

4-H Club By-Laws

Include any additional Club rules, guidelines, expectations or policies not listed in the constitution: dues, committees, achievement requirements, record books, project exhibition, fund raising, club trips, etc.

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Article I. The name of the Club shall be _____ 4-H Club (the "Club"). Organized in the County of Hocking, OH.

Article II. Meetings

- Meetings held at _____ on the _____ .
- The re-organization meeting held the _____ .
- _____
- _____

Article III. Policies

- The Club will hold a minimum of _____ meetings annually that include business, social and recreation activities, and hands-on fun learning.
- Members and volunteers must attend a minimum number of 4-H meetings to be considered a "4-H participant in good standing". Be sure to check your county's requirements to understand what the expectations are, which are:

Hocking County 4-H minimum requirements are as follows:

In order to be considered a member in 'good standing' and complete for the year, traditional 4-H members are required to:

- 1) *Attend at least four (4) club meetings prior to project judging*
- 2) *Present a project demonstration to the club*
- 3) *Participate in county project judging/skillathon with a minimum of one project*
- 4) *Attend Quality Assurance Training (livestock projects only)*
Livestock = ALL beef/dairy, goat, llama/alpaca, poultry, rabbit, sheep, & swine projects
- 5) *All members enrolled in a horse project must complete the EquiSTEP Program*

- *Cloverbud members are also required to attend a minimum of four (4) meetings per year.*
- *Clubs have the right to add to these requirements but may not lessen them.*

- A simple majority of "votes in favor" will pass decisions, except those identified in the constitution as a major decision, which must be voted on by 2/3 of the membership.

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Article V. Parliamentary Procedures

- The Club will use basic principles of parliamentary procedures as defined in Roberts Rules of Order.

Article VI. Officers

- Election of officers will occur one month after the re-organization meeting.
- Nominations from the floor will also be permitted.
- The Club will vote on vacancies in any given office.

Article VII. Committees

- Standing committees will be: (1) Awards and Recognition Banquet Committee, (2) Fundraising Committee, (3) Community Service, (4) Constitution and By-laws. (5) Activities Committee.

Article VIII. Social Media

- Club members and families will uphold and support the responsible and lawful use of social media.
- Club members and families will not create or post social media content that is abusive, threatening, defamatory, obscene, harassing, or creates a hostile environment.
- Consequences for violating any part of this code of conduct may include, but are not limited to: Removal from participation in the event in which the code of conduct has been violated (at the individual's expense); sanctions on participating in future 4-H events; forfeiture of financial support for the event; removal from offices held, etc.

These By-Laws have been adopted by the members of

_____ 4-H Club On (date) _____

Signature
Club Organizational Advisor

Date _____

Print name
Club Organizational Advisor

Signature
Club Youth President

Date _____

Print name
Club Youth President

Members: (member signatures)

As a member of the _____ 4-H Club, I agree to uphold and abide by the club by-laws and constitution.

