



ALLEGAN COUNTY 4-H

CLUB DIRECTORY 2024-25



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HEAD



HEART



HANDS



HEALTH

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST IN THE ALLEGAN COUNTY YOUTH DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM. IN THE ALLEGAN COUNTY CLUB DIRECTORY, YOU WILL FIND CLUBS GEOGRAPHIC LOCATIONS AND A LISTING OF THE PROJECTS THAT THEY ARE MOST HEAVILY INVOLVED IN.

HOW DO I START?

JOIN AN EXISTING CLUB:

CONTACT THE CLUB LEADER DIRECTLY VIA EMAIL TO SEE IF THAT CLUB WILL BE A GOOD MATCH FOR YOUR FAMILY. NOT ALL CLUBS OFFER ALL PROJECTS. FIND A CLUB THAT OFFERS LEADERSHIP IN THE PROJECT AREA THAT MEETS YOUR INTERESTS.

START YOUR OWN CLUB:

ALL YOU NEED IS 5-10 KIDS AND 2 ADULT VOLUNTEERS TO ORGANIZE THE CLUB. CHOOSE THE AREAS OF INTEREST AND MEETING TIMES. OUR 4-H STAFF WILL HELP YOU GET STARTED. IN ORDER TO BECOME A VOLUNTEER, YOU MUST APPLY AT MSU.SAMARITAN.COM

DECIDE ON A PROJECT:

THERE ARE MANY DIFFERENT PROJECT AREAS FOR 4-H MEMBERS TO PARTICIPATE IN. WHETHER YOUR AREA OF INTEREST IS ANIMAL BASED, AGRICULTURE, PHOTOGRAPHY, SCIENCE, OR EVEN THEATRE. THE SKY IS THE LIMIT AND YOU ARE ONLY RESTRICTED BY YOUR IMAGINATION.

ENROLL IN 4-H ONLINE:

MICHIGAN 4-H USES 4-H ONLINE TO MANAGE MEMBER ENROLLMENTS. YOU CAN FIND THE WEBSITE AT MI.4HONLINE.COM. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT ENROLLING, PLEASE CONTACT THE EXTENSION OFFICE FOR HELP. WE LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING YOU AND ENROLLING YOUR FAMILY AS 4-H MEMBERS!





COUNTY CLUBS

CLUB NAME	LOCATION	LEADER/CONTACT	PROJECT AREAS
AMERICAN DREAMERS	ALLEGAN	CYNTHIA MERICA MRSMERICA@GMAIL.COM	BEEF, BIRDS & POULTRY, DAIRY, EXPRESSIVE ARTS, GOATS, HORSE & PONY, POULTRY SCIENCE, RABBITS/CAVIES, SHEEP, SEWING
BOVINE BEAUTIES AND MORE 4-H CLUB	ALLEGAN	MARCY AND RANDY PETROSHUS PETROFARMS@GMAIL.COM	BEEF, DAIRY CATTLE, GOATS, SHEEP, SWINE, INTRODUCTORY 4-H PROJECTS ANIMAL EVALUATION, CLOTHING AND TEXTILES
COMPANION 4-HERS	ALLEGAN	ANGELA BOESKE CURLYKENNELS@GMAIL.COM	DOGS
COUNTRY CLOVERS 4-H CLUB	ALLEGAN	MINDY LAARMAN MTREE2080@YAHOO.COM	ANIMAL EVALUATION, ENTOMOLOGY & BEES, FOOD & NUTRITION, GOATS, LEISURE EDUCATION, POULTRY SCIENCE, RABBITS/CAVIES, SHEEP, SWINE
FARM N' CHARM	ALLEGAN	RACHEL VELD RRVELD@ATT.NET	AGRONOMY, BEEF, BIRDS & POULTRY, CLOTHING & TEXTILES, DAIRY CATTLE, EXPRESSIVE ARTS, FOOD & NUTRITION, GOATS, HORTICULTURE, INTRO 4-H PROJECTS, LEISURE EDUCATION, MECHANICAL SCIENCES, RABBITS/CAVIES, ROBOTICS, SHEEP, SWINE



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GLOBE TROTTERS	ALLEGAN	KIM MARCUS KSMARCUS21@GMAIL.COM	BIRDS & POULTRY, DOGS, EXPRESSIVE ARTS, HORSE & PONY, INTRO 4-H PROJECTS, RABBITS/CAVIES, SHEEP, VETERINARY SCIENCE
HILLTOP 4-H CLUB	ALLEGAN	SHERRY SCHRICKER SCHRICKER6@SBCGLOBAL.NET	BEEF, BIRDS & POULTRY, CLOTHING & TEXTILES, DOGS, EXPRESSIVE ARTS, FOOD & NUTRITION, GOATS, INTRO 4-H PROJECTS, RABBITS/CAVIES, SWINE
HOMEGROWN 4-H CLUB	ALLEGAN	JUSTIN DEJONG AND ANDREW STRICKFADEN JUSDJ@LIVE.COM A_STRICKFADEN@HOTMAIL.COM	ANIMAL EVALUATION, BEEF, DAIRY, GOATS, RABBITS/CAVIES, SHEEP, SWINE
HUDSON CORNERS LIVESTOCK	ALLEGAN	LAURA MODRESKI LMODRESK@HAMILTONSCHOOLS.US	ANIMAL EVALUATION, BEEF, BIRDS & POULTRY, DAIRY, EXPRESSIVE ARTS, GOATS, INTRO 4-H PROJECTS, RABBITS/CAVIES, SHEEP, SWINE
LAKEVIEW 4-H	ALLEGAN	KAMI HOKSE K_HOKSE@HOTMAIL.COM	BEEF, BIRDS & POULTRY, DAIRY, EXPRESSIVE ARTS, FOOD & NUTRITION, GOATS, INTRO 4-H PROJECTS, RABBITS/CAVIES, SHEEP, SWINE



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MARTIN AREA LIVESTOCK	ALLEGAN	JEFF BRINKHUIS JEFFB@VANLAAN.COM	BEEF, DAIRY, GOATS, SHEEP, SWINE
MARTIN CATTLE RUSTLERS	ALLEGAN	KECIA VISSER KRABBITRY@YAHOO.COM	BIRDS & POULTRY, GOATS, RABBITS/CAVIES
MILK & HONEY 4-H CLUB	ALLEGAN	TIMOTHY GAULKE GAULKETIM@GMAIL.COM	ANIMAL EVALUATION, BEEF, CAREER EXPLORATION, DAIRY, FOOD & NUTRITION, GOATS, POULTRY SCIENCE, RABBITS/CAVIES, SWINE
MONTEREY COMMUNITY 4-H CLUB	ALLEGAN	DON BERENS DBERENS3@GMAIL.COM	AGRONOMY, BEEF, BIRDS & POULTRY, CLOTHING & TEXTILES, DAIRY, ENTOMOLOGY, EXPRESSIVE ARTS, FOOD & NUTRITION, GOATS, HORTICULTURE, INTRO 4-H PROJECTS, MECHANICAL SERVICES, RABBITS/CAVIES, SHEEP, SWINE, VETERINARY SCIENCE
NORTH ALLEGAN LIVESTOCK 4-H CLUB	ALLEGAN	KERRY TUCKER CKTUCKER@ATT.NET	ANIMAL EVALUATION, BEEF, BIRDS & POULTRY, DAIRY, GOATS, RABBITS/CAVIES, SHEEP, SWINE, VETERINARY SCIENCE
PURPLE CIRCLE SWINE CLUB	ALLEGAN	LANCE WASHBURN LANCE.R.WASHBURN@GMAIL.COM	BEEF, SWINE, GOATS



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PURPLE VISION 4-H CLUB	ALLEGAN	HEATHER MAURER HMAURER84@HOTMAIL.COM	BEEF, BIRDS & POULTRY, DAIRY, DOGS, EXPRESSIVE ARTS, GOATS, HORSE & PONY, RABBITS/CAVIES, SWINE
RABBIT RIVER	ALLEGAN	MISSY HARVEY MISSYHARVEY7@HOTMAIL.COM	BEEF, DAIRY, EXPRESSIVE ARTS, INTRO 4-H PROJECTS, SHEEP, SWINE
ROLLING HILLS 4-H CLUB	ALLEGAN	JESSICA HAZEN JESSICAVANDERKOLK@LIVE.COM	ANIMAL EVALUATION, BEEF, DAIRY, FOOD & NUTRITION, GOATS, LEADERSHIP SKILLS DEVELOPMENT, PLANT SCIENCE, RABBITS/CAVIES, SHEEP, SWINE
TROWBRIDGE TROOPERS	ALLEGAN	TERRI KELLY TERRILEE03@GMAIL.COM	AGRONOMY, BEEF, DAIRY, DOGS, FOOD & NUTRITION, GOATS, HORSE & PONY, LEISURE EDUCATION, MECHANICAL SERVICES, RABBITS/CAVIES, SHEEP, SWINE
WATSON WRANGLERS	ALLEGAN	AMY GERMAIN AGERMAIN1825@GMAIL.COM	BIRDS & POULTRY, DAIRY, DOGS, EXPRESSIVE ARTS, FOOD & NUTRITION, GOATS, HORSE & PONY, HORSELESS PROJECTS, INTRO 4-H PROJECTS, RABBITS/CAVIES, SHEEP, SWINE
WAYLAND LIVESTOCK	ALLEGAN	BRUCE MODRESKI BRUCEMODRESKE@ICLOUD.COM	BEEF, BIRDS & POULTRY, CLOTHING & TEXTILES, DAIRY, EXPRESSIVE ARTS, FOOD & NUTRITION, GOATS, RABBITS/CAVIES, SHEEP, SWINE



ARE YOU A PARENT OR FAMILY MEMBER INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING?

VOLUNTEERS ARE SCREENED FOR SAFETY, THEN MAY ACT IN MANY ROLES. WHETHER HELPING TO CHAPERONE AN EVENT ONCE A YEAR OR HOSTING A CLUB EVERY WEEK, THERE IS A VOLUNTEER ROLE TO FIT YOUR NEEDS. MICHIGAN 4-H PROVIDES SEVERAL TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES AND CURRICULA TO SUPPORT VOLUNTEERS. APPLY TO VOLUNTEER AT: [HTTPS://MSU.SAMARITAN.COM/CUSTOM/502/VOLUNTEER_HOME](https://msu.samaritan.com/custom/502/volunteer_home)

VOLUNTEER ROLES:

- 4-H CLUB LEADER
- 4-H CLOVERBUD LEADER
- 4-H CHAPERONE
- 4-H PROJECT LEADER
- 4-H AFTERSCHOOL VOLUNTEER
- 4-H SPIN CLUB VOLUNTEER

VOLUNTEERS ARE THE BACKBONE OF OUR ORGANIZATION!