



JAN-FEB 2023

NEWSLETTER

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REGISTER NOW!  
**Winnebago County 4-H  
2023**



**February 4th**  
**Webster Stanley**  
**Middle School**

**Registration Enclosed**

**Sponsored by the Winnebago County**  
**4-H Ambassadors and**  
**4-H Leaders Association**



**Extension**  
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### January

- 1.1 4-H Friends Club Meeting @ 3PM
- 1.2 Plain V-U Club Meeting @ 7PM
- 1.3 Golden Oak Club Meeting @ 6:30PM
- 1.3 Kountry Kidz Club Meeting @ 6PM
- 1.6 Dog Project Meeting 6:30 PM @ JPCC
- 1.8 Allenville Club Meeting @ 6PM
- 1.8 Lakeshore Club Meeting @ 2PM
- 1.8 Newcomers Club Meeting
- 1.8 Poygan Go-Getters Club Meeting @ 4PM
- 1.8 Zion 3-C Club Meeting @ 5:30 PM
- 1.8 County Line Club Meeting @ 3PM
- 1.8 Camp Counselor Training 12:30PM @ JPCC
- 1.9 White Cedars Club Meeting @ 3PM
- 1.10 Ridgeway Club Meeting @ 6:30PM
- 1.10 Winchester Club Meeting @ 6:30 PM
- 1.10 Homeward Bounders Club Meeting @ 12:30PM
- 1.11 MAB @ 7:30PM at JPCC
- 1.12 Mears Club Meeting @ 6:30PM
- 1.13 Cloverbud Workshop registration deadline
- 1.15 Westward Club Meeting @ 6:30 PM
- 1.17 Leaders' Board Meeting @ 7PM at JPCC
- 1.23 Horse & Pony Meeting @ 7PM at JPCC
- 1.23 Cloverbud Workshop: Painters' Tape Art @ JPCC 6:30 PM
- 1.24 All County Meeting @ 7PM at JPCC**
- 1.26 Fair Board Meeting @ 7PM at JPCC

## ALL COUNTY 4-H MEETING JANUARY 24, 2023 7PM @ JPCC

Please plan to attend this important meeting to discuss and brainstorm ideas for creating a 5 year spend-down plan for the Leaders' Association's Excess Funds. See page 27 for more details.

All 4-H volunteers and youth are encouraged to attend!

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### February



- 2.4     **4-H FUNDAY @ Webster Stanley Middle School**
- 2.5     4-H Friends Club Meeting @ 3PM
- 2.6     Plain V-U Club Meeting @ 7PM
- 2.7     Golden Oak Club Meeting @ 6:30PM
- 2.7     Kountry Kidz Club Meeting @ 6PM
- 2.8     MAB @ 7:30PM at JPCC
- 2.8     Homeward Bounders Club Meeting @ 12:30PM
- 2.9     Mears Club Meeting @ 6:30PM
- 2.12    Allenville Club Meeting @ 6PM
- 2.12    Lakeshore Club Meeting @ 2PM
- 2.12    Newcomers Club Meeting
- 2.12    Poygan Go-Getters Club Meeting @ 4PM
- 2.12    Zion 3-C Club Meeting @ 5:30PM
- 2.12    County Line Club Meeting @ 3PM
- 2.13    White Cedars Club Meeting @ 3PM
- 2.14    Ridgeway Club Meeting @ 6:30PM
- 2.14    Winchester Club Meeting @ 6:30PM
- 2.16    Exploring Workshop @ 6:30 PM @ JPCC
- 2.18    H&PP Lock-In at JPCC @ 6:00PM
- 2.19    Westward Club Meeting @ 6:30PM
- 2.21    Leaders' Board Meeting @ 7PM at JPCC
- 2.23    Fair Board Meeting @ 7PM at JPCC
- 2.23    **Key Award & Scholarship Applications Due to Extension**
- 2.24    Foods Review @ JPCC
- 2.25    Dairy Quiz Bowl
- 2.25    YAC Tubing Adventure @ Nordic Mountain

## FUNDRAISING

### Beautiful Barn Quilts

Barn quilts not only look great on the side of a barn or shed, they also look great as front porch décor! Our very own Joe Kuehn does an amazing job of painting the barn quilts. Let Joe know what design you would like!

#### Sizes Offered Include:

2x2 \$75

4x4 starting at \$175

8x8 starting at \$300



# FUNDRAISING

## 4-H PIZZA SALE

Spring Pizza Sale is *tentatively* set for  
**APRIL 1, 2023**

**PIZZA COUNT NIGHT**  
*Tentatively 3/16/23*  
**6-7:30PM @ JPCC**

**THE LEADERS' ASSOCIATION IS IN NEED OF A  
PERSON(S) TO COORDINATE PIZZA MAKING.**

**ONLINE ORDERING OPTION!  
GO TO:**

**<https://winnebago4hleaders.square.site/>**

**Online orders close on March 15th**

Be sure to tell your family & friends  
ordering online which 4-H club you are from.

**Printable order forms are available at:**

**<https://winnebago.extension.wisc.edu/4h/leaders/fundraising/pizza/>**



### **CLUBS:**

Please designate a person to bring your club's in-person  
(non-online) pizza orders to Pizza Count Night.  
You do not need to do anything with online orders placed.

**Pizza Making Sign Up**  
**We need your help to make pizzas!**  
**Sign up at: [bit.ly/3G3sfsP](https://bit.ly/3G3sfsP)**

**Keep an eye out for emails regarding  
updated pizza sale info.**

## RECORD BOOKS

Congratulations to our Record Book Merit and Outstanding Award recipients!

# CONGRATULATIONS

## WINNEBAGO COUNTY 4-H MERIT RECORD BOOKS

Lucy Wurzbach	4-H Friends	Emma Cegielski	White Cedars
Hallie Potratz	Golden Oak	Zoe Skaahl	White Cedars
Brianna Zentner	Golden Oak	Fin Lettau	Winchester
Madelyn Weis	Lakeshore	Avery Beard	Winchester
Nate Piper	Newcomers	Marit Lettau	Winchester
Tanner Piper	Newcomers	Dylan Barter	Winchester
Lorelai Miller	Ridgeway	Maria Zillges	Winchester
Evan Numrich	Ridgeway		
Nicholas Miller	Ridgeway		
Lizzy Parker	Westward		
Addison Cegielski	White Cedars		
Gabby Hostettler	White Cedars		
Kat Skadahl	White Cedars		



# OUTSTANDING JOB!

## WINNEBAGO COUNTY 4-H OUTSTANDING RECORD BOOKS

Isaac Clayton	4-H Friends	
Anna Thiemke	4-H Friends	
Hayley Sleik	Newcomers	
Madison Oeftger	Ridgeway	
Mariana Oeftger	Ridgeway	
Max Oeftger	Ridgeway	
Cody Skadahl	White Cedars	
Leif Echola-Smith	Winchester	



# YOUTH LEADERSHIP

## 4-H Ambassadors

Spread the good news of  
4-H and join the...  
**AMBASSADOR TEAM!**



The **AMBASSADOR TEAM** is made up of youth in grades 6 and up.

**They work together to:**

- Plan Events such as 4-H Fun Day and Chalk on the Boardwalk
- Build and decorate a float for summer parades and pass out promotional materials to the parade-goers
- Learn how to create and paint barn quilts for our Barn Quilt Fundraiser
- Have fun! Every summer they plan a field trip



Pictured L to R: McKenzie Murphy, Evan Numrich, Melanie Zillges, Madison Plungy, Finn Lettau, Hailey Domke, Joe Kuehn

**Questions? Call Joe Kuehn—(920) 836-1736**

## 4-H Key Award & Scholarship Applications

4-H Key Award is the highest 4-H recognition you can receive. 4-H Key Award applicants must have consistent 4-H growth, be a 4-H youth in 9th grade or older, must have completed at least 3 years of 4-H and 1 year of youth leadership and contributed to service to their club, community, and county.

The Winnebago County 4-H Leaders' Association awards up to five \$500 scholarships to current 4-H members who are high school seniors. This includes one scholarship from the Judith Gruszynske Memorial (Oshkosh Area Community Foundation), one scholarship from the Simpson Memorial, one from the Stevenson Memorial, and two from the Winnebago County 4-H Leaders' Association.

The Key Award and Academic Scholarships (for post-high school education) are a combined application. Youth can apply for just one or both, depending on their eligibility.

**For application and requirements visit:**

<https://winnebago.extension.wisc.edu/files/2022/01/SCHOLARSHIP.KEY-Application.pdf>

# YOUTH LEADERSHIP

## What does YAC do?

- Any Winnebago County 4-H youth in grades 6-12 can join YAC. There is no selection process.
- Youth that would like to join will meet a few times a year to plan three to four adventure and fun-filled activities for 4-H teens to attend. (ex: Snow tubing, kayaking, bowling, zip lining, Brewer or Timber Rattler game, etc). The YOUTH decide on and help plan the outings.
- We are focusing on the 4-H Essential Element of BELONGING. YAC will help provide opportunities for teens to get to know peers from other clubs in the county and have fun in a safe environment.



## How does my teen sign up?

It's simple! Please complete this sign-up form:

<https://bit.ly/3KrUxhl>

**Parents/Guardians:** Please consider helping out by being a chaperone at one or more YAC events!

## Results of YAC Adventure Survey

**Winter Event: 2/25/23**

**Snow Tubing @ Nordic Mountain  
(for all youth grades 6-12)**

**Keep an eye out for registration emails**

**Spring Event: Mini Golf / Pizza / Movie Night**

**Summer Event: Theme Park Day**



# YOUTH LEADERSHIP

## Club / Group Officer Election Results

### **Westward 4-H**

President: Lizzy Parker  
Vice President: Emma Reinke  
Secretary: Fern Ulrich  
Treasurer: Gretchen Preisler  
Historian: Gavin Krueger &  
Allie Dodd

### **4-H Friends**

President: Sydney Held  
Vice President: Hannah Dobish  
Secretary: Anna Theimke  
Treasurer: Aaliyah Van Loo

### **Ridgeway**

President: Madison Oeftger  
Vice President: Nolan Smith  
Secretary: Marie Dums  
Treasurer: Lily Plungy  
Historian: Jazelle Nowak  
Sgt of Arms: Mari Oeftger

### **Newcomers**

President: Makenna Lang  
Vice President: Madelynn Poppy  
Secretary: Maeley Lang  
Historian: Allison Preston  
Reporter: Parker Besaw  
Sgt of Arms: Scarlett Poppy

### **Allenville Meadows**

President: Anna Niles  
Vice President: Brayden  
Schmoker  
Treasurer: Aliyea Eckstein

### **County Line**

President: Lark Scott  
Vice President: Brynn Perkins  
Secretary: Violet Perkins  
Historian: Maxine Harleman

### **Country Roots**

President: Seth McGee  
Vice President: Audrey Brew  
Secretary: Maggie Bartelt  
Treasurer: Sydney Stokes

### **Winchester**

President: Finn Lettau  
Vice President: Melanie Zillges  
Secretary: Marit Lettau  
Treasurer: Max Kiefer  
Historian: Madelyn Melby

### **White Cedars**

President: Kenna Huberty  
Vice President: Kat Skadahl  
Secretary: Gabby Hostettler  
Treasurer: Paige Woelfel

### **Poygan Go-Getters**

President: Lilly Giddings  
Vice President: Alivia Haller  
Treasurer: Riley McCollian  
Reporter: Katelyn Resop  
Secretary: Lilly Black

### **Homeward Bounders**

President: Rebekah  
Vice President: Cameron  
Secretary: Anna  
Treasurer: Rachel

### **Plain V-U**

President: Bryce Crowley  
VP: Brooklyn Duchatschek  
Secretary: Ava Wesenberg  
Treasurer: Jackson Duchatschek  
Historian: Jackson Walter

### **Golden Oak**

President: Ryan Beck  
Vice President: Arianna Buehring  
Treasurer: Hallie Potratz  
Secretary: Briana Zentner  
Report: Braelynn Wegner  
Sargent of Arms: Jase Stadtmueller  
& Westin Lloyd.



# YOUTH LEADERSHIP

## Club / Group Officer Election Results

### **Mears**

President: Sam Lenz  
Vice President: Landan Miller  
Secretary: Hallie Andersen  
Treasurer: Laynee Miller

### **Lakeshore**

President: Madie Weis  
Vice President: Aaden Davis  
Secretary: Addi Kosuboski  
Treasurer: Brock Kasuboski  
Historian: Jayden Mahlke

### **Kountry Kidz**

President: Christopher Johnson  
Vice President: Delaney Reinhart  
Treasurer: Kayliana Johnson-  
Blanchard  
Secretary: Delaney Reinhart

### **Zion 3-C**

President: Allyson Decker  
Vice President: Abigail Thorson  
Secretary: Lydia Thorson  
Treasurer: Madison Kiesow

### **Horse & Pony Project**

Avery Holmes  
Mckenah Biro  
Emily Hunter  
Katelyn Resop  
Lilly Black  
Annie Beck  
Kat Skadahl,  
Hailie Anderson

### **Dog Project**

Secretary: Kenna Huberty  
Nora Good  
Gabby Hostettler  
Ella Chier  
Lexi Palecek

### **Dairy Project**

Hailey Domke  
Sadie Neuman  
Maria Zillges

### **Interstate Exchange**

Addison Cegielski

### **Leaders' Association Officers**

Co-President: Madison Plungy  
Co-President: Joe Kuehn  
Co Vice President: Melanie Zillges  
Co-Vice President: Brenda Nuite  
Co Secretary: Arianna Buehring  
Co-Secretary: Kay Lettau  
Treasurer (non voting): Jill Petersen

## WELCOME NEW AFTERSCHOOL & CLASSROOM CLUBS!

### ChickQuest Classroom Clubs

#### **Shattuck Middle School**

Neenah  
Mrs. Oeftger's Class

#### **Jefferson Elementary**

Oshkosh  
Mrs. Hibbs Class

#### **Clovis Grove Elementary**

Menasha  
Mr. Johnson's Class

### Afterschool 4-H Clubs

#### **Banta Elementary**

Menasha

#### **Clovis Grove Elementary**

Menasha

#### **Butte de Morts Elementary**

Menasha

# NOVEMBER CLOVERBUD WORKSHOP



## CLUB HAPPENINGS

### **Winchester - October**

The meeting of the Winchester 4H club took place on October 11th 2022 and started at 6:36 PM. Our attendance question was "What is your favorite Halloween candy?". The Secretary gave her report, and the treasurer followed with his report. Our next discussion was Old Business. We talked briefly about our last meeting, which had a rocketry demonstration led by Steve Thiemke. New Business was next. Pizza making will take place on November 5th, 2022, at the Sunny View Expo Center.

Re-enrollment closes on November 20, 2022. January 1, 2022, is the project registration deadline. Officer training takes place on Saturday, November 12. Make sure to sign up for food, drinks, and demonstrations. This meeting was our annual election night. Our new officer team consists of President Finn Lettau, Vice president Melanie, Secretary Marit, Treasurer Max, Sergeant of arms is Jackson Morton, and Historian Madelyn Melby, and our Alternates are Karter and Lief.

The meeting adjourned at 7:45 by Austen and Jackson seconded.

### **Winchester—December**

The Winchester 4-H Club met on Tuesday December 6th for their regular club meeting. The meeting was called to order by president Finn Lettau at 6:37 pm. Pledges were led by Lief Echola-Smith. For roll call and attendance, members were asked to tell their favorite winter time activity. Mairt Lettau gave the secretaries report. The minutes were approved by Mellanie and Seconded by Austen. Moving on Max Kieffer provided the treasurer's report. A motion was made by Austen to approve the treasurer's report and seconded by Mellanie. On to Old business, Finn discussed the Youth Adventure Committee meeting, Fun Day planning and the Horse and Pony project meeting. For New Business we talked about our next meeting which is tentatively planned to be held at the Winchester Town Hall where we would tour the fire station and have a demonstration on first aid and what EMTs and Firefighters do. We also discussed possible upcoming events including Summer Camp, an Exploring project meeting, and many upcoming trips and opportunities at the State level. Anne Zillges provided information about the upcoming Salvation Army bell ringing scheduled for Monday December 9th from 4-6 pm at the Winneconne Piggly Wiggly. Austen made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Marit seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 6:56 pm.

At the conclusion of the meeting Kerry Angell provided the club with a donation from Service Motor Company. Service Motors had done a serving fundraiser with Culver's where the money earned was donated to the club. Service Motors then matched this money and donated it to Winchester 4-H. We had an ornament exchange where kids and adults could bring a wrapped ornament under \$5 and exchange it for a surprise ornament. The club members and families then went around the Winchester community to spread holiday cheer. They sang carols at the Henrietta House and other peoples homes in the area.

Submitted by Winchester 4-H Secretary, Marit Lettau

## CLUB HAPPENINGS

### Golden Oak

Golden Oak 4-H Club made ham and cheese, turkey and cheese and peanut butter and jelly sandwiches for the Wagner Market Hope Fridge in Oshkosh. They also purchased chips, bananas, apples, clementine, carrots, Ramen noodles, yogurt, granola bars, oatmeal and bottled water.





## CLUB HAPPENINGS

### County Line - November

The County Line 4H November 13, 2022 meeting at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Clayton, WI began with an ice breaker. Lark Scott started us with a game of Wha. Then the meeting was called to order at 3:12 p.m. Atlas Dauntes led us in the pledges. Secretary Violet Perkins recorded the roll call by asking what everyone was for Halloween.

Mrs. Pieper told us the treasury report. The beginning balance was \$609. Money paid out was \$25 for a savings account. The ending balance was \$578, and the report was filed for audit.

For old business, five people attended the roller skating party. Two adults attended the family banquet and Nancy and Lisa are both now on the leadership board. Two people attended the Cloverbud meeting, and 3 attended the officer training.

We discussed that our Club Charter goals will be to have 80% of our members do a demo, along with having productive, meaningful, and fun meetings. We decided that we would not do the Parkview Christmas Parade as a club, but individual members could join if they would like.

Community Service Project ideas were brainstormed. The first motion was made by Laurretta Harlemann to visit the dog shelter. Brynn Perkins gave a seconded for the motion. Ultimately the motion was denied. The next motion was to visit nursing homes and play games with residents. Maxine Harleman made the motion, Laurretta Harleman seconded the motion, and the motion was passed.

December meeting ideas were brainstormed. Lark Scott motioned to have a club party at the church where we meet. Henry Harleman seconded the motion. The motion was passed. We also voted to have a \$5 gift exchange. Lark Scott made the motion, Violet Perkins seconded the motion. The motion was passed. The Christmas party will take place at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Clayton on December 2, 2022 at 6:00p.m.

There was a motion made to close the meeting by Brynn Perkins. The motion was seconded by Laurretta Harleman. Demonstrations were completed by Gabe Scott, Lark Scott, and Wren Scott-they shared the meaning of folding the flag. The Scott and Dauntes family hosted the refreshments. Christmas cards were created for the church shut ins.

## CLUB HAPPENINGS

### **Poygan Go-Getters - November**

The regular November meeting of the Poygan Go Getters was called to order at 4:00 by Lilly Giddings. We were taking dues this meeting and they are due by the next meeting . We had no treasurers or reporters report to give at this meeting. After that, we talked about pizza making, the Halloween skating party and the state 4-h conference and how you don't have to qualify with a blue to go to state competition anymore. Re enrollments for our club ends at November 20th.

We also talked about the mandatory horse and pony project meeting and 4-h fun day. The meeting was adjourned at 4:50 by Lilly Giddings and after the meeting was adjourned we played a game and a icebreaker and had cookies.

### **Kountry Kidz - December**

12-05-22 @ 6:00pm

Pledge of Allegiance: Ben

4-H pledge: Jameson



Meeting was called to order at 6:00pm.

Last month the club visited M. Toxins. Everyone shared what their favorite part of the visit was. We heard about tortoises, a boa constrictor, snakes, owls, and birds. Everyone liked the snake venom extraction. The visit was very interactive with holding and petting the animals. Most gift cards for our Adopt-a-Family have been collected. Please get any remaining ones to Tammy. Please remember February 4th is 4H fun day at Webster Stanley. Kristina will chair the committee for visiting Union Star Cheese. Please pick up Hero Cards from Tammy.

Our Christmas bowling party will be held on January 29th at the Tenth Frame bowling alley in Appleton at 11:00. We picked names for the party and will enjoy a gift exchange, bowling, and pizza after our meeting. If you need new 4H t-shirts printed, bring them to the next meeting. At the next meeting, we will also talk about an additional community service project.

Next Meeting – Christmas Party at 10th Frame @ 11:00.

## CLUB HAPPENINGS

### Allenville Meadows

We made tie blankets to donate to children of Winnebago County at our November meeting.





## CLUB HAPPENINGS

### White Cedars - November

Special annual Friendsgiving Meeting - our potluck meal theme was Thanksgiving comfort foods. The meeting was called to order at 7 pm and our President is Kenna

**Pledges-** were led by Paige

**Roll Call-** 23 members present, we welcomed new members Isaac, Gabe, and Blakeleigh

**Cloverbud Project:** Lead by the Hostettler's. Clover buds and Explorers all made Sunflower Turkeys.

**Ice Breaker** led by our Recreation Leaders Lexi and Emma

### Old/New Business

**Sewing-** Holiday Gift Making Easy Sewing Projects at the Hostettler's on Sunday November 20<sup>th</sup> – watch for info on FB

### **Foods-**

- Pumpkin Pie and Crusts November 21<sup>st</sup> at JPCC bring 4 dozen cookies and recipes.
- Feeding America Tour Thursday 29<sup>th</sup>
- The Hostettler's will invite youth over to their home during Winter Break to learn fresh pasta

**Small Engines-** December Meeting keep in contact with Jerry.

**Woodworking-** Keep in Contact, Mark is reaching out to MacsBoys who showed an interest in wanting to teach youth woodworking skills as well!

**Dogs-** next meeting November 17th 6:30pm at JPCC.

### Other Business

**YMCA Lock In-** Recap: Now that we have the organization and agenda down, consider planning and making this a county wide activity as a fundraiser for county 4-H in 2023.

### **Spend Down our Club Budget Ideas were discussed**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm. Motioned by Tracy and Seconded by Zoe.

**Famous White Cedars** Teagon won Costume Contest at the skating party. Jonah was a Winneconne Student of the Month. Kat represented the Winneconne Equestrian Team at State recently and the team took home a Championship!

## CLUB HAPPENINGS

### White Cedars - December

Christmas Cookie Meeting. The meeting was called to order at 6:40 pm by our President, Kenna

**Pledges-** were led by the Westphal's

**Roll Call-** 19 youth members present 11 adults

**Treasurer's Report-** November balance \$ 6053.88, deposits of \$175.54, new December balance: \$ 6229.42

**Cloverbud Project:** Led by the Skadah!'. Clover buds and Explorers all made reindeer and wreaths.

**Ice Breaker** led by our Recreation Leader Lexi,

### Old/New Business

**Sewing-** Watch for info on FB for a two day PJ and Movie night over Winter Break.

### **Foods**

- See Chelsy's [Day by Day](#) Google Signup to help out with a portion of the meal.
- Save the date - February 24th Foods Review (like last year's Chopped Challenge) at the JPCC

**Small Engines-** keep in contact with Jerry. **Horse + Pony-** Talking about Model Horse February 18<sup>th</sup> JPCC at lock in.

**Backpacking/Survival & Adventures'** Might go Tubing or Snowshoeing ...will post an idea for January or February, pending ice skating as a club.

**Dogs-** Friday January 6th, 2023 6:30pm at the Oshkosh Kennel Club

### Other Business

**Spend Down our Club Budget Ideas were discussed**

**Discussed Record Book Awards** options for youth next year. "Best of" awards can earn a \$25 gift card. See the [Record Book Info Page](#) for more info

**Famous White Cedars:** Zoe's VEX team made it to state and won the Sportsmanship Award. Cody's VEX team made it to state and won the Judges Award.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:36 pm. Motioned by Lexi and Seconded by Cody

## CLUB HAPPENINGS

### **Golden Oak—November**

The November 2022 Golden Oak 4-H Meeting was called to order by Vice President Ryan Beck. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Annie Beck and the 4-H Pledge was led by Briana Zentner. Roll Call was taken by Secretary Breana Bilson. The treasurer's report was provided by Arianna Buehring and the Reporter Report was given by Catey Hunter.

### **Old Business:**

Yearly dues are \$10.00 per member if you have not yet paid these, please see Arianna tonight.

Saturday November 5<sup>th</sup> we will be serving at the Warming Shelter. A motion was made by Hallie Potratz and seconded by Briana Zentner to serve pizza at the warming shelter. Please make sure to set up time with Laura Henke if you are providing a dish to pass.

Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup> we are serving Breakfast at the Pickett Community Center from 8-10. There are 2 shifts in which members will need to volunteer to work. First shift is 7:30 am- 9:30 am and the second shift is 9:15 am to 11:30 am, please make sure you are signed up if you have not already done so.

Re-enrollment deadline is November 20<sup>th</sup>. New members have until January 31, 2023 to sign up.

Wreath pick up will be around November 16<sup>th</sup>, please watch for a communication from Sarah in regards to the details.

Pizza set up is Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup> and Pizza making is Saturday November 5<sup>th</sup>. Please make sure to volunteer and remember to pick up your pizzas.

T-shirt orders are due tonight, please make sure you see Katie Beck or Sarah if you have not already done so to place your order. Each member will receive 1 green t-shirt provided by the club.

Holiday shopping was voted on by club and we will be providing donations to the following: Nursing Home/Blessing bags, Toys for Tots, Sleep in Heavenly Peace and Father Carr.

Officer training will be Saturday, November 12th from 9-10:30. This year it is only for the Presidents, Vice Presidents, Secretary and Treasurers. Please view the News and Views to RSVP to the office by Friday, November 4th.

### **New business:**

Read the News and Views that is either mailed to you or e-mailed. Lots of important information provided in this document.

Officer training will be Saturday, November 12th from 9-10:30. This year it is only for the Presidents, Vice Presidents, Secretary and Treasurers. Please view the News and Views to RSVP to the office by Friday, November 4th. Mark your calendars for February 4th for 4-H Funday.

The meeting was adjourned with a motion by Hallie Potratz and a second motion by Breana Bilson.

## CLUB HAPPENINGS

### **Golden Oak - December**

The December 4-H meeting was called to order by President Ryan Beck at 7:12 PM. Prior to the start of the meeting the leaders handed out blank Christmas cards for the members to sign and decorate so they could be delivered to nursing homes this holiday season.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Annie Beck and the 4-H pledge was led by Catey Hunter. Roll call was taken by Secretary Briana Zentner and the November Secretary Report was read. Arianna Buehring provided the treasurer report. The beginning checking account balance is \$7,146.18 with an ending balance of \$12,217.18. We are still waiting on some more money from members for the wreaths. The reporter's report was provided by Braelynn Wegner.

### **Old Business:**

The food drive was a success. We had about 15 people drop off and make donations to our new tradition. Along with various can goods, hygiene supplies and puzzles we also received \$40 in cash donations and the club will be shopping for any necessary items that are needed to complete the donations for Father Carr, Area Nursing Homes and Warming Shelter. Two Thank You cards were sent around for members and their families to sign for Culver's in Oshkosh on Westowne for their generous support of purchasing wreaths from our fundraiser and to Linda Anderson who makes all of our wreaths. Please make sure you sign these cards prior to leaving tonight.

A big thank you to all of the members who helped served Breakfast at the Pickett Community Center on Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup>. 141 people were served. There still are some wreaths available. 2-18', 1-24' and 1-tree. If you are interested in any of these please see Sarah after the meeting. There are a few families that will be shopping for the holiday shopping in which the club voted on in November. The Buehring/Henke family was able to purchase 8 beds in a bag and each one will include 2 pillows to be donated to Sleeping in Heavenly Peace.

### **New Business:**

Area 4-H clubs have been invited to attend a Wisconsin Herd game on Thursday, January 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm. A motion was made by Briana Zentner to attend the Herd game in place of our regular January meeting and seconded by Peyton Lenth. Child 2 and under are free, members can receive discounted tickets for \$10 per person. Please let Sarah know if you will be attending to reserve our seats.

Special visitors Santa Clause and his elf Eggnog came to the meeting and handed out candy canes and M & M's to the members and participated in our meeting until it was adjourned.

The meeting was adjourned by President Ryan Beck at 7:48 pm advising the members they will need to meet by the kitchen for pictures to be taken with the items collected for the holiday shopping and donations from the food drive. The members also had the opportunity to have their pictures taken with Santa Claus and Eggnog.

## CLUB HAPPENINGS

### White Cedars Club Meeting Photos



### County Line - December

The December 2, 2022 County Line 4H Club held at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Clayton, Wisconsin was called to order at 6:04 p.m. by President Lark Scott. Roll call was lead by Secretary Violet Perkins, each person present had to answer with their favorite animal. Violet Perkins read the November meeting minutes which were approved as written.

Lark Scott shared the treasurer's report. There were no expenses this month. The Perkins family paid their dues so the current balance is \$608.00. The report was filed for audit.'

We talked about doing our community service project at the nursing home on January 15 if that day is available. There was a reminder to sign up for Fun Day or Teen Winter camp. At the January meeting, The Perkins family will bring snacks and the Harlemann family will bring drinks. There was no other new business so the meeting was adjourned with a motion by Henry Harlemann and seconded by Brynn Perkins at 6:30.

At our Christmas party after the meeting, we exchanged \$5 gifts, decorated sugar cookies, created wreath ornaments, played a marshmallow stacking game. We also had hot cocoa and ate the cookies.

## CLUB HAPPENINGS

### **4-H Friends -November**

The November 6th meeting of the 4-H Friends 4-H club was called to order by president Sydney Held at 3pm. 3 leaders, 10 parents, and 14 members were present. We reminded members to re-enroll for the next 4-H year. February 4th is 4-H Fun Day at Webster Stanley Elementary School. At the 4-H banquet, Hailey and Amy each got their own award. And Steve Thiemke is back on the Leader's Board. We will be doing the set-up and take-down for Echoes of the Past again this year as a fundraiser, so please help out. Anna organized a game called 'Find Someone Who' for everyone to get to know what each other has done and likes. Anna also made a motion to buy new pencils for the pews of Calvary Lutheran Church as a thank you for letting us have our meetings there. A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Hailey and seconded by Max. The meeting adjourned at 3:47pm. Our next meeting will be December 4th at Calvary Lutheran Church.

Submitted by Anna Thiemke

### **4-H Friends—December**

The December 4th meeting of the 4-H Friends 4-H Club was called to order by President Sydney Held at 3:10pm. 27 members, 16 parents, and 3 leaders were present. The secretary and treasurer reports were read and approved. We also had a guest speaker, Macy Dodd who is the Miss Rural Winnebago this year. She talked about how young girls can apply for Miss Rural Winnebago and fun things you get to do. Next we played a game which Macy led, where you passed a string ball to each member, saying something you like and if people raise their hand you throw the string ball to them while holding a corner of the string. This made a spider web with everyone connecting. After that, members did a Christmas craft by Chloe which was a Rudolph ornament. Anna did a demonstration which was a snowman ornament. Last month the club made a motion to buy sanctuary pencils for the church as a thank you for letting us have our meetings there, so we took out the old pencils and replaced them with new and sharpened pencils. Hadley and Jorie made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 4:10pm. Our next meeting will be January 8th at Calvary Lutheran Church.

Submitted by Anna Thiemke

## PROJECT NEWS & INFO



### Winnebago County 4-H Dairy Project

#### 4-H Dairy Quiz Bowl Contest February 25, 2023

Anyone interested in participating in Dairy Quiz Bowl should contact:  
Amy Jo Domke by email [domke2892@yahoo.com](mailto:domke2892@yahoo.com)  
or text 920-379-3251.

#### Dairy Project Calendar of Events:

##### March

Farm Discovery Center Day, Manitowoc (date TBD)  
Do we get a bus?

##### April

Q2 business meeting (date TBD)  
ST or Rosendale tour (date TBD)

##### May

Getting Started with Dairy Activity Day at Ewalds (date TBD)

##### June

June Dairy Month volunteer activities  
Udder Tuggers event (Farm Bureau)  
Grilled Cheese event (Farm Bureau)  
Badger Dairy Camp?  
Area Animal Science Days?  
Fair entries due (date TBD)

##### July

Dairy Day at Ewalds (date TBD)  
Tack Sale  
Treats  
Stations (vet, feeding, grooming, showmanship)  
Clipping contest  
Need to find a judge

##### August

Winnebago County Fair  
Wisconsin State Fair



## PROJECT NEWS & INFO

### 4-H Horse & Pony Project

#### Horse & Pony Project Mentoring Program

If you wanted a mentoring packet and were not able to get one at

November's meeting, please let us know. The Mentoring program pairs an older youth with a younger youth to have as a resource. It's a great way to get leadership experience for the mentor and for the younger youth a great help navigating shows, fair, and just having a familiar face to reach out to!



#### Horse & Pony Lock-In

February 18, 2023

6:00-11:30PM

James P Coughlin Center

Hang out with horse people, movie, crafts, snacks! Receive education credit for your achievement book.



### 2023 Winnebago County 4-H Horse & Pony Tack Sale March 4th—Opens at 9AM—Sunnyview Exposition Center

See next page for more info



#### Youth Achievement Book Night.

Youth had fun creating projects at various stations throughout the meeting.

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### Dog Project

Our next meeting is **January 6th at 6:30 at the Oshkosh Kennel Club**. We are offering you and your dog a chance to take both the CGC test (Canine Good Citizen Test) and the Trick Dog Test (for what level you need).

information on both is on our facebook group: Winnebago County 4-H Dog Program ([www.facebook.com/groups/2372969279647160](https://www.facebook.com/groups/2372969279647160))

If you plan to participate please sign up with this on-line form <https://forms.gle/HtjgygfAyRYVGbkc9>

**Deadline 12/23**

## PROJECT NEWS & INFO

# Winnebago County 4-H Horse & Pony Tack/Craft Sale

SunnyView Expo Center (Fairgrounds)  
500 East County Rd Y, Oshkosh, WI.

Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup> 2023 9am-2pm

\$1.00 Admission/person

\*\*\* 50% of admissions will be donated to the Winnebago County 4H Youth charity \*\*\*

No Pets Allowed



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### Huge Consignment Area

Come drop off your horse related equipment and we will sell your items for you while you enjoy a day of shopping in the HEATED Sunnyview Expo Center. Consignment items will be accepted Fri. March 3<sup>rd</sup> from 5-7pm and Saturday March 4<sup>th</sup> starting at 7am. 10% commission fee for sold items. Unsold items can be picked up after 2:00pm. If you are interested in tags for early consignment, please contact Susan Berry at sberry54901@gmail.com.

\*\*\* Same day payout will be available \*\*\*

### Commercial & Private Vendor Area

Wide selection of vendors selling horse related and craft items. Commercial vendor & private individual spaces available to sell their own tack and/or crafts. Advance reservations are required for all commercial vendors. See bottom of flyer for more information.

### Amazing Food Stand

Great food (hot turkey and beef, pizza, sweets galore) at great prices! Free coffee for all vendors.

### Pig Raffle (two 1/2 Pigs being raffled, Donated by BECKS Meats)

Tickets are \$1.00 or 6/\$5.00. 2 lucky winning tickets will be drawn at the Tack Sale @ 1:00pm. Tickets are available through Horse & Pony project members or at the Tack Sale on March 5<sup>th</sup>.

### Bucket Raffle

Loads of great items to be raffled from vendors & local businesses. There will be 2 bucket raffle drawings for even more chances to WIN!

### Midwest Horse Fair

Come on down to the tack & craft sale, shop a bit, get a bite to eat, and purchase your tickets to this year's Midwest Horse Fair in Madison! This year's Fair dates are April 14, 15 and 16.

A wide variety of vendors as in years past selling tack, clothing, crafts and much more!  
Watch our Facebook page for future updates!

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Winnebago County 4-H Horse & Pony TACK SALE Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup> 2023 9am - 2pm

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Number of 8' x 10' spaces (2 table max) \_\_\_\_\_ x \$20.00 each = \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Tables & Chairs \_\_\_\_\_ Trailer Space \$75.00 \_\_\_\_\_ Length \_\_\_\_\_



For more information contact: Jon Richey at (920) 277-3709 or email at Winnebago4HTackSale@gmail.com  
To reserve a spot please return this form/check payable to: Winnebago County 4-H Horse & Pony Project  
Mail To: Jon Richey, 479 Hawthorne Street, Neenah, WI 54956



## PROJECT NEWS & INFO

### **Cloverbud Workshop: Painter's Tape Art January 23rd 6:30PM @ JPCC**

Cloverbuds will create abstract canvas art using acrylic paints and painter's tape! Wear old clothes. Youth in grades K5-2 are welcome to join in the fun!

Deadline to Register: January 13th  
Register at: <https://bit.ly/3FF5VFX>

### **Exploring Workshop: Things That Fly February 16th 6:30 PM @ JPCC**

Deadline to Register: February 9th  
Register at: [bit.ly/3hwXxz0](https://bit.ly/3hwXxz0)

## **Cookie Art Workshop Series:**

**Save the date for Cookie Art Series! March 2, 9, and 10 | 6:00 pm**

Middle school and older 4H members are invited to participate in the Cookie Art Series! Participants are encouraged to take part in all three in-person workshops

- Workshop #1 - March 2nd: Roll Out Cookies: Learn how to make, roll out and bake cut-out cookies. Youth would learn techniques and practice rolling out that night.
- Homework: roll out and bake cookies learned from workshop #1; Make royal icing (recipe will be shared at workshop #1)
- Workshop #2 - March 9th: Royal icing: practice icing consistency, techniques, tipless piping, outlining, and first layer decorating
- Workshop #3 - March 10th: Decorating techniques continued: flooding, wet on wet, layering

**Watch the weekly email for the registration link, supply list, location, and times.**

# PROJECT NEWS & INFO

## Winnebago County 4-H Project Listing

1. Make a list of all the things you would like learn about.
2. Compare your list with the Projects (**in Bold**) and their examples (not bold)
3. Sign up for the Projects (**in Bold**) that you are even slightly interested in! Pay attention if your areas of interest states "Also sign up for..." This will help when it comes to sign up for fair entries in the spring.

**Project Selection Deadline  
for Fair Entry :**

**January 31st  
(no changes allowed past this date)**

### **Youth Leadership**

Ambassadors, Project Leaders, Officers

### **Cloverbuds**

### **Cloverbuds Youth Leader**

### **Exploring**

### **Service Learning & Citizenship**

### **Self Determined**

### **Beef**

### **Cats**

### **Dairy**

### **Dogs**

### **Small Animals & Pets**

Caged Birds

Cavies

Pets

### **Exotic Animals**

### **Goats**

(listed as Dairy Goats)

### **Horses**

All Horses

Clothes Horse

Model Horse

Horseless Horse

### **Poultry**

Bantams

Pigeons

Turkeys

Waterfowl

### **Rabbits**

### **Swine**

### **Sheep**

### **Veterinary Science**

### **Communication Arts**

(listed as Communication)

Creative Writing

Demonstrations

Sign Language

Speaking

### **Performing Arts**

(listed as Theater Arts)

Clowning

Dance

Juggling

Music

Theater Arts

### **Visual Arts**

(listed as Art)

Arts & Crafts

Block Printing

Folk Arts

Leathercraft

Metal Enameling

Computer Art

### **Photography**

Incl. Videography

### **Family, Home & Health**

(listed as Home Environment)

Child Development

Health

Home Environment

Intergenerational Programs

### **Consumer Education**

(listed as Consumer Savvy)

Consumer Savvy (also sign up for clothing)

Entrepreneurship

Personal Finance

Workforce Readiness

### **Foods & Nutrition**

Cake Decorating

Food Preservation

Foods & Nutrition

Microwave Cooking

### **Clothing & Textiles**

Sewing

Clothing

Quilting (also sign up for Family Home & Health)

### **Crocheting**

### **Knitting**

### **Mechanical Sciences**

Automotive

Bicycles

Model Rocketry

Scale Models

Small Engines

Tractors

LEGOs

### **Computers**

### **Electricity**

### **Woodworking**

### **Natural Resources Envir. Ed.**

(listed as Explore Your Environment)

Astronomy

Birds

Entomology

Exploring Your Environment

Fishing

Forestry

Geology

Maple Syrup

Recycling

Water

Wildflowers

Wildlife

### **Adventures**

Backpacking

Canoeing

Bicycling

Winter Travel

### **Shooting Sports**

### **Crops**

### **Vegetables & Fruits**

(listed as Vegetables)

### **Flowers & House Plants**

(listed as Flowers)

Home Grounds

Plant Crafts

### **STEM**

Wind Energy

Aerospace

Geospatial

Robotics (also sign up for Mechanic Science)

Chemistry

Physics

### **International Programs**

Any changes to projects must be made by January 31st.

Please email [dana.berger@wisc.edu](mailto:dana.berger@wisc.edu) to make changes.

# Leaders' Association Excess Funds Information

Hello 4-H Volunteers,

THANK YOU so much for all of your hard work volunteering for our 4-H program. Your dedication and time spent helping out with fundraisers such as pizza making and working in the Dipper has placed the Leaders' Association in a position of financial security with excess funds to utilize toward supporting our 4-H youth in projects, special programming and recognition.

**What Are Excess Funds?** Chartered 4-H clubs and groups must retain their non-profit status. Excess funds can cause a 4-H club or group to unintentionally become a private foundation as defined by the IRS. All non-profits have guidelines related to excess funds. UW Extension, Division of Madison has defined excess 4-H funds as a 4-H club or group's monies that exceed two years of expenses, or \$2,000, whichever is greater and they require these clubs/groups to create a five- year spend down plan.

**Currently, the Winnebago County 4-H Leader's Association has \$53,775.00 in excess funds and a five-year plan must be developed.**

**We Need and Value Your Ideas!** These excess funds were raised by you, our volunteers! Therefore, we need your ideas on how to best utilize these funds to support our existing clubs and projects, as well as county-wide and state-wide event opportunities for our youth. We also need to look at ways to grow our current youth membership numbers.

**Share Your Ideas at the January All-County Meeting!** We hope that this extremely important meeting will be highly attended by our volunteers! Please come to the meeting prepared with some ideas on how these funds can be used. Ask yourself:

1. What are your goals / priorities over the next 5 years?
2. What areas do you feel additional funding can be most useful? Examples might be:
  - a. Supporting projects with supplies needed to run workshops/events
  - b. Additional summer camp scholarship support
  - c. Club support for service learning projects
  - d. New field trip opportunities or bus transportation for county-wide events
  - e. Reimbursement for Fun Day
  - f. Volunteer Recognition – How do you like to be recognized?
3. What are effective ways to grow our youth numbers? We challenge you to think "outside the box" and to throw away the limiting phrase, "because we have never done that in the past."

**Please plan to attend!**  
**All County Meeting**  
**January 24, 2023**  
**7 :00 PM - James P Coughlin Center**



# 4-H SUMMER CAMP

Welcome 2023



Counselors!



## Returning Counselors:

Jonah Brey  
Jacob Calkins  
Addison Cegielski  
MacKenzie Decker  
Hannah Dobish  
Finn Lettau  
Lydia Longworth  
Katie Mathison  
Madison Oeftger  
Nate Piper  
Madison Plungy  
Madelyn Poppy



## New Counselors:

Annie Beck  
Ryan Beck  
Maddy Calkins  
Gabby Carley  
Emma Cegielski  
Emily Hunter  
Makenna Lang  
Lindsey Mathison  
Evan Numrich  
Tanner Piper



We are in need  
of 2 more adult  
chaperones for  
summer camp!

If you are  
interested,  
please contact  
Dana Berger  
for more info!

920-232-1974

**SAVE THE DATE!**  
**2023 4-H SUMMER CAMP**

**JUNE 27-30**  
**UPHAM WOODS - WISCONSIN DELLS**

**REGISTRATION INFO WILL COME OUT IN**  
**MID JANUARY**

## COUNTY NEWS & INFO



Winnebago County Farm Bureau

PRESENTS

# COMMUNITY NIGHT

January 14th, 2023 4PM-11PM

Join us for an evening of food, fun, friendship and fundraising. Come see what your local Farm Bureau is all about!

\*FREE Admission\*

### Bring the family!

#### Activities include:

- Meet the Farm Bureau County Board
- Mac and Cheese Bar 5pm till out
- Corn piles and Mini Golf
- Farm Bureau information, benefits and activity booths
- Silent Auction
- Charity Bingo games
- Numerous Raffle items
- 50/50 Raffle
- DJ Trivia at 7PM
- **LIVE Auction at 8PM!**

PART OF ALL PROCEEDS TO BE DONATED TO:



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Oshkosh, WI 54904

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**Winnebago County Farm Bureau**

No credit cards accepted. ATM on-site.

## Winnebago County Fair - August 2-6 2023 "Place To Be In 2023"

### 2023 Board of Directors

President: Mike Domke  
Vice Presidebt: Matt Neuman  
Treasurer: Jody Bezio  
Secretary: Ryan Overton  
Officer At Large: Ryan Krueger  
Cindy Angle - Dan Phillips  
Tim Borgatdt - Stevetark  
Stephanie Furman - Dan Stokes  
Justin Pamer - Brian Krause

**Fairest of the Fair Info:**  
**Applications due March 31st**  
**Contest is May 16th at**  
**Brighton Acres**

**Keep an eye out on Facbook**  
**for more info!**



## COUNTY NEWS & INFO



“You’re Gonna Need Milk for That – Wisconsin Dairy Fuels our Bodies, Communities and Economy.”



Contest overview:  
Due Date: April 1, 2023

The Wisconsin Farm Bureau Foundation - Ag in the Classroom Essay Contest is an opportunity for fourth and fifth grade students to explore Wisconsin history, geography, and economics through the lens of Wisconsin Agriculture.

An annual essay prompt challenges students to research and write an informative essay. The contest supports Wisconsin academic standards including English Language Arts and Social Studies. Top essays are recognized at the county, district, and state levels. The generous support of sponsors and volunteers make this learning opportunity possible each year.

The essay contest gleans the annual theme from the annual Wisconsin Agriculture in the Classroom Book of the Year. *Tales of the Dairy Fairy – Chuck's Ice Cream Wish*, by Viola Butler, illustrated by Ward Jenkins, has been chosen as the 2022-23 Book of the Year for its accuracy in depicting dairy farming and dairy farmers, as well as for the nod to the processing that must occur dairy products to be produced.

Visit: <https://fs26.formsite.com/xFe7pN/kaaxcbpsbp/index.html> for the full contest details, support materials including lessons, videos, and resources for the 2023 Wisconsin Agriculture in the Classroom Essay Contest!

Thank you to our sponsors for providing support for the 2023 Essay Contest!



## STATE NEWS & INFO

### Arts Camp– Evan Numrich

Arts camp is a fun camp in Upam woods for 6th to 8th graders in October. At arts camp, you get to go to 5 different tracks and learn about the arts like music, drama, crafts, photography and communications. At these different tracks, you get to be taught by counselors and you get to do fun interactive activities.

Also at Arts camp, you get to be a part of a counselor hunt where you look all around the camp and find the counselors. Then, there's a campfire where you get to sing songs see skits, and have a fun time. Then for older youth in High School, the counselors plan all of this. So you can be a track or cabin counselor. If you are a cabin counselor you get a group of kids that you take around to all the tracks and you get to watch and help them at the tracks. If you're a track counselor you get to come up with something to lead so I was a track counselor for the music track and my group led a rhythm activity that taught the kids about rhythm. So, if you ever want to go to Arts camp as a counselor or camper I definitely recommend it.



Submitted by Evan Numrich,  
Ridgeway 4-H Club Member



### Arts Camp– Madison Oeftger

Arts Camp was a great experience! I enjoyed getting to know others around the state and learning how to lead. I am very grateful for Jenny Numrich for making this an experience for me. This year for Arts Camp, we were unable to do a planning weekend so we had meetings on Zoom and met on the Friday before camp. On Zoom we talked about our schedules and saw faces before camp. I enjoyed listening and adding ideas to the mix during those meetings.

On Friday we all came together and made posters to get to know each counselor a little bit more. We checked out the space we will be working in and went over any last minute items to our list.

When Saturday arrived, we had campers coming at **9am**. I met some of them in line, helped them bring their stuff to their cabin and made sure they were ready to have fun (YAY FUN!). We had a meeting in the main lodge and started with our Tracks that morning.

I was part of the Drama Track with Jenny Numrich and Katy Farrey. We taught the campers to play fun drama games and how to make skits. Some of their favorite games were Freeze and Car-pool. At the end of each session each camper got a Grab and Go Drama Games Booklet. This provides a way for everyone to remember how to play the games from camp.

At the end of the Saturday, we had a campfire. We sang some camp songs from all around the state and made the one and only Towel Chicken.

When Sunday came, we finished up the tracks and had an Autographing party and had a closing ceremony. I loved being able to sign campers books, shirts and more. We had a spirit bell award and it went to the orange group.

At the end all the counselors had a little reflection and told everyone about what a good experience Arts Camp was. If I had the opportunity to go, I would totally go again.

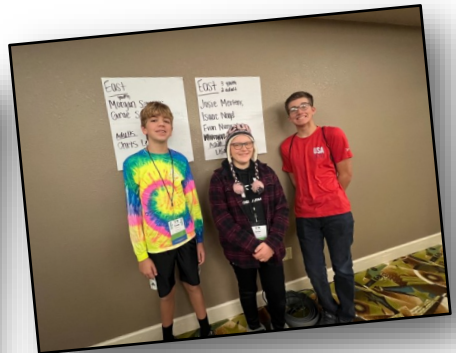


## STATE NEWS & INFO

### Fall Forum

Hello everyone my name is Evan Numrich and I attended Fall Forum this year. The purpose of Fall Forum is to provide educational opportunities to inspire youth and adults to try new ideas in their communities. What you do at Fall Forum is first to go to a bunch of different sessions that are led by kids or adults that can teach us many things. We also have one educational speaker come and talk to us. This year our speaker was a cup-stacking champion and he told us about his life and how he overcame the challenges of autism to achieve his goals. Also at Fall Forum, there's an election for the Wisconsin leadership council where youth can get elected to be a part of this elite team that leads and prepares things for Fall Forum and other 4-H activities. If you would like to attend it is for grades 7th grade and up and adults can attend. For more info visit 4-H online.

~Written by, Evan Numrich Ridgeway 4-H member



## ALL COUNTY 4-H MEETING JANUARY 24, 2023 7PM @ JPCC

Please plan to attend this important meeting to discuss and brainstorm ideas for creating a 5 year spend-down plan for the Leaders' Association's Excess Funds. See page 27 for more details.

All 4-H volunteers and youth are encouraged to attend!

## 2023 FOODS REVIEW

2023  
Winnebago  
County 4-H  
Foods Review

 **Chopped**  
 **Challenge**

February 24, 2023  
5:30-8:00 PM



### Imagine the Pastabilities!

We are excited to offer our Second Annual All County Foods Review! At this event youth will participate in food project education:

- Having a dish judged in person,
- Learn the basics of making homemade pasta from a chef,
- Create beautiful place settings.

Each youth will also take home a collection of recipes cards from all of the youth's dishes prepared that evening. We will wrap up our evening with a "Chopped" style challenge, where youth will form teams, receive a blind basket challenge, and compete to prepare the best dish.

We will be requiring a \$5 per youth fee for this event to cover the cost of food items purchased. Parents are welcome to accompany their child, at no cost, to assist younger children.

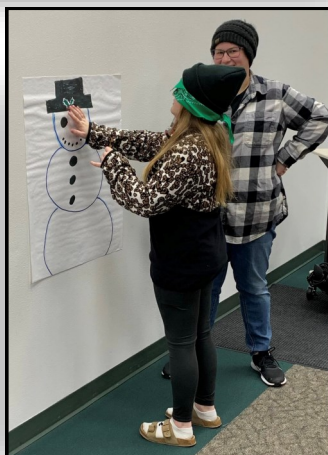
**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: February 10, 2023**

**REGISTER AT: [bit.ly/3FrgACI](https://bit.ly/3FrgACI)**





## 4-H HOLIDAY COOKIE EXCHANGE FUN!



# Winnebago County UW-Extension Office



UW-MADISON EXTENSION



J. P. Coughlin Center  
625 E. County Road Y, Suite 600  
Oshkosh, WI 54901-8131  
(920) 232-1974  
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**HOURS:** Monday through Friday  
8:00 AM - 4:30 PM

## Extension/ Winnebago County Staff

**Dana Berger** - *4-H Program Educator*  
**Sarah Thompson** - *4-H Youth & Science Educator*  
**Madisen Potratz** - *Horticulture Educator*  
**Mia Ljung** - *Community Development Educator*  
**Todd Wenzel** - *Associate Financial Educator*  
**Kris Soper** - *Nutrition Educator (FoodWise)*  
**Chad Cook** - *Land & Water Outreach Manager*  
**Chris Viau** - *Area Extension Director*  
**Ashley Rolph** - *4-H Support Staff*  
**Amy Hendrickson** - *Support Staff*  
**Jody Bezio** - *Support Staff*

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