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Can you find Chris Clover?

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!

Last Months Winners:

1. Neisius Family
2. Hasz Family



Announcements & Upcoming Events

Leaders Federation Meetings--

June 9

July 14

Fair Board Meetings

June 16

July 21

Dog Classes-- Fairgrounds

Every Tuesday at 6:30

Quilt Camp

June 9-12

August 5

Outpost/Base Camp

June 9-12

Free E-Cycling Event

July 12

Cloverbud Camp Counselor Apps Due

June 15

Goat Fitting Clinic

June 17

Sheep Showing Clinic

June 17

Swine Educational Session

June 18 @ Turnquist's

Beef Educational Session

June 22 @ Fairgrounds

June Dairy Recipe Contest

June 25

Area Animal Science Days

June 13 (Pierce County) and June 30 (Calumet County)

June Dairy Recipe Contest

July 25

Rabbit Weigh In

June 28

Fair Camping Registration Deadline

June 30

Fair Promo Sign Deadline

June 30

Fair Entry Deadline

July 1

Greenthumb Contest Deadline

July 1

Livestock Agreement & bidder Slips Due

July 7

Cloverbud Camp

July 8-10

Explore WI

July 15-17

Saw Cow Registration Deadline

July 19

Kickball Event

July 26

Fairground Cleanup Day

August 2

Clark County Fair

August 6-10

Livestock Sale

August 9

Chocolate Dessert Recipe Contest

August 9

Carcass Show

August 13

TENTATIVE Swimming Event

August 24

Livestock Banquet

August 27

CLARK COUNTY 4-H LEADERS FEDERATION

May 12, 2025

7 PM – ADS - Greenwood

DRAFT

Attendance - Board: Sheri Jacque, Alan Buchholz, John Brost, Rachel Brost, Nikki Rueth, Lori Hendrickson, Jarrett Rueth, Jillian Rueth, Zach Magnus

Absent - Ella Raatz, Jacob Raatz, Raiden Jacque

Attendance - Other: Seth Harrmann

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

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

Unfinished Business:

Experience Scholarships - One scholarship applicant has been notified that they will not be receiving the scholarship due to unmet requirements. The other scholarship recipient has made a partial payment for their experience. Full Payments are due by July 1st.

College Scholarships - The three applications were reviewed and interviews have been completed. Each youth did a fantastic job. Scholarship awards will be given out at the school awards ceremonies.

Family Fun Day Updates - Kickball will be July 26th. Rachel contacted Bill and he did not book the park. Seth will take care of booking it. The Lions will not be providing a concession stand. Rachel and John will handle this - same as last year.

Swimming Event - A tentative date of Sunday, August 24th from 7-9 PM depending on the availability of lifeguards.

New Business:

Spike Scholarship - Zach just wanted to let board members know that his application/interview for this was based on his 4-H experiences and knowledge he has gained through 4-H.

Senior Awards at the Fair - Seth spoke about this event which will focus on youth who are "graduating" out of 4-H (not high school). Different dates and times were suggested. Having cupcakes/cookies and punch/lemonade available was also discussed. Seth will be working on the details.

Fair Olympics - Zach suggested putting together some type of fun run/obstacle course/olympic type of game for youth to participate in. It was asked to get the word out to clubs and bounce this idea off of members with suggestions for date and time - during fair clean up? Or during the fair? Zach, Seth, and Sierra Bakke will work together on this. Suggestions are to be submitted to Zach.

Goose Chase - Seth commented that he would like to continue this event at the fair as it has had a good turn out.

Family Fall Fun Day - Sheri has contacted Amy Penterman and Dutch Dairy has agreed to host this event again. Seth will be in charge of getting the "educational" portion (displays/booths) together. Sheri will work with Seth and Amy to determine a date aiming for mid-September.

Educator Updates - Seth informed the group that due to federal budget cuts Americorp is no longer operating so the UW will be funding the summer "Positive Youth Development Intern" which is Sierra Bakke. Seth also mentioned that there are new policies coming from the UW.

Next Meeting - Monday, June 9th at 7 PM. Lori will reserve the ADS building.

Jillian made a motion to adjourn with a second from Jarrett.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 PM.

Respectfully Submitted by: Sheri Jacque

Club Leader Reminder!

Get your club registered for the following!

1. Green Thumb Challenge
(by: July 1st– form on Extension website)
1. Saw Cow Contest
(by: July 19th– register online on Fair Website)
1. Fair Promotional Sign
(By: June 30– Send photo to Extension to register, Rules form on Fair Website)

FOOD STAND SIGN UP IS LIVE!

Be sure visit the link below or find the link on Facebook to select your timeslot to work the 4-H Food Stand during the fair!

Slots are First Come First Serve and it is highly encouraged for all families to work at least one shift in the stand.



https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1XwRBIYnla3zhJmlpUFcrqSzPP66nkphQcX0ArX6_sXM/edit?gid=0#gid=0

**MARK YOUR
CALENDARS!**

**FAIR CLEAN UP DATE IS
SATURDAY, AUGUST 2ND!**

**MORE DETAILS TO
COME**

2025 Fair Books have been distributed to Club Leaders. Clubs are responsible for distribution to members/families.

4-H on the Air Schedule for 2025

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

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 SWIMMING EVENT **Tentative**

DATE: SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 2025

TIME: 7:00–9:00 PM

LOCATION: THORP OUTDOOR POOL

MORE INFO TO COME



**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.**

GOAT FITTING CLINIC

JUNE 17TH, 2025
CLARK COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
6:00 PM
RSVP TO EXTENSION BY JUNE 15TH



2025 4-H Summer Youth Quilt Camp

Who: Youth 6th grade and older

Where: Hewitt Village Hall
7688 McLean Dr Hewitt, WI

When: May 12th (5-7 PM)

June 9-12th (9-3PM)

August 5th (9-Noon)

If interested:

See details in April Cloverleaf
or contact Extension for handout



CLARK COUNTY 4-H KICKBALL TOURNAMENT



DATE: JULY 26, 2025

TIME: 9:00 A.M.- DONE

**LOCATION:
WILLARD SOFTBALL DIAMOND**

**No registration necessary
RAIN OR SHINE**

**Questions: Contact-
Rachel & John Brost:
brostcon@gmail.com**

Notice- location change!

FAIR UPDATES!



When going to register for your fair projects— visit the fair Website and you will find a like that looks like the one above for a direct link to Blue Ribbon Fair Online.

Clark County Fair Website!

For all Clark County Fair information please visit their website. You will find information on things such as:

- Blue Ribbon Fair Entry
- Youth Activities
(Little Britches, Little Hoppers, Goat Kids Class)
- 4-H/ FFA Contests (Saw Cow, Fair Sign, etc.)
- All things Fair related will be updated and on this website.

Items on this page are not run by Extension, they are all taken care of by Fair Committee

Contact Information is listed on website

<https://www.clarkcountywi.gov/clark-county-fair>



2025 Fair Camping Registration Form

DEADLINE JUNE 30th, 2025

Registration form is located on the Clark County Fair website

Clark County Dairy Promotions Events at the Clark County Fair

Starting this year, the committee will no longer be accepting mail-in paper entry forms.

Saw Cow
register at:

<http://forms.office.com/r/5rW7jh8Eft>



Little Britches
register at:

<https://forms.office.com/r/DQKUTZnD19>

For more information or questions, contact Sara Fischer



ccdairyproboard@outlook.com



715-654-5223



4-H Fair Cultural Arts Department Captains Needed:

Department (s)

Junior Crops & Soils-
Vegetables & Crops

Junior Flowers & Houseplants

Junior Natural Sciences, Woodworking, Electricity,
Computers, Mechanical Science

Junior Photography

Junior Cultural Arts

Junior Home Furnishings, Child Development, Com-
munications, Youth Leadership, Health/Citizenship

Junior Foods, Preservation, Cake Decorating, etc.,
Clothing, Knitting/Crocheting

Cultural Arts Department Captain Guidelines:

- We are in need of 7 volunteers to help lead each of the departments listed to the left including: check in, judging, and check out at the Clark County Fair!
- If the department captains are at the fair volunteering over lunch or supper, they will receive a free ticket for food.
- Free Week pass into the fair!
- Saturday before fair, required to come help clean and set up area for the fair.
- Required to meet with 4-H/fair office to review guidelines on filling out paperwork on placings, State Fair and Merit Guidelines (Tentatively: meeting will be held Saturday before the fair)
- Required to be at the Fair Tuesday night and Wednesday morning during check in times as well as Wednesday for Judging.
- Required to be in the Cultural Arts building Sunday night to monitor department check out

If you are interested in volunteering, please contact the following people:

Jill Niemann– Cultural Arts Superintendent:
(cell) 715-316-1867

Brittany Lowry– Fairboard: (cell) 715-797-4525

FREE E-RECYCLING COLLECTION

OPEN TO ALL AREA RESIDENTS

Dispose of your electronics safely and responsibly while helping support the State of Wisconsin e-cycle program.

Date: July 12, 2025

Time: 8:00 AM-1:00 PM

Location: Clark County Highway Department
(511 W South St. Loyal WI)

For more information and a detailed list of items accepted/ not accepted Visit:

Clark County extension's website

or contact:

collectionevents@thinkdynamic.com

(608)781-4030

Clark County Fair

2025

Special Drive

What:

A pig show that gives individuals with special needs (ages 8-21) around Clark County the opportunity to show a pig through mentorship with current exhibitors.

When:

Saturday
August 9th
6:00 p.m. meeting
7:00 p.m. show

Where:

Allen Jr. & Marilyn Krause Family
Livestock Building

FAQs:

- Who can participate?
 - Individuals around Clark County with special needs (ages 8-21).
- How much does it cost?
 - The cost to participate is completely free thanks to the generosity of our community.
- What is included in registration?
 - After your child is registered, you will receive a letter with final details and 4 fair passes to assist in getting into the fairgrounds. Participants will receive their shirts the day of the show.
- When is registration due?
 - Registration is due July 1st, with a small window for mail delays, late registration, etc.

Please contact Devani
Hinkelmann at 715-937-1990 or
hmhinkelmann@gmail.com
with questions. We hope to see
you there!

Registration Form





Annual June Dairy Month Recipe Contest

Theme is Mexican Foods

Wednesday, June 25, 2025

The contest is held at Loyal City Hall with registration running 6:30 – 7:15 p.m. and the program starting at 7:30 p.m. This event is sponsored by the **Clark County Dairy Promotion Committee** and the public is invited to participate and/or attend. The past year's winner is the current year's chairperson.

The top 10 winners will take home over \$300 in prizes and all contestants will receive a dairy promotion gift.

Rules and Requirements

1. Any person residing in Clark County may enter.
2. The recipe must include at least two generous portions of dairy products.
3. Entries must be made primarily from scratch. It can have a pre-packaged item as a minor ingredient, but not as the main component.
4. **Circle** the **dairy products** on your recipe. Remember eggs, cool whip, and margarine are not dairy products.
5. Recipes must be typed or neatly written. Give complete directions, state use of utensils necessary, and include approximate number of servings.
1. The name, address, and telephone number of the contestant should **NOT** be on the recipe. When entries are received at the contest a number will be assigned so the recipe and product are judged without a name.
1. Contestants must enter a dish made by themselves and must be present for entire program. No exceptions.
2. All recipes become Clark County Dairy Promotion Committee property and will not be returned. The committee also reserves the right to publicize any recipe entered.
3. The entries will be judged on flavor, use of dairy products, clear directions, appearance, and uniqueness.
4. The top winning person will be the contest chairperson for the following year and will choose the category. The category is a type of food (bars, soup, cake, breakfast bake, etc.). A category is NOT a specific ingredient.



Chocolate Dessert Recipe Contest

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**Saturday, August 9th at
10:00 am.**

**Clark County Fairgrounds,
Fine Arts Building**

**Pre-registration is required
and limited to the first 20
entries in each division (youth
and adult).**

**The deadline to register is
August 1st.**

**Contact UW-Extension Office
to Register:
715-743-5121**

Cloverbud
Counselors



Seeking Cloverbud Camp Counselors

DUE: June 15, 2025

Open to youth that have completed
Grades 6-13

**Applications Due June 15, 2025
(midnight)**

Camp Dates: July 8-10, 2025
Open to Grades 6-13

Go over rules and Expectations:

First Training: Wednesday, June 18, 2025
Via Zoom starting at 6:30- 7:30 p.m.

Review Schedules:

Second Training: Monday, June 30, 2025
Via Zoom starting at 6:30- 7:30 p.m.

Camp counselors **MUST** participate in camp
counselor training.

Applicants will be determined upon
application review.

Apply here:



Cloverbud Day Camp

July 8-10th

Kindergarten- 2nd Grade

- 8th @ Sunset Pines, Willard
- 9th @ Wells Farm, Owen
- 10th @ Fannies Supper Club, Neillsville

Registration Closes

June 15th

Register on 4-H Online





Livestock News

- 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.

Weigh-in Dates

Rabbit Weigh-in: 6/28/25
11:00AM-1:00 PM @ ADS

POULTRY PROJECT:

Keep an eye out for emails and Facebook posts on dates for pullorum Testing

- **Livestock Agreement & Bidder Slips Due: 7/7/25**
- **Livestock Sale: 8/9/25**
- **Carcass Show: 8/13/25**
(Pinter's Processing, Dorchester: 6:30, 7:00, & 8:00)
- **Livestock Banquet: 8/27/25 (Fairgrounds: 7:30PM)**

Educational Events

- ⇒ **Beef Educational Event: 6/22/25**
2:00 PM
Fairgrounds
- ⇒ **Poultry– July TBD- (Showmanship)**
- ⇒ **Sheep–6/17/25**
7:00 PM
Fairgrounds
Topic– Showing Sheep
(bring your lambs for hands on experience)
- ⇒ **Goats– 6/17/25**
6:00 PM
Fairgrounds
Topic: Fitting
- ⇒ **Swine– 6/18/25**
7:00 PM
Turnquist Farm



VIRTUAL PROGRAMS AVAILABLE: Youth must complete a Livestock Verification form found on extension website if completing a virtual program

Its Fair Time!

Fair Weigh In

Tuesday 8/5

- 2-5PM Swine
 - 3-8PM Beef
- Wednesday 8/6
- 8-3PM Poultry
 - 12-2PM Sheep & Goats
 - 3-6PM Rabbits

Show Schedule

Wednesday

- 9 AM– Swine

Thursday

- 8AM– Beef
- 8:30AM– Goats
- 12:30PM– Sheep

Friday

- Time TBD– Poultry

Saturday

- 8AM– Rabbits

Livestock Sale

Saturday

2:00 PM

Sale Order will be posted by Friday at 3:30 PM

Fair Pen/Stall set up:

- 7/30 @ 6:00 PM
- 8/10 Sheep pen take down
- 8/11@ 6:00 PM Swine & Beef take down

Project Contacts:

Project details– Species chair or ag teacher

Sale Booklet– Lori Hendrickson

Educational pts tracking– Extension Office

General Livestock– Livestock committee

County Fair– Christine Garbisch

June 2025

1	2	3 Dog Class 6:30	4	5	6	7
8	9 Leaders Federation meeting Quilt Camp	10 Dog Class 6:30 Quilt Camp	11 Quilt Camp Outpost/Base Camp	12 Quilt Camp	13 Pierce County Area Animal Science Days	14
15 Cloverbud Camp Counselor Apps Due	16 Fairboard Meeting Summer Academy	17 Goat Fitting Clinic Sheep Showing Clinic Dog Class 6:30	18 Swine Ed. Session	19	20 American Spirit	21 Experience
22 Beef Ed. Session	23	24 Dog Class 6:30 American Spirit Experience	25 June Dairy Recipe Contest	26	27	28 Rabbit Weigh In
29	30 Animal Science Days Fair Promo Sign Reg Due Fair Camping Red. Due					

July 2025

		1 Dog Class 6:30 Greenthumb Reg Due	2	3	4 Extension Office Closed- 4th of July	5
6	7 Livestock Agreement & Bidder Slips Due	8 Dog class 6:30 Cloverbud Day Camp	9	10	11	12
13	14 Leaders Federation Meeting	15 Dog Class 6:30 Clark County Explore WI	16	17	18	19
20	21 Fairboard Meeting	22 Dog Class 6:30	23	24	25	26 4-H Kickball Event
27	28	29 Dog Class 6:30	30	31		

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August 2025

					1	2 Fair Clean up Day
3	4	5 Dog Class 6:30 Quilt Camp	6	7	8 Clark County Fair	9 Livestock Sale Choco. Dessert Contest
10	11 Leaders Federation Meeting	12	13 Carcass Show	14	15	16
17	18 Fair board Meeting	19	20	21	22	23
24 *Tentative^ Swimming Event	25	26	27 Livestock Banquet	28	29	30
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September 2025

	1 Extension Office Closed- Labor Day	2 AFR Due to Extension	3	4	5	6
7	8 Leaders Federation Meeting	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 Fair board Meeting	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

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