

# LaGrange County

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## 4-H NEWS!

### *October*

1: **4-H ONLINE OPENS!!!**

3: Volunteer 4-H Online Training/Meeting - 6:00 pm - Fairgrounds - Community Building

14: Columbus Day - Extension Office Closed

24: Enrollment Night - 6:00 pm - Fairgrounds - Community Building

### *November*

5: General Election Day - Extension Office Closed

11: Veteran's Day - Extension Office Closed

21: New Club/Project Leader Training - 6:00 pm - Fairgrounds - Community Building

28 & 29: Thanksgiving Break - Extension Office Closed

**29: ALL Livestock Rule Changes Due to the Extension Office**

### *December*

16: FairEntry Training for Volunteers - 6:00 pm - Fairgrounds - Community Building

19: STEAM Event - Candy, Candles & Cards - 5:30 pm - Fairgrounds - Community Building

24 & 25 - Christmas Break - Extension Office Closed

### *January - 2025-*

1: New Year's Day - Extension Office Closed

15: 4-H Enrollment Closes

28: STEAM Event - Woodworking - 5:30 pm - Fairgrounds - Community Building

### *February*

13: STEAM Event - Canvas Painting - 5:30 pm - Fairgrounds - Community Building

17: Quality Livestock Care - QLC - 10:00 am - Fairgrounds - Community Building

20: Quality Livestock Care - QLC - 5:30 pm - Fairgrounds - Community Building

### *March*

13: STEAM Event - Macramé - 5:30 pm - Fairgrounds - Community Building

17: Quality Livestock Care - QLC - 5:30 pm - Fairgrounds - Community Building

### *April*

4: Quality Livestock Care - QLC - 10:00 am - Fairgrounds - Community Building

8: Quality Livestock Care - QLC - 5:30 pm - Fairgrounds - Community Building

10: STEAM Event - Macramé - 5:30 pm - Fairgrounds - Community Building

20: Quality Livestock Care - QLC - 10:00 am - Fairgrounds - Community Building

### *May*

10: STEAM Event - Macramé - 5:30 pm - Fairgrounds - Community Building

### *June*

2-24: Fair Entry Enrollment

### *July*

5-12 - LaGrange County 4-H Fair



*And other Important Information!*



**4-H ONLINE ENROLLMENT  
FOR THE  
2025 LAGRANGE COUNTY FAIR  
OPENS  
OCTOBER 1, 2024**

**72<sup>nd</sup>  
LaGrange County  
4-H Fair  
July 5~12  
2025**



## **VOLUNTEER MEETING & TRAINING**



October 3, 2024  
6:00 pm  
Fairgrounds

Please plan to attend:  
We will be doing our 4-H Online Training and  
having a 2024 LaGrange County Fair recap discussion.

Enrollment night is open to everyone.

We'd love to have as many clubs and project leaders there as can attend to help answer questions about 4-H and all the incredible opportunities it has to offer! Plus we can help you get enrolled for the 2025 Fair Season. - Thursday, October 24, 2024 at 6:00 pm -

Hope to see you there!



# More Important Information



## LaGrange County Extension Board Youth Members!

Purdue Extension- LaGrange is looking for Sophomores who would like to serve on the Extension Board.

Members must be able to attend the majority of the Extension Board meetings/events and be able to give youth input to discussions!

If interested you can find the application here,  
<https://bit.ly/LaGrangeIN4H>

Purdue University is an equal opportunity/equal access/affirmative action institution.



## LaGrange County 4-H Junior Leaders

Junior Leaders are a group of teens **grades 6th and up** who participate in 4-H beyond the club level.

### What Junior Leaders do:

- Host Mini Camp
- Host Battle of the Barns
- Go on a Achievement Trip (2022 trip was to Cedar Point)
- Monthly Gatherings
- Christmas Party
- Plus other fun activities



### How to Join:

Sign up on 4-H Online and Attend the Meetings

For more information call the Extension office at 260-499-6334

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## 2025 STEAM EVENTS

Thursday, December 19 - Candy, Candles & Cards

Tuesday, January 28, 2025 - Woodworking

Thursday, February 13, 2025 - Canvas Painting

Thursday, March 13, 2025 - Macramé

Thursday, April 10, 2025 - Fish Dissection

Thursday, May 8, 2025 - Charcuterie Board

LaGrange County Fairgrounds - Community Building

5:30 pm

Be watching for registration details

# TOPS



## IN 4-H!

OPEN TO ANY  
10TH - 12TH GRADER IN THE  
2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR  
MORE INFORMATION TO COME!

## QLC DATES for 2025

- |                        |                       |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| • Feb 17 - 10:00 a.m.  | Feb 20 - 5:30 p.m.    |
| • March 17 - 5:30 p.m. | April 4 - 10:00 a.m.  |
| • April 8 - 5:30 p.m.  | April 11 - 10:00 a.m. |

Remember this is required to show an animal project at the 2025 LaGrange County 4-H Fair!

## Static

Aerospace - Paul Kapp  
Ag Tractor - David Perkins  
Arts & Crafts - Crystal Leu & Caitlin Tracey  
ATV - Travis Zook & Beth Hostetler  
Beekeeping - Vacant  
Cake Decorating - Hailey Wisler  
Cat - Katherine Park  
Child Development - Vacant  
Collections - Vacant  
Computer - Vacant  
Consumer Clothing - Jennifer Young  
Creative Writing & Reading - Theresa Noll  
Crops & Genealogy - Bryan McCoy  
Demonstrations, Public Speaking - Kurt Stump  
Dog - Sharrita Carpenter  
Electric - Vacant  
Entomology - Vacant  
Fashion Revue, Sewing - Jennifer Young  
Floriculture - Vacant  
Foods - Brenda Avery  
Forestry - Vacant  
Garden & Potato - Vacant  
Geology - Vacant  
Gift Wrapping - Vacant  
Home Environment - Vacant  
Horseless Horse - Connie Mireley  
Lawn & Garden Tractor - Derek Young  
Microwave - Cierra Young  
Photography - Corrina & Ben Beard  
Recycling - Kathy Hopper  
Scrapbook - Vacant  
Shooting Sports - Dennis Kratz &  
Russel & Shay Owsley  
Sport Fishing - Vacant  
Sports - Vacant  
Weather & Climate - Brent Gilliland  
Wildlife - Vacant  
Woodworking - Audrianna Sturm

## Livestock Committees

### Beef

Curtis Sherman  
Bret Howe  
Brain Gilliland  
Dr. Alex Hegg  
Chad Neff  
Erin Sherman

### Dairy

Theresa Noll  
Glenn Noll  
Brittany Eash  
Abby Lewis  
Mitch Perkins  
Kevin Eash

### Dairy Beef

Roy Howe  
Mark Howe  
Travis Zook  
Dereck Young  
Aaron Smith  
Toby Hayward

### Dairy Goat

Jeff Anders  
Robin Byler  
Nate Mauck  
Vicky Martin  
Cecilia Nuzum  
Kimberly Yoder

### Meat Goat

Glen Miller  
Tanner Miller  
Sheri Miller  
Catrina Miller

### Poultry

Joe Cassell  
Adam Young  
Misty Miller  
Kenneth Myers  
Krystel Bassett  
Melissa Raber

### Rabbit

Paige Courtright  
Lydia Allen  
Joshua Phillips  
Becky Courtright  
Adam Allen  
Pam Keeslar

### Sheep

Erin Sherman  
Jerald Mishler  
Kyle Gage  
Angie Neff  
Brandon Mauck  
Brandt Norberg

### Swine

Todd Bontreger  
Mylana Fought  
Kyle Sherman  
Paul Coffman  
Jim Mireley  
Brandon Howe

**Do you see a project you'd like to help with?**  
**We'd love to have you join our team of volunteers!**  
**Contact the office for more information .**