Missouri 4-H Dairy Cow Camp

For 4-H Dairy Members Ages 8-18
(As of 1/1/2017)
May 24–26, 2017

Enrollment Deadline:
April 15, 2017

Springfield, Missouri
Robthom Dairy Farm
Registration—$90.00

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Each participant will receive:
- Lodging & meals
- T-shirt
- Grooming Supplies
- Project Notebook
- Transportation to and from Robthom Dairy

Missouri 4-H Dairy Camp is an exciting event sponsored by University of Missouri Extension. Extension staff, along with professional fitters and volunteers, will provide educational seminars. Participants will be guided through the basics and finer points of fitting dairy cattle. Youth will work in small groups receiving individual assistance.

Cattle and equipment will be provided, but if you have your own grooming equipment such as clippers or dryers, you are encouraged to bring it. There are prizes for judging and showmanship.

Rooms in the same area as the campers, will be available for parents at a cost of $80.00 per night; you must pre-register by April 15. Continental breakfast is provided by the motel. For adults wishing to eat at the farm donations will be accepted. If parents or others wish to join the camp group at Incredible Pizza, it is $12 for each adult and $10 for each additional child. Please indicate on your registration if you plan to attend so that we can make appropriate arrangements. Deadline for application is April 15. Enrollment is limited to the first 40 complete registrations (including registration fee).

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DAIRY CAMP 2017

Wednesday, May 24
Registration 12:30 p.m.
Orientation at RobThom Dairy 1:30 p.m.
Clipping Demonstration 2:45 p.m.
Wash, clip, workshops 2:45-5:45 p.m.
Dinner 5:45 p.m.
Clip, workshops 6:15—7:45 p.m.
Check in at hotel 8:00 p.m.
Recreation—pool time 8:30 p.m.
Lights Out 10:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 25
Breakfast (continental) 6:30 a.m.
Wash/groom animals 7:30-12:00
Quiz games
LUNCH
Clipping/educational workshops 1:15 p.m.
Judging/Reasons workshops 4:30 p.m.
Feed/
Bed down animals 5:00 p.m.
Incredible Pizza 6:30 p.m.
Recreation—pool time 9:00 p.m.
In your own room 10:30 p.m.

Friday, May 27
Breakfast (continental) 6:30 a.m.
Prepare animals for Showmanship contest 7:30 a.m.
Judging contest 11:00 a.m.
Reasons/Pictures Noon
LUNCH
Showmanship contest 1:00 p.m.
Wash/clean up animals 2:30 p.m.
Awards/evaluation 3:30 p.m.

Headquarter Hotel:
Baymont Inn and Suites
3343 E Battlefield
Springfield, MO 65704
417-429-4318

Three to four campers will be placed in each room based upon age and gender. If you would prefer to have your camper in a semi-private room (2 campers) please add $80 to the registration fee.

Emergency daytime phone: 417-316-0191
Brochure available at http://extension.missouri.edu/lawrence/4h/

OBJECTIVES:
1. Increase the knowledge of youth about care and management of dairy animals.
2. Develop awareness of the ethical issues in care of dairy animals.
3. Increase the awareness of issues in the dairy industry.
4. Increase life skill development of participating youth.

For more information, contact Karla Deaver 417-466-3102
Or deaverk@missouri.edu

Refund policy: If you are registered by the deadline and unable to attend, 50% of your camp fee will be refunded if we are notified prior to May 1.

FEES:
MO 4-H member fee $90.00 (postmarked by 4/15/2017)
Registration after 4/15/2017 $100
Non MO-4-H Member $120.00
Registration after 4/15/2017 $150.00
Semi-Private Room $80.00
Adult motel room $80/per night, total of $160

TOTAL ______

___I certify that all 4-H Online health information is up to date.

MO 4-H Parent Signature

Out of state and non-4-H members must complete and submit a health form.

Please return registration along with check or money order to: Karla Deaver
Lawrence County Extension Center
P.O. Box 388
Mt. Vernon, MO 65712
Make Check payable to: Southwest Missouri 4-H