

## **4-H Day 2021**

PLEASE NOTE - As an update to the December flash, a few 4-H Day categories will not be available due to technology limitations and safety expectations. Group entries such as ensembles, chorus, skits, plays, and model meetings will not be available in 2021.

Cowley County 4-H Day will allow youth to upload recorded entries using Flipgrid. Interested youth should pre-enter to receive the Flipgrid code and password.

### **PRE-ENTRY LINK:**

[https://kstate.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_1yM0jqsIXmSa63j](https://kstate.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_1yM0jqsIXmSa63j)

### **What is flipgrid?**

Flipgrid is a fun application used in many schools for interactive, virtual learning!

### **How do I access?**

After you pre-enter for Club Days, you will receive the Flip Code and password via e-mail. The Flip Grid home page is: <https://info.flipgrid.com/>

### **What do I include?**

Review the "Guidelines for 4-H Day" to understand expectations (timing, memorization, score sheets.) You will need a video camera or smart phone to record your presentation to upload into Flipgrid.

### **How much time do I have?**

Each topic (aka entry) has a time limit for the video. You can review, edit, and record again before you upload.

### **What feedback do I get?**

Feedback from the judge will come via email with either video and written follow up. This is private information and is not available to other users.

### **What if I need more help?**

Family training is available at: [https://www.kansas4-h.org/resources/2020\\_fair\\_and\\_alternative.html](https://www.kansas4-h.org/resources/2020_fair_and_alternative.html)

### **When is my entry due?**

Flipgrid submissions will be due on Monday, February 1 by 5 p.m.

## **NEW for 2021 - Gavel Games - Turbo Edition**

Gavel Games Turbo will be available instead of Model Meetings. Visit the "Gavel Game Guide" on the Cowley

4-H website to see how this is a simplified version of a model meeting and emphasizes effective meetings.

This contest will consist of teams with three-five 4-H Members taking the roles of: President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer. One additional 4-H member may participate on the team as an at-large member (optional). Teams are encouraged to pre-assign and practice their roles.

In Gavel Games Turbo, teams are required to do a main motion and one other motion from a list of parliamentary procedure problems. The emphasis is understanding how a 4-H meeting runs effectively and how to properly make a motion.

Teams can select fun themes and business topics. Video examples are posted on the Cowley website. For the Turbo entry, teams will have 10 minutes to record content to upload into Flipgrid.

## **Extra 4-H Day Opportunities**

Online contests will be available for youth during February, including Photography Judging and Family and Consumer Sciences judging. These contests will allow youth to examine and rank multiple options based on a scenario. Options will be available for first timers, juniors, intermediates, and seniors. Judging contests are an opportunity for skill building.

## **Favorite Family Foods Contest**

Eating together encourages family togetherness, provides better nutrition and is enjoyable! Showcase how you enjoy your "Favorite Family Foods" via Flipgrid. Participants choose their favorite menu and prepare one item. Take photographs of the food (and the member in action) and upload to the Flipgrid. The menu can relate to a theme or special occasion.

Consider a team entry with older family members helping younger youth. Your Flipgrid should include photos or video of the:

- 1) menu (consider MyPlate recommendations)
- 2) place setting (placemat, napkin, flatware, plate, cup).
- 3) the member(s) in action making one item from the menu (favorite family food)
- 4) close-up photo of the food item

Entries are requested by February 15 (please note, this is later than other 4-H Day entries).

Visit the [Favorite Family Foods Contest](#) webpage for photo examples.