

## Calvert County 4-H Tentative 2024 Calendar of Events

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## **JANUARY 2024**

EVENT	LOCATION
New Year's Eve – Office Closed	4-H Office
Due Date – 2024 Market Beef Project Registrations	4-H Office
4-H Market Steer Weigh-In	Calvert Co. Fairgrounds
Maryland 4-H Dog Advisory Meeting	Virtual
Quarterly Volunteer Association Meeting	4-H Office
Maryland 4-H Dairy Advisory/Dairy Bowl Coaches Meeting	Virtual
Due Date – 2024 State Leadership Trip applications	County 4-H Office
*2024 National 4-H Congress, Camp Miniwanca, VA & WV State Confs	
Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday – Office Closed	4-H Office
Achievement Night Youth Planning Committee Meeting	4-H Office
4-H Open House & Enrollment Office Hours	4-H Office
Due Date - 2023 4-H Record Books to Club Leaders	Club Leaders
Club Leader Chartering Paperwork Office Hours	4-H Office
4-H Club Officer Leadership Workshop	4-H Office
	New Year's Eve – Office Closed  Due Date – 2024 Market Beef Project Registrations  4-H Market Steer Weigh-In  Maryland 4-H Dog Advisory Meeting  Quarterly Volunteer Association Meeting  Maryland 4-H Dairy Advisory/Dairy Bowl Coaches Meeting  Due Date – 2024 State Leadership Trip applications  *2024 National 4-H Congress, Camp Miniwanca, VA & WV State Confs  Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday – Office Closed  Achievement Night Youth Planning Committee Meeting  4-H Open House & Enrollment Office Hours  Due Date - 2023 4-H Record Books to Club Leaders  Club Leader Chartering Paperwork Office Hours

## FEBRUARY 2024

DAY	EVENT	LOCATION
1	MD 4-H Robotics Challenges Released	Online
1	Due Date – Achievement Night Award Nominations	4-H Office
3	Interviews for Leadership Trips	Queen Anne's Co.
5	Due Date - 2023 Record Books due to 4-H Office	4-H Office
7	4-H Communications Workshop #1	4-H Office
10	Interviews for Leadership Trips	Carroll Co.
11	Maryland 4-H Dairy Fun Day	Virtual
11	Interviews for Leadership Trips	Virtual
9	Due Date – 4-H Achievement Night RSVPs	4-H Office (4-H Online,
		phone or e-mail)
<del>10</del>	Livestock Education Workshop Series #1 (Tentative) *More info Coming	TBA
	Soon*	
12	Volunteer Training Series #1	4-H Office
16	Achievement Night Set Up	Calvert Co. Fairgrounds
17	4-H Achievement Night	Calvert Co. Fairgrounds
17	Camp Teen Staff Academy Registration Due	4-H Office (via 4-H Online)
18	Maryland 4-H Awards Celebration (Tentative)	TBA
19	President's Day – Office Closed	4-H Office
20	4-H Communications Workshop # 2	4-H Office
24	Maryland 4-H Dog Skillathon	TBA
28	Club Leader Chartering Paperwork Office Hours	4-H Office
<b>29</b>	Due Date: Calvert 4-H Ambassador Applications	County 4-H Office
29	4-H Communications Workshop # 3	4-H Office



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TBA Maryland 4-H Horsemen's Party

**TBA** 

### **MARCH 2024**

DAY	EVENT	LOCATION
1	Due Date – All Returning 4-H Youth Members should be re- enrolled	4-H Online
1	Due Date – All 4-H Volunteers must be re-enrolled and have re- certification requirements completed	4-H Online
1	Due Date – Club/Group Annual Chartering Reports due to 4-H Office – Club Plan, Goals, Officers,	4-H Office
1	Due Date – County 4-H Communications Contest Registrations	4-H Online
1	Animal Husbandry & Quality Assurance (AH&QA) Training Opens (tentative)	Online
2	Maryland 4-H State Livestock Skillathon	Montgomery Co. Fairgrounds
5	Calvert County Communications Contest *UPDATED DATE*	4-H Office
7	Livestock Education Workshop Series #2 (Tentative) *More info Coming Soon*	TBA
8	Due Date – Culinary Squad 4-H Spring Break Camp Registration	4-H Online
	Due	
9	Maryland 4-H State Horse Bowl	UMD Plant Sciences Bldg.
13-17	National 4-H IGNITE	Renaissance Hotel, Downtown DC
15	Maryland 4-H Foundation Scholarship Application Opens	Online
16	CareerQuest: Navigating the Adventure of Your First Job	4-H Office
17-23	National Agriculture Week	Washington, DC
18	Maryland 4-H Horse Advisory Committee Meeting	Virtual
21	Livestock Education Workshop Series #1 – Livestock Project Meting	Calvert 4-H Office
<del>22</del>	Calvert County Communications Contest	Northeast Community Center
23	Maryland 4-H Dairy Skillathon	Carroll County Extension Office
25-29	Culinary Squad 4-H Spring Break Camp	4-H Office
28	Virtual Volunteer Development	bit.ly/poamarch28
31	Due Date – Calvert Day Camp Teen Leader Applications Due	Google Forms
TBD	Calvert 4-H Marketing Workshop	
TBD	Spring Aerospace Fun Day	TBA
TBD	State Shooting Sports Training	TBA
TBD	Due Date – 2024 Diamond Clover Plans *Level 5 only; Levels 1-4 remain with Club Leaders	4-H Office

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## **APRIL 2024**

DAY	EVENT	LOCATION
1	Cloverbud Fun Day	TBA
1	Virtual Volunteer Development	https://bit.ly/poaApril1
2	Cloverbud Fun Day	TBA
4	\$4 for 4-H Giving Campaign	Online
6	Solar Eclipse Workshop Day	TBA
9	Quarterly Volunteer Association Meeting	4-H Office Conference Room
13	State Horse Communication Contest	UMD College Park
13	Livestock Education Workshop Series #3 (Tentative)	TBA
14-19	National 4-H Conference (For Selected Maryland Delegates through	Arlington, VA
	Senior Portfolio Process)	
15	One Health Careers Summit	4-H Office (via 4-H Online)
15	Sporting Clays & Archery Fun Day Fundraiser	Schrader's Outdoors,
		Henderson MD
20	Virtual Volunteer Connections	bit.ly/vcApril20
20	Maryland 4-H Dairy Bowl Contest	Carroll Co. Extension Office
22	Virtual Volunteer Development: Real Colors	4-H Office (via 4-H Online)
24-May 5	Tractor Supply Spring 2024 Paper Clover Campaign	Online/Local Tractor Supply
		Stores
25	Virtual Volunteer Development: Real Colors	4-H Office (via 4-H Online)
27	Maryland Day	University of Maryland
27	Maryland 4-H Public Speaking Contest	University of Maryland
30	Livestock Education Workshop Series #2 – Biosecurity/AH&QA	Calvert 4-H Office
TBD	State Shooting Sports Training	TBA

## **MAY 2024**

DAY	EVENT	LOCATION
4-5	Maryland Sheep and Wool Festival	Howard Co. Fairgrounds
5	Goat, Sheep & Wool Skillathon	Howard Co. Fairgrounds
10	Due Date – Market Livestock Registrations	4-H Office
11	Eastern Shore 4-H Spring Show	Queen Anne's 4-H Park
11	Western Maryland 4-H Spring Show	<b>Garrett County Fairgrounds</b>
14	Volunteer Training Series #2	4-H Office
16	Livestock Education Workshop Series #4 (Tentative)	TBA
18	Market Sheep, Goat & Swine Weigh-In & Tagging	<b>Calvert County Fairgrounds</b>
27	Memorial Day – Office closed	4-H Office



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31-2	Southern Maryland 4-H Spring Show	Charles County Fairgrounds
TBD	Maryland 4-H Robotics Workshop	TBD
TBD	Maryland 4-H Horsemen's Part (Virtual)	TBD
TBD	Maryland 4-H Aerospace Workshop	TBD

## **JUNE 2024**

DAY	EVENT	LOCATION
1	Due Date – Project Animal Registration Cards *Dog, Rabbit, Horse & Alpaca	4-H Office
1	Due Date – Tag & Registration of 4-H Breeding Animals *Goat, Sheep & Swine projects	4-H Office
May 31- June 2	Southern Maryland 4-H Regional Spring Show	Charles Co. Fairgrounds
1-2	Breeders Fair	Cecil Co. Fairgrounds
8-9	Central Maryland 4-H Regional Spring Show	Montgomery County Fairgrounds
8	Maryland 4-H Horse Judging and Hippology Contest	Howard Co. Fairgrounds
15	Due Date – Maryland 4-H Foundation Scholarship Applications	Foundation online Portal
15-22	National Leadership Conference (Selected Maryland Delegates through Senior Portfolio Process)	Camp Miniwanca – Shelby, MI
15	Livestock Education Workshop Series #5 (Tentative)	TBA
19	Juneteenth – Office Closed	4-H Office
26	National 4-H Shooting Sports Invitational (for youth who qualified)	Grand Island, Nebraska
30	End of 4-H Club/Group Fiscal Year	
TBD	Summer 4-H Workshops	TBD
TBD	Maryland 4-H Robotics Workshop	TBD
TBD	Maryland Engineering Day	TBD
TBD	Maryland 4-H Aerospace Workshops	TBD
TBD	Maryland 4-H Issue Forum	TBD
TBD	West Virginia Older Member Conference	Jackson Mills 4-H Camp
TBD	Maryland 4-H Congress (Selected Maryland Delegates through Senior Portfolio Process)	TBD
TBD	Maryland 4-H Foundation Golf Tournament	TBD
TBD	Virginia 4-H Congress (Selected Maryland Delegates through Senior Portfolio Process)	TBD

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## **JULY 2024**

DAY	EVENT	LOCATION
1	Start of new 4-H Club/Group Fiscal Year	_
1	Maryland 4-H Volunteer Award Nominations Opens	
1	4-H Clubs/Groups File their 990N online	IRS.GOV
1-19	Maryland 4-H Equine Art & Photography Contest	Virtual
4	Independence Day – Office Closed	4-H Office
9	Volunteer Association Meeting	4-H Office Conference Room
15	Deadline for Entries – Maryland State Fair	State Fair Online Portal
7/29 – 8/2	St. Mary's Overnight 4-H Camp (tentative)	Western Maryland
TBD	Summer 4-H Workshops	TBD

## **AUGUST 2024**

DAY	EVENT	LOCATION
Early August	Calvert County Fair Books Released	4-H Office & around the
		county
TBD	Summer 4-H Workshops	TBD
5-9	Calvert Co 4-H Outdoor Discover Camp	King's Landing Park
10	Deadline – AH&QA Online Training Completion	Online Training
15	Club Leader Financial Paperwork Office Hours	4-H Office
19	DUE – State Fair Entries (Non-Food) no later than 4pm	4-H Office
20	DUE – State Fair Entries (Food) no later than 9am (open at	4-H Office
	7am)	
22-25	Maryland State Fair Weekend 1	Maryland State Fair, Timonium
22-25	MD 4-H Horse Shows: English & Western	Maryland State Fair, Timonium
29-Sept 2	Maryland State Fair Weekend 2	Maryland State Fair, Timonium
31	Maryland 4-H State Judging Contests at State Fair: Dairy, Livestock, Poultry, Rabbit, Horticulture	Maryland State Fair, Timonium

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## **SEPTEMBER 2024**

DAY	EVENT	LOCATION
Aug 29-Sept 2	Maryland State Fair Weekend 2	Maryland State Fair, Timonium
1	National 4-H Conference Trip Application Portal Opens	Online
	Senior 4-H'er Portfolio & Leadership Trip Application	
2	Labor Day – Office Closed	4-H Office
4	DUE – Calvert County Fair Livestock Entries	See Fair Form
5-8	Maryland State Fair Weekend 3	Maryland State Fair, Timonium
6	Maryland 4-H/FFA Dairy Goat Judging Contest (tentative)	Maryland State Fair, Timonium
7	Maryland 4-H State Dog Show (tentative)	Maryland State Fair, Timonium
15	Maryland 4-H State Council Officer Nominations & General	Online
	Membership Applications Available	
17	Maryland 4-H State Rifle Match	Howard County
18	National 4-H Dairy Judging Contest (2023 Date, 2024 TBA)	All American Dairy Show, Harrisburg, PA
19	Club Leader Financial Paperwork Office Hours	4-H Office
28	Maryland 4-H State Archery Match	Carroll County Ag Center
23	Calvert County Fair Entry Day	Calvert County Fairgrounds
24	Calvert County Fair Judging Day	Calvert County Fairgrounds
25-29	Calvert County Fair – Exhibits and Livestock Shows	Calvert County Fairgrounds
28	Calvert County Junior Livestock Auction	Calvert County Fairgrounds
29	Calvert County Fair continues – 4-H Awards Ceremony	Calvert County Fairgrounds
30	Calvert County Fair Pick-up Day	Calvert County Fairgrounds
30	Due Date – Diamond Clover Level 6 Proposals due to State	State Online Portal
	4-H Office *Proposals for 2024 Level 6 projects	
30	Due Date – Diamond Clover Level 6 Project Reports due to	State Online Portal
	State 4-H Office *For projects completed in 2023	
30	Due Date – Maryland 4-H Volunteer Award Nominations	State Online Portal
	Close	
TBD	World Dairy Expo Judging Contest	World Dairy Expo, Madison, WI
TBD	Maryland 4-H Aerospace Contest	TBD
TBD	Maryland 4-H Engineering Contests	Maryland State Fair, Timonium
TBD	Maryland State Rifle Match	Howard County Fairgrounds
TBA	Maryland 4-H Fashion Revue	Maryland State Fair, Timonium
TBD	Club Leader Financial Paperwork Office Hours	4-H Office

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## **OCTOBER 2024**

DAY	EVENT	LOCATION
1	IRS 990 filings by clubs/groups due for FY July 1, 2023- June 30,	IRS website for filing; upload
	2024; Club Financial information due.	proof to 4-H Online
1	World Dairy Expo Judging Contest (2023 Date, 2024 TBA)	Madison, WI
2-13	Tractor Supply Fall 2024 Paper Clover Campaign	Local Tractor Supply
6-12	National 4-H Week	Nationwide
6	Keystone International Livestock Expo Livestock Judging Contest	TBD
	(2023 Date, 2024 TBA)	
8	Quarterly Volunteer Association Meeting	4-H Office Conference Room
14	Columbus Day – Office Closed	4-H Office
14	Southeastern Regional 4-H Livestock Judging Contest (2023 Date,	Abingdon, VA
	2024 TBA)	
15	Due Date – Applications for 2024 National 4-H Conference	4-H Office
15	Due Date - Club/Group Financial Reports due to State 4-H Office	4-H Online
15	Due Date – 4-H In/After School 4-H Unit Annual Reporting due	4-H Online
	State 4-H Office	
19	Maryland 4-H State Shotgun Match	PG Trap & Skeet
29	Spooky STEM Workshop	4-H Office
30	Due Date – Maryland 4-H State Council Officer Nomination	Online Portal
	Deadline	
TBD	Fall Aerospace "Clinic and Fun Day"	TBD
TBD	AGNR Open House	TBD
TBD	National Junior Horticultural Assoc. Horticulture Contest	TBD
TBD	Maryland's Horsemen's party	TBD

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## **NOVEMBER 2024**

DAY	EVENT	LOCATION
3-5	Eastern National 4-H Horse Roundup (2023 Date, 2024 TBA)	Louisville, KY
3-5	National 4-H Dairy Bowl Contest (2023 Date, 2024 TBA)	Louisville, KY
11	Veterans' Day Observed – Office Closed	4-H Office
12-14	National 4-H Livestock Skillathon Contest (2023 Date, 2024 TBA)	Louisville, KY
13-15	National 4-H Livestock Judging Contest (2023 Date, 2024 TBA)	Louisville, KY
14	Due Date – National 4-H Conference Trip Applications	4-H Office (via 4-H Online)
15	Due Date – 990N e-postcard must be filed with IRS	IRS.gov Online Portal
15	Due Date – Maryland 4-H State Council 2024 General	4-H Office (via 4-H Online)
	Membership Applications	
15	National 4-H Leadership Trip Application Portal Opens	4-H Office (via 4-H Online)
15	Due Date – Maryland 4-H Shooting Sports Instructor Reports Due	Via Email: awahle@umd.edu
	to State office	
15-16	National 4-H Poultry Judging Contest (2023 Date, 2024 TBA)	Louisville, KY
23-24	Thanksgiving Holiday – Office Closed	4-H Office
29-Dec 3	National 4-H Congress	Atlanta GA
TBD	National 4-H Dairy Judging Contest	Louisville, KY
TBD	2024 Volunteer & Teen Forum	TBD – Registration via 4-H online

## **DECEMBER 2024**

DAY	EVENT	LOCATION
1	4Honline Enrollment Closes for 2024	No enrollments until 2025
2	Maryland 4-H Horse Advisory Meeting	Virtual
3	Maryland 4-H Foundation "Giving" Tuesday	Online
7	Maryland 4-H Dog Bowl Contest	UMD Campus
10	Maryland 4-H Animal Science Updates for Volunteers	Virtual
25	Christmas– Office Closed	4-H Office