



UConn 4-H Dairy and Beef Day

March 9, 2024 (PLEASE NOTE: NEW SNOW DAY IS SUNDAY, MARCH 10)

Registration deadline: February 14, 2024

Registration Form (Use one per family)

T-shirts will be available for both youth and adults. Anyone wanting a t-shirt must pay the \$10.00 registration fee by the February 14th registration deadline, no extras will be ordered



EXTENSION

PLEASE NOTE:

All participants, youth and adult, must pay the registration fee of \$10.00 (covers cost of program fees and t-shirt)

Name/Email: _____ Age: ____ Size: ____ Dairy or Beef

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Address: _____

City/Town: _____ State: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

*Please bring a gift basket or item for the silent auction to help raise funds for this event!

*4-H Project: Please make sure to list your project area above (dairy or beef) so that we can split you into the appropriate groups where needed.

Lunch will be on your own. We suggest bringing lunch with you due to limited time during lunch break.

To register please send completed form and registration fee (make checks payable to LCCESA) by 2/14/24 to:

Bill Davenport, 843 University Drive, Torrington, CT 06790, email William.davenport@uconn.edu, Phone 860-459-6753.

NOTE: Paying by credit card is available using this link: <https://s.uconn.edu/2024dairybeefday>

(PLEASE BE SURE TO LIST NAMES OF PARTICIPANTS IN THE COMMENTS SECTION WHEN PAYING BY CREDIT CARD, REGISTRATION FORM MUST STILL BE SENT AND INDICATE "PAID BY CREDIT CARD" ON THE REGISTRATION FORM.)

All youth must be accompanied by parent/guardian or chaperone for the day.

Health Forms for Youth Not Accompanied by Parent

If a parent or guardian will not be accompanying a youth participant to 4-H Dairy and Beef Day, the chaperone accompanying the youth must have a 4-H Member/Volunteer Health form ([healthform4h](#)) in his or her possession for each participating member not accompanied by a parent or guardian. The health form must be signed by the youth's parent or guardian.

Name of adult chaperoning youth: _____ cell phone # _____

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2024 UCONN 4-H DAIRY/BEEF DAY



Sponsored by Farm Credit East

March 9, 2024 9:00 am to 2:30 pm

UConn Chemistry Building and Ratcliffe Hicks Arena

- **8:30 to 9:00 am:** Check-In at Chemistry Building
- **9:00 to 9:05 am:** Welcome: Bonnie Burr
- **9:05 to 9:30 am:** Animal Rights Presentation
- **9:30 to 10 am:** Poster session
- **10:00 am to 10:15 am:** Poster presentations
- **10:15 am:** walk to arena
- **10:30 am to noon:** rotating stations in the arena

NOTE: Each station will have a younger member table and older member table

A. Administering Medications

B. Meat Cut Identification and Judging

C. Udder Anatomy, Health, Milk Letdown, and Mastitis

D. Ice Cream Lab

Alternative Station: Show Box Contents for beef and dairy (open all morning, not in the rotation)

NOTE: This station is available for anyone who would rather not attend one of the stations listed above.)

- **Noon to 12:45 pm:** lunch

(Silent auction opens at 10:30 am, items dropped off in the morning, closes at 12:30 pm)

- **1:00 pm to 2:30 pm:** Afternoon session at barns

Beef members go to beef barn:

- Beef Judging Workshop
- Fat cover, finishing, grading
- Common Beef Feeds for different stages of growth and purpose

Dairy members go to KDC:

- Dairy Judging Workshop
- Common Dairy Feeds for different stages of growth, lactation

2:30 pm end of program

NOTE: Gift Basket Silent Auction will take place during this event to help raise money for expenses (Silent auction opens at 10:30 am, items to be dropped off in the morning, closes at 12:30 pm)