



Junior Fair Youth Opportunities Department

JUNIOR FAIR ONLINE REGISTRATION OPENS **MAY 1, 2024**

ENTRIES DEADLINE IS **JUNE 8, 2024**

ENTER ONLINE AT <https://franklincountyfairOH.fairentry.com>

Youth Event Eligibility: Youth, 5 years of age and in Kindergarten through second grade, current year and a member of a Franklin County 4-H, Boy Scouts or Girl Scout Program.

Youth Event Entry Requirements: Participant must make entry online at <https://franklincountyfairOH.fairentry.com> by current year's deadline. **There is a \$4.00 entry fee per class unless otherwise noted.**

Youth Decorating Food Wars

Class: Youth Decorated Cookie

Date	Check – In	Location	Awards
Monday, June 24	5:45pm	Ganyard Building, Franklin Co. Fairgrounds	Participation Ribbon

Director in Charge: Sharla House

Event Stewards: Barb Mulford, Michelle Mathias, Gena Bradshaw

1. Supplies: Junior Fair Board will supply cookies, icing, sprinkles and needed tools to decorate cookie in allotted time. The theme will be provided by the Junior Fair Board.
2. Once cookies have been viewed by the judges, participant may take cookie home to eat.

Y.O.U.T.H Ambassador

Youth Organizations United Through Helping

Date: During Monday's Royalty Event and one other preselected event during the week of the County Fair.

Director in Charge: Kathy McNutt

Event Stewards: Elizabeth Duncan, Kirstyn Fullenkamp

1. **Eligibility:** Youth, completed 2nd grade or 3rd grade this current year and a member of a Franklin County 4-H, Boy Scout or Girl Scout Program.
2. **Registration Location:** Class found under *Jr Fair Youth, Youth Ambassador* in Fair Entry
3. **Sign up:** Will include choosing from a limited amount of time slots offered through Fair Entry. One event per member.
4. **Class requirements:** Exhibitor will assist County Royalty with presentation of awards during announcements at the conclusion of events during the fair.



Youth Gardening Events in Memory of Tom McNutt

Class: Decorated Herb Container

Date	Check – In	Location	Awards
Monday, July 15	3:00pm	Activities Tent, Franklin Co. Fairgrounds	Participation Ribbon

Director in Charge: Kathy McNutt

Event Stewards: Debbie Johnson

- 1. Details:** Youth will bring herb of their choice in a decorated container. Container should be a size which the youth can carry by themselves
- 2. Entry Criteria:** Items may be embellished with ribbon, glitter, stickers, markers, paint etc. Use your imagination and be creative.
- 3. Parade:** Youth will display their entries with a parade, should be able to carry potted plant.

Youth Photography Show

Class: Photo displaying Building/Structure

Date	Check – In	Location	Awards
Tuesday, July 16	12:30pm	Activities Tent, Franklin Co. Fairgrounds	Participation Ribbon

Director in Charge: Kathy McNutt

Event Stewards: Debbie Johnson

- 1. Requirement:** Entries must be originals. Place photo only with a zippered style bag, minimum picture size of 4" x 6" and maximum size of 8" x 10".
- 2. Parade:** Youth will display their entries with a parade
- 3. Display:** Entries will be posted on Franklin County Junior Fair Facebook page.



Youth Runway on the Midway

Class: Runway

Date	Check – In	Location	Awards
Tuesday, July 16	6:30pm	Activities Tent, Franklin Co. Fairgrounds	Participation Ribbon

Director in Charge: Kathy McNutt

Event Steward: Samantha Brill

1. **Details:** Youth may carry 1 item with them such as a stuffed animal, doll, or toy.

Youth Place Setting Contest

Class: Disney Breakfast

Date	Check – In	Location	Awards
Wednesday, July 17	1:45pm	Activities Tent, Franklin Co. Fairgrounds	Participation Ribbon

Director in Charge: Kathy McNutt

Event Stewards: Debbie Johnson

1. **Supplies:** Participants will provide all materials, including menu that is no larger than 8.5" x 11" for the above meal. Total exhibit fitting into a table space no larger than 30" x 30".
2. **Display:** Entries will be posted on the Franklin County Junior Fair Facebook page.

Youth Fruit & Veggie Car Derby

Class: Veggie Car

Date	Check – In	Location	Awards
Wednesday, July 17	5:45pm	Activities Tent, Franklin Co. Fairgrounds	Participation Ribbon

Director in Charge: Kathy McNutt & Chris Johnson

Event Stewards: Debbie Johnson & John Hay

1. Each entry must make a car that is able to roll down an incline. Cars must be made out of: **at least five different fresh fruits or vegetables** and must have at least **3** wheels. To assemble the car you may use up to 2 bamboo skewers, 6 wooden toothpicks and one rubber band. These cars must be made out of 100% fresh fruits or vegetables except for the items listed above to hold the car together. (bamboo skewers, rubber band, toothpicks)



Youth Interlocking Block

Class: Interlocking Block

Date	Check – In	Location	Awards
Thursday, July 18	1:15pm	Activities Tent, Franklin Co. Fairgrounds	Participation Ribbon

Director in Charge: Kathy McNutt

Event Stewards: Debbie Johnson

- 1. Requirements:** This is an on-site challenge for participants to use their creativity to construct a building, structure, or original design in the allotted time frame with the materials (Lego brand or equivalent blocks) on a supplied base. .
- 2. Materials Provided:** Junior Fair Board will provide materials for the participants.
- 3. Time Requirements:** Participants will have 15 minutes to make their creations.



Youth Model Horse Show

Class 1: Showmanship Class - Youth

Class 2: Trail Class - Youth

Class 3: Homemade Saddle Class - Youth

Class 4: Costume Class - Youth

Date	Check – In	Location	Awards
Friday, July 19	9:00AM	Horse Grading Tent, Franklin Co. Fairgrounds	Participation Ribbon

Director in Charge: Becky Applegett

Event Stewards: Kathy Kerr, Colleen Bingaman

- 1. Type of Model Horse Required:** Model horses may be Breyer or any model horse between 6 to 11 inches tall (highest point to the ground).
- 2. Show Attire:** Show attire is preferred. Club/troop shirts and long pants are acceptable, no shorts or sandals.

Class Descriptions:

- 1. Showmanship** – Exhibitors will work with model horse. They will need to follow a pattern using correct gaits and be on the correct side of the horse at all times. They will be asked to name parts of the horse. They will be judged on appearance, cleanliness and condition of model horse.
- 2. Trail Class** – A course diagram will be posted prior to the show time. The exhibitor will take their model horse through the course as the diagram instructs using correct gaits (walk, trot, canter) between each obstacle.
- 3. Homemade Saddle Class** – Make saddle prior to show. Saddle to be homemade not store bought. Any materials may be used. Class judged on creativity and originality. Saddle should fit model.
- 4. Costume Class** – Be creative. Both horse and exhibitor may be dressed up or just the horse. Class will be judged on creativity and originality.

The complete class list for the Junior Fair Model Horse Show can be found in Horse Department



Youth Edible Lollipop Arrangement

Class: Lollipop Arrangement

Date	Check – In	Location	Awards
Friday, July 19	1:45pm	Activities Tent, Franklin Co. Fairgrounds	Participation Ribbon

Director in Charge: Kathy McNutt

Event Stewards: Debbie Johnson

- 1. Requirements:** Participants must provide all material and supplies to create an edible arrangement in the allotted time frame during the event. 75% of the materials must be edible.
- 2. Arrangement Time Limits:** 20 minutes

Youth Arrangement Challenge

Class: Arrangement Challenge

Date	Check – In	Location	Awards
Friday, July 19	5:15pm	Activities Tent, Franklin Co. Fairgrounds	Participation Ribbon

Director in Charge: Rita Bausch

Event Stewards: Debbie Johnson

- 1. Materials and Equipment:** The Junior Fair Board will provide plant materials, containers and bases. Contestants should bring their own scissors to adjust flower length.
- 2. Event Cost:** There is a \$10.00 fee for this contest to cover the cost of the flowers.
- 3. Arrangement Time Limits:** Youth: 15 minutes.
- 4. Type of Arrangement:** Will design an arrangement style of their choice using vase/jar and flowers/greenery provided.
- 5. Judging Criteria:** Arrangements will be viewed for participation only. After viewing participants may take their arrangement home.
- 6. Display:** All entries will be walked for display by participant.



Youth Public Speaking

Class 1: 4-H Pledge

Class 2: Girl Scout Promise

Class 3: Scout BSA Pledge

Date	Check – In	Location	Awards
Saturday, July 20	10:00am	Activities Tent, Franklin Co. Fairgrounds	Participation Ribbon

Director in Charge: Kathy McNutt

Event Stewards: Debbie Johnson

- 1. Details:** Participants will recite their organizations pledge/promise by themselves or with group of other participants.