



SC4-H News

Oct/Nov 2023

From the Educator-

Happy Fall! It's time for cool weather, bonfires, pumpkins, sweatshirts and best of all it's time to enroll in Shelby County 4-H! Please be

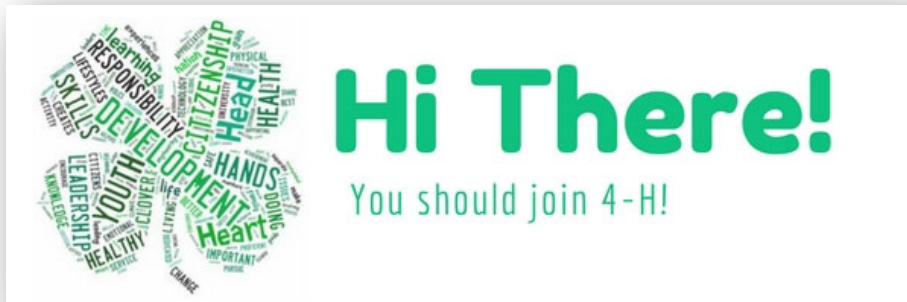
sure to re-enroll again this year in 4-H and encourage your friends to join as well. We have a wonderful program here and there are countless opportunities available in 4-H! If you have any questions when working through the enrollment process (like what email is associated with my account?) please let us know and we can help you!

Last year, we implemented the Read, Taste, and Touch (RT2) programming via mail/email to youth. ***New this year***, we will be implementing this programming **IN PERSON** (bimonthly) to youth K-3. Our first month of programming will begin in October where we will be learning out the season of harvest and farm machinery.

Register for this FREE program by scanning the QR code here.

Thanks again for those members who are in the program, parents and all volunteers for all your help. I truly appreciate all you do!

~Bailey



RT2 2024 Registration





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News You Need to Know:

All 4-H Families-

Enrollment dates for the 2023-2024 4-H Year!

Indiana 4-H program enrollments will open on October 1, 2023 and will end on May 15, 2024.

- You will use the <https://in.4honline.com> website to re-enroll. **Please make sure you use Firefox, Google Chrome, or Safari when utilizing 4HOnline!**
- **Current 4-H/Mini 4-H members must use the email and password that was used when you first created your family profile.** If you do not know what email you used, call our office and we will be glad to assist you.
- **4-H members, regardless of age, must enroll as "Youth".** This is true even for our older members who are, or may soon be, 18 years of age.

Please do not create a new profile!

- **Do NOT create a new Family Profile!** Creating a new profile will result in slowing your enrollment process. We must delete the second profile you created and you will then have to re-enroll under your established profile.
- **Do you need to add a family member to 4-HOnline? Be sure to add them to your current Family Profile. Do NOT create a new Family Profile!**

- **ALL 4-H members and Mini 4-H members, and Adult Volunteers MUST re-enroll each year!**



- **You can also follow us on Facebook at Shelby County, In 4-H** to keep up with the latest news.

- **Poinsettia sales have begun!** Proceeds benefit all 4-H programs. Orders will be filled on a first come-first served basis and may be called in to our office.

Plants come in red, white, pink, Shimmer Surprise and Ice Crystals and cost \$10 each. Plant pick up day is November 28th between 12 noon and 5 p.m. here at the extension office. See the order form on the back page.

- **Shooting Sports orientation meeting** will be held on December 5, 2023 in Brinson at 7 p.m. at the Family Arts Building on the Shelby County Fairgrounds. All members interested in the 2024 4-H Shooting Sports program are encouraged to attend with their parents.



4-H Livestock/Animal Exhibitors-

- **PLANNING AHEAD:** keep in mind enrollment of 4-H animals will again be done through the 4-HOnline website. The deadline is May 15. **All lease forms, auction forms and pen reservations are due May 15 as well!**



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4-H Open House!

Join us for our 4-H Open House on Sunday, November 5th from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. at the Shelby County Fairgrounds.

We will have pony rides, food, SNOWIE, hayrides, and outdoor games. This is a great opportunity to learn about 4-H, check out 4-H projects, meet other 4-H members, have fun and even join 4-H that night!

Join Us


*Members are encouraged to bring past 4-H projects to display at the Open House. This will help show others what all 4-H has to offer.

Junior Leaders will be collecting canned food items for donation for a local food pantry during this event.



4-H Open House

Food | Pony Rides | Games | Snowie | & More!

Junior Leaders will be collecting canned food items for donation for a local food pantry during this event.



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November

**Shelby County
Fairgrounds**

500 Frank St., Shelbyville, IN 46176

**Free
Entry**

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

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SHELBY COUNTY 4-H JUNIOR LEADER PROGRAM

What is the 4-H Junior Leader Program?

This program is designed for youth in grades 7-12 who would like to enhance their leadership skills and have FUN! It is a club as well as a project. Their meetings are on the third Wednesday of the month. They participate in various leadership and community service projects throughout the year. Interested and want to know more information? Ask a current junior leader or call the Purdue Extension Shelby County office at (317) 392-6460.



How do I join?

Simply enroll in Shelby County 4-H via 4Honline.com and add "Junior Leaders" as a project and if you would like for it to be your club, you can select Junior Leaders under the "Club" tab! We would LOVE for you to join the program!



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Shelby County 4-H Junior Leaders

The Shelby County 4-H Junior Leader Call-Out Party is for all 4-H members currently in grades 7-12!

Friday, October 20, 2023
6:00 - 9:00 p.m.

@ the Miller home
1311 E 950 S
Flatrock, IN 47234

Let us know what side dish you plan to bring here:



Please feel free to invite your friends who are not yet in 4-H...the more, the merrier!

YOU'RE INVITED TO THE

Junior Leader Call-Out Party

JOIN US AND BRING A FRIEND, PUMPKIN, AND YOUR FAVORITE SIDE DISH!

Food | Bonfire | Games | Caramel Apples | Pumpkin Painting | S'mores | & More!

6-9 PM
20 October 2023

1311 E 950 S
Flatrock, IN 47234

Bring your best pumpkin painting skills!

CALL US WITH ANY QUESTIONS!
317.392.6460

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Our Office will be closed on

October 9 for Columbus Day
Nov. 7 for General Election Day,
Nov. 10 for Veteran's Day & on
Nov. 23 & 24 for Thanksgiving





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Check out some of our upcoming programs/events!

Junior Leader Call-Out & Next Meeting

Calling all 7-12th graders! Come join the Shelby County Junior Leaders on Friday, October 20, 2023, from 6-9 p.m. for a bonfire, pumpkin painting, food, outdoor games, and to learn about Junior Leaders!

Next Meeting: November 15th
6:00 p.m. at the Extension Office

4-H Open House

Sunday, November 5, 2023

4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Shelby County Fairgrounds

Come join the fun! There will be food, SNOWIE, apple cider, hayrides, pony rides, and outdoor games!

November is a time of giving! Junior Leaders will be collecting canned food items to donate to a local food pantry during this time.

4-H Volunteer Training & Leader's Meeting

Saturday, October 28, 2023

9:00 a.m.

Shelby County Purdue Extension Office

4-H Scholarship Workshop

Tuesday, January 17, 2023

5:00 p.m.

Shelby County Purdue Extension Office

Shooting Sports Orientation Meeting

Tuesday, December 5, 2023

7:00 p.m.

Brinson Building at the Shelby County
Fairgrounds



Shelby County 4-H Advisory Council

Poinsettia Sale

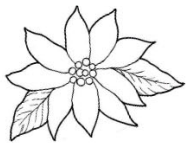
The Shelby County 4-H Advisory Council is selling Poinsettias for the holiday season. The proceeds from the sales will help support local 4-H programs. This year we are selling **five** different colors of poinsettias; red, white, pink, Ice Crystals and Shimmer Surprise.

The poinsettias are produced by Heartland Growers in Westfield, Indiana. Each plant is guaranteed to have at least 5 bloom stems and stand 14" to 16" tall. *The poinsettias sell for **\$10** each.*

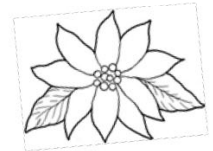
An order form is below. You may mail or drop off the order form at the Extension Office (or call the office at 317-392-6460 to place an order). **Quantities are limited! All orders will be first-come, first-served, so place your order as soon as possible.** Payment may be made with your order form upon submission or at the time of plant pick up.

Please don't miss this opportunity to support the Shelby County 4-H and provide a beautiful holiday decoration for your *home or business!* Feel free to share this with a friend, neighbor, church or favorite business.

Plant Pick up is November 28, 2023 from 12pm – 5pm at the Shelby County Purdue Extension Office, located at 20 W Polk Street, Suite 201 Shelbyville, IN 46176.



2023 Shelby County 4-H Poinsettia Sale



ORDER FORM

\$10 per plant

Name _____ Phone Number _____

Address _____

	Red	White	Pink	Ice Crystals	Shimmer Surprise
Number of Plants Ordered					

Total Number of Plants Ordered * \$10.00 = \$ _____ Total Due

Payment may be made with your order form upon submission or at the time of plant pick up.

Please make checks payable to: *Shelby County 4-H Advisory Council*

ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED

NONPROFIT ORG.
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SHELBYVILLE, INDIANA
PERMIT NO. 94

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Shelby County
20 W Polk Street Suite 201
Shelbyville IN 46176



Stay up to date!

Website: <https://extension.purdue.edu/county/shelby/index.html>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/shelbyco4h>

Phone: 317-392-6460



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2024 Shelby County Fair: June 10th - 15th

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