



Ingham County

4-H Family News

September 17, 2021

Sept 28—Volunteer Update Meeting—6:30 pm—Shirley Clark Pavilion
Sept 29—Volunteer Update Meeting—6:30 pm—Shirley Clark Pavilion
Oct 10—Apples to Sauce—1:00 pm—Fairgrounds Community Hall

2021-2022 4-H Reenrollment is Now Open!

4honline is now ready for reenrollment. Please log into your [4HOnline](#) Family account to submit enrollment for each member of your family - participating Youth and Adults (*Adults only if a volunteer).

Go to <http://mi.4honline.com> and enter the email and password you created last year. If you've forgotten your password, select "I forgot my password" and follow the instructions. Once at your family homepage, work through each member's page to complete/update personal information, authorizations and project information. **PLEASE MAKE SURE CLUB AND PROJECT INFORMATION IS UP TO DATE!** Pay special attention to your "Years in 4-H" and be sure to add **each project** a member is/has been involved in.

MSU Extension recognizes that the COVID-19 pandemic and other associated factors have put a financial strain on many families. Therefore, we have again opted to waive the Michigan 4-H participation fee of \$20 per person or \$60 per family for the 2021-2022 4-H program year which begins September 1, 2021. Some events may continue to have registration fees. You will continue to register through 4-H Online, but no participation fees will be collected or expected this year.

If you are interested in supporting 4-H in lieu of paying participation fees, please contact your 4-H program coordinator for opportunities.



Community Leaders: You must reenroll in order to have access to your club's information. Once approved by County staff, your access will be restored.

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Ingham County 4H- MSU Extension



Be sure to like and follow us for the latest 4-H information.

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4-H Fair Superintendent Opening

1 open position
- Poultry
(applications due Oct 18)

If interested, please
complete application at
<https://www.canr.msu.edu/ingham/uploads/files/4H%20Superintendent%20Application%20Form.pdf>



4-H Livestock Committee

**2 at-large
open positions**
(applications due Nov 1)

If interested, please
complete application at
<https://www.canr.msu.edu/ingham/uploads/files/Livestock%20Committee%20application.pdf>

Apples to Sauce

October 10, 2021

1:30 pm

Ingham County Fairground
Community Hall

Cost: \$7.00 - pay at door

Register by October 6 -

<https://forms.gle/ShYaj5Uo7hkuPNw98>

More Information:

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Learn the steps involved in canning applesauce in this hands-on event. MSU Extension Food Safety Educator will lead the youth through the steps while covering the importance of food safety.



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Energizing & Updating 4-H Leaders Celebrate in-person 4-H meetings

Offered twice: 6:30-September 28 or 29
Ingham County Fairgrounds - pavilion

4-H youth have found it difficult staying engaged in 4-H clubs during Covid-19 restrictions. Let's re-engage and energize the youth.

All 4-H volunteers invited

- Door Prizes
- Project Supplies
- Dinner

RSVP: 517-676-7297 or lguy@ingham.org



Go, Team!



4-H ALUMNI FALL WALKING CHALLENGE

TEAMS OF 5 ADULTS, STARTING OCTOBER 3!

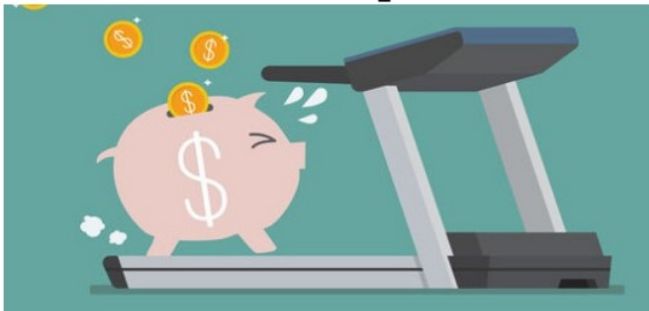
Register today! <https://www.canr.msu.edu/events/michigan-4-h-alumni-and-supporters-fall-team-walking-challenge>

4-H Financial Fitness and Fun

Tuesdays

October 5-December 7, 2021

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm



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



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Department of Licensing and Regulatory
Affair (LARA)





Making Food Your Business 4-H Spin Club

Mondays and Thursdays
October 4th thru October 25th
4:30 pm to 5:30 pm EST

Register:

<https://events.anr.msu.edu/making-sellingfood/>



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HUMAN BIOLOGY EXPLORATION 4-H SPIN CLUB

**TUESDAY EVENING BEGINNING
SEPTEMBER 14TH -OCTOBER 19TH**

FROM 6:00PM - 7:00PM EST

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BIOLOGY



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4-H Shooting Sports Instructor Certification Workshop

DATE:

Sunday, Oct. 10th, 2021
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

COST:

Workshop cost is \$55.
Bring your own lunch.

LOCATION:

Barry County
Conservation Club
1180 Cook Rd.
Hastings, MI

CONTACT:

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4-H State Shooting
Sports Coordinator
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**RIFLE CERTIFICATION**

BB gun

Air Rifle / Pellet

Small Bore 22 Rifle

TARGET AUDIENCE:

One-day rifle training workshop. New hybrid training format. This pilot class is restricted to adult instructors *only* who have previously completed an instructor workshop (any discipline) and who seek to lead BB, Air Rifle or Small Bore Rifle activities with 4-H members. In-person class accompanied by video learning modules.

PROGRAM SUMMARY:

Interested in leading shooting sports with a 4-H club? All 4-H Shooting Sports clubs are supervised by a certified 4-H Shooting Sports Instructor. Instructors are certified in the specific discipline they wish to lead. Training includes skill development, safety, risk management and appropriate ways to share this content with youth.

Read more about Michigan 4-H Shooting Sports program at https://www.canr.msu.edu/shooting_sports/.

HOW TO REGISTER:

Please click on the link to register and pay through events management: <https://events.anr.msu.edu/RifleTraining/>

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ESP Presents its Inaugural Virtual World Cooking Series!

Session 2: October 19, 2021 12:00-1:00pm

A Taste of North American Cuisine featuring: Great Lakes Indigenous Food

DEMONSTRATION PROVIDED BY:
MSU HEALTH4U - ABBY RICHEY, MS, RD

RECIPES AND COOKING PROVIDED BY:
CHEF ROB TRUFANT - KELLOGG CATERING



STARTER

Smoked Fish on White Bean Spread
Served with Corncake

MAIN

Braised Buffalo with Pan Sauce
Beans, Corn, and Squash
Wild Rice Pilaf

DESSERT

Fry Bread with Wojapi Sauce



HEALTH4U PROGRAM



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.

SPONSORS/PARTNERS:

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

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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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JOIN US ONLINE

FOOD SAFETY ONLINE WORKSHOPS
Week of Sept. 20th

Food Safety Q & A

Monday, Sept. 20th - 1 p.m. EDT

Pantry Food Safety - It's Your Job

Monday, Sept. 20th - 2 p.m. EDT

Michigan Cottage Food Law Training

Tuesday, Sept. 21st - 6 p.m. EDT

Preserving MI Harvest - Home Food Preservation

Thursday, Sept. 23rd - 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.

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>



STATEWIDE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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Indoor masking reminder



In August, MSU issued new guidance for the MSU community. **Until further notice, attendees at any indoor MSU Extension or Michigan 4-H program or event are required to wear a face covering.** This includes 4-H meetings and other volunteer-led events. Unless they have a medical exemption, face coverings must be worn by everyone in attendance over age 2 regardless of vaccination status.

For the purpose of MSU Extension or Michigan 4-H events and programs, indoor events are considered those in an enclosed building with limited airflow. Barns and other outbuildings that have multiple doors that can be fully opened to maximize air flow are considered an outdoor, open air facility.

Find the most up-to-date information about in-person event requirements at extension.msu.edu/approvedactivities.

4-H Events and Workshops

September 8: Welcome Back MSU 4-H Alumni Reception

Morrill Hall of Agriculture, East Lansing

If you are a current or former 4-H'er attending MSU this fall, stop by outside the Morrill Hall of Agriculture for networking and free dinner! Interact with 4-H alums and free pizza and pop will be provided.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/msu-welcome-week-4-h-alumni-reception

September 11: Saginaw Bay 4-H Fish Camp—Bay County

Bay City State Park, Bay City

Bay County 4-H, Michigan Sea Grant, Project FISH and local partners will be hosting a one-day Fish Camp. Participants will learn about knot-tying, tackle crafting, casting, aquatic ecology, angler ethics and more! Register by September 3.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/saginaw-bay-4-h-fish-camp-bay-county

September 11: Clare & Gladwin Counties 4-H Teen Night

4X Adventureland, Harrison

Come hangout with your 4-H friends! All participants will get to do one escape room, play a round of putt putt golf and get ice cream! Register by September 8.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/clare-gladwin-counties-4-h-teen-night

September 11: MSU Tollgate Farm Homegrown Gardening Series 2021

Zoom Webinar

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 veggie harvest and storage.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/msu-tollgate-farm-homegrown-gardening-series-2021-sept-11

September 18: Saginaw Bay 4-H Fish Camp—Arenac County

River Side Park, Au Gres

Arenac County 4-H, Michigan Sea Grant, Project FISH and local partners will be hosting a one-day Fish Camp. Participants will learn about knot tying, tackle crafting, casting, aquatic ecology, angler ethics and more! Register by September 10.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/saginaw-bay-4-h-fish-camp-bay-county-arenac-county

September 18: 4-H Open House Lapeer County

Lapeer County MSU Extension Office, Lapeer

Come join this family-focused event and learn what 4-H has to offer! Open to the public, the event will have hands-on activities and fun events.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/4-h-open-house-lapeer-county

September 25: 4-H League of Clovers: The Dungeon Master Knows All

West Shore Community College, Scottville

Learn how to go from playing Dungeons & Dragons to being the Dungeon Master of your very own quest!

www.canr.msu.edu/events/4-h-league-of-clovers-the-dungeon-master-knows-all

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



Kristin Poley, Ingham County 4-H Science Superintendent, hosted “A Walk In The Woods” at Baker Woodlot on MSU campus. Youth eager to learn about plants, insects, mammals and the environment attended this 90 minute event. For many of these youth, this was their first exposure to Ingham County 4-H. Many of the youth are eager to participate in more events and explore more opportunities that 4-H has to offer.

Great job Kristin and her assistant Nathan!
