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LIVINGSTON

COUNTY 4-H

CLUB DIRECTORY

**DEVELOPING LIFE
SKILLS THROUGH FUN,
HANDS-ON CLUB
PROJECTS!**

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HEAD



HEART



HANDS



HEALTH



ABOUT 4-H



4-H IS DELIVERED BY COOPERATIVE EXTENSION-A COMMUNITY SINCE 1902 OF MORE THAN 100 PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES ACROSS THE NATION THAT PROVIDES EXPERIENCES WHERE YOUNG PEOPLE LEARN BY DOING. YOUTH COMPLETE HANDS-ON PROJECTS IN AREAS LIKE HEALTH, SCIENCE, AGRICULTURE AND CITIZENSHIP, IN A POSITIVE ENVIRONMENT WHERE THEY RECEIVE GUIDANCE FROM ADULT MENTORS AND ARE ENCOURAGED TO TAKE ON PROACTIVE LEADERSHIP ROLES. YOUTH EXPERIENCE 4-H IN EVERY COUNTY AND PARISH IN THE COUNTRY THROUGH IN-SCHOOL AND AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS, MENTORING, SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY CLUBS AND 4-H CAMPS. OUR PROGRAMS ARE AVAILABLE FOR YOUTH AGES 5-19. WHEN YOU GO TO 4-H EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES, CONTAGIOUS LAUGHTER AND SMILES ARE EVERYWHERE. WHEN YOU JOIN 4-H YOU ARE JOINING A FAMILY. THE 4-H'S STAND FOR HEAD, HEART, HANDS AND HEALTH. THEY REPRESENT THE FOUR VALUES MEMBERS WORK ON THROUGH FUN AND ENGAGING PROGRAMS.

HEAD = MANAGING & THINKING
HEART = RELATING & CARING
HANDS = GIVING & WORKING
HEALTH = BEING & LIVING

————— I pledge —————
my *head* to clearer thinking,
my *heart* to greater loyalty,
my *hands* to larger service,
my *health* to better living,
for my *club*, my *community*,
my *county*, and my *world*.

IN MICHIGAN, 4-H YOUTH DEVELOPMENT IS DELIVERED LOCALLY AND OPERATED THROUGH A PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE COUNTY GOVERNMENT, MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION, AND THE U.S DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.



HOW DO I START?



JOIN AN EXISTING CLUB

Take a look at what our clubs have to offer in Livingston County. Contact the club leader directly to see if that club will be a good match for your family. Not all clubs offer all projects, so find a club that offers leadership in the project area that meets your interests.

START YOUR OWN CLUB

All you need are at least 3 families, 5+ Kids and an adult volunteer to organize the club. Choose the areas of interest and meeting times. The MSU Extension 4-H staff will help you get started.

DECIDE ON A PROJECT

There are many different project areas for 4-H members to participate in. Whether your area of interest is animal based, agriculture, photography, science, or even theatre. The sky is the limit and you are only restricted by your imagination.

ENROLL IN 4-H ONLINE

Michigan 4-H uses 4-H Online to manage member enrollments. You can find the website at <https://v2.4honline.com> . If you have any questions about enrolling, please contact the Extension Office for help.

LAST BUT NOT LEAST

Get Involved in your 4-H Group and have fun! Remember, you're only limited by your imagination!

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OUR CLUBS



DOGS

CLUB: AWESOME PAWS

LOCATION: PINCKNEY
LEADER: LESLIE BOHNETT
CONTACT: LBOHNETT@HOTMAIL.COM
PROJECT AREAS: DOGS, ARTS & CRAFTS,
COMMUNITY SERVICE

CLUB: RANGER'S

LOCATION: HARTLAND
LEADER: JUDY PAULSEN
CONTACT: 810-348-8480 OR
RANGERS.JUDY@GMAIL.COM
PROJECT AREAS: MOST PROJECT AREAS

CLUB: GUSTY ACRES 2.0

LOCATION: WILLIAMSTON
LEADER: PAULA KLEIN
CONTACT: 517-404-4544
PROJECT AREAS: MOST PROJECT AREAS,
CLOVERBUD

HORSES

CLUB: IT'S A PLEASURE

LOCATION: HOWELL
LEADER: SHELLEY STEADMAN
CONTACT: SHELLSTEADMAN@GMAIL.COM
PROJECT AREAS: HORSES

HORSES

CLUB: OUTBACK REBELS

LOCATION: HOWELL/PINCKNEY
LEADER: EDNA MONEY
CONTACT: 517-404-7317
PROJECT AREAS: HORSES, CRAFTS, FOOD,
GOATS

CLUB: CANTER-LOPES

LOCATION: BRIGHTON
LEADER: STACY CARROLL
CONTACT: 312-848-1791
PROJECT AREAS: HORSES

CLUB: BARNYARD BANDITZ

LOCATION: FOWLerville
LEADER: MELISSA LABADIE
CONTACT: LABADIEMOM10@GMAIL.COM
PROJECT AREAS: HORSES

CLUB: ROMPIN' & STOMPIN'

LOCATION: FOWLerville
LEADER: CARA ARBENOWSKE
CONTACT: 517-223-8619
PROJECT AREAS: ARTS & CRAFTS, HORSES,
MOST LIVESTOCK, CLOVERBUD
***ENROLLMENT IN FALL ONLY**

CLUB: LIVINGSTON LEGACIES

LOCATION: FOWLerville
LEADER: NANCY KREBS
CONTACT: 517-861-9527
PROJECT AREAS: LIVESTOCK, ARTS & CRAFTS,
HORSE, CLOVERBUD

SOME CLUBS MAY BE LISTED IN MULTIPLE AREAS

CLOVERBUD = ACCEPTS YOUTH AGES 5-7

ENROLLMENT IN FALL ONLY = CONTACT LEADER FOR MORE INFORMATION



OUR CLUBS



GENERAL

CLUB: ROOTS & WINGS

LOCATION: HOWELL
LEADER: CLARA COPOLLA
CONTACT: (248) 660-5334
PROJECT AREAS: MOST PROJECT AREAS,
CLOVERBUD

CLUB: SHOOTING STARS

LOCATION: HOWELL
LEADER: RENEE PASKO, CHRIS PASKO, JON
PASKO
CONTACT: 517-861-6628
PROJECT AREAS: ARTS & CRAFTS, SWINE,
SPECIAL NEEDS, CLOVERBUD

CLUB: RANGER'S

LOCATION: HARTLAND
LEADER: JUDY PAULSEN
CONTACT: 810-348-8480 OR
RANGERS.JUDY@GMAIL.COM
PROJECT AREAS: MOST PROJECT AREAS

CLUB: U SHOES

LOCATION: HARTLAND
LEADER: NANCY MUSCATO
CONTACT: 248-685-9683
PROJECT AREAS: HORSES, ARTS & CRAFTS

CLUB: GUSTY ACRES 2.0

LOCATION: WILLIAMSTON
LEADER: PAULA KLEIN
CONTACT: 517-404-4544
PROJECT AREAS: MOST PROJECT AREAS,
CLOVERBUD

CLUB: ROMPIN' & STOMPIN'

LOCATION: FOWLerville
LEADER: CARA ARBENOWSKE
CONTACT: 517-223-8619
PROJECT AREAS: ARTS & CRAFTS, HORSES,
MOST LIVESTOCK, CLOVERBUD
*ENROLLMENT IN FALL ONLY

CLUB: TRI-COUNTY KIDS

LOCATION: FOWLerville
LEADER: JEANNIE BAUER-BOSWORTH
CONTACT: 517-468-3529
PROJECT AREAS: ARTS & CRAFTS, FOODS,
GOATS, POULTRY, RABBITS, SHEEP, SHOOTING
SPORTS, CLOVERBUD

CLUB: WESTSIDE MISFITS

LOCATION: FOWLerville
LEADER: SHERI VANWYCK
CONTACT: 517-256-6277
PROJECT AREAS: ARTS & CRAFTS, FOODS,
GOATS, POULTRY, RABBITS, SHEEP, SWINE,
BEEF, CLOVERBUD

CLUB: FUZZY CRITTERS

LOCATION: FOWLerville
LEADER: DONNA CARPENTER
CONTACT: 517-202-7961
PROJECT AREAS: MOST PROJECT AREAS,
RABBITS, CLOVERBUD



OUR CLUBS



LIVESTOCK

CLUB: BARNYARD BUNCH

LOCATION: FOWLerville

LEADER: MOLLY MOULTON

CONTACT: MOULTONFAMILY94@GMAIL.COM

PROJECT AREAS: BEEF, SWINE,
CLOTHING/TEXTILES, WILDLIFE, CLOVERBUD

***ENROLLMENT CLOSED FOR 2022-2023**

CLUB: CLOVER VALLEY

LOCATION: HOWELL

LEADER: SUE GROVER

CONTACT: 517-294-1421

PROJECT AREAS: DAIRY, SHEEP & SWINE

CLUB: KOUNTY KLOVER KIDS

LOCATION: FOWLerville

LEADER: TEENA & GORDON MUNSELL

CONTACT: 517-294-0060

PROJECT AREAS: ARTS & CRAFTS,
LIVESTOCK, FOODS, WOODWORKING,
CLOVERBUD

CLUB: LIVINGSTON LEGACIES

LOCATION: FOWLerville

LEADER: NANCY KREBS

CONTACT: 517-861-9527

PROJECT AREAS: LIVESTOCK, ARTS &
CRAFTS, HORSE, CLOVERBUD

CLUB: NORTHERN NEIGHBORS

LOCATION: FOWLerville

LEADER: ABBY ALDRED

CONTACT: ABBYALDRED@GMAIL.COM

PROJECT AREAS: ARTS & CRAFTS, SWINE,
FEEDER CALVES, CLOVERBUD

***ENROLLMENT CLOSED FOR 2022-2023**

CLUB: KEEPIN' IT COUNTRY

LOCATION: WEBBERVILLE

LEADER: HEATHER DERIAN

CONTACT: (517)899-3248 OR

HEATHERDERIAN@YAHOO.COM

PROJECT AREAS: LIVESTOCK



GET INVOLVED!



SO I FOUND A CLUB, NOW WHAT?

ONCE YOU HAVE TALKED TO THE LEADER AND SELECTED YOUR CLUB, THE FINAL STEP IS TO REGISTER ONLINE AT [HTTPS://V2.4HONLINE.COM/](https://v2.4honline.com/) IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO GIVE US A CALL AT 517-546-3950.

WANT TO VOLUNTEER?

4-H IS ALWAYS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS. ADULTS AGED 21 AND OLDER ARE ENCOURAGED TO HELP OUR CLUBS. 4-H IS A VOLUNTEER-POWERED ORGANIZATION. VOLUNTEERS RECEIVE SUPPORT, GUIDANCE, AND HELP MAKING IDEAS INTO REALITY FROM 4-H STAFF MEMBERS. OTHER PERKS INCLUDE ACCESS TO 4-H CURRICULUMS, WORKSHOPS, TRAININGS, AND OTHER RESOURCES FROM MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION. SOME VOLUNTEERS CHOOSE TO VOLUNTEER ON A REGULAR BASIS BY STARTING THEIR OWN CLUBS, OR VOLUNTEERING WITH AN EXISTING CLUB. OTHERS HELP OUT ON A SHORT-TERM OR ANNUAL SCHEDULE WITH SPECIAL EVENTS OR RUNNING SHORT PROGRAMS. TO GET INVOLVED, CONTACT A 4-H PROGRAM COORDINATOR TO DISCUSS PROGRAMMING OPPORTUNITIES AND RECEIVE INFORMATION ABOUT HOW TO COMPLETE THE VOLUNTEER SELECTION PROCESS.

CONTACT US!

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OTHER WAYS TO GET INVOLVED



LIVINGSTON COUNTY 4-H COMMITTEES

4-H COUNCIL

4-H TEEN COUNCIL

THERAPEUTIC RIDING PROGRAM (TRP)

HORSE COMMITTEE

SMALL/LARGE ANIMAL COMMITTEE

COUNTY WIDE OPPORTUNITIES

4-H JUNIOR MASTER GARDENER

GRAND EQUESTRIANS PEP PROGRAM

CLOVERBUD CAMP

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