Office

Note: All information included is subject to change. Please watch emails and newsletters for up-to-date information!