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The 4-H Office in Vigo County
Office will be closed
December 23, 26, 30 and
January 3

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4-H Newsletter



December 2022

Happy Holidays

from Purdue Extension Vigo County!



As multiple event registrations open up we hope you take the time to complete your <https://v2.4honline.com/> 4-H enrollment. We're so excited to have SPARK Clubs this winter and many 4-H clubs to begin meeting in 2023!

-Sara Haag & Emily Brown, 4-H Youth Development Educators

SAVE THE DATE!



The Vigo County 2023 Fair will be
July 8-15, 2023

2023 4-H Fair

Vigo County Fair- July 8-15
(Exhibit Hall judging TBA)



4-H enrollment on 4HOnline is OPEN, sign up today!

v2.4honline.com

Join the Jr. Leaders!

Open to all in Grades 7-12. The club meets the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm in the 4-H Meeting Room

***Next meeting December 13th. Email Sara to get all meeting updates.**



4-H Club Meetings

Most clubs are in the process of scheduling their club meetings for the year. Make sure to enroll in any clubs you're interested in to get meeting updates when they become available.

Attention 10-12th Grade Members!

It's time to plan on completing 4-H Scholarships! Scholarship applications for Vigo County and Indiana 4-H Scholarships are due on January 25, 2023. Detailed information about the scholarships, recorded scholarship workshop video, and office hour help sessions to be released soon. Watch your 4-H Online email for announcements.

We're searching for volunteers!

Do you know an adult that has an interest in teaching youth a new skill or serving as a club leader? We currently have Community 4-H Clubs in need of leaders. We are looking to add more SPARK Clubs also. A SPARK club consists of 6 or more hours on a special topic. (ex. Yoga, golfing, sewing, wildlife, almost anything!)

*I Enrolled in 4-H,
Now What?*

Got questions about 4-H? Enrolled but not sure what to do next? Check out our Beginner's Guide to Vigo County 4-H is available at:
<https://extension.purdue.edu/Vigo/article/35955>

Frequently asked questions can be found there with all of your answers! Still have a question? Call us at 812-462-3371 Monday-Friday from 8 am to 4 pm.

Local SPARK Clubs

- Cookies From Around the World SPARK Club**
 Wednesday, December 21 from 9am to 3pm in the 4-H Meeting Room at the Fairgrounds. Get in the holiday spirit baking cookies while learning about global holiday traditions! The registration fee has been covered by a local sponsorship and provides supplies, ingredients, and lunch. Registration is open on <https://v2.4honline.com> through December 18 for youth in grades 3-12. Space is limited to 20 members. Contact shaag@purdue.edu or 812-462-3371 for more info.
- 4-H Photography SPARK Club**
 Learn all about photography tips and tricks from experts! The Area V 4-H Educators are holding this as a hybrid event. Participants will meet virtually once a month (the third Wednesday of each month Jan-April) as well as a day workshop in person on April 15th. The Spark club is open to those in to 3rd-12th grade (we will be splitting the content for beginners/advanced). Registration is \$25 and includes 5 lessons, gift and lunch. Register on <https://v2.4honline.com> by January 11th.



Statewide SPARK Clubs



- Cooking Around the World** – a virtual cooking club that meets weekly on Saturdays for 6 weeks. Join presenters that share step-by-step instructions to create a dish from various cultures around the world from the comfort of your own home. Registration is through 4-H Online and is due January 6.
- Thrivers Book Club** – a virtual 4-week book club for 4-H volunteers and adults that work with youth. We will be discussing the book “Thrivers” by Michele Borba on Tuesday evenings in Jan/Feb. Adults can register at <https://tinyurl.com/4HThrivers>.

- Life Lessons**- a virtual 8-week workshop series for high school students called Life Lessons. Each session in the series will cover topics and skills that are essential for the journey into adulthood! Session