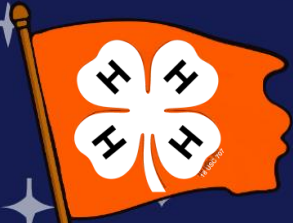
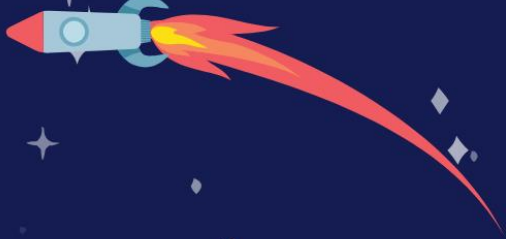


# RIVER VALLEY DISTRICT 4-H 2024-2025 CALENDAR



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# 2024-2025 RVD 4-H Calendar

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# October 2024

## Things to do:

- Enroll in 4-H @ <https://v2.4honline.com> by October 15<sup>th</sup>
- Celebrate National 4-H Week
- Set Personal Goals in your Record Book
- Due October 1<sup>st</sup> to local Extension Office
  - Project Records
  - Record Books
  - Club Seal Report
  - Achievement Pin Applications
  - Key Awards
  - Officer Books
  - Project Meeting Logs
- Complete Volunteer Applications/Renewals
- Install New Officers
- Recognize and Initiate New Members
- Make sure Financial Committee has met
- Complete Officer's Training
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1. New 4-H Year Begins  Officer Training Escape Room Available	2.	3.	4.	5.
6.  Clay Co. Cloverbud Mtg	7.  Clay Co. 4-H Council/Jr. Leader/ Ambassador Mtg	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.
4-H Sunday	National 4-H Week					48 Hours of 4-H
13.  48 Hours of 4-H	14.  Washington Co. 4-H Council Republic Co. 4-H Council	15.  KYLK Registration Due	16.	17.	18.	19.  Shooting Sports Instructor Training State 4-H Dog Conference & Quiz Bowl
20.  Shooting Sports Instructor Training State 4-H Dog Conference & Quiz Bowl	21.	22.	23.	24.	25.	26.
27.	28.	29.	30.	31.  Halloween	1.	2.

## Things to do:

- Due November 1<sup>st</sup> to local Extension Office
  - Financial Reviews
  - 4-H Club Information Forms
  - Project Leader Forms
- Make sure all families have a copy of their Club Program Book
- Plan 4-H Club Christmas Party and/or Community Service Projects
- Start making plans for Club entry at RVD 4-H Club Day (Model Meeting, Play, Chorus, etc.)
- Remind Seniors to fill out 4-H State Scholarships – Due March 1<sup>st</sup>
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# November 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1.	2.  Clay Co. Achievement Celebration
3. Clay Co. Cloverbud Mtg Cloud Co. Achievement Celebration Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.
10.  Republic Co. Achievement Celebration	11.  Extension Offices Closed for Veteran's Day	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.
17.  Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23. Washington Co. Achievement Celebration  KYLf at Rock Springs
24.  KYLf at Rock Springs	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.  Thanksgiving Extension Offices Closed	30.

## Things to do:

- 4-H Club Holiday Celebration
- Community Service Project
- 4-H Club Day Entries Due – January 8<sup>th</sup>

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# December 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1. Clay Co. Cloverbud Mtg	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.
Washington Co. Cloverbud/Ambassador Meeting	Clay Co. 4-H Council/ Jr. Leader/ Ambassador Mtg					
Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds						
8. Clay Co. Cloverbud. Mtg	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.
Shooting Sports Safety Meeting	Republic Co. 4-H Council					
15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.
Shooting Sports Safety Meeting						
Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds						
22.	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.	28.
			RVED Extension Offices Closed Christmas			
29.	30.	31.	1.	2.	3.	4.

## Things to do:

- 4-H Club Day Entries Due – January 8<sup>th</sup>
- Plan Club Exchange Meeting and/or Parents Night
- Check with Project Leaders – How are project meetings going?
- Reminder to look at Pin Applications – What activities do you need to complete?
- Senior Project Record Champions – Project Records due to Office
- Register for CIA
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# January 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1. New Year's Day Extension Offices Closed	2.	3.	4.
5. Clay Co. Cloverbud Mtg Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds	6.	7.	8. District Club Day Entries Due	9. NE Project Record Screening @ MHK	10.	11. Regional Quiz Bowl- Mankato
12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.
19. Shooting Sports Practice Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds	20. Martin Luther King Jr. Day Extension Offices Closed	21.	22.	23.	24.	25.
26. Shooting Sports Practice	27. Cloud Co. 4-H Council	28.	29.	30.	31.	1.

# February 2025

## Things to do:

- Work on State 4-H Scholarships
- Make sure you are meeting Livestock Requirements for Fair Sale
- Participate in a Judging Contest at 4-H Club Day

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2. Clay Co. Cloverbud Mtg Washington Co. Cloverbud/Ambassador Meeting Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds	3. Clay Co. 4-H Council/Jr. Leader/ Ambassador Mtg	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.
9.	10. Washington Co. 4-H Council Republic Co. 4-H Council	11.	12.	13.	14. Valentine's Day	15. District Club Day in Clay Center
16. Shooting Sports Practice Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds Citizenship in Action	17. Presidents' Day	18.	19.	20.	21.	22. State 4-H Horse Panorama
23. Shooting Sports Practice State 4-H Horse Panorama	24.	25.	26.	27. Regional Club Day Entries Due	28.	1.



## Things to do:

- Work on your 4-H Record Book
- Sign-Up for Regional 4-H Club Day
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# March 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1. State 4-H Scholarship Due
2. Clay Co. Cloverbud Mtg	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8. 9:00 – 11:00 am Beef Weigh-In Washington Co. 1:00 – 3:00 pm Beef Weigh-In Clay Co.
Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds						
9. Shooting Sports Practice	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.
16. 2:00 - 4 :00 pm Beef Weigh-In Republic Co. 5:30 – 7:00 pm Beef Weigh-In Cloud Co.	17. 6:30 pm YQCA Cloud Co.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22. Regional 4-H Club Day in Clay Center
Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds			4-H Project Fest			
23.	24. Cloud Co. 4-H Council	25.	26.	27.	28.	29. NCK Lead
30. Shooting Sports Practice	31.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.

# April 2025

## Things to do:

- Add/Drop 4-H Projects at <https://v2.4honline.com> by May 1<sup>st</sup>
- Take pictures as you work on Fair projects
- State Beef Nominations for KSF and KJLS Due by May 1<sup>st</sup>
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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6. Clay Co. Cloverbud Mtg Washington Co. Ambassador Meeting Shooting Sports Practice	7. Clay Co. 4-H Council/ Jr. Leader/ Ambassador Mtg	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.
13.	14. Washington Co. 4-H Council Republic Co. 4-H Council	15.	16.	17. Youth Entrepreneurship Challenge	18.	19.
20. Easter	21. 5:30 – 6:30 pm Small Animal Weigh-In 7:00 pm YQCA Washington Co. 7:00 pm Washington Co. Cloverbud Mtg	22.	23.	24. 5:30 – 7:00 pm Small Animal Weigh-In Cloud Co.	25.	26.
27. Shooting Sports Practice & Fair Shoot #1	28.	29. 5:30 – 6:30 pm Small Animal Weigh-In Clay Co.	30.	1.	2.	3.

## Things to do:

- Due May 1<sup>st</sup>
  - Add/Drop Projects
  - State Beef Nominations
- Plan 4-H Club Tour
- Club Project Committee Meetings (Summer Activities such as Banner, Barrel, Parade Float, etc.)
- Check Club Seal – How is your club doing?
- Dairy ID Papers Due to local Extension Office by June 15<sup>th</sup>
- State Small Animal and Commercial Heifer Nominations for KSF and KJLS Due June 15<sup>th</sup>
- Congratulations all 2024 Graduating Seniors!
- Horse ID Papers Due to local Extension Office by June 1<sup>st</sup>
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# May 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28.	29.	30.	31.	1.	2.	3. 9:00 – 10:30 am Small Animal Weigh-In 11:00 am – YQCA Republic Co.
4. Clay Co. Cloverbud Mtg Shooting Sports Fair Shoot #2 Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.
11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.
Mother's Day						
18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.
Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds						
25.	26.	27.	28.	29.	30.	31.
	Memorial Day  Extension Offices Closed.	Cloud Co. 4-H Council				

## Things to do:

- Due June 1<sup>st</sup>
  - Horse ID Papers
- Due June 15<sup>th</sup>
  - Dairy ID Papers
  - State Small Animal and Commercial Heifer Nominations
- Read your Fair Book
- Complete pre-fair entries at <https://fairentry.com>
- 4-H'ers age 12+ sign-up to be a Fair Jr. Superintendent
- Attend a Photo Mounting workshop before Fair.
- Register for Favorite Foods Judging
- Register for Geology/Entomology Judging
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# June 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1. Clay Co. Cloverbud Mtg Washington Co. Cloverbud/Ambassador Meeting Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds	2. Clay Co. 4-H Council/Jr. Leader/ Ambassador Mtg	3. 5:30 pm YQCA Clay Co.	4. -----	5. Discovery Days	6. -----	7. RVED Rabbit Show
8.	9. Washington Co. 4-H Council Republic Co. 4-H Council	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.
15. Geol/Ento Reg. Deadline Washington Co. Pre-Fair Entry Deadline Dog Practice – NCK Free Fairgrounds Father's Day	16.	17.	18. Cloud Co. Pre-Fair Entry Deadline	19.	20. Geology & Entomology Judging WS County	21.
22.	23. Clay Co. Pre-Fair Entry Deadline	24.	25.	26.	27.	28.
29.	30.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.

# Things to do:

- Read your Fair Guide
- Sign-up for a Food Stand shift at the Fair
- Complete Club Fair Entry (Banner, Bale, Float, etc.)
- Look ahead at Pre-Fair and Fair judging dates/times.
- Kansas State Fair Grand Drive entries due July 15<sup>th</sup>
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# July 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29.	30.	1. Republic Co. Pre-Fair Entry Deadline	2.	3.	4. 4th of July  RVD Offices Closed	5.  Washington Co. Photo Mounting @ KSDS
6. Clay Co. Cloverbud Mtg  Washington Co. Photo Mounting @ KSDS	7.	8. Washington Co. Pre-Fair Judging	9. Cloud Co. Pre-Fair Judging	10.	11.	12.  RVED Dog Show @ Clay Co. Event Center
13.  Republic Co. Ambassador Mtg	14.	15. Clay Co. Pre-Fair Judging	16.	17.	18.	19.
		_____ Cloud County Fair _____				
		_____ Washington County Fair _____				
20.	21.  Cloud Co. 4-H Council	22.	23.  Republic Co. Pre-Fair Judging	24.	25.	26.
		_____ Clay County Fair _____				
27.	28.	29.	30.	31.	1.	2.
		_____ NCK Free Fair _____				

## Things to do:

- Kansas State Fair Pre-Entries Due August 6<sup>th</sup>
- Work on Record Books, Pin Applications, and Project Records
- Write Thank You notes to Fair Award(s), Livestock Premium Sale, Meal Ticket, etc. Sponsors
- Appoint a Nominating Committee for Club Officers
- Attend Back to School Events – Invite youth to Join 4-H
- Make Plans for National 4-H Week (October)
- Kansas State Fair entries due to local Extension office
- KJLS Entries Due August 15<sup>th</sup>
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# August 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27.	28.	29.	30.	31.	1.	2.
NCK Free Fair						
3. Clay Co. Cloverbud Mtg	4. Clay Co. 4-H Council/ Jr. Leader/ Ambassador Mtg	5.	6. State Fair Entry Deadline	7.	8.	9. Archery & Trap State Qualifier @ Cloud Co. Fairgrounds
10.	11. Washington Co. 4-H Council Republic Co. 4-H Council	12.	13.	14.	15.	16. State Horticulture Judging @ MHK
17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23. Livestock Sweepstakes @ MHK
24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.	30.
31.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.

## Things to do:

- Select Club Members to judge Record Books in October
- Work on Items Due October 1<sup>st</sup>
  - Project Records
  - Record Books
  - Club Seal Report
  - Achievement Pin Applications
  - Key Awards
  - Officer Books
  - Project Meeting Logs
- Pick-Up Kansas State Fair Items from office after September 16<sup>th</sup>.
- Write Thank You to Project Leaders
- Finalize National 4-H Week Plans
- Plan Installation of Officers for October Meeting
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# September 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31. Clay Co. Ambassador & Cloverbud Mtg	1. Labor Day RVED Extension Offices Closed	2.	3.	4.	5.	6. State Crop ID Contest  Kansas State Fair
7. State Photo Judging Contest	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13. State FCS Judging Contest
_____			Kansas State Fair _____			
14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.
Kansas State Fair						
21.	22. Cloud Co. 4-H Council	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.
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