



Ingham County

# 4-H Family News

April 30, 2021



## 4-H GROWS HERE

**Plug into 4-H this summer with  
4-H Exploration Days 2021-22:  
Registration Open: May 1– May 28, 2021**

Make plans to attend an exciting summer opportunity and choose your own adventure with 4-H Exploration Days: Expanded. This MSU precollege program has something for everyone, ages 12-19!

From June 22 - 24, youth from across Michigan can participate in this fun and engaging virtual learning experience that offers more than 60 different topics. Attendees will also hear from keynote speakers Justin and Alexis Black, authors of *Redefining Normal*, and come away with new energy and a desire to make a difference.

Registration for this event will open May 1 and close May 28. The cost to attend is \$20 and all youth will receive a swag bag, with the option to order their own 4-H Exploration Days: Expanded apparel. Learn more at [www.canr.msu.edu/4\\_h\\_exploration\\_days](http://www.canr.msu.edu/4_h_exploration_days).

**BUT WAIT.....Ingham County 4-H members are eligible for a \$10.00 scholarship using the coupon code: **expo10**.** Coupon Code can be used by multiple youth in one group registration (where one adult registers more than one youth) as long as the **coupon code is entered on each youth information page**. During registration on the first page of youth information, there will be coupon code area to enter this code to receive the savings when you get to the payment screen. We ask that you then finish the registration and complete payment for the youth attending.



**4-H Exploration Day: Expanded**  
June 22-24, 2021

**Registration Opens**  
May 1

Registration Link:  
<https://events.anr.msu.edu/explorationdays21/>

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## LOCAL NEWS AREA



### Swine Project Submission Forms due May 1

Due to COVID19, exhibitors should complete the project submission forms located at <https://www.canr.msu.edu/ingham/4-h/animal-projects/swine>. Please submit the health form, ractopamine form, producer affidavit, and parent affidavit paperwork to the **Fair Office by May 1.**

If you have questions, please contact Superintendent Macayla Bogart at (517) 706-8178 or email [bogartm1@msu.edu](mailto:bogartm1@msu.edu).

### YQCA Certification Needed to Sell Livestock At Fair

All youth must be YQCA certified in order to **sell your swine, beef or dairy market steer/feeder projects at Fair.**

Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) is a national multi-species quality assurance program for youth ages 8 to 21. YQCA is designed as an annual education and certification program focused on food safety, animal well-being and character awareness for youth producing and/or showing pigs, beef cattle, dairy cattle, sheep, goats, market rabbit, and poultry.

Complete your certification at <http://yqca.org/>. You will need to be prepared to pay for the cost of the YQCA training when you register with a credit/debit card. Register using your 4honline account. Contact Glenda at 676-7303 with questions.

### Paper Clover Promotion

Due to the pandemic, **Michigan 4-H clubs are not to promote the campaign with in-store activities.** (For example, there are no bake sales, dog washes, petting zoos, etc.)

- **Except for the store display contest listed above, all promotion and marketing efforts must be 100% virtual.**
- **You may promote the campaign via email, website, social media, etc.** to let your local supporters know of this opportunity to support your county 4-H program. Feel free to simply share the Michigan 4-H Foundation (@mi4hfdtn) or Michigan 4-H (@Michigan4H) social posts during the campaign on your local social accounts.
- If you choose to shop at TSC, consider supporting 4-H by purchasing a clover at checkout online or in stores.
- We also encourage you to reach out by phone or email and say thank you to your local store manager for their participation in this campaign and support of 4-H.





# 4-H Dare to Serve

#4HDaretoServe

**When:**  
**Month of May 2021**

**Why:**  
**4-Hers pledge their hands  
for larger service....**

PRIZE BAGS FOR CLUBS AND INDIVIDUALS  
(5 EACH, RANDOMLY DRAWN FROM ALL PROJECTS ENTERED)



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## Dare to Serve

Michigan 4-H and Learning To Give organization are co-sponsoring 4-H DARE TO SERVE Project. May is our kick-off month with prizes given out to 5 individuals and 5 clubs with completed projects by May 31. BUT service projects will be accepted all summer. Giving back to your community is wonderful but it also benefits your own health as well. Volunteering offers many health benefits from decreasing risk of depression, staying physically and mentally active to reducing stress. Lend a helping hand today, start planning your service project. Website where information is posted: <https://www.canr.msu.edu/community/dare-to-serve-challenge> Submit Service Project Information: <https://forms.gle/cUjbjqjL8aMsU1eB6> Enjoy serving your community!



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## Invasive Alien Invaders

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**SOCIAL MEDIA:**  
• Facebook:  
Ingham County 4H—  
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### TARGET AUDIENCE:

Youth ages 5 to 19 from Ingham, Eaton, Clinton and Ionia counties interested in improving their environment

### PROGRAM SUMMARY:

Join the forces as we battle against the ecosystem's invasive alien invaders. Learn how these invasive plants affect our environment and what you can do to help. Participants will learn how to recognize, and report six invasive species. Sessions will lead to the INVADER RAID!

### WHEN

Online: Thursdays May 20 to August 26; 6:30 pm

In Person (subject to change) INVADER RAID: Saturday, September 11th, 10:00 am — location to be determined

### HOW TO REGISTER:

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

ZOOM link will be shared upon registration



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Community Language School  
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## Community Language School Summer 2021 Online Classes

Session 1: Weeks of June 7<sup>th</sup> – July 5<sup>th</sup>  
Session 2: Weeks of July 19<sup>th</sup> – August 16<sup>th</sup>



### Available Classes:

Family Classes (ages 3-6): 45 minutes per week, registration fee \$40  
Kids Classes (ages 6-9): 45 minutes per week, registration fee \$40  
Preteens/Teens Classes (ages 10-14): 1 hour per week, registration fee \$40  
Adult Classes (ages 18+): 1.5 hours per week, registration fee \$60

Our online programs are designed to provide a fun, virtual learning environment which will introduce learners to different languages and cultures with a focus on developing oral communication skills. Our live classes (via Zoom), taught by qualified teachers, will meet once a week in each session.

**Languages offered: Arabic, ESL, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, and Spanish**

Session 1 Registration Deadline - May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
Session 2 Registration Deadline - July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021

**TO REGISTER CLICK THIS LINK:**

[https://commerce.cashnet.com/msu\\_3571](https://commerce.cashnet.com/msu_3571)

Visit our website for more information:  
<https://celta.msu.edu/language-school/>

## Adulting Topics

**May 5**

Resume Writing

*Learn the basics of resume writing.*

**May 12**

Public Speaking

*Learn the best practices of public speaking.*

**May 19**

Living on Your Own

*Identify benefits and negatives of renting vs. buying & affordability.*

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## ADULTING 101- SPRING SERIES

High School Youth

**May 5, 12, 19**

4:00 PM EST

Register: <https://events.anr.msu.edu/adulting101spring/>

For info: Beth Martínéz Mart1751@msu.edu

## Michigan 4-H State Horse Show postponed until 2022

Due to the ongoing complexities of the current COVID-19 public health crisis, Michigan State University Extension has made the decision to postpone the Michigan 4-H State Horse Show until 2022.

MSU Extension remains committed to resuming in-person programming when it is safe to do so. The decision regarding the Michigan 4-H State Horse Show does not indicate that all in-person 4-H summer programming in 2021 will be virtual or postponed. Rather, the decision reflects on the unique nature of the event, which gathers hundreds of participants and thousands of people from across the state together in one central location. The size and scope of this event, combined with a number of uncertainties that remain at this point in the novel coronavirus pandemic, led us to make an early decision about the Michigan 4-H State Horse Show this year.

MSU Extension and 4-H animal science educators will continue to seek out and identify virtual equine learning opportunities that youth can safely take part in throughout the summer months. In addition, when MSU Extension resumes a limited number of face-to-face events, 4-H educators will identify and share smaller, lower-risk, in-person activities for regional participation.

We appreciate your continued interest in Michigan 4-H programming and for your support and understanding of efforts to protect participant health. We hope to be back together on campus in 2022!

Questions? Contact Taylor Fabus at [tenlenta@msu.edu](mailto:tenlenta@msu.edu).

**2021**

*Sign Up Now!*

**Michigan 4-H Virtual**

*For youth ages 5-10!*

**Colts & Fillies Camp**

**June 21-25. Space is limited! \$35 registration fee includes kit, crafts, t-shirt & 3 camp meetings.**

<https://events.anr.msu.edu/MI4HVirtualColtsandFilliesCamp/>

Exploring with Scientists, an online series, connects upper elementary and middle school students with graduate students conducting ecological research at the Station. Each of the three programs, which will be held on Zoom, will focus on a certain type of animal or insect and touch on how scientists collect data in the field. Participants will be able to submit questions related to natural history, research and science careers.

The series is free, and sessions take place on Thursdays from 10 to 11 a.m. Registration is required to access the interactive Zoom meetings. Sessions also will be streamed via Facebook Live on the [Kellogg Bird Sanctuary page](#). The presenters, Elizeth Cinto-Mejia, Kyle Jaynes and Alice Puchalsky, are Michigan State University graduate students who are conducting research at KBS.

#### Exploring with Scientists schedule

*April 8—How do some frogs avoid extinction?*

*April 22—Do birds avoid noisy habitats?*

*May 6—Where do moths carry pollen?*

Register for each individual program to receive secure meeting details. Questions? Contact the Kellogg Bird Sanctuary at [birdsantuary@kbs.msu.edu](mailto:birdsantuary@kbs.msu.edu) or (269) 671-2510.

JOIN US ONLINE

## FOOD SAFETY ONLINE WORKSHOPS WEEK OF MAY 3RD

*Spring Food Safety Q&A*

*Monday, May 3rd - 1 p.m. EDT*

*Be Food Safe and Ready for Emergencies*

*Tuesday, May 4th - 12 p.m. EDT*

*Michigan Cottage Food Law Training*

*Tuesday, May 4th - 3 p.m. EDT*

*Investigating Food with Science*

*Wednesday, May 5th - 4 p.m. EDT*

*Spring Home Food Preservation*

*Thursday, May 6th - 1 p.m. & 6 p.m. EDT*

[HTTPS://WWW.CANR.MSU.EDU/SAFE\\_FOOD\\_WATER/EVENTS](https://www.canr.msu.edu/safe_food_water/events)  
TO JOIN BY PHONE, CALL IN ADVANCE TO REGISTER AT 877-643-9882.

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EXPLORING  
WITH  
SCIENTISTS!



<https://birdsantuary.kbs.msu.edu/events/exploring-with-scientists-how-do-some-frogs-avoid-extinction-online/>



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Bird Sanctuary  
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## Hunter to Hunter: Connective Conversations Webinar Series

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**TARGET AUDIENCE:** Michigan Deer Hunters

**PROGRAM SUMMARY:** This webinar series will strive to bring hunters, researchers, and wildlife managers together to build relationships and engage in education, constructive dialog, and increase awareness of current issues through key presentations, panel discussions, group discussions and question and answer segments. Participants will gain knowledge about 2021 Michigan deer hunting regulations, the importance of doe harvest, how to make donations through Michigan Sportsman Against Hunger and best practices for deer habitat management, mentoring new hunters, and more!

One hour webinars will be held on the following dates from 7-8 p.m. (see topic descriptions and presenters on page 2):

- May 20th
- June 3
- June 24
- August 12
- September 2
- September 23

**HOW TO REGISTER:**

Register online at <https://events.anr.msu.edu/huntertohunter2021/>  
Registration is required. Program is FREE.

**SPONSORS/PARTNERS:**

A special thank you to the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, the National Deer Alliance, Michigan Sportsman Against Hunger, and the MSU Department of Fisheries and Wildlife.

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*Sign Up Now!*

2021

**Michigan 4-H Virtual**



*For youth ages 5-10!*

**Puppy Pals Camp**

**June 21-25. Space is limited! \$35 registration fee includes kit, crafts, t-shirt & 3 camp meetings.**

<https://events.anr.msu.edu/MI4HCaninePuppyPalsCamp/>

# MICHIGAN 4-H VIRTUAL MEATS JUDGING CONTEST



## DETAILS

### Date:

Tuesday, May 11, 2021  
9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

### Awards Event:

Thursday, May 13, 2021  
7:00 p.m.

### Cost:

\$10 per person

## CLASSES

### Beef and Pork Classes:

- Carcass
- Wholesale
- Retail

### Retail ID

Beef Quality Grading  
Beef Yield Grading  
Questions Classes  
Oral reason Class

## REGISTRATION

<https://bit.ly/3aqtP89>

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



## SMALL ANIMAL WORKSHOP

Want to know more about your animal project?  
Goats, Poultry, Rabbits and Animal Health  
will be covered!

Join us on Wednesday nights in May!

MAY 5, 12, 19, 26  
6:30 P.M.  
ONLINE



You do not need to be in 4-H or Shiawassee County to attend these workshops, they are open to all youth ages 5-19, 4-H Leaders & Parents.





# Italian Virtual Culture Experience

Saturday May 22<sup>nd</sup> 1:00-3:00PM (EST)



Travel to Italy for the Day!

<https://forms.gle/oozETVm9dS4PMV9u9>



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NATURE CRAFTS TO MAKE YOUR HOME GREEN!

## BRING OUTSIDE (SP)IN

A nature crafts 4-H Special Interests Club.  
<https://events.anr.msu.edu/>

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### Bring Outside (SP)IN

Bring nature inside and make your home green! Join us and make terrariums, dry flowers, and paint rocks using materials you gather yourself! This FREE virtual club will get you outside and leave you with living art to remember the experience. This club is open to 4-H members ages 9 and up and will be held virtually from 4-5pm ET, Tuesdays May 11th to June 15th. Register online.



# VIRTUAL CROSS-CAMPUS CRUISE

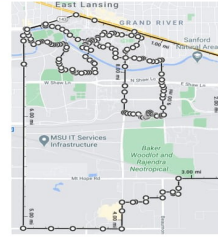
Get ready for a 12 mile virtual running challenge that will take you through the heart of the university "on the banks of the Red Cedar"!

May 16, 2021 thru May 29, 2021.

**For more Information Contact:**

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Sarah Schaner  
Oceana County 4-H  
Coordinator  
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(231) 873-2129



**Where you're going isn't as important as where you've been:**

Are you ready to run? Mason County and Oceana County 4-H are partnering together for the mother of all virtual fitness challenges. Over a two week time period, participants will virtually run across the MSU Campus.

Participants ages 5 thru 19 can run anywhere they choose (school tracks, parks, beaches) and log their miles into our special online form to track their progress. They will receive special postcards highlighting Campus landmarks as they continue on their journey and upon completion, will receive a beautiful finishing medal, sure to look great on their wall of accomplishments!

There will also be a special Goose Chase Scavenger Hunt for participants to win more prizes.

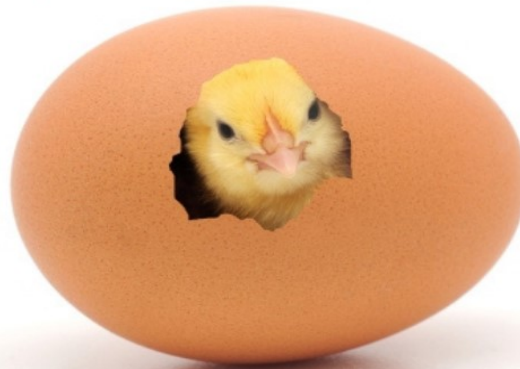
How to sign up:

1. Go to the following link to enroll:  
<https://events.anr.msu.edu/CrossCampusCruise/>

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<https://events.anr.msu.edu/Embryology24hspinclub/>

## Embryology 4-H SPIN Club



TUESDAYS MAY 25TH-JUNE 29TH 4:00-5:00PM

MICHIGAN 4-H | embryology



## Michigan Youth Livestock Scholarship Fund

Entries due May 15, 2021

### Two Scholarship Options for 2021

1) MYLSF SCHOLARSHIP (UP TO \$5,000)

2) STATE-WIDE SCHOLARSHIP (UP TO \$1,000)

*Both Scholarships are funded by proceeds from the Michigan State Fair Youth Livestock Auction and the Michigan Livestock Expo Auction*

Since 2000, the Michigan Youth Livestock Scholarship Fund has been awarding scholarships annually to outstanding youth who exhibit at the Michigan State Fair, Michigan Livestock Expo and Michigan Dairy Expo. The fund is also responsible for supporting educational awards provided to youth livestock and dairy exhibitors each year.

Applications and qualification requirements for the MYLSF and the statewide scholarship can be obtained at [https://www.michigan.gov/mdard/0,4610,7-125-48096\\_49214\\_100474---,00.html](https://www.michigan.gov/mdard/0,4610,7-125-48096_49214_100474---,00.html)

Applications must be postmarked no later than **May 15, 2021**. If you have any questions, please contact Jeff Haarer, Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural, at 517-284-5642 or Ernie Birchmeier, Michigan Farm Bureau, at 517-679-5335.

## Michigan 4-H Foundation Opens 2021-22 Grant Cycle

Awarded annually, the Michigan 4-H Foundation recently opened their grant and award opportunities for the 2021-2022 season. Open to 4-H volunteer leaders, members and staff, the grants and awards support local 4-H clubs and county programs, as well as recognize members of the 4-H community. All applications are due June 1.

Opportunities include:

- **Michigan 4-H Legacy Grants of \$1,000.** These grants are awarded to support development of a new program or initiative or to strengthen, enhance or expand a current program that is making a difference.
- **4-H On-Target Grants of \$500.** These grants support 4-H Shooting Sports programs to enhance existing programs, develop a new program or offer a special experience related to 4-H Shooting Sports.
- **The Collins 4-H Youth Horticulture Grant of \$350.** This grant is available only to 4-H youth clubs and supports advancement of club work in plant science and horticulture activities.
- **4-H Educational Garden Grants of \$1,000.** These grants support the creation of local 4-H educational gardens in Michigan.
- **Michigan Farm Bureau 4-H Excellence in Agriculture Award (includes \$1,000 grant).** This award recognizes the outstanding achievements of 4-H agricultural volunteers that have exhibited excellence in 4-H youth education and leadership development.

Learn more or apply online at <http://mi4hfdtn.org/grants>. Questions? Contact the Michigan 4-H Foundation at 517-353-6692.



The 4-H After-School Robotics Club in Iosco County received a \$1,000 Michigan 4-H Legacy Grant to use VEX Robotics as a tool

## MANAGING YOUTH STRESS



The novel coronavirus pandemic has been stressful for everyone. Families and youth are navigating new challenges, including social distancing, uncertain health outcomes and “a new normal.” These new stressors may spill over into their relationships and compound other stressful conditions in the family.

MSU Extension’s “Managing Youth Stress” document shares warning signs, ways to help and resources for stressed youth and parents of stressed youth. View or download the factsheet at [www.canr.msu.edu/resources/managing-youth-stress](http://www.canr.msu.edu/resources/managing-youth-stress).

### 4-H Events and Workshops

May 5—26: Shiawassee Small Animal Online Workshop

*Online*

Join us each Wednesday in May for a small animal workshop! Great for 4-H youth, parents and volunteers, the May 5 presentation will focus on goats, May 12 on poultry, May 19 on rabbits and May 26 on biosecurity and animal health.

[www.canr.msu.edu/events/shiawassee-small-animal-online-workshop](http://www.canr.msu.edu/events/shiawassee-small-animal-online-workshop)

May 1—29: Michigan 4-H Horse Programs’ Virtual Communications Contest

*Online*

Youth ages 5-19 have the opportunity to demonstrate their communication skills and earn prizes through various contests including public speaking, demonstration, infographics and photography. Entries must be submitted during the appropriate contest time frame.

[www.canr.msu.edu/events/2021-mi-4-h-horse-program-s-virtual-communications-contest](http://www.canr.msu.edu/events/2021-mi-4-h-horse-program-s-virtual-communications-contest)

May 8: MSU Tollgate Farm Homegrown Gardening Series

*Online*

Interested in starting a vegetable garden for the first time or an experienced veggie gardener looking to explore new ideas? Join this new monthly series designed to encourage and support home vegetable gardeners! The May session will focus on growing fun with kids.

[www.canr.msu.edu/events/msu-tollgate-farm-homegrown-gardening-series-2021-may-8](http://www.canr.msu.edu/events/msu-tollgate-farm-homegrown-gardening-series-2021-may-8)

May 11: Michigan 4-H Virtual Meats Judging Contest

*Online*

Evaluate carcasses and identify meats online in both individual and team competitions. The contest will include three beef classes, three pork classes, identification of 20 retail cuts, beef yield grade, quality grade of beef, two classes with questions, and one set of oral reasons.

[www.canr.msu.edu/events/michigan-4-h-virtual-meats-judging-contest](http://www.canr.msu.edu/events/michigan-4-h-virtual-meats-judging-contest)

May 11: Wild Spartans Series—Conservation & Management of Tribal Natural Resources

*Online*

Learn about researching and protecting species with cultural significance and discover how one Michigan tribe is preserving the natural world. Doug Craven, natural resources director for the Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians, will share his field work, education and career path.

[www.canr.msu.edu/events/wild-spartans-series-may](http://www.canr.msu.edu/events/wild-spartans-series-may)

May 21: MSU Tollgate Farm Virtual Sustainable Stewards Series

*Online*

Explore climate science and climate change with PhD candidate Lindsey Kemmerling as she shares climate science basics to help build your knowledge and understanding. Explore your own carbon footprint and engage in conversation about how you can make a difference.

[www.canr.msu.edu/events/msu-tollgate-farm-virtual-sustainable-stewards-series-may-21](http://www.canr.msu.edu/events/msu-tollgate-farm-virtual-sustainable-stewards-series-may-21)

For the most up-to-date events listing, go to <http://4h.msue.msu.edu/events>.

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# An Evening With 4-H Volunteers

6  
MAY  
2021  
7 P.M. EST



FEATURING JED DEARYBURY  
& 4-H VOLUNTEERS



## 4-H Volunteer Conference 2021

An Evening w/Volunteers May 6, 2021 Pop-Up Event We are excited to offer our first pop-up event, May 6 at 7 p.m. EST. An Evening with Volunteers features author, speaker, teacher, and friend, Jed Dearybury. Jed delights audiences as he helps us deliver programming that is fun, engaging and educational. Jed equips, empowers, and encourages as he shares best practices in youth development. Our evening includes networking and sharing with other volunteers, previews for our 2021 conference, give-aways and more. We'll be virtual and registered participants have the opportunity to review the recording through June 15. Registration is \$10 and closes May 4th.

<https://4hvcoss.regfox.com/an-evening-for-volunteers>

## NEW 4-H TSC DISPLAY CONTEST!

CYI leadership has approved for county 4-H programs to participate in a new nationwide 4-H display contest during the TSC campaign!

County 4-H programs may set up a promotional 4-H display near the 22x28" Paper Clover poster that will be posted in TSC stores during the duration of the campaign. This was inspired by the creativity of Alabama 4-H last fall (see example picture).

- **Tractor Supply will provide gift cards to 10 4-H programs that participate in the contest. One household or a staff member may set-up and tear-down a stand-alone display before or after normal operating hours.**
- Michigan 4-H and TSC will not allow individuals to attend to 4-H booths while the store is open.
- The display must be a stand-alone item as staff, members and volunteers may not sit at the area during operating hours.
- Safety protocols must be followed during set-up and tear-down: MSU community compact, MDHHS, CDC guidelines must be followed.
- The stand-alone displays will only be up during the duration of the 12-day campaign.
- The display cannot block any walkways. No impeding traffic in and out of the store.
- Take a photo of the stand-alone display to submit.





# Ingham County Fair Foundation



## Membership Application

### Member Information

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Last First M.I.*

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Street Address Apartment/Unit #*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*City State ZIP Code*

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Superintendent: \_\_\_\_\_ Department: \_\_\_\_\_

The Ingham County Fair Foundation is a 501(c)3 organization that can accept charitable contributions. **The Foundation is tax-exempt.** The purpose of this organization is to support the Fair in promoting youth development, education, charitable, and public benefit projects. Membership provides an opportunity to guide the direction of the organization and to share in supporting the future of the Ingham County Fair. Membership is a one-time fee of \$25.00 for an individual and \$100.00 for a business.

### MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Ingham County Fair Foundation is to obtain grants, gifts and sponsorships to support and enhance the Ingham County Fairgrounds to serve agricultural, business, cultural, educational, recreational, urban, and youth interests of Ingham County.

There is a **\$25 fee** to become a member. Please send in a check with this form to:

**Ingham County Fair Foundation**  
**700 East Ash Street**  
**Mason, MI 48854**



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2021 Ingham County Fair Foundation Fair Horse Show

REGISTRATION FORM

(Due: July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_ 4-H Age \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Leader: \_\_\_\_\_

- This registration form must be completed for each youth planning to show at the Youth horse show at the Fair. A completed form, with payment, is due to Marci Rene' Charest by Wednesday, July 10<sup>th</sup>.
- For 2021, Registering for classes at Fair will be done starting Friday, July 30<sup>th</sup>, EXCEPT FOR DRESSAGE... Dressage classes are pre-register only (See separate form) and must be returned to Debbie Bingham by July 10<sup>th</sup>.

Registration fee = \$15.00

If bringing a 2<sup>nd</sup> horse, add additional \$5.00

Total = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to: **Ingham County Fair Foundation**

Registration form, with payment, is due to Marci Rene' Charest **NO LATER THAN July 10<sup>th</sup>**.  
(Bring to the July 7<sup>th</sup> meeting, mail to Marci or contact her for other arrangements.)

Marci Rene' Charest  
P.O. Box 21093  
Lansing, MI 48909  
[charestm@msu.edu](mailto:charestm@msu.edu)

Note: For families with more than one youth showing horses, payment can be made with one check, but a separate form must be completed for each youth.

YOUTH SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT'S SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_



## INGHAM COUNTY FAIR; DRESSAGE CLASS SIGN UP

For 2021, Registering for classes at Fair will be done starting Friday, July 30<sup>th</sup>. EXCEPT FOR DRESSAGE... Dressage classes are pre-register only! Completed forms must be returned to Debbie Bingham NO LATER THAN July 10<sup>th</sup>. If showing 2 horses, complete one form for each horse.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Horse's Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday, July 31<sup>st</sup> (Main arena; start @ 9:00am)  
 \*May enter up to 3 Dressage tests-any combination\*

Class Class Description

1. Dressage First Level Test 1
- 1b. Dressage First Level Test 2
2. Dressage Training Level Test 3
3. Dressage Training Level Test 2
4. Dressage Training Level Test 1
5. Dressage Intro Level C
6. Dressage Intro Level B
7. Dressage Intro Level B (PEP without spotters)
8. Dressage Intro Level A
19. Dressage Intro Level A (PEP with spotters)
10. Western Dressage Intro Level Test 1
11. Western Dressage Basic Level Test 1
12. Western Dressage Basic Level Test 4
13. Western Dressage Level 1, Test 1

Class Number	Class Description

Dressage sign up forms must be returned to Debbie Bingham NO LATER than July 10<sup>th</sup>. (Bring to the July 7<sup>th</sup> meeting, mail to Debbie or contact her for other arrangements.)

Debbie Bingham  
 9213 Warner Rd. #2  
 Haslett, MI 48840  
 517-488-1340

YOUTH SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT'S SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**Dressage classes are PRE-REGISTER ONLY!**

Complete a Dressage class sign up form and return to Debbie Bingham NO LATER than July 10<sup>th</sup>.



2021 FAIR: CLASS LIST...SUNDAY

Royalty Class division: 2 age divisions (Senior, 15-19 & Junior, 10-14). Youth must compete in all 4 Royalty classes (Showmanship, Western Horsemanship, English Equitation and Barrels)

Sunday, August 1st (Main arena, start @ 8:30am)

Class Class Description

14. PEP Equitation With Spotters
15. PEP Equitation Without Spotters
- 16A. English Equitation- Royalty Class Sr. (15-19)
- 17A. English Equitation- Royalty Class Jr. (10-14)
18. English Equitation Pattern and Rail Advanced 11-14
19. English Equitation Pattern and Rail Advanced 15-19
- English Equitation Advanced CHAMPIONSHIP
20. English Equitation Pattern Intermediate 10-14
21. English Equitation Pattern Intermediate 15-19
- English Equitation Pattern Intermediate CHAMPIONSHIP
22. English Equitation Pattern Walk/Trot 1st Year
23. English Equitation Pattern Walk/Trot 2nd Year and over
- English Equitation Pattern Walk/Trot CHAMPIONSHIP
24. English Equitation Pattern Beginner 8-12
25. English Equitation Pattern Beginner 13-15
26. English Equitation Pattern Beginner 16-19
- English Equitation Pattern Beginner CHAMPIONSHIP
27. Saddle Seat Equitation OPEN
28. English Equitation Rail Walk/Trot 1st Year
29. English Equitation Rail Walk/Trot 2nd Year and over
- English Equitation Rail Walk/Trot CHAMPIONSHIP
30. English Equitation Rail Beginner 8-12
31. English Equitation Rail Beginner 13-15
32. English Equitation Rail Beginner 16-19
- English Equitation Rail Beginner CHAMPIONSHIP
33. English Equitation Rail 9-12
34. English Equitation Rail 13-15
35. English Equitation Rail 16-19
- English Equitation Rail CHAMPIONSHIP
- English Equitation HONORS CHAMPIONSHIP JUNIOR 8-14
- English Equitation HONORS CHAMPIONSHIP SENIOR 15-19

Sunday, August 1st (Main arena, start @ 2:00pm)

Class Class Description

36. Western Pleasure Gymkhana Senior 15-19
37. Western Pleasure Gymkhana Junior 8-14
- Western Pleasure Gymkhana CHAMPIONSHIP
38. Western Pleasure Pony Senior 15-19
39. Western Pleasure Pony Junior 8-14
- Western Pleasure Pony CHAMPIONSHIP
40. Western Pleasure Stock Horse Senior 16-19
41. Western Pleasure Stock Horse Intermediate 13-15
42. Western Pleasure Stock Horse Junior 8-12
- Western Pleasure Stock Horse CHAMPIONSHIP
43. Western Pleasure Walk/Trot 1st Year Horse
44. Western Pleasure Walk/Trot 2nd Year and over
- Western Pleasure Walk/Trot CHAMPIONSHIP
46. Suitability for Dressage English Sport Horse/Pony Senior 15-19
47. Suitability for Dressage English Sport Horse/Pony Junior 8-14
- Suitability for Dressage English Sport Horse/Pony CHAMP.
48. Western Pleasure Fine Horse Senior 15-19
49. Western Pleasure Fine Horse Junior 8-14
- Western Pleasure Fine Horse CHAMPIONSHIP
- Western Pleasure HONORS CHAMPIONSHIP SENIOR 15-19
- Western Pleasure HONORS CHAMPIONSHIP JUNIOR 8-14

Sunday, August 1st (Main arena, start @ 6:00pm)

Class Class Description

50. Barrels Walk/Trot
51. Barrels Beginner (1st Year)
52. Barrels Intermediate (2nd and 3rd Year)
53. Barrels Junior 8-14
54. Barrels Senior 15-19
55. Flag Race Walk/Trot
56. Flag Race Beginner (1st Year)
57. Flag Race Intermediate (2nd & 3rd Year)
58. Flag Race Junior 8-14
59. Flag Race Senior 15-19
60. Down and Back Walk/Trot
61. Down and Back Beginner (1st Year)
62. Down and Back Intermediate (2nd & 3rd Year)
63. Down and Back Junior 8-14
64. Down and Back Senior 15-19

2021 FAIR: CLASS LIST...TUESDAY

Tuesday, August 3rd (Main arena, start @ 8:30 am)

Class Class Description

106. PEP Obstacle Course
107. Pee-Wee Walk with Adult Lead
108. Pee-Wee Walk without Adult lead
109. Pee-Wee Walk/Trot
110. In-Hand Trail
111. Hunt Seat Trail (will use intermediate pattern)
112. Advanced Trail 11-15
113. Advanced Trail 16-19
114. Intermediate Trail 10-12
115. Intermediate Trail 13-15
116. Intermediate Trail 16-19
117. Beginner Trail 8-12
118. Beginner Trail 13-19
119. Trail Walk/Trot Intermediate

Tuesday, August 3rd (Starting at 6:00 pm)

Gymkhana Championship

Class Class Description

- 16-C Barrels; Royalty class Sr. (15-19)
- 17-C Barrels; Royalty class Jr. (10-14)
120. Barrels CHAMPIONSHIP Junior
121. Barrels CHAMPIONSHIP Senior
122. Flag Race CHAMPIONSHIP Junior
123. Flag Race CHAMPIONSHIP Senior
124. Pole Bending CHAMPIONSHIP Junior
125. Pole Bending CHAMPIONSHIP Senior
126. Figure 8 CHAMPIONSHIP Junior
127. Figure 8 CHAMPIONSHIP Senior
128. Down and Back CHAMPIONSHIP Junior
129. Down and Back CHAMPIONSHIP Senior
130. Speed and Action CHAMPIONSHIP Junior
131. Speed and Action CHAMPIONSHIP Senior

Costume Class Starting no earlier than 3:00pm

2021 FAIR: CLASS LIST...MONDAY

Monday, August 2nd (Main arena, start @ 8:30am)

Class Class Description

65. PEP Showmanship
66. Hunter Showmanship 8-14
67. Hunter Showmanship 15-19
68. Hunter Showmanship Walk/Trot
69. Saddle Seat Showmanship OPEN
- 16-B. Showmanship- Royalty Class Sr. (15-19)
- 17-B. Showmanship- Royalty Class Jr. (10-14)
70. Advanced Showmanship 11-15
71. Advanced Showmanship 16-19
- Advanced Showmanship CHAMPIONSHIP
72. Intermediate Showmanship 10-12
73. Intermediate Showmanship 13-15
74. Intermediate Showmanship 16-19
- Intermediate Showmanship CHAMPIONSHIP
75. Pee-Wee Showmanship
76. Walk/Trot Showmanship 1st Year
77. Walk/Trot Showmanship 2nd Year and over
- Walk/Trot Showmanship CHAMPIONSHIP
78. Beginner Showmanship 8-12
79. Beginner Showmanship 13-15
80. Beginner Showmanship 16-19
- Beginner Showmanship CHAMPIONSHIP
- Showmanship HONORS 8-12
- Showmanship HONORS 13-15
- Showmanship HONORS 16-19

Monday, August 2nd (Main arena; not to start before 3:00 pm)

Class Class Description

81. Versatility Sr.
82. Versatility Jr.
83. English/Western Riding GREEN OPEN
84. English/Western Riding OPEN
85. Reining; 4-H Pattern #1 OPEN
86. Freestyle Reining
87. Ranch Horse Pleasure Sr.
88. Ranch Horse Pleasure Jr.
89. Ranch Riding Sr.
90. Ranch Riding Jr.

Monday, August 2nd (Main arena, start @ 6:00pm)

Class Class Description

91. Pole Bending Walk/Trot
92. Pole Bending Beginner (1st Year)
93. Pole Bending Intermediate (2nd and 3rd Year)
94. Pole Bending Junior 8-14
95. Pole Bending Senior 15-19
96. Figure 8 Walk/Trot
97. Figure 8 Beginner (1st Year)
98. Figure 8 Intermediate (2nd and 3rd Year)
99. Figure 8 Junior 8-14
100. Figure 8 Senior 15-19
101. Speed and Action Walk/Trot
102. Speed and Action Beginner (1st Year)
103. Speed and Action Intermediate (2nd & 3rd Year)
104. Speed and Action Junior 8-14
105. Speed and Action Senior 15-19

2021 FAIR: CLASS LIST...WEDNESDAY

Wednesday, August 4th (Main arena, start @ 8:30am)

Class Class Description

132. PEP Pleasure with Spotters
133. PEP Pleasure without Spotters
134. Saddle Seat Pleasure OPEN
135. English Pleasure Gymkhana Senior 15-19
136. English Pleasure Gymkhana Junior 8-14
- English Pleasure Gymkhana CHAMPIONSHIP
137. English Pleasure Pony Senior 15-19
138. English Pleasure Pony Junior 8-14
- English Pleasure Pony CHAMPIONSHIP
139. English Pleasure Stock Horse Senior 16-19
140. English Pleasure Stock Horse Intermediate 13-15
141. English Pleasure Stock Horse Junior 8-12
- English Pleasure Stock Horse CHAMPIONSHIP
142. English Pleasure Walk/Trot 1st Year Horse
143. English Pleasure Walk/Trot 1st Year Pony
144. English Pleasure Walk/Trot 2nd Year and over
- English Pleasure Walk/Trot CHAMPIONSHIP
145. English Pleasure Sport Horse/Pony Senior 15-19
146. English Pleasure Sport Horse/Pony Junior 8-14
- English Pleasure Sport Horse/Pony CHAMPIONSHIP
147. English Pleasure Fine Horse Senior 15-19
148. English Pleasure Fine Horse Junior 8-14
- English Pleasure Fine Horse CHAMPIONSHIP
- English Pleasure HONORS CHAMP. SENIOR 15-19
- English Pleasure HONORS CHAMP. JUNIOR 8-14

Wednesday, August 4th (Not to start before 1:00pm)

Class Class Description

- 16-D. Western Horsemanship- Royalty Class Sr. (15-19)
- 17-D. Western Horsemanship- Royalty Class Jr. (10-14)
149. Dressage Equitation Eng. Sport Horse/Pony Senior 15-19
150. Dressage Equitation Eng. Sport Horse/Pony Junior 8-14
- Dressage Equitation Eng. Sport Horse/Pony CHAMP.
151. Western Horsemanship Rail Class 9-12
152. Western Horsemanship Rail Class 13-15
153. Western Horsemanship Rail Class 16-19
- Western Horsemanship Rail Class CHAMPIONSHIP
154. Western Horsemanship Rail Class Beginner 8-12
155. Western Horsemanship Rail Class Beginner 13-15
156. Western Horsemanship Rail Class Beginner 16-19
- Western Horsemanship Rail Class Beginner CHAMP.
157. Western Horsemanship Rail Class Walk/Trot 1st Year
158. West. Horsemanship Rail Class Walk/Trot 2nd Year & over
- Western Horsemanship Rail Class Walk/Trot CHAMP.
159. Western Horsemanship Pattern Advanced 11-14
160. Western Horsemanship Pattern Advanced 15-19
- Western Horsemanship Pattern Advanced CHAMP.
161. Western Horsemanship Pattern Intermediate 10-14
162. Western Horsemanship Pattern Intermediate 15-19
- Western Horsemanship Pattern Intermediate CHAMP.
163. Western Horsemanship Pattern Walk/Trot 1st Year
164. Western Horsemanship Pattern Walk/Trot 2nd Year & over
- Western Horsemanship Pattern Walk/Trot CHAMP.
165. Western Horsemanship Pattern Beginner 8-12
166. Western Horsemanship Pattern Beginner 13-15
167. Western Horsemanship Pattern Beginner 16-19
- Western Horsemanship Pattern Beginner CHAMP.
- Western Horsemanship HONORS Junior 8-14
- Western Horsemanship HONORS Senior 15-19