

# February 4-H Newsletter

## *Scholarship Information*

**Attention Seniors:** The 4-H Scholarship and Chad Holtkamp Memorial Scholarship are now available on the website (<https://extension.purdue.edu/county/decatur/4h-decatur-county.html>) under County Communication -> Scholarships. The deadline for both scholarships is February 28, 2026.

### *Animal Tagging Dates*

Goat/Sheep: April 25th 9-11 am

Swine: May 8th 5-7 pm

Poultry/Rabbit: May 9th 9-11 am

### *Enrollment Numbers*

Mini 4-H: 59

4-H Members: 251

Volunteers: 30

### *Club Leaders*

If you currently serve as a leader of a club, please send your general meeting time and location to [stacyn@purdue.edu](mailto:stacyn@purdue.edu). We are wanting to create a list of this information to provide to new youth enrolling in the program.

### *Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care*

March 7th @ 9am  
April 15th @ 6 pm  
May 9th @ 11 am

Register through 4-H  
Online under the events  
tab - Decatur County  
Indiana Quality  
Livestock Care  
Program.

## ***10-Year Members***

Please submit a digital picture to the following email address [stacyn@purdue.edu](mailto:stacyn@purdue.edu), by March 1st. When submitting your photo, please include members name and the name they would like displayed with the photo/banner. Please note, the 10-year member dinner will now be held on Tuesday, July 7<sup>th</sup> in the new Community Building.

## ***4-H Camp Information***

4-H Camp registration will open March 1st and close May 1st. The cost for camp this year is \$230. All camp payments will be due May 1st.

Junior Staff (youth in grades 8-12) be on the lookout for information regarding upcoming trainings. 4-H Council will be covering half of the coast again this year.

### ***Shout Out***

Parents/Guardians - do you want to get involved in 4-H? We are always looking for more volunteers! Please reach out for more information.

### ***Fair Dates***

Thursday, July 9th - Wednesday, July 15th. The Fair Parade will take place on Sunday, July 12th.

## ***Deadline Reminder***

We will be upholding the May 15th Deadline again this year. Livestock that are not enrolled in 4-H Online will not be able to participate in the 4-H exhibition.

## ***Schedules***

The livestock and project check-in schedules have been finalized. Both documents can be found on the website.

## ***Decatur County 4-H Fund***

Are you wanting to contribute to 4-H, but don't know how? You can donate to the 4-H Fund at the Community Foundation!

## ***General Item Pricing***

4-H Enrollment: \$20

Mini 4-H Enrollment: \$5

Green Record Folder: \$1

Livestock Tags (per tag): \$3