

**644 – INSECT ADVENTURES 1****General 4-H Project**

- ✿ For project COMPLETION and GRADE, Member MUST participate in either:
  1. **County 4-H Project Judging Day** – Ross County Fairgrounds  
Member is eligible for County Awards (Judges' Choice, Outstanding, Honorable Mention) and State Fair Selection (if applicable)
  2. **Early 4-H Project Judging** – Ross County Service Center  
Members unable to attend County Project Judging Day should plan to attend Early Judging. Member is eligible for County Rosettes (Outstanding, Honorable Mention).  
*\* Exception for State Fair selection at Early Judging - If there is only one member judged in a project, then the judge has the option to select a state fair representative.*
- ✿ Complete "Thank You" note activity (see copy of instruction sheet included in your project book)
- ✿ To receive Fair Premiums, your project must be displayed at the Ross County Fair in a Jr. Fair Building booth.
- ✿ **For Project Judging Dates & Times & Details:**  
ASK your Club Advisor  
READ the *May Family HOTLINE* sent to every 4-H family  
LOOK on the 4-H App or website <http://ross.osu.edu>

**Skill Level:** Beginner

**Completion:**

1. All 7 Activities
2. Insect Collection (must have at least 30 insect specimens)
3. At least 2 Learning Experiences
4. At least 2 Leadership/Citizenship Activities

**Judging:**

1. Interview based on skills learned, activities completed, and educational exhibit.
2. Bring to interview on 4-H Project Judging Day:
  - a. Completed project book
  - b. Insect Collection
  - c. Other educational activities you completed
    - i. Example: Pan Trap (pg.18)
    - ii. Example: Sowbug Decomposition (pg.23)

**County Fair Exhibit:**

Display your Insect Collection in a booth.

**State Fair Competition:**

1. State Fair participants will be selected during county-level competition on 4-H Project Judging Day.
2. Event: Natural Resources Day II  
Completed project book, \*display, and interview.  
*\*Display should be limited in size to what the participant can maneuver on his/her own.*

