



Ingham County

4-H Family News

August 20, 2021



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4-H Walk In The Woods

September 16th,
6:30 p.m.
Baker Woodlot,
MSU Campus;
corner of Farm Lane
and Service Dr.
Event Facilitator:
Kristin Poley,
Science
Superintendent
Register:
https://events.anr.msu.edu/Walk_In_The_Woods/

Discover the enviroment of MSU's Baker Woodlot. This down to earth activity will focus on forestry, wildlife, entomology and sustainability.

More information:

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SCHOLARSHIP

Michigan Association of Fairs & Exhibition Scholarship

Application Due Oct 1, 2021

The Michigan Association of Fairs and Exhibitions is offering six (6), \$1000 scholarships to youth who have participated in their local fairs at least the previous three years. Scholarships are open to applications that are high school seniors or currently enrolled in an institution of advance learning such as a college, university or trade school.

For rules and application, please visit:

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



COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

Mason Cares—September 11, 2021

Dart Bank is proud to organize the annual “Mason Cares” on Wednesday, September 11, 2019 to honor the memory of the individuals who lost their lives during the terrorist attacks on America. It is also an event to honor our local police and fire departments and rescue personnel for the daily service they provide to our community.



The event will again be held at the James M. Pelton Memorial Fire Station at 221 W. Ash St., Mason from 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. The Memorial service will be starting at 7:00 p.m. This event involves teams of volunteers working together to show gratitude and help support our firefighters, police officers and rescue personnel. Some of the projects we will be working on are listed below:

- Sweeping, washing and waxing fire trucks and police cars
- Cleaning Malcolm’s House (child fire safety house)
- Washing windows at the fire station
- Sweeping and mopping floors at the fire station
- Dusting and polishing wood work at the fire station
- Cleaning landscape at the fire station

We can use all of the volunteers we can get to accomplish all these tasks. It takes quite a few people to wax a fire truck!

If your club is interested in organizing a team of volunteers and/or donating items to the event, please contact Colleen Briggs at (517) 244-4421 or email her at cbriggs@dartbank.com. Be sure to check with your local community for similar service projects on the National Day of Service and Remembrance.

Idea for Items to Donate

- ⇒ Food and beverage for volunteers, firefighters, police officers and rescue personnel
- ⇒ Batteries
- ⇒ Bottled water

STATEWIDE NEWS AREA

Join the Michigan State Fair 4-H & Youth Virtual Showcase!

MSU Extension is excited to partner again in 2021 with the [Michigan State Fair](#) for an exciting program for Michigan youth: the Michigan State Fair 4-H & Youth Virtual Showcase. This statewide showcase provides a virtual platform for Michigan 4-H'ers and other youth to exhibit their work in all project areas and apply for \$10,000 in scholarships. Michigan youth ages 5-19 are encouraged to participate.

Registration is now open until August 23! The diverse array of classes celebrate all the projects and programs in which youth have developed skill and mastery. This includes livestock and companion animal classes such as showmanship, breeding and market classes, as well as still exhibits, educational projects and more. There is no cost to participate and youth may engage in as many classes as they wish by submitting [project photos and videos](#). Project evaluation will occur before the start of the Michigan State Fair so that winners can be announced at the event which occurs September 2-6.

In addition to the opportunity to showcase their skills, recognize their accomplishments and receive constructive feedback for growth and development, participants in the Michigan State Fair 4-H & Youth Virtual Showcase will also have the opportunity to apply for \$10,000 in scholarships. Find the scholarship application and criteria, as well as registration information for the Michigan State Fair 4-H & Youth Virtual Showcase at extension.msu.edu/MSF4HShowcase.

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**Registration Ends
Monday**

Summer Money Management SPIN Club

Tuesday, August 24 until Thursday, August 26

1-2 p.m. EST

Register at <https://forms.gle/5v4xVcNg7rS2SchG7>



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Support Michigan 4-H at Walgreens

Help communities you care about by donating your *myWalgreens* Cash rewards



4-H community members that frequent Walgreens can now support Michigan 4-H while they shop!

The Michigan 4-H Foundation is now participating in the **myWalgreens** nonprofit donation program. At Walgreens, customers earn unlimited 1% Walgreens Cash rewards when shopping with a free **myWalgreens** membership. Walgreens customers may choose to donate their **myWalgreens** cash rewards to the Michigan 4-H Foundation or they can contribute \$1, \$5, or more of their Walgreens Cash rewards. It's that easy and the amount you donate is up to you!

To participate, interested individuals should login or create a **myWalgreens** account at: <https://www.walgreens.com/mywalgreens/donation.jsp>. Then, shop at Walgreens, using your **myWalgreens** rewards. Once your Walgreens cash adds up, donate all or a portion of your Walgreens cash to support the Michigan 4-H Foundation.

The last day to donate Walgreens cash is August 31, 2021.



VIRTUAL 4-H SPIN CLUB

AMONG US

PART 3 - ONE MORE TIME!

By popular demand, the most SUS club around is back! Join us to help find more imposters and play Among Us. You do NOT have to have been in a previous Among Us Club to join.

When: August 23, August 24, August 25, August 26, & August 27
4:30 - 5:30 PM EST

We will be meeting online using the Zoom app

MUST REGISTER ON 4-H ONLINE TO GET ACCESS TO CLUB

Free and Open to youth ages 9 and Up

Please visit bit.ly/4HAmongUs3 to receive more information about this club and how to register on 4-H Online

Limited to the first 30 Members




For More Info:

Facebook: Bay County 4-H

Instagram: @BayCounty4H

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**Mason County 4-H
League of Clovers**
231-845-3365



Player



**The powers
of being a
Dungeon
Master**

**How to be a Dungeon
Master Workshop**
September 25, 2021
2:00 pm to 4:00 pm
Register today!!!

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

4-H SPIN CLUB DIGITAL PORTFOLIO

Register at:

<https://forms.gle/yb7W7K8Ur8ZCM9zg7>

Tuesday & Thursdays
August 31 to September 16
4 PM to 5 PM EST

Grades: 9th & above

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Marquette & Mackinac County 4-H Present:

Creative Communication: Putting the U in Community!

We communicate every day. Learn how to create and market a successful event using basic communication skills!

Youth ages 10 and up are invited to join us every Wednesday & Thursday starting August 25th at 5pm! At the end of this club, we'll be hosting a community service project!

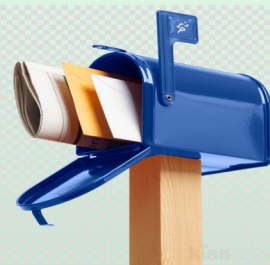
Register at:

<https://forms.gle/wPD5TqD416dH5kHF7> or
contact Amanda Cady at:
cadyaman@msu.edu with questions!



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**Take part in the
4-H Mail-In Match
for **Shooting Sports!****



In lieu of a 2021 State Shoot, shooting sports competitors are encouraged to take part in the Michigan 4-H Mail-In Match! This statewide event features competition at the home club, saving time and money. Events will be offered in all shooting disciplines, including air pistol, and members can compete in multiple experiences all for free!

The Match may help clubs to meet the pre-requisite of local competition prior to entry into the State Shooting Championships. Scores must be reported by September 26.

Learn more and find rules and registration at www.canr.msu.edu/shooting_sports/tournaments.



Hunting Basics Webinar Series

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TARGET AUDIENCE:

New, beginner, or novice Michigan Deer Hunters

PROGRAM SUMMARY:

This webinar series for new, beginner and novice hunters will share important concepts that will help hunters build their knowledge, skill base and confidence around various hunting topics.

Webinars will be held on the following dates at noon (all sessions will be recorded for those unable to join live):

- ⇒ September 7: Selecting the right gear for your hunt
- ⇒ September 14: Field dressing & home processing
- ⇒ September 21: The ins and outs of land access
- ⇒ September 28: Breaking down deer hunting regulations

HOW TO REGISTER:

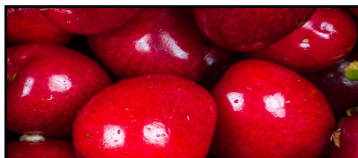
Register online at <https://events.anr.msu.edu/beginnerhunter/>.

Registration is required. Program is FREE.

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A special thank you to the Michigan Department of Natural Resources for their partnership.

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Join Us Online:

**Preserving MI Harvest
Every Thursday 1 p.m. & 6 p.m. EDT**

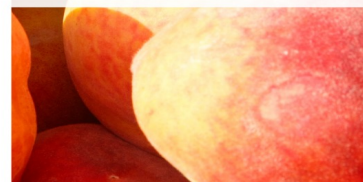
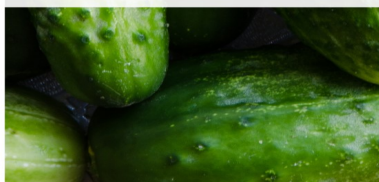
August 26 - Filling your Freezer

September 9 - Too Many Tomatoes

September 16 - Salsa 101

Sept. 23 - Drying Produce and Fruit Leathers

**To Learn More Visit: <https://events.anr.msu.edu/PreserveSummer21/>
To join by phone, call in advance to register at 877-643-9882.**



JOIN US ONLINE FOOD SAFETY ONLINE WORKSHOPS Week of Aug. 23rd

Food Safety Q & A
Monday, Aug. 23rd - 1 p.m. EDT

Safe Food = Healthy Kids
Monday, Aug. 23rd - 6 p.m. EDT

Be Food Safe and Ready for Emergencies
Tuesday, Aug. 24th - 12 p.m. EDT

Preserving MI Harvest - Home Food Preservation
Thursday, Aug. 26th - 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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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.

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4-H Events and Workshops

August 1-31: Michigan 4-H Dare to Serve Challenge

Communities across Michigan

Michigan 4-H and Learning To Give partnered to challenge all youth and adults to serve their communities. Their goal is to have at least one project in all 83 counties across the state of Michigan—plan your service project today!

www.canr.msu.edu/events/michigan-4-h-dare-to-serve-challenge-august-2021

August 4: Adulthood 101—Cooking

Online

Adulthood 101 helps high school youth to help prepare for life on their own. This session will cover the basics in the kitchen; learn about tools needed as well as ideas to keep you safe and healthy in the kitchen.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/adulthood-101-summer-cooking

August 11: Adulthood 101—Credit and Why it Matters

Online

Adulthood 101 helps high school youth to help prepare for life on their own. This session will teach participants about credit and why it is important.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/adulthood-101-summer-credit

August 14: MSU Tollgate Farm Homegrown Gardening Series 2021

Online

Are you interested in starting a vegetable garden for the first time, or are you an experienced veggie gardener looking to explore new ideas? All levels of experience are welcome at this monthly series. This session will focus on companion planting.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/msu-tollgate-farm-homegrown-gardening-series-2021-aug-14

August 18: Adulthood 101—Choose Your Future

Online

Adulthood 101 helps high school youth to help prepare for life on their own. Join this session to explore how to choose a career path that is compatible with your interests, skills, values, and personality.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/adulthood-101-summer-future

August 21, 2021: Michigan 4-H State Dog Show

Shiawassee County Fairgrounds, Corunna

The Michigan State 4-H Dog Show provides an opportunity for 4-H members aged 8-19 to compete in showmanship, obedience, rally and agility classes. Register by August 6.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/2021-michigan-4-h-state-dog-show

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