WASHTENAW 4-H NEWSLETTER

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GOOGLE CALENDAR

See the link below or in the bottom of the email to access the google calendar. The Google Calendar will contain the county committee and board meetings with links and times. Also check out the calendar to see state wide events 4-H offers to all members. https://calendar.google.com/calendar/u/0/r/day/2021/2/23? cid=bXN1LmVkdV9xMW0wNDFpdDQ1cnB1cG8 yYXB0aDlhMmh0a0Bncm91cC5jYWxlbmRhci5

CLUB REVIEWS

It is that time of year that we need to do Club Reviews. Club leaders have been contacted and will need to return the appropriate forms. We are missing many of these completed forms. Club leaders please check your email inbox, and contact staff with any questions.





Happy Valentine's Day

from Washtenaw 4H

PROJECT RED

Washtenaw County 4-H has for many years helped put on a event called Project RED, Rural Education Days. This year, due to unknown restrictions and in an effort to protect youth, the event will be held virtually. Videos will be filmed and sent out to partners.

STAFF HOURS

Ashley Walds

9am-5pm Mondays-Tuesdays 9am-1pm Wednesday



Katherine Miller

9am-5pm Monday-Friday

FEBRUARY MEETINGS

Ambassadors Feb 4th 6:00pm

Livestock and Dairy Jan 11th 7:00 pm

Still Projects Feb 23rd 6:30 pm

Horse Association Feb 23rd 7:00 pm

2021 YOUTH SHOW

2020 was not an easy year for most Americans and the challenges it brought to 4-H was no exception. However, please know we are hard at work and busy preparing to bring you the best possible 4-H Youth Show in Washtenaw County this summer. We are hopeful that the Youth Show will be in-person but are working on details for a hybrid or virtual option as well...just in case. We understand you need guidance and clarification to plan your projects. We expect to have more thorough information from our 4-H State Leader that we can share with you in the very near future.

Until then, please plan as if we are going to have an in-person show. Make sure your enrollment in 4-H Online is up to date, you note the weigh-in and tagging days listed in the newsletter and you continue to build confidence and mastery with your projects.

Last year's challenges led to learning opportunities for us as a county to improve in 2021. 4-H is about making the best better and 2021 allows us to do just that. Please keep doing the amazing work that you do. We look forward to seeing you this summer...one way or the other!

-Washtenaw County 4-H Staff



EVENTS GALORE

4-H in the Kitchen Live! Baked Corndogs

February 20th, 2021 at 2 pm Registration closes Feb 17th Open to any youth ages 8-19 as of Jan. 1, 2021.

4-H League of Clovers Gaming Society
Meets Feb 27th, March 6th, March 13th
2:00pm- 3:30pm Dungeons & Dragons
Registration closes Feb 24th
Open to any youth ages 10-19 as of Jan
1, 2021

4-H Movies that Matter

Black History movies on every Friday in February and Monday discussion Program is free and open to all 4-H ages 13+

For links to any of these events, and more or links to meetings, please check the google calendar or email the office.



TAGGING DAYS

Beef weigh-in is scheduled for March 6th, 2021 - 8-11 am Sheep/Swine/Feeder/Goat tagging is scheduled for May 8th, 2021 8-11 am NOTE: These dates are scheduled with the assumption MSUE guidelines will allow face to face programming by this time.

STATE AWARDS

applications are out! Have you applied in the past? If not, no need to fear. Washtenaw 4-H staff are here to help you take a step out of your comfort zone, and apply your skills for the opportunity at a state award. This is a wonderful resume builder, achievements that may open more doors, and applying will give you chances to build your writing and interview skills.