

# Clover Flyer Dispatch

JACKSON AND TREMPEALEAU COUNTIES 4-H NEWSLETTER



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Hello Everyone!

This month I have another addition to the newsletter. Each month check out the Exploring 4-H New Families Newsletter! This will be the 2-3 pages of the newsletter and it will feature an adult page and a youth page. Topics will range from the 4-H Pledge to goal setting and everything in-between. These pages are for everyone so check them out and let me know what you think! These were created by Heidi Benson and Ben Hoppe to help new families learn more about 4-H's structure and introduce them to some of the slang we use.

Do you have something you want to add to the newsletter? Have your article typed and sent to me by the 15th of every month!

Best Wishes,

*Andrea Rippley*



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## What does 4-H stand for?

**Head, heart, hands, and health** represent the 4 H's. Each meeting begins with a recitation of pledges, including the **4-H Pledge**. While the 4-H pledge has a very direct meaning for our 4-H clubs and members, there are additional ways that adults can apply the pledge before, during, and after club meetings and events.

### I pledge

#### My head to clearer thinking

It's normal for youth to have questions or be unsure about things. Give your youth the information you can to help them plan, organize, make wise decisions, and problem solve. It will encourage your child to think critically and use this knowledge throughout life.



HEAD



HEART

#### My heart to greater loyalty

Success is awesome. Some failure is inevitable. Both help youth develop strong personal values and a positive self-concept. Encourage and support all youth, especially your own, to have empathy and concern for others. Show your child, by example, how to cooperate and communicate with those around them.

#### My hands to larger service

When you help your family's club, you model volunteerism, community service, and inclusiveness to your youth. If you don't have the time to be a volunteer, you can help in many equally important ways. If you do want to learn more about volunteering, contact the Extension Office!



HANDS



HEALTH

#### My health to better living

In addition to keeping youth physically healthy—body and mind—it is important we provide them the skills to make healthy decisions and to lead healthy lifestyles. You can help create safe spaces to support youth learning and character development.

**for my club, my community, my country, and my world.**

4-H does not happen without supportive adults serving as positive role models. Stay involved as a family/caregiver as best as you can; it makes the experience much richer for everyone. The more involved our 4-H members are, the more impactful they are upon the world around them.





I pledge

**My head** to clearer thinking,

**My heart** to greater loyalty,

**My hands** to larger service, and

**My health** to better living

for my club, my community, my country, and my world.

## The 4-H Pledge

4-H meetings start with pledges, including the 4-H Pledge. In each leaf of the clover below, write what each “H” might mean for you!

I would like to learn...



My hobbies...



We could help our community by...



Just for fun we could...



## What does the 4-H Pledge mean to you?

*Adapted from “Design Your Own Clover,” Dr. Darlene Z. Millard, University of Arkansas Cooperative Extension, by Ben Hoppe, Brown County 4-H Program Educator, UW-Madison Division of Extension.*

*Exploring 4-H for New Families is developed by Heidi Vanderloop Benson, Chippewa County 4-H Program Educator and Ben Hoppe, Brown County 4-H Program Educator, UW-Madison Division of Extension.*

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## Virtual County Meetings:

Join us for a Sunday full of Science! Tom and Liz from the Bio Tech Center in Madison are with us for more great programs! Register for the meetings in advance at the links below! This program will end in May and start back up in Fall again so don't miss out on a great Science program!

**April 18th 6pm-DNA Necklace registration deadline April 9th**

<https://uwmadison.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJYuf-GsrzlvHtWemOZPiMBRpQvEb8TMd5oL>

**May 23rd 6 pm-The Paradox of the DNA Tube registration deadline May 7th**

<https://uwmadison.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJMvdOGrrzsiHNNHvBox4gr9qsnijP6TDJ7Gu>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

## Clover College Project Boxes:

Did you miss the last project box session? Here is your chance to try them again! Registration is available on 4-H Online this time. When you log in select the youth you want to register and then select Events from the side bar. Clover College Project Boxes should be there! If you are having trouble please let me know! This is the first time using this form of registration so please let me know if you have trouble. The registration deadline is **April 30th**.

Projects will be \$5 each and you have a choice between:

- Mighty Wallet
- Corn Plastic
- Tackling Tackle



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- Bristle Bots
- Homemade Sketchbook
- Color wheel and schemes

Project Boxes will be tentatively available for pick up the week of **May 10th**. Participants will be notified when their projects are ready for pick up.



## Club Promotional Flyers:

I have a task for all of the clubs in both counties, Club Promotional Flyers! When families contact me to enroll their children in 4-H I some times have trouble matching them with the right club. This is where your club promotional flyers will come in! This is your opportunity to really sell your club and let potential club members learn more about your club. I have some a link below to an example from Waukesha County incase you need some inspiration. I have created a template in Publisher for you to use or you can make your own!

Here is what I want you to include:

- Meeting times and location
- What your club focuses on. Are there specific projects your members love? Include that!
- Age of your members. Are your members Elementary, Middle School, or High school aged?
- Pictures from meetings and events are always encouraged!
- The nondiscrimination statement has to be included. I can get you that along with any clovers!

<https://www.waukeshacounty.gov/globalassets/uw-extension/4-h/clubs/community-clubs/join-4leaf.pdf>

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## In Person VIP Training:

Do you still need to be certified as a 4-H Volunteer? I will be hosting two in person VIP training one on April 14th 6-8pm at the Trempealeau County Government Center and April 21st from 6-8pm at the Black River Falls Office. Please register at the link below so if you plan on attending! I only offer these trainings from September-May so if you want to be certified for summer programs now is the chance to do it.

April 14th:

<https://forms.gle/JNaZPZYYPsbeoz1y5>

April 21st:

<https://forms.gle/9FPpnY1GQacNtVW77>



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April 8, 2021, 7 p.m. CST – Virtual

**Artificial Intelligence in Animal Sciences** – We can't wait to share some of this technology currently being done at the University of Wisconsin – Madison, Animal & Dairy Sciences Department, that helps predict livestock traits in livestock production systems by using the technology of cameras and sensors.

**Speakers:** Dr. Guilherme J.M. Rosa and Dr. Joao Dorea, UW Madison Animal & Dairy Sciences

[Register for this event](#)

## Where to Find up Coming Programs:

With the sear mass of virtual programs coming out all around the state, which any youth in the state of Wisconsin can participate in, it is hard to keep up with them. I have found it quicker to share these programs on the County Facebook Pages. I know sometimes there are not as many programs listed here in the newsletter but there are more on Facebook, that is the reason. I try to watch for what the state , local counties and area programs are sharing so I can pass this message along to you guys. Some of these programs are not quite newsletter worthy but they are still great opportunities for the members in our county.

[Trempealeau County Facebook Page](#)

[Jackson County Facebook Page](#)

## Calendar Updates:

Do the calendars look a little bare? I am looking for projects and groups to send me their upcoming events and I will add them to the calendar. I want to keep everyone updated so if you have a program, fundraiser or event that you want added please let me know. I would be happy to add it.



## In Person Meeting Approval Process

As of July 1st 2020 in person meetings are possible! I have a post available on our website that gives you all of the details.

Here is a quick recap of some of the recent updates:

- Guidelines will not change from April 1st 2021-June 30th 2021.
- Pod style meetings can happen outside (with up to 150 people) and no time limit.
- In door meetings can have 50 people or 30% of the room capacity.
- The template has been updated with language that will help you meeting get approved.
- There is a training video that volunteer leaders have to watch in order to hold a meeting. The is linked into the site.
- Email me a completed copy of the form 2 weeks before the planned meeting date.

<https://trempealeau.extension.wisc.edu/2020/07/10/in-person-approval-form/>

<https://4h.extension.wisc.edu/4-h-faqs-related-to-covid-19/>

<https://jackson.extension.wisc.edu/2020/07/10/in-person-approval-form/>





## VIP Training:

VIP or volunteers in preparation training is for anyone who wants to work with youth one-on-one and teach sessions like a project or club leader. If you have signed up to be a volunteer in 4-H Online and I have not approved you yet it might be because of this. Look for this symbol . This means that you will need to complete either VIP or mandated reporter training. Mandated reporter is an online course in 4-H Online that you can complete on your own time. VIP however, has to be taught by either myself or another educator either virtually or in person. This training covers many topics on how to create a safe environment for youth and takes about 90 minutes.



I prefer to do VIP trainings on weeknights in September-May because the rest of the year gets pretty busy for everyone especially in the summer.

Want more information about VIP? Email me! I would be happy to answer your questions!

Watch for trainings in the specific county sections.



HEAD



HEART



HANDS



HEALTH

## 4-H Online 2.0:

Just a couple of 4-H Online reminders! You are still able to re-enroll. If you missed the December 1st deadline don't sweat! New members can join 4-H at anytime. And current members can still enroll through out the year.

If you have not enrolled yet here are some tips to remember:

- **Do not create a new account!** Use your old email and password from the old system to log in.
- When re-enrolling be sure to update all of the projects your child is interested in right away. Projects are were I have seen the most issues in the system but it is easier to get them all taken care of right away then to wait.

### [Enrollment Guide](#)

<https://v2.4honline.com/#/user/sign-in>

There are now many state virtual experiences that you can register for through 4-H Online. I share many on Facebook but if you want to see what is available to you or your family log into 4-H Online. When you select who wants to participate go to the side bar and select register. Once you are on this page select the gray "register" box. This will show you all of the options that are available to you! If you have trouble or need help, let me know!

## Senior Spotlights:

It's that time of the year again! Last year we featured graduating seniors and their plans for the future after high school and it went very well! It was a great way to celebrate their involvement in the program and give them a great send off. I want to do the same thing this year and feature seniors again on our Facebook pages and in the newsletter. If you or your child is graduating this year and would like to be featured here is what I will need from you:

- A senior picture or current picture of the youth.
- A quick blurb about your participation in the program. What have you learned? How have you grown? What have you enjoyed?
- Your plans for after high school. (Military, Tech School, Collage, Workforce etc.)
- Favorite part of 4-H. What did you look forward to every year.

If you are interested in this please send the following information to me [andrea.ripple@wisc.edu](mailto:andrea.ripple@wisc.edu). Please have these to me by **May 1st!**

# Jackson County Programs

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## March

- 13th - Bruce Mound Ski Trip
- 15th - Jackson County Parents and Leaders Meeting  
6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.
- 21st- Virtual County Meeting @ 6 pm.

## April

- 10th-Jackson County Small Animal Swap-See article for details.
- 15th- Last day to enroll fair projects or move club in 4-H Online.
- 18th-Virtual County Meeting @ 6 pm.
- 19th - Jackson County Parents and Leaders Meeting  
6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.
- 21st- In person VIP Training @ the Black River Falls Office 6-8 pm.

## May

- 1st- Senior Spotlight Due to Andrea
- 17th - Jackson County Parents and Leaders Meeting

6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.

- 23rd- Virtual County Meeting @ 6 pm

## June

- 21st - Jackson County Parents and Leaders Meeting  
6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.

## July

- 15th- YQCA is due to Julie at the Extension Office.  
Julie.Peterson@co.jackson.wi.us
- 19th - Jackson County Parents and Leaders Meeting  
6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.

## August

- 16th - Jackson County Parents and Leaders Meeting  
6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.

## September

- 20th- Jackson County Parents and Leaders Meeting  
6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.



## October

- 18th - Jackson County Parents and Leaders Meeting 6pm

@ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.

## No Bake Bake Sale:

The Livestock Committee is hosting their No Bake Bake Sale! This sale supports the Livestock Program for all of their educational events through out the year. The money also goes to towards purchasing the belt buckles that are used as trophies for livestock exhibitors. Donations are gladly excepted if you do not wish to purchase anything. All the funds go to directly supporting youth programing in the county. The link below has the order form.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/15m-xCLukXsqELK5pYVQkMW7pIRRoK5by/view?usp=sharing>

## YQCA:

YQCA certificate is due to Julie by July 15th at 4:30pm. Certificates can be sent by email to [Julie.peterson@co.jackson.wi.us](mailto:Julie.peterson@co.jackson.wi.us) or a copy can be dropped off at the office. If you plan to sell a market animal or a dairy basket you will need to complete this.

<http://yqca.org/>



## Beef Weigh in Numbers:

On January 30th 2021 65 steers were weighed in at the Sparta Equity location. Jackson County 4-H youth members weighed in 53 animals this year. Great job Livestock Project members!

## Jackson County Fair Updates:

The Jackson County fair has a couple of updates to their fair book this year that you should be aware of. The fair book will be available online this year along with all of the forms you will need to complete entries. There will still be paper copies available but there will not be as many printed as in the past. The only change to the books will be that they will only have the rules, departments and entries. All of the forms, scholarships, code of ethics, futurity and other forms that normally could be found in the fair book can now be found on the website at this link: <https://www.jacksoncountyfairwi.com/fair-entry-forms/>. The digital copy of the fair book can be found here: <https://www.jacksoncountyfairwi.com/fair-entries/complete-fair-book/>.

The fair plans to have online entries available. They will still be accepting paper copies but the main difference is club leaders will not be the ones to submit the entries. Anyone can send in their entries this year. Families will be in charge of their own fair entries. Club leaders will still review the entries after they are submitted though. Be sure you have an updated list of your members so you can verify they are part of your club.

Visit the fairs website for the latest updates.

Jackson County Fair Website:

<https://www.jacksoncountyfairwi.com/>

## Jackson County Superintendents List:

The fair is right around the corner! Check out this list of superintendents for the fair and feel free to contact them if you have questions about specific exhibits. In order to save space I have listed the superintendents in a google sheets at the link below.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/15OsJECsL1FPZjaZUpkcnlLb8NkUPP7JK/view?usp=sharing>



## **Cloverbud Leader:**

Jackson County 4-H is looking for a Cloverbud Project Leader! Traditionally this person is an adult who plans Cloverbud project meetings during the year. This year we want to try something different, instead of having one adult be in charge of the whole program we want to encourage multiple youth to teach the program. This would be a great opportunity for an older youth to gain some teaching, leadership, and program planning skills. Here are some of the qualifications of requirements of this position:

- Youth can be 13-19 years of age. Younger youth will need a trusted adult to help them do the program.
- The individual will be in charge or planning the session, getting the description to me and teaching the session.
- The topic is your choice! If you need some help picking a topic I have curriculum you can use to help you plan and teach a session.
- On the day of the program the Youth leader will present their lesson and work with the youth to complete the program.

The number of sessions you teach are up to you! I want to have 4 sessions with this new model to get a good grasp and we will see where to go from there. If this sounds like something you might be interested in please let me know! I want to have Cloverbud programing planned for March-June .

## **Plat Book Pictures:**

Jackson County 4-H is looking for pictures that could be on the cover of our next plat book! Did you take a great picture for a fair project? Have you dabbled in photography? We are looking for some great pictures for our upcoming Plat Book cover! What types of pictures are we looking for?

The Parents and Leaders will be reviewing the submissions at the next meeting so please send pictures by **April 15th**. If you have questions or want to submit a photo please send them to Andrea Rippley [andrea.ripple@wisc.edu](mailto:andrea.ripple@wisc.edu)



## Small Animal Swap:

When: Saturday April 10th

Where: Jackson County Fair Grounds

This event is open to the public from 6 am– Noon. Sellers can arrive starting at 5:30 am. Buyer admission fee is \$6 per vehicle. Seller Admission fee is \$3 per person, 12 and under are free.

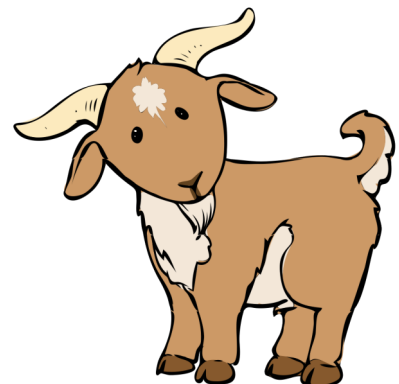
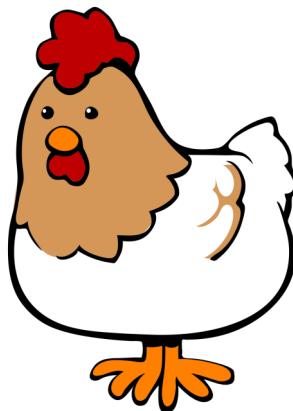
### **Note: Sellers must have state required paperwork**

The following can be sold:

- Poultry
- Pigeons
- House Birds
- Rabbits
- Chinchillas
- Gerbils
- Guinea Pigs
- Turkeys under 6 months old
- Sheep
- Goats
- Trees
- Plants
- Flowers
- Jams
- Horse Tack
- Household items
- Any other animal related/ Flea Market items.

### **No Cats, Dogs or Pigs**

Silent Auction at the Swap go to supporting the Small Animal Project



# Jackson County 4-H Clubs and Groups

Check out the Club List of the website for more information!

<https://jackson.extension.wisc.edu/4-h/how-to-get-involved/4-h-clubs/>

Club	Leader/s	Contact Information	Location
BRF Trailblazers	Amy Carrier	715-896-6527	Black River Falls
Country side Crystals	Karen Kling	715-662-2600	Taylor
	Kathlene Zipfel	715-299-7912	
Hixton Lucky Clovers	Karla Laufenberg	715-797-1270	Hixton
	Molly Kniseley	715-299-2470	
Irving Sticktight's II	Craig Kubaski	715-896-2559	Irving
Melrose Satellites	Rachel Tollefson,	715-299-0693	Melrose
Milk Duds	Mary Giese	715-896-1039	Garden Valley
	Alisa Johnson		
Mound View Happy Workers	Linda Mosely	715-797-1622	Garden Valley
Northfields Go-Getters	Carolyn Mann	715-797-1517	York
	Stephen Smith	715-984-2267	
Osseo Wild Mustangs	Cathy Franck	715-586-0762	Osseo
	David Franck, Sr		
Rose Hill Ramblers	June Johnson,	715-284-7427	Taylor
Sharing Pioneers	Deb Johnson,	715-284-7598	Black River Falls
Whispering Hills	Ellie Hurlburt	715-284-4917	Black River Falls
	Maribeth Graham	715-284-7598	
Livestock Committee/ superintendent	Jerome Laufenberg	715-896-3040	Jackson County
Dog Project	Mindy Wagner	<a href="mailto:mindywagner82@yahoo.com">mindywagner82@yahoo.com</a>	Jackson County
Shooting Sports	Mary Blazek	<a href="mailto:rblazek@centurytel.net">rblazek@centurytel.net</a>	Jackson County
Small Animal Committee	Dave Dobson	<a href="mailto:jacksonsmallanimal@gmail.com">jacksonsmallanimal@gmail.com</a>	Jackson County
Horse Project	Craig Kubaski	<a href="mailto:craigkubaskie@yahoo.com">craigkubaskie@yahoo.com</a>	Jackson County
Dairy Project	Holly Meimann	<a href="mailto:hjmeimann18@gmail.com">hjmeimann18@gmail.com</a>	Jackson County
Parents and Leaders	Maribeth Graham	715-284-7598	Jackson County

# Trempealeau County Programs

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## April

- 1st- All Horse ID sheets due to Becky
- 3rd-Western riding workshop. Advanced AM; Beginner PM
- 10th-English ridding workshop Advanced 9 am-noon; Beginner 1-4pm @ Diamond W Ranch, Dodge WI
- 12th- Dog Project Informational Meeting 6 P.M. @ the Fair Grounds
- 14th- In person VIP at the Trempealeau County Extension office
- 15th- Last day to enroll fair projects or move club in 4-H Online.
- 15th- Last day to submit Final Year 4-H Exhibitors to Andrea.
- 17th- Sheep, goat and pig tag pick up- Watch for more details from the Livestock Committee.
- 18th-Virtual County Meeting @ 6 pm
- 19th- First Dog Class 6 P.M. @ the Fair Grounds
- 26th - Trempealeau County Parents and Leaders Meeting 6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre

registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.

## May

- 1st- Horse Camp Forms and payments due to Becky Hynes
- 1st- Senior Spotlights Due to Andrea.
- 15th- Fairgrounds Work Day 9am @ the Fair Grounds
- 22nd- Project Trail Ride
- 23rd- Virtual County Meeting @ 6 pm
- 24th - Trempealeau County Parents and Leaders Meeting 6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.

## June

- 1st- State Speaking & Demonstration Virtual Contest ~ENTRY DEADLINE: Received By June 1
- 1st- Open Gymkhana Show 6 pm @ the Fairgrounds
- 10-12th- Horse Camp, Galesville Fairgrounds
- 21st-State Hippology & State Horse Bowl Con-



test, Dodge County Fairgrounds, For more information Call 920-839-5540; ENTRY DEADLINE: Postmarked by June 1 (June 22 is also being held in case Covid-19 restrictions require splitting contest)

- 25-27th- Wisconsin State 4-H Hunt & Dressage Show & Clinics, Sheboygan County Fairgrounds, Plymouth ~ For more information call 920-946- 4697; ENTRY DEADLINE: Postmarked by June 1st
- 29th- Open Gymkhana Show 6 pm @the Fairgrounds
- 28th - Trempealeau County Parents and Leaders Meeting 6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.

### July

- 14-18th- Trempealeau County Fair
- 17th- Livestock Auction at the fair@ 6pm
- 24th- Trempealeau County WWHSA Horse Show 8:30am @ The Fairgrounds
- 26th - Trempealeau County Parents and Leaders Meeting 6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.

### August

- 23rd - Trempealeau County Parents and Leaders Meeting 6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.

- 29th-WWHSA Benefit 4H/Open Show, La Crosse County Fairgrounds, West Salem
- 31st- Open Gymkhana Show 6 pm @ the Fair Grounds

### September

- 11-12th- State 4-H Gymkhana, West Allis State Fair Park ~ For More Information call 920-839-5540; ENTRY DEADLINE: Postmarked by August 15th
- 13th- Horse Project Business Meeting 6 pm. Virtual
- 17-19th- State 4-H Horse Expo, West Allis State Fair Park ~ For More Information call 920-839-5540
- 27th- Trempealeau County Parents and Leaders Meeting 6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.

### October

- 11th- Horse Project Business Meeting- Virtual @ 6pm
- 25th-Parents and Leaders Meeting 6pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attendance is optional.

### November

- 6th- Bronco Bux Banquet 11 am @ Sosalla Farm
- 12-14th-Wisconsin 4-H Horse Project

Leader Conference, UW-River Falls Details pending; Contact Dondieneita Fleary Simmons, flearysimmon@wisc.edu

ance is optional.

- 22nd-Parents and Leaders Meetings 6 pm @ the Extension Office. Pre registration is required for this meeting. Virtual attend-

## **Trempealeau County Livestock Updates:**

### **Hello Trempealeau County Market Goat/Sheep/Swine Exhibitors and Families,**

*We are sending this email to all livestock families, regardless of which species you have shown in the past to ensure we don't exclude any new exhibitors. If you are not showing goats, sheep or swine in 2021, you can delete this email.*

Hopefully the search to find your project animals is well underway! As you work to fill your barns again, be sure to mark your calendars for **Saturday, April 17**, when we will hold our socially distanced weigh-in & tag pickup event at the fairgrounds from 9 a.m. to noon! The deadline to register for this event is Sunday, April 11.

Goat and Sheep Exhibitors, we are excited to bring back a live weigh-in and tagging event for your animals.

Swine Exhibitors, we will hold a tag pickup-only event (no weigh-in), as the fair will be a terminal show for swine again. This allows you to show at the fair without taking on additional testing fees.

### **Register for this event by following these steps:**

- **All Exhibitors:** Let us know how many tags your family will need by completing this survey: <https://forms.gle/pUJDWjsRKiEY6yQJA>

### **Trempealeau County Livestock Updates Continued:**

- **Market Goat & Sheep Exhibitors:** Also sign up for a specific time to weigh and tag your animals using this link: <https://signup.com/go/KeddbLu>

### **Day of Weigh-in & Tag Pickup Instructions:**

- Everyone will enter fairgrounds through the south gate and exit through the north gate. See attached map for routes, if needed.

- **Swine Exhibitors:**

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- One person may exit the vehicle. Masks are required to be worn. If there is a vehicle before you, please wait until they have gathered their items and returned to their vehicle before you exit.
- Drop **exact** payment (\$2/tag, check or cash) **labeled** with family/exhibitor name in drop box. Checks payable to: Trempealeau County Jr Livestock Auction Committee. Come prepared.
- Each family will have a labeled bag containing ear tags and usual fair livestock paperwork. Bags will be sorted alphabetically by last name on tables.
- You must tag your pigs and email identification pictures to [TREMPCAC@outlook.com](mailto:TREMPCAC@outlook.com) by **Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup>**. Directions will be included in your paperwork.

- **Goat/Sheep Exhibitors:**

- Follow the road to the left and proceed to the sheep barn (see picture on next page).
  - Only the exhibitor and as many adults as necessary to control the animals may exit the vehicle when it is your turn to do so. Masks are required for humans-goats and sheep are exempt. ;) If there is a vehicle before you, please wait until they have gathered their items and returned to their vehicle before you exit.
  - Drop **exact** payment (\$2/tag, check or cash) **labeled** with family/exhibitor name in drop box. Checks payable to: Trempealeau County Jr Livestock Auction Committee. Come prepared.
  - **Sheep Exhibitors**-have the scrapies tag number written down and ready to be handed in at the registration table upon arrival.
  - Each family will have a labeled folder containing usual fair livestock paperwork to take home with them after weigh-in and tagging is complete.

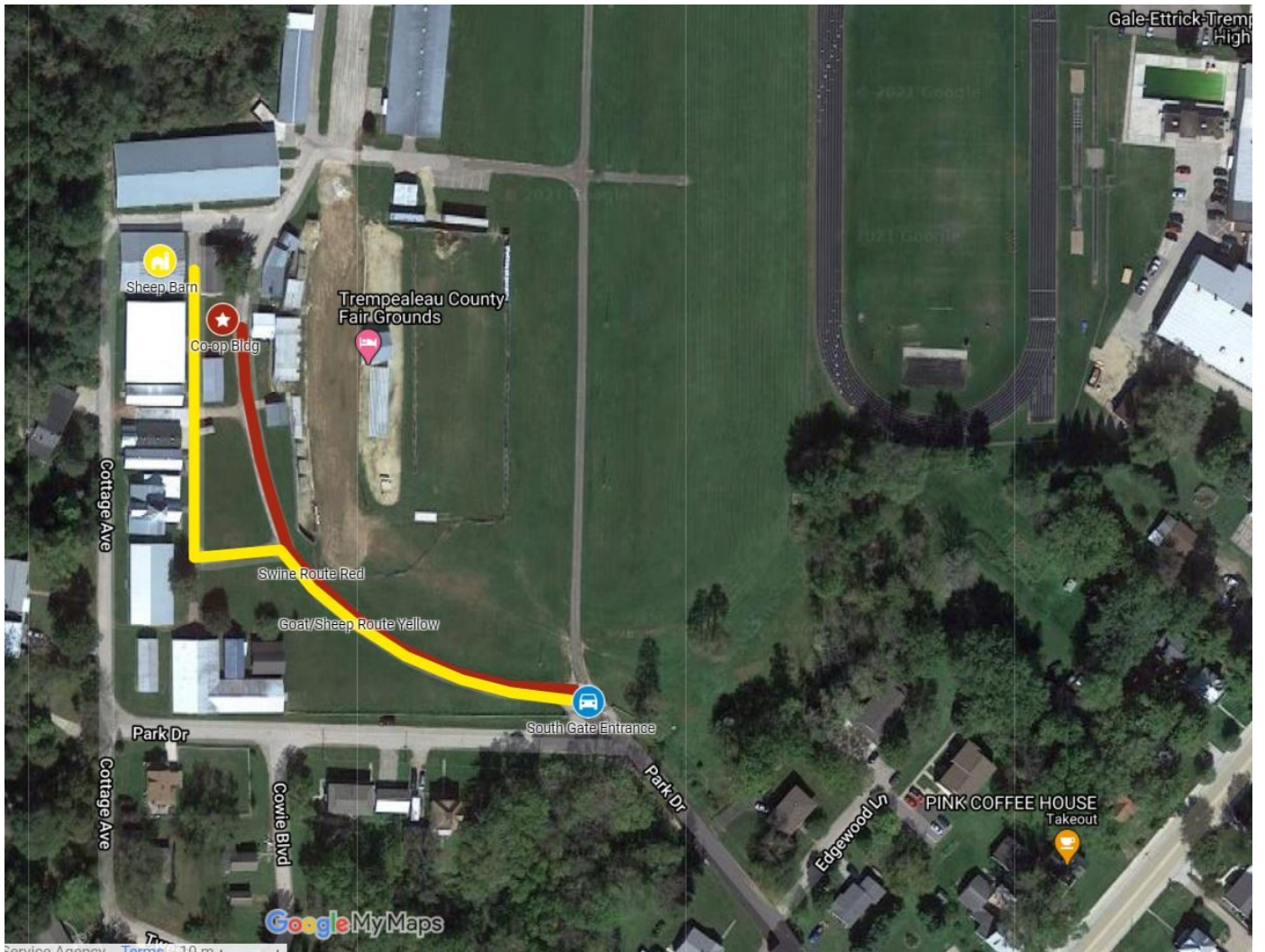
Please note that while we will have representatives there to supervise the process, we kindly ask that you refrain from using this time to ask questions regarding the fair, paperwork, etc. Everyone MUST keep moving at an efficient pace to ensure proper social distancing. If

you have any questions, you can reach the committee by email at [TREMPCAC@outlook.com](mailto:TREMPCAC@outlook.com) or President Nathan Ausen by phone at 608-484-0481.

After the weigh-in & tag event, we will be reaching out via email to clarify next steps and future due dates. We are VERY excited to work with you towards a successful 2021 livestock project and fair event!

In continued partnership,  
The Trempealeau County Junior Livestock Auction Committee





## Trempealeau County Fair Animal Superintendents:

Beef: Superintendent-Kent Haake 608-582-2291

Sheep: Superintendent– Jason Hovell 608-534-0024

Swine: Superintendent-Jamie Goplin 715-530-0875

### Trempealeau County Fair 2021:

This year the fair will be a little different. Last year the fair board made the dissention to allow youth who would have aged out of the 4-H program last year show for the 2021 year. For enrollment this year people who have aged out were having some trouble re-enrolling because they are now at considered an adult.

The difficult part is 4-H Online makes it hard to enroll if you are over the age of 18. One way to remedy this is to create a list of the youth who still plan to show under 4-H this year. Please let Andrea know which youth are unable to enroll as youth this year for they have aged out. This will be due to Andrea by **April 15th**.



## 2021 DOG OBEDIENCE CLASSES SET:

Your opportunities for Dog Obedience Classes are coming up soon! Dog Obedience Classes will be held in Galesville this Spring. There will not be any classes in Whitehall this year. The classes are offered by the County 4-H Dog Project Leaders for 4-H Club members and youth groups. Due to Covid-19 pandemic we will not be including any community members this year.

The first Dog Obedience Class this Spring will be held on **Monday, April 12, 2021 at the Trempealeau County Fairgrounds in Galesville.** The first class is informational only and will include an orientation session, registration (class signup), a demonstration, agility class information, required equipment and dog health. **Do not bring dogs to the first class.!** Please bring a lawn chair, copies of required shot records to turn in and your own pen. Social distancing and wearing a mask will be required!! Hand sanitizer will be provided.

You may purchase equipment the first night training sessions begin. Weekly training classes will be held in Galesville at the Fairgrounds. Detailed information will be available at the April 12th informational session. Beginner and Advanced Dog Obedience Classes as well as Agility will be held in Galesville. Galesville training classes will start on **Monday evening, April 19th at 6:00 p.m.** at the Fairgrounds. (Agility will be offered in Galesville on Monday evenings at 5:30 pm.) Parental help with setup and take down of equipment will be required. (You must have completed an obedience class to participate in agility.) Rally and showmanship will also be offered in June. The class fee for 4-H members will remain \$10.00.

Equipment needed for the class will be a 6-Ft. leather or cotton web lead and a correctly sized nylon or chain training collar. The cotton web leads can be purchased at class for \$5.00 each; training collars are also available in all sizes for \$5.00. Anyone participating in agility is required to have a buckle collar without any tags attached to the collar. **Please bring a copy of current vaccination records with you to the first class – we are required to keep a copy for our records. All dogs must have distemper, rabies and parvovirus shots.**

Any 4-H member who still wants to enroll in the Dog Project should contact the UW Extension Office in Whitehall at (715) 538-2311 Ext. 208 by April 9th.

All classes are subject to change, postponement or cancellation due to the ongoing COVID-19 Pandemic. Information will be posted on the 4-H dog project facebook page.

For further information about Dog Obedience Classes please contact: Sandy Sygulla @ (715) 538-2331 or Judy Betker @ (608) 989-2386. For agility information contact Jenny Brandt @ (507) 313-5206.



Club	Leader/s	Contact Information	Location
Arcadia Hummingbirds	Rosa Mooney	608-863-3483	Arcadia
Coulee Clovers	Cindy Peterson	608-989-2249	Blair
Ettrick Eagles	Dawn Corcoran	608-525-4200	Ettrick
Frenchville Clovers	Heather Olson	608-484-0447	Frenchville
Glasgow/Hardies Creek Busy Bees	Heidi Johnson	608-484-0492	Galesville
Hale and Hardy	Lindsey Nelson	blonde1882@hotmail.com	Pleasantville
Lincoln Pioneers	Kim Pryzbylla	715-985-3902	Independence
Sliver Valley Creek	JoAnn Reinholdt	608-582-2237	Galesville
Sunnyside	Charlotte (Charlie) Everson	608-989-2310 715-662-3003	Blair
Trempealeau Trusty Workers	Geralyn Subra Patti Sonsalla	608-738-8295	Centerville
Whitehall Happy Hus- tlers	Sharon Pederson	715-538-4856	Whitehall
Dog Project	Judy Betker	608-989-2386	Trempealeau County
Horse Project	Becky Hynes	608-865-1038	Trempealeau County
Parent's and Leaders	Valerie Erickson	608-385-5654	Trempealeau County
Llama Project	Becky Poulos	715-538-1444	Trempealeau County
4-H Ambassadors	Rosa Mooney	608-863-3483	Trempealeau County
Shooting Sports	Open Position!		Trempealeau County