

Kawartha Lakes-Haliburton 4-H Newsletter



August 2017



ARE YOU READY? GOT YOUR THINKIN' CAPS ON?

IT'S ALMOST TIME FOR THE KLH 4-H Go For The Gold Competition TO BEGIN!!

Get your team together and join in the fun! All current KLH 4-H members are eligible to participate. The only rule is that you must have one novice or junior 4-H member on each team. So, if you have participated before, chat up your friends and get them out to participate or just come out and cheer everyone on! Win or lose, there are always refreshments and lots of laughs and social entertainment!!!

Check out the details below and get your team registered before it's too late!!

KLH 4-H GFTG COMPETITION

Date: Wed. August 9, 2017

Location: Royal Canadian Legion, 12 York St. N, Lindsay, ON

Time: 6:30 pm – Registration 7:00 pm – let the games begin

Register by: Wednesday, August 2nd by calling Edna White (705-374-4441) or email emac1963@hotmail.com
(leave your club name and the names of your 4-H members participating)



4-H Fair



Saturday, August 26, 2017
LEX grounds



6:00am – Barns open
7:30am – Registration begins



KLH Awards Dinner & Program Tickets (Nov 25th) will be available for purchase. \$15 per person (\$10 – 10 yrs. & under)

Dress Code for Livestock Shows

Policy: Kawartha Lakes Haliburton 4-H members showing livestock must adhere to the below list of acceptable attire for the various types of livestock. When a show dictates or provides different attire it is acceptable for members to wear the attire provided.

Dairy: White pants (dress pants or jeans only, no tights, yoga pants or stretch pants), white shirts with a collar and sleeves and no advertising, writing or pictures, adequate footwear

Beef: Black pants (dress pants or jeans only, no tights, yoga pants or stretch pants), white shirt with a collar and sleeves and no advertising, writing or pictures, adequate footwear.

Lamb: Black pants (dress pants or jeans only, no tights, yoga pants or stretch pants), white shirt with a collar and sleeves and, and no advertising, writing or pictures adequate footwear,

Horses: Varies depending on the breed or discipline. Standard attire is dark pants or breeches and a clean shirt with a collar and sleeve and no advertising, writing or pictures.

Dairy Goats: White pants (dress pants or jeans only, no tights, yoga pants or stretch pants), white shirts with a collar and sleeves and no advertising, writing or pictures, adequate footwear

Meat Goats: Black pants (dress pants or jeans only, no tights, yoga pants or stretch pants), white shirt with a collar and sleeves, and no advertising, writing or pictures equate footwear.

Swine: Dark pants (dress pants and jeans only, no tights, yoga pants or stretch pants), white shirts with a collar and sleeves and no advertising, writing or pictures, adequate footwear.

Rabbits: White pants (dress pants or jeans only, no tights, yoga pants or stretch pants), white shirts with a collar and sleeves and no advertising, writing or pictures or white lab coat.

Poultry: Black pants (dress pants or jeans only, no tights, yoga pants or stretch pants), white shirts with a collar and sleeves and no advertising, writing or pictures or white lab coat.

It is the member's responsibility to ensure they comply with the above listed guidelines and that all attire is kept as clean and neat as possible.

Attention: News Reporters

Here are 3 ways to get the word out and promote your club's activities and events!

1. Email your info to Diane Armstrong (d.armstrong@eastlink.ca) to be posted on the KLH 4-H webpage and in the newsletter.
2. Post your information on the Kawartha Lakes Haliburton 4-H facebook page.
3. Post your information at www.4-hontario.ca under the media section.

In preparation for the **KLH Awards Program**, nominations are being called for the following awards:

- **Outstanding Agriculture Member:** sponsored by the Ontario Plowmen's Association. This award is presented to an outstanding agricultural member. Please note in your nomination the member's name and reason why you believe them to be outstanding in the area of agriculture 4-H.

- **KLH Just Because Award:** 4-H provides a program that can be adapted to the needs of each participant or leader. For this reason, our youth join "Just Because". Each member is unique- their personality, their strengths, their weaknesses, and the challenges they encounter "Just Because" that is who they are. The KLH 4-H Association wants to recognize them for their efforts to achieve their personal best, for their desire to participate and for challenging themselves and inspiring other. "Just Because"

- **4-H Leadership Awards: sponsored by TD Canada Trust.** The 4-H Leadership Award is presented annually to senior 4-H member(s) in KLH. Award criteria includes: completion of a minimum four years in 4-H, completion of at least 12 projects and a minimum of 16 years of age. Selection is made by a volunteer committee and based on member interest, participation and leadership in the 4-H program. In the nomination include the members name and how the member has shown interest and demonstrated participation and leadership in the 4-H program.

- **Kawartha Lakes Haliburton 4-H Volunteer of the Year Award:** This award is presented annually to an individual who consistently exhibits an interest in 4-H and displays the qualities of kindness, patience, perseverance, diplomacy and untiring effort. Please note the volunteer's name and examples of how they have displayed the qualities noted in the award criteria.

Nominations for all the above awards can be faxed ([705-324-2391](tel:705-324-2391)), emailed (echambers@xplornet.ca), or hard copy delivered to 387 Wallace Drive, Lindsay, ON Attn: Awards Night Selection Committee by **October 1st**.



Region 3 Evaluation Night

This year's competition was held on Wednesday July 12, 2017 at the Lindsay fairgrounds. This year we had 24 participants judging the following classes, beef heifers, poultry, grain corn, peppers and scrap book pages, the participants also completed an ID quiz. The results are as follows:

Cloverbuds/open division: (Sponsored by Peterborough Speedway)

1st – Hannah Cameron; 2nd – Alex Cameron

Novice Division: (Sponsored by Peterborough Speedway)

1st – Wade Scobie; 2nd – Chantel Nicholson; 3rd – Leah Cooper

Junior Division: (Sponsored by Peterborough Speedway)

1st – Clayton Cameron; 2nd – Jack Hickson; 3rd – Morsanna Lawrence

Intermediate Division: (Sponsored by Peterborough Speedway)

1st – Austin Nicholson; 2nd – Landyn Bowen; 3rd – Karlee Webster

Senior Division: (Sponsored by Kawartha Junior Farmers)

1st – Cassandra Gorrill; 2nd – Samantha Kennedy; 3rd – Laura Jetten

1st Place team – (Sponsored by BMO – Woodville Branch)

Beef team – Leah Cooper, Karlee Webster, Maggie Jo Hickson and Cassandra Gorrill

2nd place team – (Sponsored by BMO – Woodville Branch)

Small Engines – Nathan Jetten, Jack Hickson, Cody Crowe and Landyn Bowen

3rd place team – (Sponsored by Peterborough Speedway)

Woodville Beef – Samantha Kennedy, Rachel Crowe, Jamie Smith, Clayton Cameron



At this time, I would like to say thank you to everyone who helped to make the evening a success. Class providers; beef class – Alex and Julie Cameron; Poultry class – The Jetten Family; Corn class – Michelle Hazenberg; Pepper class – Deanna Hood; Scrap book pages – Laura Staples; ID quiz – Evelyn Chambers.

Official Judges for the night Silvia Stoddart, Michelle Hazenberg, Deanna Hood and Alex Cameron; Reason takers Ross Chambers and Michelle Hazenberg; Card runners Kenzie Hazenberg; tabulations Deanna Hood; Set up, snacks and anything that need to be done Tom White.

I would like to send out a huge thank you to Cassandra Gorrill for explaining judging to the participants, guiding participants during the competition and entertaining the participants while Deanna and I finished tabulating the results.

A big thank you to our sponsors for the evening Peterborough Speedway, BMO – Woodville Branch and Kawartha Junior Farmers. Without these sponsors, the competition would not be possible, if you get a chance please send a thank you to these sponsors. Submitted by Edna White

Region 3 Judge It! Day

73 participants (7 from KLH) took part in this year's Judge it Day competition held on July 25th at the Orono Fairgrounds. A great day was enjoyed by everyone and thank you to all the sponsors, volunteers, and committee members who took time out of their busy summer schedules to organize this day. Congratulations to everyone!!! KLH results are as follows:

Novice: 31 participants – none from KLH

Junior: 20 participants – 13th Jack Hickson

Intermediate: 5 participants – 1st Karlee Webster, 3rd Maggie-Jo Hickson

Senior: 6 participants – 1st Sadie-Jane Hickson, 2nd Cassandra Gorrill, 4th Nathan Jetten, 5th April-Jean Hickson

Open: 10 participants – none from KLH

Class Winners: Dairy – Northumberland, Beef – Northumberland, Beets – Cassandra Gorrill,

Seed Art – Sadie-Jane Hickson, Hay - Northumberland, Top Overall – Sadie-Jane Hickson

Team Awards – 1st KLH



Celebrate International Youth Day with 4-H Ontario

Join other 4-H'ers from across the province on Saturday, August 12, 2017 for a 4-H day at Canada's Wonderland. Take in any and all of the Wonderland attractions, and through 4-H receive your admission ticket and lunch for a great deal! More info on the 4-H Day at Wonderland can be found [here](#)>

4-H Canada Launches 4-H Learns

4-H Learns is the community for you – 4-H professionals and volunteer leaders who drive the 4-H program by delivering training opportunities, resources and tools that allow you to network, share best practices, take part in discussion groups and learn more about 4-H around the world. Find out more about 4-H Learns and join [here](#)>



Opportunities & Scholarships

We are starting to gear up for the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair and this means arranging for people to engage the audience at the 4-H Ontario booth. If you are already planning on attending the fair and wish to spend a couple of hours at the 4-H Ontario booth engaging with potential volunteers and youth, please let us know. We would love to have current volunteers help us educate the attendees of the Royal about 4-H.



The Royal runs from Friday, November 3 to Sunday, November 12. The hours are: Mon-Sat 9am-9pm, Sun, Nov 5 9am-8pm and Sun, Nov 12 9am-6pm.

Think you want to help out? Please contact our Coordinator, Events to let us know you are interested or if you have any questions.

events@4-HOntario.ca

1-877-410-6748 extension 483

Amber Underwood Memorial News Competition

For current 4-H members. Junior Category 9-14, Senior Category 15-21

Submission deadline: September 15, 2017

Calling all young writers! Entrants write a 500 word news-style report on a 4-H alumnus (past member or volunteer), about how 4-H has benefitted them in their life and career. A \$100 prize will be awarded to the winner in each of the two age categories.

More details at <http://4-hontario.ca/youth/opportunities/competitions-contests/amber-underwood-memorial.aspx>

Canadian Young Speakers for Agriculture

Deadline: September 30, 2017

The Canadian Young Speakers for Agriculture (CYSA) competition is held annually as an opportunity to develop your public speaking skills and create a forum to express community concerns. Contestants prepare a 5-7 minute speech on one of the annual themes. There is a Junior Competition (ages 11–15) and Senior Competition (ages 16–24). The Senior Champion receives \$1,000 while the Junior Champion is awarded \$500. Applications are made through CYSA directly. Application fees apply. <https://cysa-joca.ca>

Bertram and Hazel Stewart 4-H Dairy Youth Education Award & Bursary

Deadline: October 1, 2017

The Bertram and Hazel Stewart 4-H Dairy Youth Education Award & Bursary honours Bertram and the late Hazel Stewart's deep commitment and passion toward agriculture, education and 4-H. Open to 4-H Ontario members who have been a Dairy Club member for at least three years. At application, prospective winners must be enrolled in grade 9, 10 or 11, with intent to pursue post-secondary education. Presented at the TD Canadian 4-H Dairy Classic Show at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair in the year it is granted, this bursary of \$1,000 is payable upon successful completion of first year of post-secondary schooling.

More details are available at <http://4-hontario.ca/youth/opportunities/scholarships-grants/4-h-dairy-youth-education-award-bursary.aspx>

Henrike Foerster Memorial 4-H Entrance Scholarship

Deadline: October 6, 2017

A \$500 scholarship for a first year student in the Associate Diploma in Veterinary Technology Program at the University of Guelph's Ridgetown Campus, who has demonstrated involvement in past and/or current 4-H activities in Ontario. <http://www.ridgetownc.uoguelph.ca/>

**WE WANT YOUR
FEEDBACK!**



**And you could
win an iPad
for giving it!**

What do you want to see on the 4-H Ontario website?

4-H Ontario is conducting research for a website redevelopment and wants your input! In order to design a new website, we want to ensure we are providing you with the best experience possible and making the areas of the website you use most often the most accessible. Therefore, we want to collect feedback from our youth and volunteers. And as a thank you for your time and input we will be awarding two iPADS! One to a youth and one to a volunteer. To complete the survey by August 18th and enter for your chance to win click [HERE>](#)

September Newsletter submission deadline: Aug. 20th

Send information to d.armstrong@eastlink.ca

Dates to Remember

August

- 2nd – Square Dancing Club Meeting
- 9th – KLH Go for the Gold – Royal Canadian Legion, Lindsay, ON
- 16th – Square Dancing Club Meeting
- 22nd – Region 3 Go for the Gold, St. Andrew’s Presbyterian Church, Lindsay, ON
- 23rd – Square Dancing Club Meeting
- 26th – KLH 4-H Fair – LEX grounds, Lindsay, ON

September

- 15th – Application Deadline: Amber Underwood Memorial News Competition
- 20th – East Central Championship Show, LEX grounds, Lindsay, ON
- 30th – Application Deadline: Canadian Young Speakers for Agriculture

October

- 1st – Application Deadline: Bertram & Hazel Stewart 4-H Dairy Youth Education Award & Bursary
- 6th – Application Deadline: Henrike Foerster Memorial 4-H Entrance Scholarship
- 9th - Thanksgiving

November

- 3rd – 12th – Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, Toronto, ON
- 25th – KLH Dinner & Awards Program, Little Britain Community Centre, Little Britain, ON