IMPERIAL COUNTY 4-H INTERCOM

January 2018

University of **California** Agriculture and Natural Resources 4-H Youth Development Program

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California Mid-Winter Fair & Fiesta "No Go – No Show" Code of Conduct Training <u>There are two training sessions scheduled at the IV</u> <u>Expo, Hulsienda Bldg. Parents and leaders are</u> <u>encouraged to attend.</u> <u>Click Here to See if you Need To Attend!</u> <u>http://www.californiamidwinterfair.com/no-go-no-show.html</u>

> Ask yourself these questions: Is this my first time showing an animal? Don't see your name on the list? Last time you attended was 2015? Next to your name it says 2018? Have any doubts about the list?

The answer is: GO! Saturday, January 13, 2018 JUNIORS– 10am–11am SENIORS– 11am–12pm

No Exceptions No Make Ups!

Wednesday, January 17, 2018 JUNIORS- 6:30pm-7:30pm

"No Go-No Show" Code of Conduct Training is required once every three years for new and returning exhibitors. Attendance listing for the No Go-No Show Code of Conduct trainings is available on the IVE website: <u>ivexpo.com</u> If your name is not on the list, you are required to attend training for the upcoming fair. If your name is on the list, the year listed reflects when re-training is required(4-H Primary Exhibitors are exempt)

PDR #3-attended event PDR#5 -helped setup/cleanup PDR#4 if chair/committee PDR #6 Did a presentation for the leaders. Submit Intercom or news Article

4-H Livestock Entries are Due on Online



<u>ivexpo.com</u> JANUARY 19th

(see instructions on page 6-9)

Events & Deadlines

January

2nd- Mkt. Goats, Sheep Feeder Calves, &Swine DNA due to the fair 2nd - Pre Registration Logs for all Large Animals, Small Animals, Dogs, Horse, Breeding and Dairy Animals are due to the fair via email (cc smabatti@ucanr.edu) 4th- Leaders Counci6:00pm at the Farm Bureau

12th-14th Southern Youth Summit 13th – No Go No Show (all livestock exhibitors must attend except primaries) 10-11 am Juniors 11am -12 pm Seniors. (IV Expo)

17th - No-Go No-Show Training (all livestock Exhibitors must attend except primaries) 6:30 – 7:30 pm – Juniors and 7:30 to 8:30 pm – Seniors. (IV Expo)

18th- Livestock leaders Meeting 6:00pm (Location TBD)

19th Online 4-H Livestock

Entries Due

February

3rd – Small Animal and Large
Animal Pre Fair and Plant Show
2nd– Leaders Council Meeting
18th– Fair Clean Up—mandatory 8am-11am
17th Judging Day 11am
17th Skill a thon (tentative)
20th– 4-H Office Closed
23rd– Still Exhibits to the fair
24th- Fair Clean up barn decor
March 2nd-11th Fair Check out the
February 2018 intercom for your
Fair Edition

All Star Corner

This month, we helped with the Santa Paws & Claws 5K walk/ run, we gave a short informational speech on 4-H and how far we



have come at the Christmas Around the World at the Pioneers Museum, and we attended the Holiday Hoopla. The Santa Paws & Claws 5K walk/run was such a fun event to help put on! We got to be in charge of water guns that were filled with paint, and we had a blast having paint wars and shooting paint at our fellow 4-Hers and participants of the walk/run. Next, 4 of us went to the Christmas Around the World event hosted at the Pioneers Museum and we were honored to be given the opportunity to spread the word about 4-H and just how awesome our program is for youth! Lastly, we attended the Holiday Hoopla, and we provided a basket for the silent auction which was Texas BBQ themed. We had a fantastic time mingling and getting to know other 4-H members! We would like to thank Keeley Poloni for inviting us to the Santa Paws & Claws walk/run, it was a great event! We also like to thank Mr. Menvielle for having us at the would Christmas Around the World we had a wonderful time. These were successful events of December, Happy New Year everyone!!

SAVE # DATE

Large Animal Pre Fair, Small Animal Pre Fair, and Plant and Flower Show

Date February 3, 2018 Location : IVEXPO MORE DETAILS TO COME!

> This is a great learning opportunity to test out your showmanship skills. Participants are judged just as they would be at the fair and are given critiques so they know what



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on in the next month. They are given tips, and "real world" practice in order to polish their skills before the fair. The hosting clubs will be sending out an email with location information!

GROW WITH THE GREEN

For all three events on this datePDR#2 Exhibited plant or animal PDR #3-attended event PDR#5 -helped setup/cleanup PDR#4 if chair/committee PDR#4 Helped organize event. PDR#5 donated item PDR #6Submit Intercom or news Article talked about it to your club. PDR#7 Won an award at either event

Plant & Flower Show



Do you have a green thumb? Come show it off at the Plant & Flower Show!

SAVE THE DATE FEBRUARY 3, 2018 IVEXPO



Classes:

- Bulbs (3-5 bulbs)
 House Plants
 Cut Flowers (3-6 flowers)
 Flower Bowls
 Herb Gardens (3-5 herbs)
- Vegetables,
 Trees & Shrubs
 Cacti and Succulents
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ums 10. Miscellaneous (example Hydroponics) The annual Plant and Flower Show is a judging event where 4-Hers come together to showcase there gardening abilities. Individuals are able to bring 5 entries, 1 per class. Primary members are encouraged to participate with their plants.

Fair, 4-H Show Uniform Guidelines

Exhibitor Handbook: The official uniform to be worn during livestock shows and auctions consists of white shirt, white skirt/pants, the appropriate tie or scarf, and the appropriate 4-H hat (white or green). No other hats will be allowed.

TIP: Start shopping for your white pants NOW. Ask club leaders about white exchanges and when uniform hat, tie, and or scarf can be ordered













Jacket is optional, you can find them at showjacket.com



The 4-H Christmas Market was a great success! The proceeds from the silent auction aid in refurbishing the still exhibits building located at the IVEXPO. 4-H members, leaders, and community members donated homemade crafts and baskets of goodies to be auctioned off. We look forward to seeing you next year at this fantastic event! Thank you again to the 4-H members and Volunteers who helped Make the Christmas Market so successful! Thank you so much to Upspace for hosting this event once



Cal Focus Delegates work on a BIG goal at local Farmers Market

again!

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Nate won an iPad for being the highest ticket seller! Great Job! 4-H All Stars share with community ALL about 4-H



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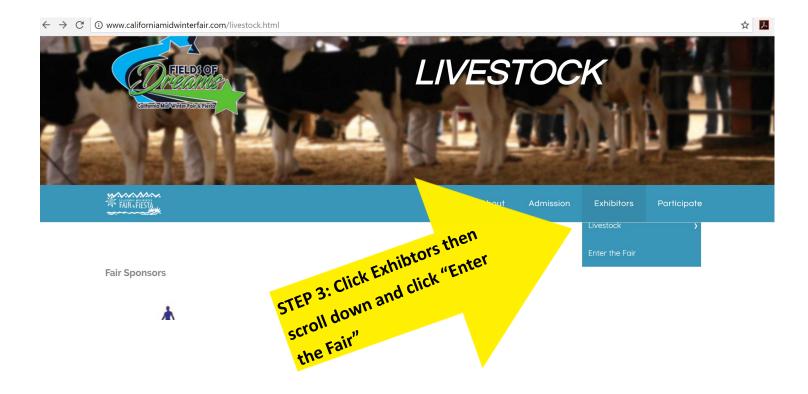
How to Enter your Livestock and Still Exhibit entries into the Fair. Just a reminder 4-H livestock fair entries are due

January 19th!

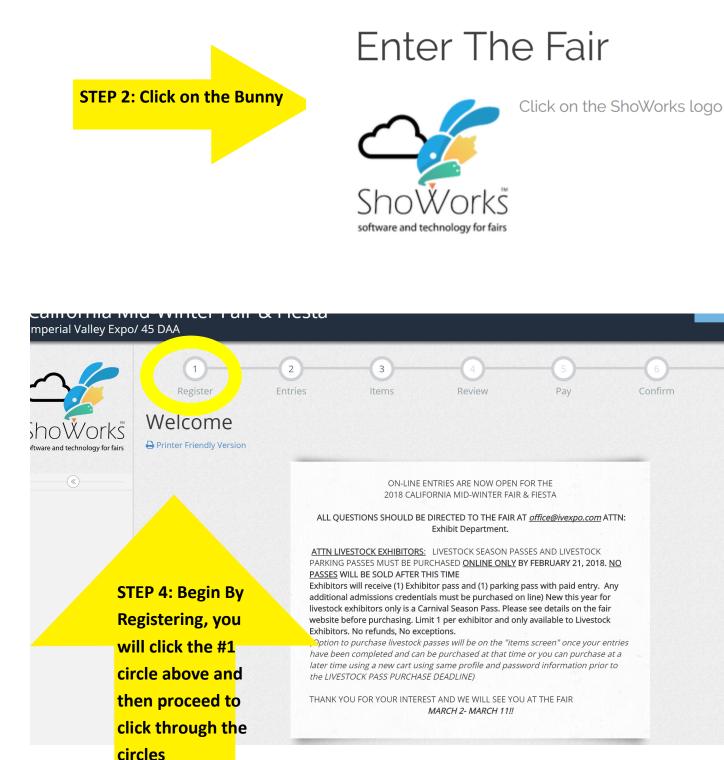


The IV Expo office will be closed at noon on December 29 and reopen at 8:00 am on January 2.

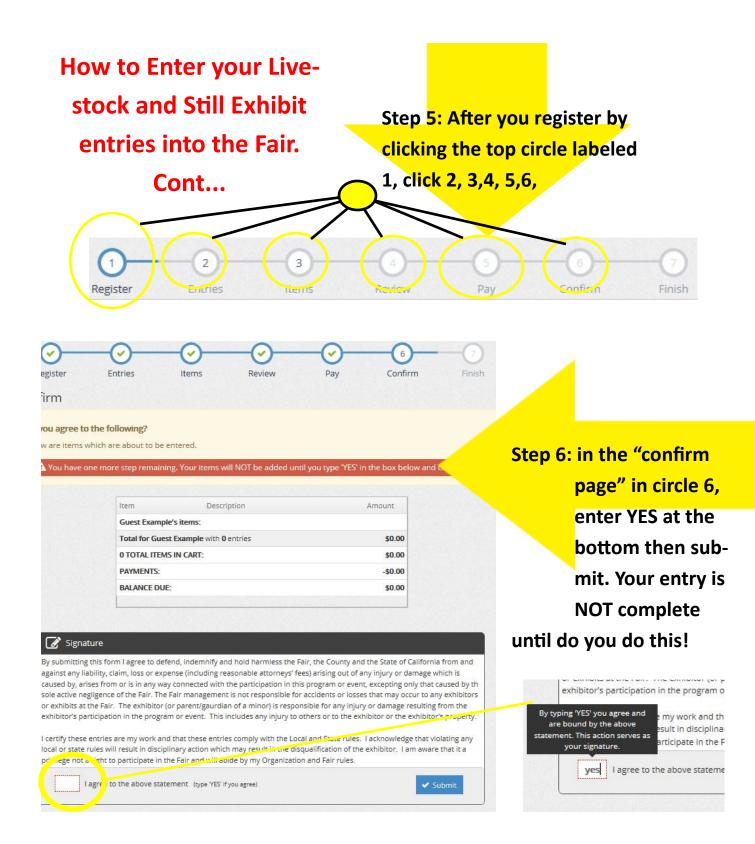




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On the bright side, if you have this page printed you will have solid proof you entered!

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