



UNIVERSITY of NEW HAMPSHIRE
Cooperative Extension



2009-2010

4-H Calendar

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(as of 9/09)

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September Events

- September 7 Labor Day, the office will be closed
- September 10 Annual Club *Group Summaries* due to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
- September 11 *Gardening Program Paperwork* due to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
- September 11 *Teaching Quilting to Youth* registration due to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
- September 14, 28 “Teaching Quilting to Youth”, 7 week class, Grafton County Administrative Office Building,
6:00pm-8:30pm
- September 19 4-H Day at Eastern States Exposition
- September 25 New Hampshire 4-H Day at Eastern States Exposition
- September 29 4-H Leaders’ Kickoff Meeting, County Administrative Building, upstairs Conference Room,
6:30pm-9:00pm
- September 30 The *following items* are due to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm:
 “I Dare You” Nominations
 Prudential Spirit Award Nominations
 Club Scrapbook Entries
 Club Reporter’s Notebook Entries
 County Medal Applications
 Window Display Entries

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September

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7 Labor Day	8	9	10 Annual Club Summaries due	11 Gardening Program Paperwork due Teaching Quilting registration deadline	12
13	14 Quilting Class	15	16	17	18	19 4-H Day at Eastern States Exposition
20	21	22	23	24	25 NH 4-H Day at Eastern States	26
27	28 Quilting Class	29 Leaders' Kickoff Meeting	30 Due: "I Dare You" Prudential Spirit County Medals Club Scrapbooks Club Reporter's Notebooks Window Display Entries			

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October Events

October 4	Setup Window Displays, “Celebrate 4-H”
October 4-10	National 4-H Week
October 5-9	Window Display Judging
October 6	Kids to Kids Tote Bag Sewing Day, 1:00pm – 4:30pm, UNHCE Conference Room
October 7	National 4-H Science Experiment Day
October 9	Garden Program Awards / County Awards Night, Blackmount Equipment, Inc. 6:30 p.m. Giant Pumpkin Weigh-in, Giant Sunflower Measuring and Pumpkin /Vegetable Decorating Contest Sign-in, 7:00 p.m. Awards Program
October 12	Holiday, Office Closed
October 12, 26	“Teaching Quilting to Youth”, Grafton County Administrative Office Building, 6:00pm-8:30pm
October 16	<u>Horse Quiz Bowl, Judging and Hippology Contest entries due</u> to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
October 17	Regional Leaders’ Forum, Epsom, NH
October 20	4-H Foundation Annual Meeting
October 23	<u>National Awards entries due</u> to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
October 24	Grafton County Horse Quiz Bowl, Judging, and Hippology Contests, Whole Village, Plymouth, 8:30am registration
October 24	Regional Leaders’ Forum, Newport, NH

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October

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				1	2	3
4 Setup Window Displays	5	6 Tote Bag Sewing Project	7 National 4-H Science Experiment Day	8	9 Garden Awards/County Awards Night	10
Window Display Judging						
11	12 Columbus Day Office closed Quilting Class	13	14	15	16 Horse Quiz Bowl, Judging and Hippology entries due	17 Regional Leaders' Forum, Epsom, NH
18	19	20 4-H Foundation Annual Meeting	21	22	23 National Awards due	24 Grafton County Horse Quiz Bowl, Judging, Hippology Contest Regional Leaders' Forum, Newport, NH
25	26 Quilting Class	27	28	29	30	31

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November Events

November 2	<u><i>Re-enrollment and New Enrollment Forms</i></u> due to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
November 2	<u><i>Clothing & Textile Event Leader Inservice Training</i></u> registration due to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
November 2-4	National Award Interviews, Grafton County UNHCE office, 4-6pm
November 4	Horse Advisory Teleconference
November 6-8	National Horse Round-Up, Louisville, Kentucky
November 7	Regional Leaders' Forum, Bethlehem
November 9, 23	“Teaching Quilting to Youth”, Grafton County Administrative Office Building, 6:00pm-8:30pm
November 10	Clothing & Textile Event Leader Inservice Training, 9:00am – 3:00pm, Boscawen
November 11	Holiday, office closed
November 21	Monroe Arts and Crafts Jamboree, Monroe Town Hall, 9:30am – 2:30pm
November 26	Holiday, office closed
November 27	Holiday, office closed

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1	2 All enrollment forms due Clothing/Textile Event Training deadline	3	4 Horse Advisory Teleconference	5	6	7 Regional Leaders' Forum, Bethlehem
National Award Interviews			National Horse Round Up			
8	9 Quilting Class	10 Clothing & Textile Event Training	11 Veteran's Day Office closed	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21 Monroe Arts & Crafts Jamboree
22	23 Quilting Class	24	25	26 Thanksgiving Day Office closed	27 Office Closed	28
29	30					

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December Events

- December 14 “Teaching Quilting to Youth”, Grafton County Administrative Office Building, 6:00pm-8:30pm
- December 23 *Kids to Kids Workday* registration due to the UNHCE office by 3:30pm
- December 25 Holiday, the office will be closed
- December 29 Kids to Kids workday, Grafton County Nursing Home, 9:30am-2:30pm

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December

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		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 Quilting Class	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23 Kids to Kids registration deadline	24	25 Christmas Day Office closed	26
27	28	29 Kids to Kids	30	31		

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January Events

January 1	Holiday, the office will be closed
January 6	<u><i>State Horse Quiz Bowl entries</i></u> due to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
January 8	<u><i>Food Show & Public Speaking registrations</i></u> due to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
January 16	National Award Interviews
January 18	Holiday, office closed
January 22	<u><i>Approval Forms and ESE entries for Beef Steers going to ESE</i></u> due to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
January 23	Food Show & Public Speaking, 9:30am – 2:30pm
January 23	Snow Date: National Award Interviews
January 30	Snow Date: Food Show, 9:30am – 2:30pm
January 30	State Horse Quiz Bowl, location TBA

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January

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
					1 New Year's Day Office closed	2
3	4	5	6 State Horse Quiz Bowl entries due	7	8 Food Show & Public Speaking registrations due	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16 National Award Interviews
17	18 Civil Rights Day Office closed	19	20	21	22 Approval <u>forms</u> and ESE <u>entries</u> due for Beef Steers going to ESE	23 Food Show & Public Speaking Snow Date: National Award Interviews
24	25	26	27	28	29	30 State Horse Quiz Bowl Snow Date: Food Show
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February Events

- February 5-6 Farm and Forest Expo, at the Center of New Hampshire - Radisson in Manchester.
- February 15 Holiday, the office will be closed
- February 19 **ESE Trustees 4-H Scholarship applications** due to Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
- February 19 **County Activities Day registrations** due to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
- February 19 **County Activities Day posters and photos** due to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
- February 27 State 4-H Horse Advisory Meeting

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	1	2	3	4	5	6
					Farm and Forest Expo	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 President's Day Office closed	16	17	18	19 CAD registrations due CAD posters and photos due ESE Trustees Scholarship due	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27 State 4-H Horse Advisory Meeting
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March Events

- March 6 County Activities Day 9:00am-2:30pm
- March 12 **Garden Program** registrations due to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
- March 13 Arts and Crafts Jamboree, Canaan, NH. Registration starts at 9:30am
- March 17 **State Horse Judging & Hippology entries** due to the Grafton County UNHCE office by 3:30pm
- March 20 State Dairy Quiz Bowl, location TBA
- March 20 **Snow date:** County Activities Day
- March 20-25 National 4-H Conference at the National 4-H Center begins

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	1	2	3	4	5	6 County Activities Day
7	8	9	10	11	12 Garden Program registrations due	13 Arts & Crafts Jamboree, Canaan
14	15	16	17 State Horse Judging & Hippology entries due	18	19	20 State Dairy Quiz Bowl Snowdate: County Activities Day National 4-H Conference
21 National 4-H Conference	22 National 4-H Conference	23 National 4-H Conference	24 National 4-H Conference	25 National 4-H Conference	26	27
28	29	30	31			

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April Events

- April 1 **Approvals Forms** due for Horses Qualifying for Eastern States **NO EXCEPTIONS**
- April 9 **Green Thumb Workshop** registrations due to the Grafton County office by 3:30pm
- April 10 State Horse Judging and Hippology Contest, location TBA
- April 16 **Fashion Revue and Textile Event** registrations due to the Grafton County office by 3:30pm
- April 17 Green Thumb Garden Program Workshop, 1pm
- April 23 **Teen Conference** registrations due to the Grafton County office by 3:30pm
- April 23 **Dairy Judging entries** due to Moiles House
- April 30 Textile Judging, 4-8pm
- April 30 **4-H Approval Forms** due for: Horses (not showing at ESE), Working Steers, Dogs, Llamas, Dairy Cattle, Beef Heifers going to ESE
- April 30 **Horse Ads due** to Moiles House

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				1 Horses qualifying for ESE approval forms due	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9 Green Thumb Garden Workshop registrations due	10 State Horse Judging & Hippology Contest
11	12	13	14	15	16 Fashion Review & Textile Event registrations due	17 Green Thumb Garden Workshop
18	19	20	21	22	23 Teen Conference registrations due Dairy Judging entries due to Moiles House	24
25	26	27	28	29	30 4-H Approval forms due for: Non ESE Horses, Working Steers, Dogs, Llama, Dairy Cattle, and Beef Heifers going to ESE Textile Judging Horse Ads due	Textile Event

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May Events

- May 1 Textile Event, 5:30pm arrival, 6:00pm Show
- May 1-2 4-H Dairy Judging Contest
- May 7 **-4-H Horse Leaders' Association Scholarship applications** due to the Grafton County office by 3:30.
(Open to any 4-H member in Grafton County, who is enrolled in horse projects)
-Kidder Scholarship Applications due to the Grafton County office by 3:30pm.
(Open to any graduating Grafton County 4-H member)
- May 8 Pinewood Derby, Monroe Town Hall, 9:30am registration
- May 8-9 Sheep & Wool Festival, Hopkinton
- May 9 4-H Horse Leaders' Association Fun Show, 8:30am, Steel Dust Farm, Campton, NH
- May 11 Governor's Conference on Volunteerism
- May 15 Sheep Shearing Day, Grafton County Farm
- May 21 State 4-H Foundation Golf Tournament, Candia Woods Country Club
- May 22-23 4-H Leader Shooting Sports Training
- May 31 Holiday, office closed

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						1 4-H Dairy Judging Contest
2 4-H Dairy Judging Contest	3	4	5	6	7 Horse Leaders' and Kidder Scholarship applications due	8 Pinewood Derby Sheep & Wool Festival
9 Horse Leaders' Fun Show Sheep & Wool Festival	10	11 Governor's Conference on Volunteerism	12	13	14	15 Sheep Shearing Day
16	17	18	19	20	21 State 4-H Foundation Golf Tournament	22 Shooting Sports Training
23 Shooting Sports Training	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31 Memorial Day Office closed					

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June Events

- June 4 *Garden Plans* due to the Grafton County office by 3:30pm
- June 5 State Activities Day, Pembroke Academy, Pembroke, NH
- June 11 *All 4-H sheep, goat, swine, beef not showing at ESE and small animal 4-H approval forms* are due to the Grafton County office by 3:30pm
- June 15 Teen Conference Orientation, UNHCE Conference Room, 6:30pm-8:30pm
- June 18-20 4-H Dog Weekend, 4-H Youth Center, New Boston
- June 27-30 4-H Teen Conference at UNH

NOTE FOR DAIRY PROJECT MEMBERS: Watch your mail for State Dairy Show information.

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		1	2	3	4 Garden Plans due	5 State Activities Day
6	7	8	9	10	11 Approval forms for all sheep, goat, swine, and beef not showing at ESE and small animals	12
13	14	15 Teen Conference Orientation	16	17	18	19 ———— 4-H Dog Weekend ————
20 4-H Dog Weekend	21	22	23	24	25	26
27 — Teen Conference	28	29	30			

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July Events

July 1	<u><i>North Haverhill Fair entries</i></u> due (livestock and exhibit hall) in the office by 3:30pm
July 1	<u><i>State Dairy Show entries</i></u> due to Moiles House
July 5	Holiday, the office will be closed
July 9-11	NH 4-H Sheep Clinic, 4-H Youth Center, New Boston
July 16-18	State Horse Show, Deerfield Fair Grounds
July 24	North Haverhill Fair Exhibit Hall Building Preparation
July 28	Livestock Exhibitors' Meeting at the North Haverhill Fair, 7pm
July 28 – August 1	North Haverhill Fair

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				1 North Haverhill Fair entries due State Dairy Show entries due to Moiles House	2	3
4	5 Holiday Office closed	6	7	8	9 — NH 4-H Sheep Clinic —	10
11 NH 4-H Sheep Clinic	12	13	14	15	16 ——— State Horse Show ———	17
18 State Horse Show	19	20	21	22	23	24 North Haverhill Fair Exhibit Hall Building Preparation
25	26	27	28 Livestock Exhibitors' Meeting, 7 pm ———	29 ——— North Haverhill Fair ———	30	31

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August Events

August 9-27

4-H Garden Judging

August 14

“Playing For Clover” 4-H Golf Tournament, at the Blackmount Country Club

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1 North Haverhill Fair	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10 Garden Judging	11	12	13	14 "Playing for Clover"
15	16	17 Garden Judging	18	19	20	21
22	23	24 Garden Judging	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

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September

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
			1	2	3	4
5	6 Labor Day Office closed	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

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