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Jackson County 4-H Newsletter

July 2019—September 2019

Dear 4-H Families and Friends:

We had the Jackson County 4-H Summer Camp this week! The Camp Counselors and Counselors in Training selected the theme this year and the theme was: Shipwrecked in the West. We will offered activities such as: swimming, nature hike, tubing/canoeing, lassoing, butter making, ship engineering, architecture, and so much more! We can't wait to have our campers share what they learned with others—hopefully at the fair!

Speaking of the fair—It is almost FAIR TIME everyone! I hope you are all working diligently on your fair projects, learning new things in the process, and gaining new experiences through your project work! I am very excited to see all of the work that you have put into your projects, to hear about how you made your projects, or to hear about how you care for your animals! Please be sure to take some time this summer to participate in the Summer of Science events that our summer intern, Cami Subra, is putting on this summer! They are some truly fun, creative, and amazing projects and activities! Maybe you'll even find an event at the Summer of Science events that you can utilize at the fair!

While your fair projects and 4-H is in the front of your mind, don't forget to start working on (if you haven't already) your 4-H Record Books as they are due to the Extension office on September 1st. Please note that we have multiple options for Record Book formats AND that your club leader may require Record Books to be due at an earlier time.

Yours in continued partnership, Sarah Tanis (Hoffman)

Jackson County Fair takes place July 31st through August 4th!

For more information check out the fair website at <u>www.jacksoncountyfairpark.com</u>

An EEO/AA employer, University of Wisconsin Extension provides equal opportunities in employment and programming, including Title IX and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) requirements. The 4-H Flyer is a publication of the Jackson County UW-Extension Office. Please advise us at the time of registration if you have a disability and desire special accommodations. Requests are kept confidential. University of Wisconsin, United States Department of Agriculture and Wisconsin Counties Cooperating. UW-Extension provides equal opportunities in employment and programming, including Title IX and ADA requirements.

CALENDAR



Day	Time	Event Title	Location	
JULY				
9-11	Starts at 12 PM	Jackson County 4-H Camp	Lost Falls Campground, Black River Falls	
10	7:00 PM	Cost of Production Workshop	Black River Falls High School	
10	7:00 PM	Livestock Auction Committee Meeting	Contact the Committee for location.	
13	11:00 AM	Goat Basics Clinic	Bluffview Acres Farm, N13009 Bluffview Rd, Osseo	
14	10:30 AM—1:00 PM	Dairy Project Fitting & Showmanship Clinic	Jackson County Fairgrounds, Black River Falls	
15	5:30 PM	Jackson County Parent and Leaders Association Meeting	Jackson County Extension Office	
15	8:00 AM—4:00 PM	4-H Cloverbud Camp	Lost Falls Campground, Black River Falls	
15	4:30 PM	YQCA Deadline	Needs to be emailed to Julie Peterson at ju- lie.peterson@co.jackson.wi.us	
24	4:00 PM	Fair Clean-up	Jackson County Fairgrounds, Black River Falls	
31- Aug 4	All Day	Jackson County Fair	Jackson County Fairgrounds, Black River Falls	
AUGUST				
5	5:00 PM	After Fair Clean-up	Jackson County Fairgrounds - Livestock Barn & Goat Barn	
9-11	All Day	State 4-H Dog Obedience and Showmanship Show	Rock County Fairgrounds in Janesville, WI	
15	TBD	Volunteer In Preparation (VIP) Training	Email Sarah Tanis to schedule a time for the training if you are interested.	
19	5:30 PM	Jackson County Parent and Leaders Association Meeting	Jackson County Extension Office	
19	7:00 PM	Carcass Awards Program	Black River Falls High School	
25	4:30 PM	Deadline to get Recipes to the Parent and Leaders Board	Email the board your recipe(s) at <u>JC4Hcookbook@gmail.com</u>	
SEPTEMBER				
1	4:30 PM	Deadline for Record Books	Needs to be submitted to Extension Office. Please note that your club/club leader may have an earlier deadline.	
11	7:00 PM	Livestock Auction Committee Meeting	Contact the Committee for location.	
13	4:30 PM	Deadline for Award Materials	Needs to be completed online	
16	5:30 PM	Jackson County Parent and Leaders Association Meeting	Jackson County Extension Office	

Send Us Your Club News!

Club Reporters, and others, please send us your photos and club news to share in each quarterly newsletter. The next newsletter deadline is September 21st.

Email photos, news, and club minutes to Sarah Tanis at sarah.tanis@wisc.edu

CLUB/PROJECT NEWS



Melrose Satellites



In April the Melrose 4-H club did roadside cleanup. It is very important that people clean up trash that is anywhere on the ground. We need to keep our Earth clean. Reduce, Reuse, Recycle!

In May we decorated the Melrose Legion Hall window. We used cartons and containers of dairy products to make the window. In June the club had ice cream sundaes and discussed what the 4th of July float would look like. Also, we are getting ready for the Jackson County Fair.

Paige Spors-4H Reporter

Area Animal Science Days Competition

Ten members of the Jackson County Livestock Team competed at AASD on June 18th at St. Croix Falls in Polk County. Our junior team placed second with Jake Kling placing 4th individually, Brenna Thorson was 7th and JJ Helstad was 9th.

Wyatt Berg was our lone senior competitor and he placed 9th as an individual.

Additional members of the junior team were: Morgan Berg, Justin Kling, Jack Laufenberg, Alyssa Lindow, Morgan Lindow and Colby Sampson.

The Junior Team (Consisting of Jake Kling, Brenna Thorson, JJ Helstra, and Morgan Lindow) have been invited to the 4-H State Livestock Judging Contest being held on Monday, July 29 at the Stock Pavilion in Madison, WI. This is a huge capstone event and these youth did a wonderful job of getting to this point! If you see them congratulate them!





Space Camp

321 blast off! I had a blast at this year's Wisconsin 4H space camp in Huntsville Alabama. I had the opportunity to go to space camp with around 260 other 4Hers in April. My favorite things about space camp were I got to travel without my family, I made new friends, and I learned more about space.

I learned that each mission has its own badge design. I also learned that monkeys were the first living thing that the US put in space. Astronauts also had to stay in a camper for 2 weeks because people thought they had moon germs. Reasons why you should consider going to space camp or one of the many other travel opportunities 4H has to offer is you learn to be independent, you make new friends, and it's a way for you to explore the world and not be on a phone.

Thank you for the parent and leaders support in my attending. I look forward to more kids going, maybe being a counselor for the camp in the future and other travel opportunities that 4H offers.

-Claire Carriere, 2019 4-H Space Camp Participant

4-H has a lot to offer—including in-state and out of state trips that are amazing experiences and learning opportunities for youth! If you would like to know more check out our website here: <u>https://jackson.extension.wisc.edu/4-h/for-members-andparents/youth-travel-opportunities/</u> OR better yet, reach out and talk to Claire about her trip!





ANNOUNCEMENTS



Science Kits Available to Check Out

If you are looking for a STEM focused activity for your club meeting or group, there are Science kits available to check out at the Extension Office! 4-H works to connect young people from around the world in an exciting, interactive learning experience in the form of a science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) challenge.

The 2018 kit is called 'Code Your World' and the focus is on computer programming. If you've ever wondered how computer programming works (at the basic level), this year's NYSD

challenge is for you! There are four different activities and generally are geared more for teens, but the activities could be adjusted to work with a variety of ages. Only one of the four activities involves using a computer.

Contact Sarah at the Extension Office if your group is interested in checking out kitsor if you would like to see a county event with this event!

UW-Extension Merger

UW-Extension has now merged with UW-Madison! What does that mean for you? One change is that the Jackson County UW-Extension Office will now be referred to as "Extension Jackson County" and you will see a new logo associated with Extension slowly being rolled out. Also, please take note that the Extension office employees email addresses have now changed as well (with the exception of Julie Peterson). Instead of the 'ces.uwex.edu' at the end of our emails it is now 'wisc.edu'.

We will keep you posted of any other changes throughout this process!

WI 4-H & Youth Conference

Last week we had three Jackson County 4-H Youth attend the WI 4-H & Youth

Conference in Madison, Wisconsin. The youth participated in different sessions of their choice, practice leadership skills, watch on-stage performances, practice



community service, and met 4-Hers from across the

state. Junior Smith, Sierra McFarlane, and Chloe McFarlane were the three delegates from Jackson County that attended! Ask them about their experience if you see them!

A little more information about WI 4-H & Youth Conference:

Wisconsin 4-H & Youth Conference is a three and a half day Statewide Educational Experience. Youth from all over Wisconsin come to Madison, Wisconsin for educational seminars, assemblies, speakers, exploration, and fun on the UW-Madison campus! Youth Conference is made possible by contributions from our State Teams (Wisconsin

Leadership Council, Drama Company, Art Team, and Communications team), 4-H staff from across the state, and a planning committee made up of staff, volunteers, and youth. Below you will find highlights of the different parts of Youth Conference that come together to make it a wonderful Educational Experience.

4-H Parent and Leaders Board has a new Email!

The Parent and Leaders Association now has a new email that they can be directly reached at. The new email address is jacksonleadersboard@gmail.com Please take note of this as you will be receiving some emails from this address related to the board instead of through the 4-H Program Coordinator.

4-H Enrollment forms now Available in Spanish!

We now have the Spanish translation of the 4-H enrollment forms for adults and youth available now! If you are in need of a 4-H enrollment form in Spanish, please reach out to Sarah Tanis at sarah.tanis@wisc.edu and she can get you a copy of the form.



Jackson County 4-H Extension Website

We just re-vamped the 4-H website in hopes to make it more user friendly! You will find that if you click on the '4-H' page and scroll down ALL of the pages are linked there and you can see what is on the entire 4-H website. Just click on what you are interested in and it will take you to that page!

Also, you will now find ALL of the forms and applications located on the 'Forms and Applications' page. There are brief explanations of what the forms are , the date they were last updated, and a link to get to the form.

If there is anything missing from the website, you have questions, or you have comments please reach out to the 4-H Program Coordinator, Sarah Tanis. This website is for YOU to utilize and we want to make sure that it is user friendly!

Check it out here and see all that we have to offer: https:// trempealeau.extension.wisc.edu/4hyd/

Watch your Chicks and Chickens!

This year has been terrible for gnats. Please watch your chicks and chickens that are not free range. The black gnats are extremely bad this year, and birds can not get away from them because they are caged, you will need to use netting the gnats cannot get through, or some sort of bug spray/ repellent to keep them at bay or they will swarm your chickens and bleed them out.

Some other suggestions that may help:

- Put some apple cider vinegar in the drinking water as this is supposed to help
- Using a spray of lemon grass essential oil in water to lightly mist the area and chickens with. It works well to keep the bugs away.



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Recipes are Needed for Jackson County 4-H Cookbook!

As one of our fundraisers, 4-H Parents and Leaders Board will be creating and selling a cookbook! The cookbook will be a professionally printed soft cover/spiral bound book.

That's where you come in – current 4-H Members, alumni and their family will contribute all of the recipes! <u>If every 4-H family</u> <u>can send us ONE recipe we will have a complete book!</u>

We are looking at an August deadline to have production completed in time for December delivery.

If there is something special you want included (Best of Show at Fair or Great Grandma's Banana Bread), please indicate that when you submit your recipes and we will do our best. Please submit recipes via email to <u>JC4Hcookbook@gmail.com</u> or drop them off at the extension off labeled "cookbook."

For more information about this fundraiser check out the website here: <u>https://jackson.extension.wisc.edu/4-h/about-4-h/4-h-youth</u>_<u>-development-4-h-parents-and-leaders-association/fundraisers/</u>

If you have any questions, feel free to contact <u>JC4Hcookbook@gmail.com</u> for more details.

Teens Needed for Cloverbud Judging at the Fair

4-H teens are needed to judge Cloverbud projects. Cloverbud judging takes place Thursday at 11:00 AM in the Milt Lunda Memorial Arena.

Judges are asked to arrive 15 minutes early to go over I nstructions. Cloverbud judging is a fun way for older 4-H members to give back to 4-H by sharing their knowledge with Cloverbuds. If you are interested in helping judge Cloverbud entries in the fair please contact the 4-H Program Coordinator via email at <u>sarah.tanis@wisc.edu</u>

Mark Your Calendars for Fall Forum 2019!

Fall Forum is an opportunity for youth and adult leaders to attend the statewide training weekend with county and state staff. Planned by a team of youth and adult volunteers from the Wisconsin 4-H Leaders Council with the support of county and state staff; we hope you will promote to youth and adult leaders in your county!

Fall Forum takes place on November 1-3, 2019! We would LOVE to take a large delegation to the forum this year to help our youth gain valuable leadership skills!

Youth in grades 7-13 can attend as well as adult volunteer leaders! If you have any questions please reach out to the 4-H Program Coordinator or check out the website here: <u>https:// fyi.extension.wisc.edu/wi4hvolunteers/2019-fall-forum/</u>



Becoming a 4-H Volunteer

4-H Volunteers are valued partners in working with our youth and help make 4-H possible. In order to volunteer, previous 4-H Youth Development experience is not necessary. The most important qualification is a desire to work with young people and help them grow through educational experiences and gain positive life skills. Please consider sharing your time and talents! Adult volunteers working together with youth make a difference in the lives of young people.

Volunteers work with UW-Extension professionals to develop the life skills of youth members, thus benefiting the state, employers, and the economy. Volunteers extend the resources of UW-Extension as they work with staff to deliver educational programs. Volunteering is a privilege. How does one become a volunteer? If you have not already done so, go to Wisconsin 4HOnline and create a family profile.

If your family is already in the system, do not create a new family profile, just make sure you are entered into your family account and check that you want to be a 4-H volunteer. Then sign-up to take the Online Mandated Reporter Training for 4-H Volunteers. After signing up for the Online Mandated Reporter Training call the Jackson County UW-Extension office at 715-284-4257 or email <u>sarah.tanis@wisc.edu</u> to set a time for your Volunteer In Preparation (VIP) training. Once you've completed your Online Mandatory Reporter training and VIP training, a background check will be conducted on you by the state and you will be contacted by GIS through e-mail requesting additional information needed in order for the state to conduct the background check.

Issues in 4-H & the Care to Share Form

Sometimes issues or concerns come up in Jackson County 4- H. That's why we have the Care to Share form.

Care to Share (located at https://

jackson.extension.wisc.edu/4-h/for-members-and-parents/ forms-and-applications/) offers Jackson County 4- Hers to describe the issue, explain why it's a problem, suggest a solution and submit it for consideration. All completed forms must include a possible solution AND a member, leader or parent signature. Forms are submitted to the Jackson County Extension Office who then forwards it to the appropriate group or committee for consideration.

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Record Books

We are excited that Record Books are right around the corner! We have many options on how to make a 4-H record book, so choose what fits your style to share what your 4-H story has been over the course of this past year.

We recognize that there are different ways that youth like to do things and that there are different ways to put together a Record Book that will best represent the youth and their experience in the 4-H program that year. Also, it should be noted that you can still do the 'Traditional Record Book' as well if you'd like to—that option has not gone away!

Check out information on Jackson County Record Books on our website here: <u>https://jackson.extension.wisc.edu/4-h/for-</u><u>members-and-parents/record-book/</u>

4-H Awards

Recognition is important and we want to be sure that our youth, parents, and volunteers are being recognized and thanked for all of the amazing work that they do! In order to provide that recognition we host the annual 4-H Achievement Celebration at the end of October, or beginning of November. To figure out the awards for the banquet, we gather information from club leaders and 4-Hers!



All award materials are emailed, and mailed if requested, to the 4-H Club leaders in the beginning of August. Starting in 2019, we have moved the awards materials online.

Club leaders are tasked with ensuring that all awards material is completed and submitted to the Jackson County Extension office by Friday, September 13, 2019!

- Club Leaders complete THIS survey
- Youth, Parents, and Leaders please complete <u>THIS</u> survey in order to submit nominations for the following awards:
 - Achievement Award
 - Friend of 4-H Award
 - Distinguished Service Award
- YOUTH who would like to apply for the 4-H Key Award please must be in 9th grade or higher and must have completed at least 3 years of 4-H and one year of youth leadership.
 - Jackson County Key Award recipient selection is based on (1) a resume of accomplishments within 4- H and in the community, (2) a cover letter explaining clearly why the youth feels they are a strong candidate for the Key Award, and (3) a formal interview.
 - Interested youth should submit their resume and cover letter to the Extension Office by September 13, 2019.

For more information about 4-H Awards please check out the 'Forms and Applications' page on the following website: <u>https://jackson.extension.wisc.edu/4-h/for-members-and</u> <u>-parents/forms-and-applications/</u>

FAIR ANNOUNCEMENTS

Wisconsin Waiver for Pullorum Testing for Poultry at Fair: Update

The law requiring pullorum testing for "persons who use poultry

or farm-raised game birds or their eggs for breeding or hatching or for the exhibition at a fair or livestock exhibition" has been waived as of April 22, 2019. The waiver will remain until it is determined that pullorum antigen is sufficiently available. It is unclear when that date may be.



All 4-H members received an email about poultry testing a few weeks ago, this is an update since that email. This update is from the State of Wisconsin.

<u>What this means</u>: Poultry can be shown at the fair without testing this year—at least until new antigen becomes available. Notification will be sent if more antigen has become available and if it is needed to be shown at fair this year.



Fair Clean-up Reminder

Fair clean-up is our chance to help the Fair Board get ready for the Jackson County Fair and to make it a great experience for all!

Be sure to save the date—July 24th starting at 4 PM. Meet at the fairgrounds and be prepared to help!

If you have fair related questions:

The fair is put on by the Fair Board who is comprised of Jackson County Agricultural Society members. If you have fair related questions, including Fair Entry questions, you can reach out to Fair Board directly through:

- Vanessa Ponterio at 715-299-4137
- Fairgrounds at 715-299-4558
- OR via email at jackson.county.fair1@gmail.com
- OR check out the Fair Book for details
- OR check out the Jackson County Fair website at <u>www.jacksoncountyfairpark.com</u>

Fair Dates:

The Jackson County Fair starts on Tuesday, July 30th and goes until Sunday, August 4th.

Food Stand Shifts

An email will be going out on Tuesday, July 15th for ALL 4-H families to sign up to help! Talk with your club leader to see if they are signing your club up for shifts, or if you sign up Individually.

UPCOMING EVENTS

State 4-H Plant Science Day

A fun way to learn about Horticulture Science, the State 4-H Plant Science Day will be held on Tuesday, July 19, at the Waushara County Fairgrounds in Wautoma.

Youth in grades 3-13 can test their knowledge about plants while learning how to judge and identify a wide variety of plant specimens. Youth can also compete in photography, speaking, poster, and floral arranging contests. For study guide information and to prepare for the contests, see the National Junior Horticultural Association website at http://www.njha.org/. For additional information, contact Chuck Prissel at 715-485- 8600 or charles.prissel@wisc.edu

The contests will be held in the morning and an educational workshop in the afternoon, concluding with contest results. The event begins with registration at 9:30 a.m. and ends at 2:00 p.m. Registration is \$10.00, which includes all materials, handouts, and lunch. Walk-ins are welcome, but pre-registration is preferred for lunch and material count.

Send no money now, but fill out the registration form and mail to: State 4-H Plant Science Day, Polk County Extension Office, 100 Polk Plaza Suite 190, Balsam Lake, WI 54810. If participants require special assistance or have special needs, please call 715-485-8600



La Crosse County 4-H Horse Project Champ Show

The La Crosse County 4-H Horse Project is proud to sponsor and welcome you to the 4-H Champ Show!

This show is open state-wide to 4-H horse project members who have received a 1st or a 2nd in qualifying classes at their county fair. The purpose of the 4-H Champ Show is to provide opportunities for horse project members to grow in their project. The goals of this show are to provide a positive atmosphere of learning and camaraderie; build members' self-confidence; allow members to demonstrate their skills; while focusing on safety and good sportsmanship.

Please mark your calendars for August 31, at the La Crosse Interstate Fairgrounds. Entries must be postmarked within 7 days of the qualifying show and sent in ONE package per county.

If you have any questions about this event please contact the La Crosse County Extension Office at 608-785-9593 or via email at lacrossecounty4h@lacrossecounty.org



Summer Camp at Upham Woods

Summer is fast approaching and our Open Enrollment Summer Camp registration for Summer Camp at Upham Woods is still open! This summer we are offering two 7 day sessions and two 4 day sessions. Open Enrollment is open to all youth campers ages 8-13 as participants, and 14-18 may attend

as counselors.

Adults over the age of 18 are welcome to volunteer with their child, 4-H club, or youth group. Volunteers who attend our Open Enrollment sessions do so at no cost. Join us this summer for hikes on Blackhawk Island, some fun on the river, summer camp traditions, and a chance to meet our animals!

Session Dates Rates \$395 Session 1 July 7-13, 2019 July 14-20, 2019 \$395 Session 2 July 21-24, 2019 \$225 Session 3 August 4-6, 2019 \$168 Session 4 \$225 Session 5 August 7-10, 2019

Check out our website for more information!

State 4-H Dog Project Information

State 4-H Dog Agility Show:

- The 2019 State 4-H Dog Agility Show is being hosted by Dane County at the Canine Sports Zone in Middleton, WI on August 17, 2019.
- Please visit <u>http://fyi.uwex.edu/wi4haganimalscience/</u> <u>state-4-h-agility-show/</u> for more information.

State 4-H Dog Obedience and Showmanship Show :

- The State 4-H Dog Obedience and Showmanship Show is being hosted by Rock County on August 9-11, 2019 at the Rock County Fairgrounds in Janesville WI.
- Please visit: <u>https://fyi.extension.wisc.edu/ wi4hagani-malscience/state-4-h-dog-show/</u> for more information.



4-H Agility Fun Match

This event will take place on Saturday, July 13, 2019 at Smarty Paws Agility (4175 123rd Street, Chippewa Falls, WI 54719). Judging starts at 10:00 AM. Advanced entries close on July 7th and are \$5.00/class. Day of show entries close on July 13th at 9:30 AM and are \$10.00/class.

Quick facts about the 4-H agility fun match:

- Show facility has turf floor and all approved AKC Equipment
- All 4-H classes will follow 4-H Wisconsin State Agility guidelines
- Novice class will follow AKC rules
- Dogs must have crate.
- Please bring lawn chairs
- Food will be available on site.
- Match chairman: Sandy Miller, 715-233-3074
- Proof of current Rabies shots must accompany ALL entries. No dogs allowed without!

For more information, including payment details and the entry form, go to the website here: <u>https://</u>

trempealeau.extension.wisc.edu/2019/07/02/dog-project-northwest-4 _h-agility-fun-match/

UPCOMING EVENTS





Summer of Science

We're bringing back the SUMMER OF SCIENCE this year! Join us every week for STEM related activities and events. Get your lab coats ready because it's going to be epic.

MAD SCIENCE MONDAYS

Try some exciting new experiments! No cost to attend. Open to both 4-H and community youth. Check out the upcoming events at Mad Science Mondays:

- Fizzy Explosions on July 1 at 6:00 PM Extension Office
- Bubble Fun on July 8 at 6:00 PM Park by the Chamber of Commerce
- Soda Science on July 15 at 6:00 PM Extension Office
- Electronic Fruit on July 22 at 6:00 PM BRF Public Library
 - Cake Chemistry on July 29 at 6:00 PM Extension Office
 - Slime! on August 5 at 6:00 PM Location TBD

CLUB TECH DAYS

Practice you engineering at one of our Club Tech day camps! Invent with cool electronics and robots like littleBits and Ozobots. Students in 3rd-5th grade have camp on July 23rd, 6th grade and up have it on July 24th, both from 8:00 AM to 4:00PM at the Extension Office. Registration is required and the cost is \$10 for 4-H members and \$15 for non-4-H members.

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER: Visit the Summer of Science page on the Extension Jackson County site at https://jackson.extension.wisc.edu/4-h/how-to-get-involved/4-h-county-programs/summer-of-science/ or call 715-284-4257 ext. 500

Goat Basics Clinic

The Goat Project is holding a Goat Basics Clinic on July 13th at 11 AM at the Bluffview Acres Farm (N13009 Bluffview Rd.) in Osseo.



The speaker will be Jacqueline Malisheski and she will be discussing how to get your goat ready for the fair. She is a past 4-Her who has shown goats both as a 4-Her and in many open class shows!

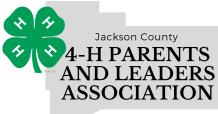
Dairy Project Fitting & Showmanship Clinic

Katie Coyne, a Dairy Youth Educational Advocate and Showmanship coach will be providing this exceptional educational opportunity! The event takes place on July 14th from 10:30 AM—1:30 PM at the Jackson County Fairgrounds. The schedule for the clinic will be the following:

- 10:30 AM—Registration
- 10:45 AM—Washing Demonstration*
- 11:15 AM—Showmanship Demonstration
- 11:30 AM—Hands on Showmanship with Individual Coaching
- 12:30 PM—Fitting Demonstration*

*Please bring your fair calf.

If you need a trailer ride within Jackson County please contact Megan Stuessel at 715-299-6699 or via email at <u>meganstues-sel@yahoo.com</u>. For the poster of the event and the letter from the dairy project about the event please check out our website here: <u>https://jackson.extension.wisc.edu/events/dairy-project-fitting-showmanship-clinic/</u>



4-H Parent and Leaders Board Meetings

Representatives from each 4-H Club are needed at <u>monthly</u> Parents & Leaders Association Executive Board meetings. The Board meets on the 3rd Monday of every month at 5:30 PM at the Extension office. Representation is important to ensure that business can be taken care of and so information can travel back and forth between clubs and the Board. Youth and adult representatives welcome!

For more information about the 4-H Parent and Leaders Board, and to see what the main topics are for the upcoming meetings, check out the website here:

https://jackson.extension.wisc.edu/4-h/about-4-h/4-h-youth-development-4-h-parents-and-leaders-association/

GET CONNECTED

We want you to stay connected to the 4-H program and to know what is going on! Here is how you can do that:

JACKSON COUNTY EXTENSION ON FACEBOOK

We have a Facebook page were we post updates, upcoming events, deadline reminders, and also pictures! This is a great resource for you to utilize if you are already using social media!

Follow the Jackson County Extension office on Facebook at Extension Jackson County @extension.jacksoncounty

NEW 4-H FAMILIES WEBSITE

We are very excited to announce that we have a website for new 4-H families! This is a way we are hoping to help new 4-H families adjust to 4-H wording, events, and projects that we do!



4-H can be a lot to take in, so let us help you as best we can! If there is something that you think should be added to the new family website, please let us know and we'll be

sure to include it!

The website can be found here: <u>https://jackson.extension.wisc.edu/4-h/about-4</u> _<u>h/new-4-h-families/</u>



JACKSON COUNTY 4-H EVENTS CALENDAR

We now have a 4-H calendar up on our website that will also be home to all of the upcoming 4-H events and deadlines!

Check out what we have going on and stay up-to-date! We will post all 4-H events and deadlines on here so you have a place to see live up-dates!

Link to the calendar: <u>https://jackson.extension.wisc.edu/4-h/current-news/4-h-events-calendar/</u>

REMIND TEXT MESSAGES

If you would like to receive text reminders about upcoming 4-H programs, activities, and deadlines the class we have available is called: JC4H – All (Class Code: jc4hall).



Make sure to check with your club, project or other group leader about whether they will be starting a "class." Or you might be more comfortable with the technology and could consider volunteering to take the lead.



4-H Club and Project Leaders

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Thank you for your involvement in the Jackson County 4-H Program! Please note that this newsletter gets emailed out quarterly and is a great reference guide for all things 4-H in Jackson County, at the state level, and sometimes at the national level!

Have a question? Contact the 4-H Program Coordinator for Jackson and Trempealeau Counties—Sarah Tanis at sarah.tanis@wisc.edu

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