2024 Knox-Lincoln 4-H Calendar of Events and Important Dates

This calendar includes events and important dates for 4-H members and volunteers in Knox and Lincoln Counties. Be aware that dates are subject to change. Check the monthly 4-H Newsletter for the most current information.

*Find livestock information and resources listed by commodity on Maine 4-H Animal Science Resources page.

January

- 9 KLLA Meeting, Zoom only, 6 pm
- 5 2024 Fryeburg Market Steer Intent to Sell forms due*
- 15 ESE Beef Intent to Participate forms due*
- 27 KL Public Speaking Workshop, 9am-noon, KL Extension office (snow date 2/3)
- 31 Oxton Trust grant applications due

February

- 13 KLLA Meeting, Zoom only, 6 pm
- 17 ESE Dairy Intent to Participate forms due*

March

- 9 KL Public Speaking Tournament, 1-4 pm (snow date 3/16)
- 12 KLLA Meeting and Meet & Greet, KL Extension office, 5:30 pm
- 15 Notify 4-H staff of intent to participate at Citizenship Washington Focus (age 14-18)
- 30 4-H Farm-to-Fair Youth Helper applications due

April

- 6 4-H State Public Speaking Tournament, UMaine Orono
- 8 Solar Eclipse Viewing Party, Union Fairgrounds, 2-4:30 pm
- 9 KLLA Meeting, Zoom only, 6 pm
- 20 4-H Chef Workshop, KL Extension office, 10 am–1pm
- 24–5/5 Tractor Supply Co. 4-H Paper Clover Campaign

May

- 1 4-H Working Steer Animal Approval form due*
- 1 ESE Dairy Animal Approval form due*
- 1 ESE Horse Animal Approval form due*
- 1 ESE Horse Tryouts Intent to Participate form due*
- 14 KLLA Meeting, Zoom only, 6 pm

June

- 1 Apply for 2024-25 Maine Assoc. of Livestock Exhibitors (MALE) membership/insurance in time for Union Fair!
- 5 Fryeburg Market Lamb Intent to Participate form due
- 11 KLLA Meeting, 6:00 pm, Union Fairgrounds
- 17 NEW DATE Union Fair 4-H Livestock Show entry forms due at the Extension office
- 17 NEW DATE Union Fair 4-H Individual Exhibition Hall entry forms due
- 25 4-H Fair Prep Party, 2–6:00 pm, Union Fairgrounds
- 25 Deadline to sign up for Cloverbud Demonstrations at Union Fair
- 25 Deadline to sign up for Club Exhibit space at Union Fair
- 30 4-H Animal Approval forms due (some commodity/fair exceptions)*

July

- 6 Union Fair Project Drop-off, 2–6:00 pm, Union Fairgrounds
- 7–10 UNION FAIR 2024
- 16 NEW DATE KLLA Meeting, 6:00 pm, Zoom only
- TBD ESE Horse Try-Outs at Skowhegan Fairgrounds*

August

- 13 KLLA Meeting, Zoom only, 6 pm

September

- 10 KLLA Meeting, Zoom only, 6 pm
- 13–29 Eastern States Exposition, Springfield, MA
- 30 4-H Project Records due in the Extension office
- 30 KL 4-H Photography Contest entries due

October

- 1 New 4-H Year begins
- 2–13 Tractor Supply Co. 4-H Paper Clover Campaign
- 8 KLLA Meeting, KL Extension office, 6 pm
- 16 2024 Award Nominations due from Leaders
- TBD 2024 KL 4-H Year-End Celebration (Oct. or Nov.)

November

- 12 KLLA Meeting, Zoom only, 6 pm
- 29–12/3 National 4-H Congress, Atlanta, GA (age 14-18)

December

- 10 KLLA Meeting, Zoom only, 6 pm
- 15 4-H Re-enrollment deadline