

# 2023/2024 4-H Year Calendar

Theme: HANDS to LARGER SERVICE

## September

09/01/2023 New 4-H year begins  
09/08/2023 Area West Horse Show Meeting - Sumter County  
09/12/2023 4-H Foundation mtg  
09/15/2023 Swine REG Due  
09/19/2023 National Voter Registration Day  
09/22/2023 Steer Reg. Due  
09/23/2023 Swine Educational and Lottery  
09/19/2023 County Council with officer installation  
09/26/2023 4-H Proclamation @ BOCC meeting  
09/26/2022 4-H District Council meeting in Marion County  
09/28/2023 set up display "National 4-H Week" at Lakes Region Library

## October

10/01/2022 State Forest Ecology Clinic  
10/1 - 7/2023 National 4\_H week  
10/07/2023 Steer Weigh-in  
10/10/2023 4-H Foundation/Association  
10/13/2023 Registration Closes for Pumpkin Contest  
10/4-15/2023 TSC Paper Clover Campagin  
10/13-14/2023 CASI Chili Cook Off  
10/17/2023 County Council  
10/19/2023 Rodeo Volunteer Training  
10/21/2023 Multi-species Educational Mtg. at Fair  
10/21/2023 Master Gardener Plant Sale  
10/21/2023 Nature Coast Biological Station (NCBS) Open House @ Cedar Key - touch tanks, tours, and more  
10/26/2023 Drop Off Pumpkins for County Contest (theme is reflect your favorite book)  
10/26/2023 BAM BBQ - need youth volunteers  
10/27/2023 Virtual Agriculture Judging Contest  
10/30/2023 Judging Pumpkin Contest  
Lobby Display for November

## November

11/01/2023 Volunteer Meeting - Connection  
11/03/2023 Market Lamb Registration due  
11/14/2023 4-H Foundation  
11/18/2023 Farm City Celebration (Liberty Park with Farm Bureau)  
11/17 -18/2023 Citrus Stampede Rodeo  
11/21/2023 County Council

## December

12/01/2023 Gingerbread and Wreath Workshop at Extension Office  
4-H District Council Meeting in Marion County  
12/12/2023 4-H Foundation  
12/15/2023 Poultry Registration Due  
12/16/2023 Swine Tagging/Lamb/Wether Weigh-in  
12/19/2023 County Council  
12/22-25/2023 Office Closed

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## 2024

**January**

- 01/09/2024 4-H Association/Foundation
- 01/13/2024 Food Challenge (District Contest @ Alachua County Extension Office)
- 1/13-14/2024 Cattle Camp
- 01/16/2024 County Council
- 01/19/2024 Buyer's Letter Deadline  
4-H District Council Meeting

**February**

- 02/03/2024 4-H County Events
- 02/06/2024 4-H Day at the Capitol
- 2/8 - 19/24 Florida State Fair in Tampa
- 02/13/2024 4-H Foundation
- 02/17/2024 State Level Food Challenge @ Florida State Fairgrounds
- 02/20/2024 County Council

**March**

- 03/04/2024 4-H Public Speaking Contests Elementary County Speech Contest
- 03/05/2024 4-H Public Speaking Contests Middle School County Speech Contest
- 03/12/2024 National Agriculture Week Proclamation at BOCC meeting
- 3/17-23/2024 National Agriculture Week
- 03/19/2024 County Council
- 3/24 - 30/2024 Citrus County Fair
  - 3/27 Skillathon/Thank you card booth
  - 3/28 Ag. Bowl
  - 3/30 Tractor Driving
  - TBD District Council location

**April**

- 04/01/2024 Celebration of National Volunteer Month
- 04/01/2024 Send out 4-H scholarship applications  
4-H District Council Meeting in Citrus County
- 04/09/2024 4-H Association
- 04/09/2024 4-H Foundation
- 04/16/2024 4-H County Council
- 04/27/2024 Area West Horse Show (tentative date ??)

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## May

- 05/02/2024 Volunteer Meeting - Reflection and Planning  
TBD District Events location TBD (Hosted by Sumter Co)
- 05/21/2024 County Council  
TBD 4-H District Council Meeting
- 05/31/2024 4-H Project Reports Due

## June

- 06/01/2024 Deadline Florida 4-H Scholarship and Award Trip Applications
- 6/3 -5/2024 Sewing Camp
- 6/10 - 14/2024 Sandwich Camp
  - TBD Horsemanship School
  - TBD Horse Camp (Citrus)
  - TBD Avian Bowl
  - TBD 4-H Legislature

## July

- TBD State Horse Show
- TBD 4-H Summer Camp
- TBD 4-H University
- TBD Florida