

April 17, 2019

Dear 4-H Poultry Member,

ALL POULTRY SPECIES must return the Poultry Entry Form included in this mailing by **May 15, 2019** to the Extension Office. Be sure to list any and all poultry you wish to show at the Fair. Poultry not listed on the form will not be eligible to show at the 2019 Hamilton County 4-H Fair.

POULTRY WORKSHOP & ID DAY

May 14, 7-8 p.m. – Show Arena

POULTRY BLOOD TESTING

June 18, 2019, 7-8 p.m. – Show Arena

June 22, 2019, 9-11 a.m. – Small Animal Barn

June 25, 2019, 7-8 p.m. – Show Arena

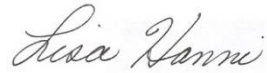
- All chickens and turkeys over one year of age must be blood tested at one of the dates listed above, even if they originate from a NPIP approved flock. If they originate from an approved flock and are under one year of age, they do not need to be tested but the NPIP certification must be turned in to the Project Leader at the blood testing on June 18, 22, or 25.
- All other poultry (i.e. waterfowl & pigeons) are only required to return the Poultry Entry Form. They do not have to attend the Blood Testing.
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- All waterfowl (with the exception of Grand and Reserve Grand Champion) will be released upon completion of judging at the 4-H Fair.

Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA): 4-H'ers planning to exhibit beef cattle, dairy cattle, swine, sheep, meat goats, dairy goats, poultry and rabbits **MUST BE CERTIFIED** through YQCA. This is an annual program that can be completed via online modules or in-person trainings. See enclosed flyer for more information.

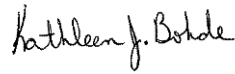
Please contact Project Leader Julie Hoffmeister at 317- 529-2237 with any questions.

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Sincerely,



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4-H Youth Development

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Enclosure: Poultry Enrollment Forms
YQCA Information

Animal Location Form

4-H members must turn in a 2019 Animal Location Form to the
Extension Office by May 15.