



September 16, 2022

# 4-H Family News

INGHAM COUNTY



## COUNTY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Sept 21st, 7:00 pm-Council Committee Meeting-Hilliard Bldg
- Sept 28th, 6:30 pm- Poultry Meeting- Community Room at Fairgrounds
- Oct 12th, 7:00 pm-Horse Committee Meeting-Hilliard Bldg
- Oct 19th, 7:00 pm-4-H Council Committee Meeting-Hilliard Bldg

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## INGHAM COUNTY 4-H FUNDRAISER

**Monday, September 26**

5-9 p.m.

Support Horse Judging Team,  
 Raising funds to go  
 to the national  
 competition in Kentucky



**Culver's in Okemos will donate up to 20% of ALL sales from 5 p.m.-9 p.m.**

**Drive-thru, online ordering or dine-in to support the Ingham County 4-H Horse Judging Team!**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**



3440 Okemos Rd  
 Okemos, MI 48864



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## Ingham County 4-H

<https://www.canr.msu.edu/ingham/4-h/>

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## Fair Week Winners! Shooting Sports

Department	Division	Class	Name	Placement	Club
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Target Archery	47.12 - Ages 15 & Over Open Bow	Katie Meade	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Target Archery	47.12 - Ages 15 & Over Open Bow	Parker Corbett	Reserve Champion	Saddlemates
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Target Archery	47.08 - Ages 12 - 14 Open Bow	Abigail Post	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Target Archery	47.08 - Ages 12 - 14 Open Bow	Lilly Meade	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Target Archery	Ages 12 - 14 Unsighted	Isaac Green	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Target Archery	47.07 - Ages 12 - 14 Sighted Bow	Reagan Robison	Champion	Town N' Country 4-H
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Target Archery	47.04 - Ages 8 - 11 Open Bow	Griffin Heiden	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Target Archery	47.04 - Ages 8 - 11 Open Bow	Halia Johns	Reserve Champion	Ingham Sharpshooters
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Target Archery	47.01 - Ages 8 - 11 Apprentice	Caroline Gehrs	Champion	Aurelius
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.42 - Ages 15 & Over Air Pistol	Parker Corbett	Champion	Saddlemates
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.42 - Ages 15 & Over Air Pistol	Katie Meade	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.41 Ages 15 & Over Open Muzzle Loader	Parker Corbett	Champion	Saddlemates
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.41 Ages 15 & Over Open Muzzle Loader	Katie Meade	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.40 Ages 15 & Over Open .22 Cal Target Rifle	Katie Meade	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.40 Ages 15 & Over Open .22 Cal Target Rifle	Jayden Rockwell	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.39 - Ages 15 & Over Shotgun Trap	Jayden Rockwell	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.39 - Ages 15 & Over Shotgun Trap	Katie Meade	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.36 - Ages 15 & Over Pellet Silhouette	Cassandra Bosworth	Champion	Webberville FFA
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.36 - Ages 15 & Over Pellet Silhouette	Parker Corbett	Reserve Champion	Saddlemates
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.35 - Ages 15 & Over Pellet Gun	Parker Corbett	Champion	Saddlemates
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.35 - Ages 15 & Over Pellet Gun	Cassandra Bosworth	Reserve Champion	Webberville FFA
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.34 - Ages 15 & Over BB Gun	Katie Meade	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.34 - Ages 15 & Over BB Gun	Vincent Monroe	Reserve Champion	Webberville FFA
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.33 - Ages 12 - 14 Air Pistol	Lilly Meade	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers

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Department	Division	Class	Name	Placement	Club
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.33 - Ages 12 - 14 Air Pistol	Zander Morlock	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.32 - Ages 12 - 14 Open Muzzle Loader	Lilly Meade	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.31 - Ages 12 - 14 Open .22 cal. Target Rifle	Lilly Meade	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.30 Ages 12 - 14 Shotgun Trao	Lilly Meade	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.30 Ages 12 - 14 Shotgun Trao	Zander Morlock	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.28 - Ages 12 - 14 .22 cal. Field Rifle	Zander Morlock	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.28 - Ages 12 - 14 .22 cal. Field Rifle	Emma Morlock	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.27 - Ages 12 - 14 Pellet Silhouette	Emma Morlock	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.27 - Ages 12 - 14 Pellet Silhouette	Elle Heiden	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.26 Ages 12 - 14 Pellet Gun	Elle Heiden	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.26 Ages 12 - 14 Pellet Gun	Abigail Post	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.25 - Ages 12 - 14 BB Gun	Abigail Post	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.25 - Ages 12 - 14 BB Gun	Zander Morlock	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.24 - Ages 9 - 11 Pellet Silhouette	Richard Causeie	Champion	Ingham Sharpshooters
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.24 - Ages 9 - 11 Pellet Silhouette	Griffin Heiden	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.23 - Ages 9 - 11 Pellet Gun	Halia Johns	Champion	Ingham Sharpshooters
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.23 - Ages 9 - 11 Pellet Gun	Griffin Heiden	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.22 - Ages 8 - 11 BB Gun	Alexander Heiden	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	Firearms	47.22 - Ages 8 - 11 BB Gun	Elizabeth Turner	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	3-D Archery	47.21 - Ages 15 & Over Open Bow	Katie Meade	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	3-D Archery	47.21 - Ages 15 & Over Open Bow	Parker Corbett	Reserve Champion	Saddlemates
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	3-D Archery	47.18 - Ages 12 - 14 Open Bow	Zander Morlock	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	3-D Archery	47.18 - Ages 12 - 14 Open Bow	Abigail Post	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	3-D Archery	47.15 - Ages 8 - 11 Open Bow	Alexander Hedion	Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	3-D Archery	47.15 - Ages 8 - 11 Open Bow	Griffin Heiden	Reserve Champion	Dansville 4-Leaf Clovers
4-H/FFA Shooting Sports	3-D Archery	47.14 - Ages 8 - 11 Sighted Bow	Caroline Gehrs	Champion	Aurelius

## July 6, 2022—Livestock Committee Minutes

- Called to Order—6:42 p.m.
- Pledges/Introductions
- Public Comment— none
- Penny Motion to Approve Agenda with additions; Amanda second: Motion carried with additions.
  - Penny-Add to New Business Rabbit Boards
  - Tom-Computers
- Tom motion to approve the minutes from previous meeting; Tim Dunsmore second; Motion carried.
- Treasurers report - Tim Dunsmore presented; Tom motion to approve the Treasurer's Reports; Val second; Motion carried.
- Standing Committee Reports:
  - Budget/Finance
    - Rhonda presented draft budget-discussion on stall fees and supplies for small animals
    - Ken Rhines motion to approve the budget; Val second; motion carried.
  - Council—Food Booth
  - Ingham County Fair— none
  - 4-H Staff
    - Events are on the side of the agenda
    - Ambassador's— Ice Cream Social—Sunday
    - Jean— Motion \$1,200 for hot dogs, chips, etc for the movie night the Sunday before fair; Penny second; Discussion— open to all; Motion carried.
  - Hannah Glair—Essay due this week– give your nominees a nudge.
  - Background check-will do off previous authorization
  - Code of Conduct-will carry over
  - Module-Reporting child abuse-do at September meeting
- Old Business:
  - By law updates
    - Tom-changes-article 3-members; at large not listed; fair liaison; fair foundation sear at the table; JLA; Discussion on same
    - Ken Rhines motion to table this until the September meeting; Amanda second; motion carried.
- New Business:
  - ⇒ Scholarship - Ken Rhines motion to rename the scholarship to the Bill Wheeler Memorial Scholarship; Tom second; motion carried.
  - ⇒ Rabbit Boards - Penny motioned to have \$3,500 from the rabbit sub account to have new boards built by Tom Sterle; Val second; Discussion - Glenda - need to have a use agreement with the Fairgrounds in writing; Penny amended the motion to add for use; Dan M second the addition to the motion; Motion carried.
  - ⇒ Computers - Tom - what happens to them - this committee no longer needs them - motion to donate them to the recipients of the scholarships; Jackie - loan to kids on committee; Jean - what if something happens to them; Jean second; pending authorization from MSU; Motion carried.
- Public Comment:
  - Pen set up on July 27, 6 pm; 4 pm for poultry; Pigs on July 20th; Rabbit location.
- Tom motion to adjourn; Dan Minnis second; Motion Carried.
- Meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Prepared by Sarah Ricketts

# PROJECT F.I.S.H. WORKSHOP

FISHING INSTRUCTOR TRAINING

PROJECT F.I.S.H. training helps adults of all ages learn the essentials of how to teach youth about fishing. Anyone with an interest is welcome to join the four-day, hands-on course, where participants will learn:

- Angling Skills
- People & Fish Management
- Aquatic Ecology
- Tackle Crafting

Attendees will receive curriculum for activities, equipment and access to supplies and resources to begin a successful fishing program with youth.



Register Here!

THIS IS A VOLUNTEER  
INSTRUCTOR WORKSHOP  
TAUGHT BY:  
MICHIGAN STATE  
UNIVERSITY  
EXTENSION



September 27, 29 &  
October 4, 6  
5:30-8:30 pm  
Blossom Heath Park  
24800 Jefferson, St. Clair Shores, MI 48080

\$75 per person  
Includes: Curriculum,  
rod/reel, backyard bass, tackle  
box with other giveaways.

REGISTER TODAY! Contact Mark Stephens at [steph143@msu.edu](mailto:steph143@msu.edu) or 517-432-2700 or call Henry Bowman at 586-498-2401 for more information.

*Congratulations!*

to our 2022  
4-H State Horse Show delegates!

Kelsea Barcelow – Champion in English Dressage  
Joshua Hansen – Reserve Champion in Western Dressage  
Olivia Killinger – Top Five in English Dressage  
Emily West – Reserve Champion Western Dressage  
Kaitlynn Sommer – Reserve Champion Hunt Seat Equitation  
Kaitlynn Sommer – Reserve Champion Hunt Seat Pleasure  
Ashley Baker – Top five in showmanship

Other State Show Delegates:

Elexas Crocker	Abby Eastman
Grace Edick	Adelaide Halstead
Ashley Hatfield	Tabitha Hayworth

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IT'S PAPER CLOVER TIME!

OCTOBER 5-16<sup>TH</sup> 2022

Funds support 4-H camp and leadership activities.



TSC TRACTOR SUPPLY CO  
TractorSupply.com



Support 4-H by volunteering to  
sell paper clovers!

<https://tinyurl.com/yjkdh3y2>



# GET INVOLVED



Volunteer opportunities are available at **Fenner Nature Center**. Located in the heart of Lansing they work primarily with environmental stewardship. Being a nature center and former agriculture site they have a large amount of outdoor volunteer opportunities perfect for the hardworking and dedicated the kids of 4-H! They currently have opportunities working on the sustainability house, prepping the urban farm for fall crops and preparing it for winter, and seed collection in the prairie. If any kids or groups would like to work on these projects Fenner Nature Center would love to have you!

If there is any interest to help please reach out to Madison Ostrander :  
by email at [volunteer@mynaturecenter.org](mailto:volunteer@mynaturecenter.org) or by phone at 517-483-4224.

## ADULTING 101 FALL SERIES CHANGING THE WORLD WITH ONE VOTE

OCTOBER 3, 2022  
6-7 PM EST  
ZOOM

Learn how to change your community by  
engaging in the political system



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## ADULTING 101 FALL SERIES CHOOSE YOUR FUTURE

October 10, 2022  
6-7 pm EST  
Zoom

Are you still unsure what career to pursue  
after school? Join us as we explore tools  
and reflect on how to choose a career  
path that is compatible with your  
interests, skills and personality.

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Membership in the Emerald Clover Society is bestowed upon former Michigan 4-H youth members with significant professional achievements and/or service to their communities and society.



NOMINATION DEADLINE:  
OCTOBER 1

<https://mi4hfdtn.org/4-h-emerald-awards/4-h-emerald-clover-society/>



Join Us Online

## WILD SPARTANS

SCIENCE \* RESEARCH \* CAREERS \* CONSERVATION

WATER'S FIRE GOT TO DO WITH... HABITAT?!

WITH ERIKA MEINTS  
BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE TECHNICIAN, VOYAGEURS NATIONAL PARK

October 11 | 6:30 PM EST

Registration required:

<https://events.anr.msu.edu/wildspartans2023/>



# STATEWIDE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**Nominate an extraordinary 4-H alum today!**



**Nomination deadline:  
Oct. 1, 2022**

Nominations are now open for the 4-H Emerald Clover Society – Michigan's 4-H hall of fame! Anyone may nominate an extraordinary Michigan 4-H alum for this recognition.

The 4-H Emerald Clover Society honors Michigan 4-H alumni who have had significant Michigan 4-H involvement as a youth and who have made significant contributions to their local, state and national communities.

Nominees must be living and must have been a Michigan 4-H member for three or more years.

For details and the online nomination form, visit <http://mi4hfdtn.org/4-h-emerald-awards/4-h-emerald-clover-society/>

## **October 1-6 : National 4-H Dairy Conference**

*Madison, Wisconsin*

World Dairy Expo is the place where the dairy industry meets. Much in the same vein, the National 4-H Dairy Conference is the place where leading dairy youth from across North America can come to interact with one another and build industry bridges that will last well into the future.

<https://www.canr.msu.edu/events/national-4-h-dairy-conference>

## **October 5-16 : Fall TSC Paper Clover Promotion**

*Various Locations*

Support 4-H youth from Oct. 5-16, 2022 by purchasing a paper clover both online or in Tractor Supply Co. (TSC) stores for just \$1!

<https://www.canr.msu.edu/events/tractor-supply-co-paper-clover-campaign>

## **October 7 : Michigan 4-H Foundation Annual Membership Meeting**

*East Lansing, MI*

Michigan 4-H Foundation members are invited to attend and vote on all items at the meeting. Members are individuals or organizations that donated \$25 or more to Michigan 4-H in the past year. Agenda items include: 2022 president's report, audited financial statement report, trustee elections, and recognition of major donors to Michigan 4-H within the past year.

<https://www.canr.msu.edu/events/michigan-4-h-foundation-annual-membership-meeting>





# STATEWIDE 4-H NEWS

## National 4-H Week: October 2-8, 2022

For over 100 years, 4-H has inspired families, shaped careers, and impacted communities. From October 2-8, we will celebrate the impact of 4-H during National 4-H Week. Here are some ways you can celebrate 4-H!

**Wear Your 4-H Gear** — Nothing says 4-H pride like a 4-H tee! Dress yourself (or the entire family – pets included!) in 4-H green and clover gear.

**Shout-Out a 4-H'er** — Recognize the hard work and dedication of 4-H'ers by shouting out one youth or an entire club on social media, in a local newspaper or other media.

**Storefront Displays/Information Booths** — In some communities, you can ask local businesses to display 4-H posters, flyers, showcase the work of 4-H'ers, or host a table to share information about your local 4-H program. Stores may also be willing to dedicate their entire storefront to 4-H signs, memorabilia, and décor for the week.

**Become a 4-H Volunteer** — If you are a 4-H alum, you might be looking for ways to reconnect with 4-H. Consider giving your time to a local 4-H club by becoming a volunteer.

**Share Your 4-H Story** — Take to social media to [share a 4-H memory](#), express how 4-H shaped who you are today, describe what 4-H means to you, post an old 4-H photo, or shout-out your 4-H club.

**Have a 4-H Reunion** — [4-H alumni](#) often credit 4-H for the connections they've made, remembering the friends they made and those who they may still keep in touch with today. Gather your old 4-H friends and spend some time together reminiscing on your 4-H experience or recreate a 4-H project together!

**Send a 4-H 'Thank You'** — We all have a reason to thank our local 4-H staff, leaders and supporters. To show your appreciation, send a handwritten 'thank you' note to someone who has supported youth and made a difference.

**Give Back** — Local programs are always looking for resources to continue growing 4-H for the future. Help programs thrive by [making a donation](#) that can help support your county 4-H program.

Adapted from: <https://4-h.org/about/blog/10-ways-to-celebrate-national-4-h-week/>



## Tips for a successful 4-H club

4-H is a learn-by-doing, educational, fun program for young people ages five to nineteen. Through involvement with caring adult volunteers, 4-H members gain meaningful experiences that contribute to their development and personal growth. The value of the experiences depends largely on the relationship built between and among the members and adults. Active participation in a 4-H club supports young people to develop life skills and assets.

A model 4-H club includes the following:

- At least five youth members from two or more families.
- One or more registered adult volunteers (who has completed the Volunteer Selection Process and became a Gold Status Volunteer).
- Decision making and operation of the club is the members' primary responsibility.
- Six or more club meetings during the 4-H year (Sept. 1 to Aug. 31).
- Participation in learning experiences outside the local club
- Involvement in the community at large with service-learning activities.
- Evaluation and recognition of progress on individual and group goals.
- Fundraising should be done for the good of the total group and must be consistent with the Michigan 4-H Treasurer's Record Book; raising funds should not be the main focus of group activities.

Adapted from: [https://www.canr.msu.edu/news/tips\\_for\\_a\\_successful\\_4-h\\_club\\_part\\_2](https://www.canr.msu.edu/news/tips_for_a_successful_4-h_club_part_2).