

4-H Poultry Project General Information

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4-H Project General Description: A 4-H project consists of 6 to 8 hours of sequential learning experiences (over a period of at least a few days or weeks) exploring a general subject with the guidance of a leader or mentor. i

To find other information, rules and documents such as record books and show guidelines related to the poultry project go to the "poultry" section on the 4-H projects page (www.uvm.edu/extension/4events).

General Record Book Information

- x Record books document project work, and include goals and a reflection piece to summarize the project experience.
- x Most 4-Hers use the standard record books available through the 4-H program.
- x Members may use alternative formats for records but must have prior approval from their 4-H Educator.

Poultry Project Record Books

- x Poultry project members usually use one of the Poultry Project Record Books.
- x Members without poultry may use the generic 4-H Project Record.
- x Poultry members may use the Poultry Project Record or pages of it if they have been tracking, for learning purposes, the care and expenses of poultry that they don't own or lease. Project leaders would help determine if such an approach makes sense based on project goals.

Out of State Opportunities

- x Poultry Congress
- x Southern New England Poultry Show, UCONN Storrs, CT (April)
- x National 4H Poultry and Egg Conference

Learning about Poultry

This is a partial list which suggests areas that should be explored when