

# Gladwin County 4-H

## April/May 2024 Newsletter

### Upcoming Dates:

- **April 7-20:** Month of the Military Child Statewide GooseChase
- **April 15:** Estimated delivery date for duck projects
- **April 22; 5-6pm:** 4-H Youth Leadership Council Meeting at the MSU Ext. Office
- **April 22; 6pm:** Leaders Council Meeting at the MSU Ext. Office
- **April 30:** Estimated delivery date for broiler projects
- **May 11; 7am-11am:** Spring weigh in
- **May 14:** Estimated delivery date for bantam projects
- **May 22; 6pm:** Fair 101 at the fair office
- **May TBD:** Gladwin County 4-H Beekeeping SPIN Club begins
- **May TBD:** Gladwin County 4-H Homesteaders SPIN Club begins

\*\*\*all dates and times are subject to change

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# MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD VIRTUAL CHALLENGE on GooseChase

Join Michigan 4-H and Military partners as we celebrate April as the Month of the Military Child. Our GooseChase app will connect military and civilian youth through missions to learn more about the military, its branches, history and science. All participants will have a chance to win prizes!

**When:** Sunday, April 7th through Saturday, April 20th, 2024

**Where:** Wherever you are with a smartphone or tablet

**How:** Register at <https://events.anr.msu.edu/4HMOMC2024/>

Registration runs from February 1, 2024 through March 29, 2024

The first 50 participants/teams will be mailed a 4-H Build a Boat activity kit to use in the challenge.

**This event is open to all. You do not need to be a 4-H member or have military affiliation**



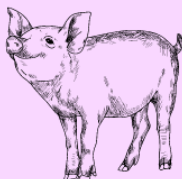
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SAVE THE DATE

# Spring Weigh In

FOR SHEEP, SWINE,  
AND PROSPECTS

11th May 2024  
7AM - 11AM  
at the Gladwin  
County Fairgrounds



You must bring your animals to the fairgrounds to get a fair tag but you do not have to weigh-in. If you do not weigh-in, you will not be eligible for rate-of-gain awards. All pigs must have an RFID tag in their ear at weigh-in; they will not be provided. All sheep must have a scrapies tag in their ear. Prospects who are selling at the auction must come to weigh-in to get a fair tag.

For those who ordered poultry: Turkeys have been ordered and you should have already received them. Ducks will tentatively be in around April 14th. Broilers will be in around April 30th. Bantams will be in around May 14th. When the birds are in, you must pick them up that day. No birds will be housed anywhere overnight. Please do not pack your schedules full around these dates so you are able to pick up your projects on time!



**Gladwin County 4-H**

**Beekeeping**

**SPIN Club**

**Early Summer 2024**



**Register now on  
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**Join the 4-H Youth Leadership Council! Open to youth ages 11-19 looking for leadership roles. Contact Talynn today for more information!**