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Project Area Deadline is April 1st, 2025

Be sure to log on to 4-H Online and check that your project areas are selected for each youth. There have been a few occurrences where families thought it was done and found they did not save!

Did you find Chris Clover in the newsletter? - Email us his location before the next newsletter & you will get a surprise gift!, we will do this monthly!

Due to an overwhelming response we will award 3 families at random.

Last Months Winners:
1. Liebrecht Family
2. Place Family
3. Friedel Family



Looks like this!

Announcements & Upcoming Events

Leaders Federation Meetings– ADS, Greenwood

March 10

April 14

May 12

Fair Board Meetings– TBD

March 24

April 21

May 19

Project Area Deadline

April 1

Distance Learning Opportunities

Paper Circuits– March 1

Performance Arts Festival

March 1

Livestock Scholarship Apps Due

March 1

General Livestock Meeting & Species Meetings

March 24

In person YQCA Training

March 31

Food & Cake Review

March 9

Arts Beat!

March 14-16

General Livestock Meeting

March 24

Volleyball Tournament

April 6

Bee Expo

April 12

National 4-H Conference

April 11-16

Space Camp

May 1-5

Clark County Extension Office Closed

April 18

May 26

Explore WI

July 15-17

CLARK COUNTY 4-H LEADERS FEDERATION
February 10, 2025
7 PM – ADS - Greenwood
DRAFT

Attendance: Lori Hendrickson, Sheri Jacque, Alan Buchholz, Rachel Brost, John Brost, Seth Harrmann, Ella Raatz, Nikki Rueth, Jarrett Rueth

Absent: Zach Magnus, Jillian Rueth, Jacob Raatz

Secretary's Report: Secretary's report was read. John made a motion to approve as read; Lori seconded.

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer's report was reviewed. Rachel made a motion to approve; Nikki seconded.

Unfinished Business:

Year at a Glance - The sheet was reviewed and no changes were made.

Scholarships - American Spirit - There is a youth on the waiting list that has not applied yet for a scholarship. This will be discussed again if she is selected to go. Two applications were received. There was discussion about deadlines and things being on time or late. One was received on time and the Scholarship Committee will review her application. The other was postmarked after the deadline, therefore late. Jarrett made a motion to deny the scholarship since it was late; Ella seconded the motion. A vote was taken and the motion passed. Nikki and Rachel will review the on time application. Lori will put together letters for the two applicants stating their status. Alan will sign the letters.

Volleyball - Lori will send a letter to the "experience attendees" asking them if they are interested in running the concession stand for the volleyball tournament. Their response will be due by February 28th. If they do not want to run the stand, it will then be open to clubs.

Performing Arts - Seth said all is good. He is waiting for the registrations which are due March 1st.

Food Revue - This will be held at Trinity Lutheran Church in Loyal on March 9th beginning at 4pm. More information is in the newsletter.

Any Other Unfinished Business -

Lori noted that Hene Supply took another case of platbooks; The Thorp Courier took an additional 10 books.

New Business:

Tubing - Lori will look into Perkinstown for Saturday, January 10th from 5-9PM.

Additional Events - The group discussed possibly going bowling as a "Spring Family Fun Day". Lori will look into bowling at Neillsville on April 26/27 from 1 - 5PM. Playing a "head pin" game with prizes was suggested. An RSVP will be needed for this event.

Any Other New Business -

Nikki reported that the Sam's Club membership is due March 12th. The cost is \$116.05. Lori made a motion to renew; Ella seconded the motion. A vote was taken and the motion passed. Membership was renewed using the debit card. Nikki will print and mail the receipt to Lori.

Sheri reported there are two new Fair Board Members - Brittney Lowry and Kyra Rakovec.

Jarrett gave a report on the camp counselor training that was held at Beaver Creek on February 7-9.

Seth stated that Clark County has been asked to host the 2026 Area Animal Science Day. Seth will head up a committee and Matt Lipert will co-chair. There will be subcommittees for dairy, livestock, possibly horses and goats. A committee will be formed by this Fall. More information will come.

Next Meeting - March 10th at 7pm at Greenwood ADS

Raiden made a motion to adjourn the meeting; John seconded the motion. A vote was taken and the motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 8pm

Respectfully Submitted by:

Sheri Jacque, Secretary

4-H on the Air Schedule for 2024

Airs the 2nd Saturday of each month,
and the 2nd 5th Saturday of the year

2025

- March 8– Livestock Program
- April 12– Lucky Clovers
- May 10– Town & Country Clovers
- June 14– Maplewood Badgers
- July 12– Rock Creek Rangers
- August 9– Reseburg Ramblers
- September 13– Neillsville Lights
- October 11– Romadka
- November 15– Woodgrove Workers
- December 13– Happy Valley



CLARK COUNTY 4-H



BOWLING EVENT

Date: End of April
Location: Strike Time Lanes
Neillsville, WI



All items to be in Newsletter must be to
Extension by the 20th of month–
Thank you!
Please provide minutes/items in a word
format– not PDF.

Members from Loyal Lads & Lassies delivered the Penny Wars donation of \$400 to the Loyal Food Pantry. Thank you to those that participated from Lucky Clovers, Maplewood Badgers, and Loyal Lads & Lassies!!

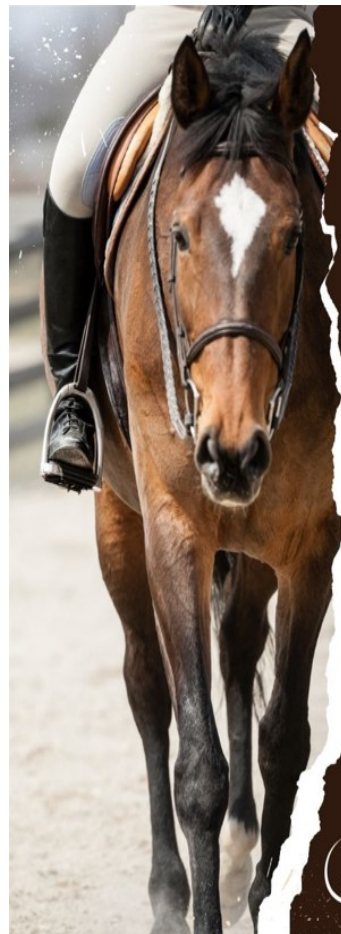


Loyal Lads & Lassies held our Winter Outing on January 19th at Melody Gardens Skateland from 1:30-4:30pm

We had 26 members skate along with many others and parents attend.

Next Meeting: February 16th at 5:00 pm at Trinity Lutheran Church

Submitted By: Jillian Rueth, Secretary



HORSE PROJECT KICKOFF

All Horse Project members encouraged to attend to discuss the years plans and to pickup all paperwork.

March 23, 2025 | 2:00 p.m.

St. John's Church, Christie WI

Contact with Questions:
 Brittany DeMott
 715-223-7224
 ehillbrittles@gmail.com



ART BEAT!

March 15-16, 2025

Upham Woods Outdoor Learning Center

Open to: 4-H Members grades 3-5, parents and leaders

Cost: \$125/ Youth members (Tiered pricing \$100-145)
 \$75/ Adult Volunteers

Registration Starts:
 January 20- February 17th or until Full
 Register on 4-H Online



CLARK COUNTY
EXPLORE WISCONSIN

WHEN: JULY 15-17
 REGISTRATION: FEB 1-28

UW-MADISON EXTENSION

Cost:
\$300

Where youth pick to travel in Wisconsin!



VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT
 APRIL 6TH (SUNDAY ONLY!)
 REGISTRATION DUE BY
 MARCH 17TH BY 9:00 AM

REGISTRATION FORM AVAILBLE
 ON EXTENSION WEBISTE



WISCONSIN YOUTH LIVESTOCK
PROGRAM (WYLP) PRESENTS

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING 2025

February 20 - Cooking with Beef

Speakers: Angie Horkan and Kaitlyn Kesler, Wisconsin Beef Council

March 18 - Management for your animal project, Biosecurity

Speakers: Dr. Gretchen May, Dept of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection, Veterinarian

April 17 - Creating Charcuterie Boards

Speakers: Jessica Brown, Joshua Brantley, Heather Hunt, UW Madison.

All events are free, virtual and begin at 6:30 p.m. CST
Can meet county educational requirements.

Hosted by Bernie O'Rourke, UW
Madison/Division of Extension.
For more information & how to register: <https://go.wisc.edu/tnq61h>



WI 4-H AREA ANIMAL SCIENCE DAYS

Save the Dates

PIERCE COUNTY JUNE 13TH

CALUMET COUNTY JUNE 30TH



WATCH INBOXES AND SOCIAL MEDIA FOR
FUTURE REGISTRATION INFORMATION



Dairy Meeting Oct, 16th 2024 Ads in Greenwood

Present- Scott Pralle, Pam Salz-Pralle, Melissa Boeheke, Nick Stieglitz, Tom Meyer, Adam Luchterhand, Brittney Lowry

Tom Meyer called the meeting to order at 7:34pm

Secretary report was approved by Pam and 2nd by Melissa

Area Animal Science- Kristin Opelt taking over judging team, Pam will help her. Eliza Ruzic may also be interested in helping out.

Fitting and showing- Only did one for state fair kids and it went well.

At the fair maybe we have 2 age divisions with prizes for you if you fit your own animals. Scott and Pam will be the sponsor, they will not be sponsoring showmanship. Will talk more and finalize at the Spring meeting.

This summer we need to do 2 fitting clinics (one for State Fair kids and 1 for the county kids)

We should also make a list of farms that are willing to let kids show from and have that promoted.

State Fair- Clark County got 4th in herdsmanship, we had 26 head with 19 kids showing. Things went well and had 1 kid make final showmanship. Used shavings again this year and that seems to work well, hauled 6 pallets down. Next year look at price to buy down there vs buying and hauling down. Took 2 trailers with stuff plus animals trucked by Lance. Scott Magnuson might not be a chaperone next year. Nicole Pralle will be a chaperone. July 30-Aug 3rd 2025

County Fair- Check in went well we had 7-7 but will need to shorten that next year to 7-4 on Wednesday again. Stalling went well and everyone had plenty of room, Adam L will continue to do this.

Show order we will keep the same- Tessa Meyer and Tanna Luchterhand and Adam Luchterhand will help in the ring and on deck stuff. Talked about having a breed and owned show with in the show so grade animals get a bit more recognition. Will talk more at the spring meeting.

Wheelbarrows were bought by Jr Holsteins and will be kept at the Meyers. This way we have some for the ring. Code of conduct was not handed out just posted in the barn.

Dairy Formal- went well, adults want us to add one for them. There was talk about nonClark County kids do it. We will add that you MUST be showing in our Jr. show to participate in the Dairy Formal.

Open Show- will start at 8 am in 2025. One judge and one ring went very well, will continue that in 2025. Announcer needs to stay consistent for the whole show and keep the order the same.

Barn update- Nothing was presented.

Next Meeting March 19th 7pm ADS

Adjourn- Scott 2nd Pam

Submitted by Brittney Lowry



Livestock News

- Species Meetings will be finalized soon and will be updated on Extension Website
- 2025 Livestock Rules & Regulations have been emailed out and are posted online now!
- YQCA Training –Required for all market sale animal participants and anyone showing animals at State Fair
- Contact & Make appointments with your meat processor for your non– sale animals now!
- All educational sessions, bidder slips, and signed agreement forms will be due earlier this year, July 7th. This has been moved up due to significant delays in the post office service and getting information back to our bidders prior to the fair.

Next General Livestock Meeting:

Monday, March 24th @ 8:00 PM– Loyal City Hall

Species Meetings:

Swine (along with tag pickup): 3/12/25 @ 7:00 PM

Beef: 3/24/25 @ 7:00 PM

Sheep Meeting: 3/24/25 @ 7:15 PM

Goat Meeting: 3/24/25 @ 7:00 PM

Market Rabbit: 3/24/25 @ 7:00 PM

(Tentative) **Market Poultry:** 3/24/25 @ 7:00 PM

Livestock Agreement & Bidder Slips Due: 7/7/25

(bidder slips available AFTER May 1st)

- **Livestock Sale:** 8/9/25
- **Carcass Show:** 8/13/25
- **Livestock Banquet:** 8/27/25

Swine Meetings & Events

- Swine Meeting & Tag Pickup: 3/12/25
7-7:30 Loyal City Hall
- Swine Photo & Paperwork Due: 4/12/25
9:00-11:00AM Loyal City Hall

Other Species Weigh-in Dates

Sheep Weigh-in: 5/10/25

Goats Weigh-in: 5/10/25

Rabbit Weigh-in: 6/28/25

Market Poultry: Cornish Rock Cross Birds June 1-15

Slow Growth Meat Variety Birds May 4-18

Beef Educational Events

Beef Educational
Event: 6/22/25 @
2:00 PM

Wisconsin Livestock Premises ID

- Required in Wisconsin for anyone who owns any livestock
- It's free. There is no charge for livestock registration
- Livestock includes: cattle, swine, poultry, sheep goats, horses, turkeys, pigeons, llamas.
- Rabbits are exempt
- Renew, update, or register at wiid.org
- Questions about Premises ID maybe referred to datcp.wi.gov or wiid.org
- Any 4-H or FFA member showing livestock are required to have Premise ID of where animals are be housed.

YQCA In– Person Training

This will be the Last in person training offered for the year in Clark County

Monday– 3/31/25 @ 7:00 PM

Trinity Lutheran Church, Loyal WI (location could change)


Please register online at yqcaprogram.org. Fee is \$3.00 for in person class/ \$12.00 for online classes. Coupon codes available from Cindy Kolzow (ckolzow@msn.com or 715-613-4361) for free class participation if used when registering.

March 2025



						1 Performance Arts Festival Paper Circuits Distance Learning
2	3 Clark Co. Archery Class	4	5	6	7	8
9 Food & Cake Revue Trinity Lutheran Church	10 Leaders Federation Meeting-ADS Clark Co. Archery Class	11	12	13	14 Art Beat! —————→	15
16 —————→	17 Clark Co. Archery Class	18	19 Dairy Committee Meeting- 7PM ADS	20	21	22
23	24 Clark Co. Archery Class Fair Board Meeting-ADS General Livestock Meeting - 8 p.m. Loyal City Hall See Livestock News for Species Meeting Times	25	26	27	28	29
30	31 VQCA In Person Training- Trinity Lutheran Church, Loyal @ 7:00 PM					

April 2025

		1 Project Area Deadline	2	3	4	5
6 Volleyball Tournament	7	8	9	10	11 National 4-H Conference —————→	12 Chippewa Valley Bee Expo
13	14 ALL Leaders Federation Meeting- Loyal City Hall —————→	15	16	17	18 Clark County Courthouse Closed	19
20 	21 Fairboard Meeting- Loyal City Hall	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

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May 2025

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4 Camp Counselor Training	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12 Leaders Federation Meeting-ADS	13	14	15	16	17
18	19 Fairboard Meeting- Loyal City Hall	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 Office Closed- Memorial Day	27	28	29	30	31

June 2025

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	Outpost/Base Camp 			12	13	14
15	Summer Academy 			19	American Spirit Experience 	
22	American Spirit Experience 					28
29	30					

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