

# Unit 6: Resources to Support Volunteers



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# Volunteer-Staff Partnership



# Indiana 4-H Youth Development



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# 4-H Information

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## INDIANA 4-H Takes a Bite Out of Hunger

Join us in 2013 as Indiana 4-H Takes a Bite Out of Hunger!

### OPERATION: MILITARY KIDS CELEBRATES MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD

Indiana Operation: Military Kids invites Indiana to recognize April as Month of the Military Child. Through contests, events, public awareness and all around fun, we will show the nearly 20,000 military youth of Indiana that we support them as their loved ones serve our country. Learn more about OMK and Month of the Military Child at [www.four-h.purdue.edu/omk/](http://www.four-h.purdue.edu/omk/)

#### WHAT'S NEW

- State Fair Results 2012
- 2013 County Fair Dates

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

- State 4-H/FFA Ag CDE -Horse & Pony
- State 4-H/FFA Ag CDE (Livestock)

<http://www.four-h.purdue.edu>

4-H SPOTLIGHT | INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM

- Organizations
- 4-H Trips, Conferences, and Workshops
- 4-H Japanese Exchange Homestay Program. Indiana students have also had the opportunity
- State 4-H/FFA Ag CDE (Livestock)

# Indiana 4-H Volunteer Page

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### Volunteer Application Process

- Why volunteer?
- Indiana Summary Volunteer Impact Study
- Opportunities
- Positions
- If you'd like to learn more about becoming a 4-H Volunteer, please contact the 4-H Educator in your County Extension Office

### 4-H Program Policies & Procedures

- Frequently Asked Questions

### What Every 4-H Leader Should Know

- What Every 4-H Leader Should Know
- 2012 4-H Policy Trivia - Key

### Resources for Volunteers

- Volunteer Vision Newsletter
- Leader Home Study Course
- VRKC Lesson Plans
- 4-H 101 Online

### VolunteerIN 4-H Toolkit for Success

- "Generosity" Essential Element
- "Independence" Essential Element
- "Mastery" Essential Element
- "Belonging" Essential Element

### Positive Youth Development

- Eight Essential Elements of Positive Youth Development
- Life Skills Development

### Adult 4-H Congress Lesson Plans

- 2012 4-H Citizenship
- 2011 4-H Healthy Living
- 2010 4-H Community Service
- 2009 Science Engineering & Technology

### Resources for Clubs

- 4-H Club Checklist
- 4-H Club Meeting Checklist
- Review of a Successful 4-H Club
- Creating Productive Club Meetings
- Officer Training Materials
- Community Service

### Volunteer Recognition

- National Volunteer Week Packet
- Energize Inc. Volunteer Recognition
- 131 Ways to Recognize Volunteers

### Other Volunteer Links

- North Central Region Volunteer e-Forum
- Missouri 4-H Volunteer Training
- Colorado NAE4-HA Right Foot Leader Training Seminar

<http://www.four-h.purdue.edu/volunteer/index.cfm>



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## Welcome to 4-H

4-H is a positive youth development organization that empowers young people to reach their full potential. A vast community of more than 6 million youth and adults working together for positive change, 4-H enables America's youth to emerge as leaders through hands-on learning, research-based 4-H youth programs and adult mentorship, in order to give back to their local communities. [Learn more about 4-H positive youth development programs >](#)

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### What's New



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4-H Study of Positive Youth Development,  
Proof Positive!  
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Power of YOUTH News

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# 4-H Communication

4-H Volunteer Vision


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Volume X, Issue 4




Hello, 4-H Volunteers!

In recognition of April 21-27 as National Volunteer Week, enjoy the following quotes regarding volunteerism:

- Volunteerism... pass it down to your children as tradition, but more importantly, make it a gift for a lifetime.
- Effective volunteer leaders are the "keys" by which we unlock volunteer hands and minds.
- A volunteer leader's personal passion for the group's mission is contagious and it motivates.
- Volunteers... a precious resource we cannot afford to lose.
- Volunteers don't just do the work... they MAKE it work.
- No one cares what you know unless they know that you care.
- If you see someone without a smile, give them one of yours.
- Doing good is commendable, but only when it is combined with doing good is it useful.
- When kids volunteer, it tells others that they don't have to be perfect or famous or even grown up to make a difference.
- There is no "I" in "Team," but there is a "U" in "Volunteer!"

Thank "U" for all you do in support of the 4-H Program!

Sincerely,

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**State 4-H Jr. Leader Conference, June 18-21, 2013, University of Indianapolis**

Students in grades 9-12 are invited to gain leadership skills, build teamwork, and obtain ideas that they can share with their peers at home. For more information, visit <http://www.four-h.purdue.edu> Indiana State 4-H Jr. Leader Conference" Facebook page.



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4-H HOODIES ARE HERE!

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The banner features three hoodies: a dark blue one with '4-H' and 'WEST MARY HANM BILLS' on the chest, a green one with a white shamrock logo, and a white one with a John Deere logo and 'JOHN DEERE' text.

### Featured Products



### Best Sellers



4-H Bands (\$2.95)



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### Newsletter

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<http://www.4-HMall.org>



# 4-H Volunteers

