Hello 4-H Families,

The week ahead in 4-H:

Friday, 2/16 Rockin' Clovers 4-H Club Meeting, St. John, 6 pm

Sunday, 2/18 QLC & Livestock Skillathon, Extension Office, 1 pm

Sunday, 2/18 Prairie Pioneers 4-H Club, Lowell, 4 pm

Sunday, 2/18 RPFF 4-H Club, Crown Point, 5 pm

Monday, 2/19 Extension Office Closed

Monday, 2/19 4-H Sewing Club Workshop, Extension Office, 5 pm

Tuesday, 2/20 4-H H & P Color Guard and Drill Team Call-Out Meeting 4-H Building at

Fairgrounds, 6:30 pm

Tuesday, 2/20 4-H Volunteer Development Workshop, Extension Office, 6:30 pm

Wednesday, 2/21 4-H Dog Training, 4-H Building at Fairgrounds, 6 pm

Saturday, 2/24 Mini 4-H Cabin Fever, Extension Office, 9 am

See the complete Lake County 4-H Calendar and more at https://extension.purdue.edu/county/lake/lake-county-4-h.html. If you are in need of accommodations to attend a program, please contact the Extension Educators at least 14 days prior to the meeting at 219-755-3240.

Announcements:

Have you ever thought about learning to dance with your horse? Come join us for the call-out meeting to learn more about the 4-H Color Guard & Drill Team. As a team member, you and your horse will develop skills in horsemanship, communication and confidence, just to name a few. As you learn, you'll have fun and enjoy a camaraderie you won't find anywhere else!

Adult volunteers are needed to assist at Sewing Club meetings. Please contact Linda Dillon 219-313-5633 if you can help.

We know 4-H is awesome, but how exactly does 4-H help youth grow and thrive? How can our programs have the biggest impact on youth? 4-H volunteers are invited to explore the science behind the success of 4-H, Positive Youth Development, on Tuesday, February 20, 6:30 pm at the Extension Office. Please register by Feb. 18 at https://PositiveYouthDevelopment2-20-24.4honline.com or by calling the office at 219-755-3240. Refreshments will be served.

Information is attached for **Junior Pork Day at Purdue** on Saturday, March 2nd at Land O' Lakes, Inc. Center Lobby (New Animal Sciences Meats Lab), Purdue University, 720 Clinic Drive (off Harrison St.), West Lafayette, IN 47907. No registration is required in advance.

Animal Exhibitors please see attached from BOAH.

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