



CLOVER NEWS

Hello 4-H Families!

Welcome to the Montgomery County 4-H program! I am so excited that your child (or children) has chosen to take part in this great organization. The opportunities in the 4-H program are endless and there is something for everyone. Over the next few months, you will be receiving a newsletter at the start of each month. There is a lot of information going out over the next few months so the newsletter is a great place to put all of that information in one spot, so read carefully!

Go ahead and mark your calendar for July 11th – 16th for the Montgomery County 4-H Fair. As events and times are finalized by our hardworking volunteers, that information will be included in the newsletter and communicated to families via e-mail, social media, and our Purdue Extension Montgomery County website.

The Extension office is a resource for **YOU!** We want to make sure that we provide your 4-Her (or 4-Hers) with the best possible experience. Please reach out if you have any questions. We're excited to work together "to make the best better!"

Abby Morgan

4-H Youth Development Extension Educator



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Scan this QR code with the camera on your smartphone for direct links to MoCo 4-H Resources and help documents!

A LOOK AHEAD!

Club Meeting Schedules
 Project Updates
 Junior Leaders
 Important Future Dates
 4-H Trips
 4-H Info Book
 Livestock Supplement Q&A
 Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care
 Cake Decorating Workshop
 Beef Tag Day
 Goat/Sheep Tag Day



JUNIOR LEADERS

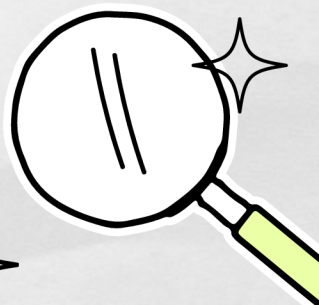
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WHAT DO JR LEADERS DO?

This is for 4-H youth currently in grades 7-12 and provides the opportunity to develop **LEADERSHIP SKILLS** in order to assist their own 4-H Clubs and related activities.

Junior Leaders serve as **MENTORS and ROLE MODELS** to younger 4-H members by sharing their experiences with them.

They are also involved in **GIVING BACK** to their Community through a variety of efforts.



UPCOMING MEETINGS

- Monday, April 14th at 5:30 pm
(Behind Crawfordsville Library)
- Monday, May 5th at 6:30 pm
(4-H Building @ 4-H Fairgrounds)
- Monday, June 2nd at 10:15 am
(Sugar Valley Canoe Trips near Turkey Run State Park)
- Monday, July 7th at 5:30 pm
(Arena Stand @ 4-H Fairgrounds)



4-H GROWS HERE



REMINDER

GET YOUR 4-H MANUALS!

Don't forget that manuals and record sheets for projects can be picked up at the Extension Office at any time.

Please arrange your book pickup beforehand by contacting **Lindsay at**

will1998@purdue.edu. This helps the pickup experience to be quick and effortless.

POSTERS & SLEEVES

**CAN BE PURCHASED AT THE EXTENSION OFFICE
WITH CASH OR CHECK ONLY!**

Posters - \$3 Sleeves - \$1

2025 4-H Info Book



THE 2025 4-H INFO BOOK IS
HERE! DUE TO A LIMITED
SUPPLY, EVERY 4-H FAMILY IS
ALLOWED ONE PRINTED COPY
ONLY. AN ELECTRONIC COPY IS
ALSO UPLOADED ON OUR
MONTGOMERY COUNTY PURDUE
EXTENSION WEBSITE TO VIEW.

Important FUTURE DATES

MAY 15:	JUNE 26:	JULY 3:	JULY 11-16:
LIVESTOCK ENROLLMENT & DNA HAIR SAMPLES DEADLINE	DEADLINE TO COMPLETE FAIRENTRY	QUALITY ASSURANCE TRAINING COMPLETION DEADLINE	2025 MOCO 4-H FAIR

4-H TRIPS

4-H Trip	Date of trip	Eligible Members	Registration Deadline
4-H Camp	June 11-13	Grades 3-6	TBD
4-H Band	June 21-23	Grades 9-12	May 9
4-H Chorus	June 21-23	Grades 9-12	May 9
State Fair Exhibit Hall Worker	July 26 - August 19	Minimum of 14 years of age	April 1 or until all positions are filled
4-H Academy @ Purdue	June 11-13	Grades 9-12	May 9
4-H Round-Up	June 23-25	Grades 7-9	May 9



INDIANA 4-H QUALITY LIVESTOCK CARE

To exhibit **BEEF CATTLE, DAIRY CATTLE, SWINE, SHEEP, MEAT GOATS, DAIRY GOATS, POULTRY, and RABBITS**, 4-H members must be certified through the Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care training **OR** the online Youth for the Quality Care of Animals program (YQCA).

1. This certification must be done on an annual basis
2. Members must be registered **BEFORE** attending a training
3. Members may attend any training dates listed on this flyer
OR a training in another county
OR complete the online YQCA training

**MUST BE
COMPLETED
BY JULY
3RD!**

Training Dates & Locations

1. Tuesday, April 8th, 7:00 – 8:00 pm in the Exhibit Hall
2. Monday, May 12th, 5:30 – 6:30 pm in the Exhibit Hall
3. Tuesday, June 3rd, 12:00 – 1:00 pm in the Exhibit Hall
4. Monday, June 9th, 7:00 – 8:00 pm in the Exhibit Hall
5. Tuesday, June 24th, 5:30 – 6:30 pm in the Exhibit Hall
6. Tuesday, July 1st, 12:00 – 1:00 pm in the Exhibit Hall

To register for the Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care program, please use <https://v2.4Honline.com>.

Those planning to be certified through the YQCA program, will register at www.yqcaprogram.org and will present their completion certificate to their 4-H Educator.

**\$3.00
PER
4-HER**



If you need to request special accommodations, please contact the Purdue Extension office at 765-364-6363 or asweet@purdue.edu.

ELECTRIC KITS AVAILABLE ELECTRIC KITS AVAILABLE ELECTRIC KITS AVAILABLE

Electric kits for Levels 1-3 can be purchased at the MoCo Purdue Extension office. **CASH OR CHECK ONLY!**

- Parallel circuits – FREE for 1st-year Electric members
- Magnetic-powered shake flashlight - \$15.00
- Extension cord - \$28.00
- Trouble light - \$48.00

Prices are subject to change as our cost to purchase additional kits has increased.



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\$18/EACH!)



4-H PROJECTS UPDATES

The following projects now contain the statement "Artificial Intelligence (AI) may be used, with parent permission, when creating this exhibit and is to be documented as a reference. A majority of the work to create this exhibit is to be the 4-H member's original work" added in:

- AEROSPACE
- ANIMAL EDUCATION
- BEEKEEPING
- CHILD DEVELOPMENT
- COMMUNICATION – "Artificial Intelligence (AI) may be used, with parent permission, when creating this speech or presentation and is to be documented as a reference. A majority of the work to create this speech or presentation is to be the 4-H member's original work."
- COMPUTER SCIENCE
- CONSUMER CLOTHING
- ELECTRIC
- ENTOMOLOGY
- FLORICULTURE
- FOODS BAKED & PRESERVED
- FORESTRY
- GARDEN
- GENEALOGY
- GEOLOGY
- HEALTH
- HOME ENVIRONMENT
- PHOTOGRAPHY
- SHOOTING SPORTS
- SMALL ENGINE
- SOIL & WATER SCIENCE
- SPORTFISHING
- TRACTOR SAFETY & OPERATOR SKILLS
- VETERINARY SCIENCE
- WEATHER & CLIMATE SCIENCE
- WILDLIFE
- WOODWORKING
- ZERO-TURN MOWER SAFETY & OPERATOR SKILLS

4-H PROJECTS REVISIONS

The following projects received revisions this year so please check your 2025 4-H Info book for updated information:

- ANIMAL EDUCATION
- BEEKEEPING
- CAKE DECORATING
- COMPUTER SCIENCE
- CONSTRUCTION & ARCHITECTURAL REPLICA
- CONSUMER CLOTHING
- ENTOMOLOGY
- FASHION REVUE
- CONSUMER CLOTHING
- FASHION REVUE SEWING
- FOODS BAKED
- FOOD PRESERVATION
- GARDEN
- GEOLOGY
- PHOTOGRAPHY

Please note that for Animal Education, they are adding exhibits for beef, dairy cattle, goat, horse, sheep and swine. This means that these projects will now move from a county project to a state project and that change will be reflected in our FairEntry system.

There is also a new Foods recipe card that youth must use this year. This can be picked up at the Extension office or found on the Indiana 4-H projects page.

There is a new Sewing Skills Card this year, replacing the previous cards separated by grade level. The Sewing skills and techniques sheet is updated to reflect non-wearable skills.

CAKE DECORATING WORKSHOP

Get tips from a 4-H Cake Decorating Judge!

With

**BETH
STOKES**

of Cochran's
Catering and Cakes



FREE
CLASS

04.09.2025

05.30 pm - 07.00 pm

EXHIBIT HALL

400 Parke Ave, C-Ville

Members will learn and enhance basic cake decorating skills and should bring icing, pastry bags, tips, etc.

06.02.2025

06.00 pm - 07.30 pm

4-H BUILDING

400 Parke Ave, C-Ville

Members will learn how to demo a project for the fair and should bring icing and supplies to practicing skills and get feedback.

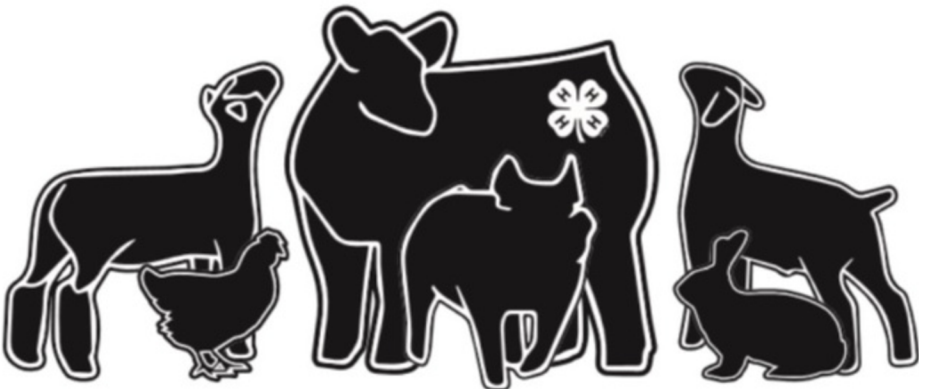
Purdue University is an Equal Opportunity/Equal Access University. If you are in need of accommodations to attend this program, please contact

Abby Morgan prior to the meeting at 765-364-6363 or asweet@purdue.edu by Monday, April 7th. If you need an interpreter or translator, please contact Abby Morgan prior to the meeting at 765-364-6363 or asweet@purdue.edu by Monday, April 7th.

APRIL 3RD AT 6:30 PM IN 4-H BUILDING | INDUSTRY
LEADERS | NO SIGN UP REQUIRED | OPEN TO ALL
COUNTIES

LIVESTOCK SUPPLEMENT Q&A

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Archery

Instructors – Rodney Roe & Lori Roe

Pistol

Instructors – David Anderson &
Jon Ashment

Muzzleloading

Instructors – Rodney Roe & Lori Roe

Rifle

Instructors – David Anderson

Outdoor Skills

Instructors - TBD

Shotgun

Instructors – Jon Ashment &
Rodney Roe

2025 Shooting Sports Schedule

January 30th 6:00PM – 8:00PM
February 6th 6:00PM – 8:00PM
February 13th 6:00PM – 8:00PM

4-H Building
4-H Building
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Archery
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March 6th 6:00PM – 7:00PM
7:00PM – 8:00PM

Linden Conservation Club
Linden Conservation Club

Shooting Disciplines
Parent & Shooter Meeting

March 13th 6:00PM – 8:00PM
March 20th 6:00PM – 8:00PM
March 27th 6:00PM – 8:00PM
April 3rd 6:00PM – 8:00PM
April 10th 6:00PM – 8:00PM
April 17th 6:00PM – 8:00PM
April 24th 6:00PM – 8:00PM
May 1st 6:00PM – 8:00PM
May 8th 6:00PM – 8:00PM
May 15th 6:00PM – 8:00PM
May 22nd 6:00PM – 8:00PM
May 29th 6:00PM – 8:00PM
June 5th 6:00PM – 8:00PM
June 12th 6:00PM – 8:00PM

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Pistol & Shotgun
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Rifle & Muzzleloading
Rifle & Muzzleloading
Rifle & Muzzleloading
Rifle
Archery, Rifle & Shotgun
Archery, Rifle & Shotgun
All Firearm Disciplines
All Firearm Disciplines

4-H Fair Competition Shoots

June 30th 6:00PM – 8:00PM
July 3rd 6:00PM – 8:00PM
TBD TBD

Linden Conservation Club
Linden Conservation Club
4-H Building

Pistol & Shotgun
Rifle & Muzzleloading
Archery

July 24th 6:00PM - 9:00pm

TBD

Awards Celebration

BEEF TAG DAY

FRIDAY, APRIL 4TH | 3:00-8:00 PM |
SOUTH END OF THE BEEF BARN

SHEEP AND GOAT TAG DAY

SATURDAY, MAY 10TH | 8:00 – 11:00 AM | THE BEEF
BARN (ENTER FROM THE SOUTH END OF THE BARN)



2025 Schedule

New 4-H Member Orientation

Feb 3: 6:00 PM [4-H Building] Learn about the opportunities 4-H can offer including what projects are available, trips, camps, clinics, record books and get all your general questions answered.

Training with Dogs

Wednesday's 6:00-7:30/8:00 PM in the 4H Building and Arena

Jan 8, 15, 22, 29

Feb 5, 12, 19, 26 (sharing 4-H bldg.- use side entrance by exhibit hall)

Mar 5, 19, 26 (No training 3/12 for consignment auction)

April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

May 7, 14, 21, 28

June 4, 11, 18, 25 (Jun 11- all dog record sheets need to be signed)

July 2, 9

COUNTY FAIR- JULY 11-15, 2025

Agility show- Friday, July 11 9AM

Obedience and SMS Show-Tuesday, July 15 10AM

STATE FAIR- AUG 1-17:

Dog Show Aug 16-17, 2025

****Join our Remind to receive updates and cancellations**

Text **@moco4hd to 81010**



Monthly Club Meeting Schedule



CLUB NAME	LEADER NAME	CONTACT INFO	MEETING LOCATIONS	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	4-H FAIR	AUG
Anti-Cants	Ginny Jones	765-363-0033 jgjonessfamily@gmail.com	Darlington Conservation Club	11th @ 6:30pm	8th @ 6:30pm	13th @ 6:30pm	24th @ 6:30pm @ Darli-Licious		July 11-15	
Barnyard Bunch	Joshua Cooksey	765-363-2860 joshua_cooksey@yahoo.com	Fairgrounds - Exhibit Hall	2nd @ 1-4pm	6th @ 1-4pm	4th @ 1-4pm	8th @ 1pm & 29th @ Waynetown Pool		July 11-15	
Breaks	Carolyn Huber	765-346-4982 carolyn.huber@yahoo.com	NMHS - Back door, 1st room on left	3rd @ 7pm	1st @ 7pm	5th @ 7pm	2nd @ 7pm		July 11-15	
	Christy Swick	765-366-6421 blueswick88@gmail.com					23rd @ 7pm Sign Books		July 11-15	
Brown Lucky Leaf	Amy Isenberg	765-376-1591 butlerdick1973@gmail.com	Waveland Fire Station	2nd @ 2pm	6th @ 2pm	4th @ 2pm	1st @ 2pm		July 11-15	9th @ 5pm
	Kerri Simpson	765-366-4493 simpson_kerri@icloud.com	Bowling Alley & Waveland Park				29th @ 2pm @ WP Sign Books		July 11-15	
Clark Hustling Hoosiers	Kelly Cass	765-366-5748 kelly.klippers@yahoo.com	Cass's Property	16th @ 3pm-4:30	27th @ 3pm-4:30		8th @ 3-4:30pm		July 11-15	
	Amy Reeves	765-376-4214 air.942@outlook.com	MoCo 4-H Fairgrounds				30th @ 6-7:30pm		July 11-15	
Clever Clovers	Lori Roe	765-516-0716 clevercloversclub@yahoo.com	Fairgrounds - Exhibit Hall	24th @ 6pm-7:30	28th @ 6pm-7:30	19th @ 6pm-7:30	23rd @ 6-7:30pm	28th @ 6pm-7:30	July 11-15	
Coal Creek Elite	Tanner Wilson	765-376-7799 twilson@cville.k12.in.us	New Hope Chapel of Wingate	11th @ 6pm	8th @ 6pm	13th @ 6pm	10th @ 6pm	TBA	July 11-15	
	Tyler & Katie Wilson	765-401-0917 wilso174@gmail.com	Township Fair				TBA		July 11-15	
C'Ville Clovers	Sara Chapman	765-918-7481 saramchapman92@gmail.com	Fairgrounds - Exhibit Hall	9th @ 2-3pm	6th @ 2-3pm	25th @ 2-3pm	8th & 29th @ Waynetown Pool		July 11-15	
Horse and Pony	Makhalea Whitehead	765-307-1856 makhaleayoung@outlook.com	Fairgrounds - Exhibit Hall	5th @ 6-7pm	2nd @ 6-7pm				July 11-15	
			MoCo 4-H Fairgrounds Open Arena		21st & 30th @ 6-8pm	5th, 11th, 14th, 19th, & 28th @ 6-8pm	2nd, 8th, 11th, 16th, 25th, & 30th @ 6-8pm	7th @ 6-8pm	July 11-15	
Junior Leaders	Abby Morgan	765-364-6363 asweet@purdue.edu	Fairgrounds - 4-H Building		14th @ 5:30pm @ CDPL	5th @ 6:30pm			July 11-15	
	Morgan Swick	765-918-3660 moswick49@gmail.com	Fairgrounds - Exhibit Hall	18th @ 6:30pm					July 11-15	
Krazy K-9s	Amy Cox	317-409-2393 moco4hdogclub@gmail.com	MoCo 4-H Fairgrounds	All Wed. @ 6-9pm	All Wed. @ 6-9pm	All Wed. @ 6-9pm	All Wed. @ 6-9pm	2nd & 9th @ 6-9pm	July 11-15	
Shooting Sports	Rodney & Lori Roe	765-516-0716 clevercloversclub@yahoo.com	MoCo 4-H Fairgrounds-4-H Building						July 11-15	
			C-ville Gun Club						July 11-15	
Shooting Stars	Alyssa McGaughey	765-376-0984 mcgaughey784@sbcglobal.net	Fairgrounds - Exhibit Hall	16th @ 3pm	13th @ 3pm	18th @ 3pm	22nd @ 3pm		July 11-15	
Wayne Winners	Janet Rivers	765-918-6096 rivers0@purdue.edu	Fairgrounds - Exhibit Hall	2nd @ 1-4pm	6th @ 1-4pm	4th @ 1-4pm	8th @ 1-4pm		July 11-15	
	Liz Vickery	765-366-0158 lizvickery822@gmail.com	Waynetown Pool				29th @ 1pm		July 11-15	