# 4-H Clubs in Steuben County - 2023-2024

Every 4-H Club is different, and we want you to find one that fits your interests and needs. Below is a list of our organized 4-H Clubs.

## 4-H Bit and Bridle (Horse & Pony)

Meets in Angola—Steuben Community Center, Angola, IN 46703 January-June; September-November, 1st Monday, 7 pm; 1/8, 2/5, 3/4, 4/8, 11/4 [May, June, September & October will be at the fairgrounds] Sara Smith 316-6393

### **4-H Explorers**

Meets in Angola—Steuben County Community Center, 317 S. Wayne St., Angola, IN 46703 January-June, 2nd Tuesday, 1:30-3 pm; 1/9, 2/13, 3/12, 4/9, 5/14, 6/11 Janna Duke 316-6572; Bethany Wright 815-592-7106

#### **Flint Arrows**

Meets north of Hudson—Salem Center Volunteer Fire Station, 8404 W. 500 S., Hudson, IN 46747 January-June, Sunday, 1 pm; 1/7, 2/4, 3/3, 4/14, 5/5, 6/9 Amelia Swander 260-316-7999

#### Fremont Ready, Willing and Able

Meets in Fremont—Perry Family Home, 315 E Feather Valley Rd, Fremont January-June, Sunday, 4 PM; 1/21, 2/25, no March mtg, 4/14, 5/19, 6/2 Alicia Perry 260-515-2595, Anna Creager 495-3525

# **Hamilton Fighting 4-Hers**

Historically met in Hamilton—Hamilton Town Hall, 900 S. Wayne St., Hamilton, IN 46742 No current club leaders... Call Tami to volunteer!

### **Lucky Ducks**

Meets in Angola—Steuben County Community Center, 317 S. Wayne St., Angola, IN 46703 November-June, 1st Tuesday, 6:30 pm; 11/7, 12/5, 1/2, 2/6, 3/5, 4/2, 5/7, 6/4 Amber Farnham 667-3586, Kayla Weible 667-8708

#### **Orland Creative Kids**

Meets at Orland Community Center – 9535 W St Rd 120, Orland January-June, January 14, then 1st Sunday of each month, 4-5 PM; 1/14, 2/4, 3/3, 4/7, 5/5, 6/2 Jennifer Holden 260-316-5662 Kim Gardner 260-316-1035

#### **Otsego Go-Getters**

Meets north of Ashley—Stoy Farms, 6517 S. 400 W., Ashley, IN 46705 January-June, 3rd Sunday, 4 pm; 1/21, 2/18, 3/17, 4/21, 5/19, 6/16, Potluck during fair Amanda Cline 316-5113, Melissa Budak 667-8050

## The Conquerors

Meets in Angola—Heifner's Home, 507 Fox Lake Rd., Angola, IN 46703

January-June, 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday (except May due to holiday), 3:30 pm; 1/14, 2/11, 3/10, 4/14, 5/19, 6/9 Mark & Rhonda Heifner 665-3348

## Tiny Clovers, Mini 4-H (Grades K-2 only)

Meets in Angola—Steuben County Community Center, 317 S. Wayne St., Angola, IN 46703 January-May, 4th Tuesday, 5:30-7 pm; 1/23, 2/27, 3/19 (moved due to Spring Break), 4/23, 5/28

# **Ways Parents Can Help**

- Help your child select one or more suitable 4-H Projects to complete. Support your child's 4-H project work.
- Make sure your child attends the 4-H Club meetings. Post and help your child use the club calendar. Provide
  or arrange for transportation. Club calendars are published in our newsletter. Attend at least three Club
  meetings (the first and two others) with your child.
- Help your child to complete any 4-H responsibilities he or she may have volunteered for, been elected to, or selected for.
- Help with at least one 4-H club activity during the 4-H year. Volunteer, don't wait to be asked.
- Read the newsletter, especially the calendar to be aware of dates important to your 4-Her.
- Help your child gather any materials needed for their project.
- Help your child complete one or more articles for exhibit and make sure he/she can exhibit them at the County 4-H Fair. Provide transportation and encouragement.
- Help your child complete, and turn in on time, 4-H project records.
- Help your child learn and grow, share experiences with your child, improve relationships with your child, make a
  contribution to youth in your community, and develop a sense of accomplishment.
- Be an example! Help your 4-Her to be a good sport, and appreciate the successes of others.
- Be a 4-H booster in the community. Support 4-H by sponsoring awards and the 4-H Fair Board.
- Help your 4-Her find a way to participate in special events that interest him/her such as county contests, camps,
   Fairs, displays, or shows.
- Support your local 4-H leaders. Get acquainted with them. Let them know you appreciate their efforts.
- Offer your services to assist the local program by talking with the Extension Educator. You have knowledge and skills that are needed in 4-H.
- Remember that the real object of 4-H is to develop your sons and daughters into finer citizens. The way they work on projects, participate in meetings, and conduct themselves at competitive events, etc., will help set work and character standards for the rest of their lives.