4-H Youth Development
Calendar of Events

2017 Dates

January

- P&T Committee Review - January 3-8, 2017
  Location: Morgantown, WV

- WV Team Agricultural Education Summit – January 26-27, 2017
  Location: Buckhannon, WV
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

- Camping In-Service – January 26-27, 2017
  Location: Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV
  Contact: Matt Schmuck (304) 406-7014

- Young Adults Conference - January 27-29, 2017
  Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill State 4-H Camp, Weston, WV
  Contacts: Lesley Woodrum (304) 466-7113, Tina Cowger (304) 367-2772, Matt Schmuck (304) 406-7014

- Older Member State Camp Planning Committee Meeting – January 27-28, 2017
  Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV
  Contact: Micalyn Stump (304) 293-5871

- Alpha State Camps Planning Committee Meeting – January 27-28, 2017
  Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV
  Contact: Micalyn Stump (304) 293-5871

- Energy Express Sites Announced – January 27, 2017
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

- State 4-H Shooting Sport Air Rifle Competition - January 28 & 29, 2017
  Location: Braxton County Armory

February

- Creative Arts Center (Dance Now) Day – February 4, 2017
  Location: WVU Creative Arts Center, Morgantown, WV
  Contacts: Brent Clark (304) 293-2694 or Micalyn Stump (304) 293-5871

- Grant Accountability Training (South) – February 6, 2017
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855
• Grant Accountability Training (Central) – February 7, 2017  
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

• Grant Accountability Training (North) – February 8, 2017  
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

• State Science Bowl – February 3-4, 2017  
  Location: WVU Mountainlair, Morgantown, WV  
  Contact: Jen Robertson (304) 293-8130

• WV Small Farm Conference – February 12-14, 2017  
  Location: Charleston, WV  
  Contact: Tom McConnell (304) 293-6242

• Grant Accountability Training (Make-Up) – February 15-16, 2017  
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

• All Star Executive Committee Meeting – February 18, 2017  
  Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston, WV  
  Contact: Christie Stout or Stephanie Deem (304) 643-5200

• National FFA Week – February 18-25, 2017  
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

• Energy Express Site Supervisor Application postmarked – February 20, 2017  
  Contact: Energy Express Office 304-293-3855

• Energy Express Site Supervisor applications delivered to County Contacts – February 27, 2017  
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

March

• Deadline for 2nd Semester FFA Dues to State Office – March 1, 2017  
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

• Energy Express AmeriCorps member application postmarked – March 1, 2017  
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

• Energy Express AmeriCorps member application delivered to county contact – March 10, 2017  
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

• Dance Training Weekend – March 10-12, 2017  
  Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston, WV  
  Contact: Jenny Murray (304) 265-3303

• State Ham, Bacon & Egg Show & Sale – March 12-13, 2017  
  Location: Charleston, WV  
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708
• Energy Express Site Supervisor selections due – March 20, 2017
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

• Teen Leaders/Charting Weekend – March 24-26, 2017
  Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston, WV
  Contact: Lewis Honaker (304) 234-3673 or Jamie Mullins (304) 354-6332

• National 4-H Conference – March 25-30, 2017
  Location: National 4-H Center - Chevy Chase, MD
  Contact: Denis Scott (304) 293-8665

• WVU Extension Day @ The Legislature – March 28, 2017
  Location: Capitol Building, Charleston, WV

• 4-H Photo Contest Entries Due State Office – March 31, 2017

• 4-H Poster Contest Entries Due State Office – March 31, 2017

• Dairy Poster Contest Entries Due State Office – March 31, 2017

April

• FFA Governing Body Meeting – April 6, 2017
  Location: Cedar Lakes
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

• Energy Express AmeriCorps Member Selection Due – April 7, 2017
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

• Stockman's Contest at Beef Expo - April 7, 2017
  Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston, WV

• WV State Science Fair – April TBD, 2017
  Location: Fairmont, WV
  Contact: Jen Robertson (304) 293-8130

• Expanding Your Horizons (STEM event for females 6th – 8th grade) – April TBD, 2017
  Location: WVU Tech, Montgomery, WV
  Contact: Jen Robertson (304) 293-8130

• National Extension Conference on Volunteerism – April 10-13, 2017
  Location: Asheville, NC

• Energy Express registration for Site Leadership Training due – April 14, 2017
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

• Annual State Livestock Roundup Annual Meeting – April 14, 2017
  Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston, WV
  Contact: Kevin Shaffer (304) 293-2669
- **Beef Expo/Grasslands Management Contest** - April 14, 2017  
  Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston, WV  
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

- **Wildlife Habitat Education Program Contest** – April 15, 2017  
  Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV  
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

- **USA Science and Engineering Festival** – April TBD, 2017  
  Location: Phoenix, AZ  
  Contact: Jen Robertson (304) 293-8130

- **WV Envirothon** – April 20-21, 2017  
  Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV  
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

- **Multi-Disciplinary State 4-H Shooting Sports Camp** - April 21-23, 2017  
  Location: Gilmer County Recreational Center (4-H Camp), Glenville, WV  
  Contact: Don Dransfield (304) 772-3003 or Zona Hutson (304) 873-1801

- **State 4-H & FFA Horse Judging Contest/Livestock Quiz Bowl** – April 22, 2017  
  Location: Potomac State College of WVU, Keyser, WV  
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

- **WVAE4HA Spring Conference** – April 26-27, 2017  
  Location: Parkersburg – Blennerhassett Hotel

- **Energy Express Site Leadership Training** – April 27-29, 2017  
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

**May**

- **Energy Express Book Order due** – May 5, 2017  
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

- **State 4-H Forestry Judging Contest** - May 6, 2017  
  Location: WestVaco Natural Resources Center  
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

- **4-H Baseball Day** – May 7, 2017  
  Location: Morgantown, WV  
  Contact: Micalyn Stump (304) 293-5871

- **Energy Express Final Site Budget due** – May 8, 2017  
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

- **All Star Executive Committee Meeting** – May 12-13, 2017  
  Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV  
  Contact: Christie Stout or Stephanie Deem (304) 643-5200
• International Science & Engineering Fair Public Day – May TBD, 2017
  Location: Phoenix, AZ
  Contact: Jen Robertson (304) 293-8130

• State 4-H Day at Jackson’s Mill – May 20, 2017
  Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston, WV
  Contact: 4-H Youth Development (304) 293-2694

• 4-H Extension Camping Instructor/STEM Ambassador Training - May 22-27, 2017
  Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston, WV
  Contact: Matt Schmuck (304) 406-7014 & Jen Honecker (304) 293-8130

• 4-H Camping Kickoff - May 24, 2017
  Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston, WV
  Contact: Matt Schmuck (304) 406-7014

• ACA/New Director Orientation - May 25, 2017
  Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston, WV
  Contact: Matt Schmuck (304) 406-7014

• ACA Canoe Instructor Training – May 27-28, 2017
  Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV
  Contact: Matt Schmuck (304) 406-7014

June

• Energy Express Book Order Take Home Delivered – June 2, 2017
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

• Energy Express Book Order Packing Slips due – June 2, 2017
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

• Jr. Firefighter Camp – June 3-8, 2017
  Location: State Fire Academy, Jackson's Mill, Weston, WV
  Contact: WV Fire Training Academy (304) 269-0875

• Energy Express Site Team Orientation (Day 1) – June 9, 2017
  Contact: Energy Express (304) 293-3855

• Summer Ag Institute (Ag in the Classroom) – June TBD, 2017
  Location: Martinsburg, WV
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

• WV Conservation Camp - June 12-17, 2017
  Location: Camp Caesar, Cowen, WV (Webster County)
  Contact: Ben Spong (304) 293-7553 or Mike Hall (304) 847-2727
Leadership Washington Focus – June 17-21, 2017
Location: National 4-H Center, Chevy Chase, MD
Contact: Lorrie Wright (304) 675-0888

Energy Express Statewide Training (South) – June 12, 2017
Location: Charleston, WV
Contact: Energy Express (304) 293-3855

Energy Express Statewide Training (North) – June 13, 2017
Location: Morgantown, WV
Contact: Energy Express (304) 293-3855

Older Members' Conference - June 18-24, 2017
Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston WV
Contact: David Hartley (304) 329-1391 or Jason Burnside (304) 624-8650

Energy Express – First Day for Children at Summer Programs – June 19, 2017
Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

July

Citizenship Washington Focus – July 2-8, 2017
Location: Washington, DC
Contact: Zona Hutson & Craig Bode (304) 873-1801

Alpha I State 4-H Camp - July 9-14, 2017
Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston WV
Contact: Craig Presar (304) 473-4208 or Elizabeth Metheny (304) 530-0273

State FFA Convention – July 12-15, 2017
Location: Cedar Lakes
Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

Alpha II State 4-H Camp - July 16-21, 2017
Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston WV
Contact: Susan Gamble (304) 720-9882 or Philip See (304) 369-4422

State 4-H Judging Day - Horticulture Judging Contest - TBD, 2017
(May include Livestock/Land Judging & Homesite Evaluation)
Location: Morgantown, WV
Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

Japan Hosting Program – approximately July TBD, 2017
Contact: Denis Scott (304) 293-8665

Creative Arts Academy – July 24-27, 2017
Location: WVU Campus
Contact: Susan Gamble (304) 720-9882 and Dylan Collins (CAC)
• WVU Summer STEM Camp – July 23-28, 2017  
  Location: Morgantown, WV  
  Contact: Jen Robertson (304) 293-8130

• Business Camp – July 23-28, 2017  
  Location: WVU Campus, Morgantown, WV  
  Contact: Micalyn Stump (304) 293-5871

• State 4-H Poultry Judging Contest - July 26, 2017  
  Location: Moorefield, WV  
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

• Energy Express – Last Day for Children at Summer Program – July 28, 2017  
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855

• Back to the Basics – July 28-29, 2017  
  Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV  
  Contact: Matthew Schmuck (304) 406-7014

August

• Back to the Basics – August 4-6, 2017  
  Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV  
  Contact: Matthew Schmuck (304) 406-7014

• WV State Fair 4-H Exhibit & display check-in – August 8-9, 2017  
  Location: Lewisburg, WV

• WV State Fair Dept. O - August 10-19, 2017  
  Location: Lewisburg, WV

• WV State Fair Dept. F - August 10-19, 2017  
  Location: Lewisburg, WV

• State Dairy Show - August 12-15, 2017  
  Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV  
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

• State 4-H & FFA Dairy Cattle Judging Contest - August 12-15, 2017  
  Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV  
  Contact: Emily Perdue (304) 293-2708

• 4-H Club Kickoff – August 29-30, 2017  
  Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV  
  Contact: Brent Clark (304) 293-2694

September

• Energy Express Invoices due – September 1, 2017  
  Contact: Energy Express Office (304) 293-3855
Day to Serve – September 11 – October 10, 2017
Contact: Denis Scott (304) 293-8665

State 4-H & FFA Livestock Roundup - September TBD, 2017
Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV
Contact: Kevin Shaffer (304) 293-2669

Shooting Sports Instructor Training – September TBD, 2017
Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV

WVUES Annual Meeting – September 19-21, 2017
Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV

4-H All Star Conference – September 22-24, 2017
Location: WVU Jackson's Mill, Weston, WV
Contact: Christie Stout or Stephanie Deem (304) 643-5200

October

National 4-H Week – October 2-6, 2017

National Youth Science Day – October 4, 2017
Contact: Jen Robertson (304) 293-8130

Storytelling Festival - October 11-12, 2017
Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV
Contact: 4-H Youth Development (304) 293-5871

4-H Football Day – October 14, 2017 (WVU vs. VA-Tech)
Location: Mountaineer Field, Morgantown, WV

Back to the Basics – Service Work Weekend – October 28-29, 2017
Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV
Contact: Matthew Schmuck (304) 406-7014

November

Volunteer Leaders’ Weekend – November TBD, 2017
Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV

4-H First Lego League Qualifying Tournament – November TBD, 2017
Location: WVU Jackson’s Mill, Weston, WV
Contact: Jen Robertson (304) 293-8130

NAE4-HA National Conference – November 12-17, 2017
Location: Indianapolis, IN

International Education Week – November 13-17, 2017
Contact: Denis Scott (304) 293-8665
• National 4-H Congress - November 24-28, 2017
  Location: Atlanta, GA
  Contact: Brenda Pruett (304) 425-3079

December

• Promotion & Tenure Files due to state office – December 15, 2017