

# Clover Monthly April 2024

Sullivan County 4-H monthly communication for 4-H members, families, leaders, fair board, and council.

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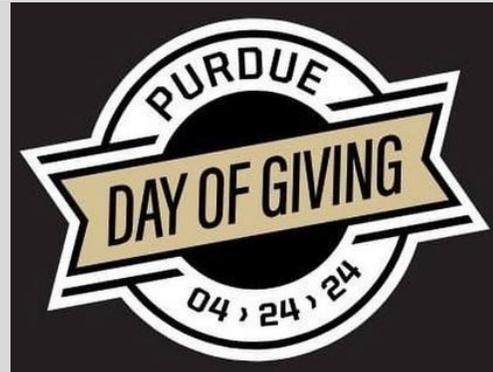
## Clover Extravaganza! Saturday, April 13 6-8 p.m. at 4-H Building

DJ music and games galore in the 4-H building for 4-Hers in grades 3-12. Don't miss this fun night with your friends and 4-H leaders! You might even walk away with a prize. Must be in 4-H to participate.

Great date night for mom and dad! Drop off your 4-Hers at 6:00 and pick them up at 8:00!

Hot dogs, chips and a drink provided by Dugger Lions Club!

Pre-registration is appreciated. Contact the Extension office at 812-268-4332 or [sullivances@purdue.edu](mailto:sullivances@purdue.edu) prior to the event to RSVP so we have enough food and supplies.



**You can help further the reach of Purdue Extension Sullivan County with a financial contribution.**

**Follow our social media on Wednesday, April 24, to give.**

100% of these funds come directly back to Sullivan County to support educational programming efforts.

Thank you for considering this.

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## You can still register for 4-H!

You can still sign up for 4-H! Go to [v2.4honline.com](http://v2.4honline.com) to register for 4-H and update volunteer status. Call the Extension office if you have questions: 812-268-4332.

To apply for financial assistance with the \$15 enrollment fee, contact Cheryl Casselman at [ccassel@purdue.edu](mailto:ccassel@purdue.edu) or 812-268-4332 and she'll be happy to guide you.

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## 4-H Fees

Regular 4-H state fee is \$15 per 4-Her. The maximum fee for families is \$45. I.e. families with more than three 4-Hers pay no more than \$45. There is no additional county 4-H fee for Sullivan County. There are no fees for Mini 4-Hers. Make checks payable to Purdue CES Ed Fund.

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## 4-H Adult Volunteers – Important!

Volunteers who have not enrolled or re-enroll in 4Honline must do so immediately. The online training (3 videos) will take no more than 45 minutes to complete. Go to [v2.4honline.com](http://v2.4honline.com) to re-enroll and complete annual training now. If you have questions or need computer access, please contact the Extension office at 812-268-4332. Thank you!

## Sheep and goat tag/weigh-in date

Sheep and goat tagging and weigh in will be Sunday, April 28, 2-4 pm.

County Tags—\$1.50

RFID Tag (required for state fair)—\$2.50

DNA Envelopes (required for state fair) due May 30 to state 4-H office.

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## Beef tag/weigh-in date

Beef tag day will be April 10, 3:00-5 pm at the beef barn. Steers and commercial heifers are required to be tagged.

County Tags—\$1.50

RFID Tag (required for state fair)—\$2.50

DNA Envelopes (required for state fair) due May 30 to state 4-H office.

**Reminder— county ID tags for goats, sheep, and beef must be purchased on the day of tagging and cannot be purchased in the office after tag day. RFID tags will continue to be sold after weigh in.**

Please reach out to the Extension office or your superintendent if you have questions.

Extension office can be contacted by phone at 812-268-4332, or email [crossk@purdue.edu](mailto:crossk@purdue.edu)

Beef Superintendent: Adam and Adair Everhart – 317-508-1712

Sheep Superintendent: Levi Baker – 812-249-2261

Goat Superintendent: Ann Case – 812-249-6292

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## INDIANA 4-H QUALITY LIVESTOCK CARE

To exhibit **BEEF CATTLE, DAIRY CATTLE, SWINE, SHEEP, MEAT GOATS, DAIRY GOATS, POULTRY, and RABBITS**, 4-H members must be certified through the Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care training OR the online Youth for the Quality Care of Animals program (YQCA). This certification must be done on an annual basis. Members must be registered BEFORE attending a training. Members may attend any training dates listed OR a training in another county OR complete the online YQCA training.

Monday, 4/15/24 5:30 pm Sullivan County 4-H Fairgrounds

Monday, 5/20/24 4:30 pm Sullivan County 4-H Fairgrounds

Wednesday, 6/5/24 1:00 pm Sullivan County 4-H Fairgrounds

Register for classes on events at [www.v2.4honline.com](http://www.v2.4honline.com). Cost is \$3 at the door.

Those planning to be certified through the YQCA program will register at [www.yqcaprogram.org](http://www.yqcaprogram.org) and will present their completion certificate to their 4-H Educator.

## Flower fundraiser

Flower orders are due to club leaders no later than April 15, or the deadline your leader has provided. Flower pick-up will be April 25 at the fairgrounds from 4 to 7 pm. This fundraiser helps pay for Sullivan County 4-H trips, scholarships, activities and events throughout the year. Mini 4-Hers do not participate in this fundraiser.

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## 4-H Blacksmithing Schedule

April 1 (Monday) 5:00-8:00  
April 15 (Monday) 5:00-8:00  
April 29 (Monday) 5:00-8:00  
May 6 (Monday) 5:00-8:00  
May 20 (Monday) 5:00-8:00  
June 3 (Monday) 5:00-8:00 (Last workshop before the fair!)

Please note: all meetings will be held at Bob Hunley's blacksmith shop unless specified otherwise. The address is 258 N. Co Rd. 800 E., Sullivan, IN 47882, (North of Dugger).

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## 4-H Academy @ Purdue University June 12-14, 2024



Cyber Security

At 4-H Academy, high school students visit Purdue University to interact with faculty and industry professionals and meet new friends from across Indiana.

Personal Finance



Digital Agriculture

Contact your county's Purdue Extension 4-H Educator before May 15 to register.

Intro to EMS

Food Science

Investigating Forensic Science

To learn more, visit [bit.ly/in4hacademy](https://bit.ly/in4hacademy)



...and more!





The 104th state 4-H Round-Up is June 24-26 for youth who have completed grades 7, 8 or 9.

It's three days of fun and learning with activities focusing on discovering and being yourself.

The conference will help you learn about career and educational opportunities, develop leadership abilities and stimulate individual growth.

State 4-H Youth Round-Up is a great place to develop valuable skills, make new friends, see top-notch 4-H entertainers and more.

You'll live and learn in Purdue University residence halls and classrooms and enjoy a wide array of opportunities across campus.

You can choose from a wide range of action-packed Career Exploration Day classes offered by various schools of study at Purdue and from different organizations within the community.

#### **WHY ATTEND 4-H ROUND-UP?**

One of the main reasons for attending 4-H Round-Up is to have fun! But keep in mind that other objectives for Round-Up are to:

- learn new ideas and techniques;
- experience in-depth "action learning" in specific interest areas;
- develop leadership abilities and stimulate individual growth;
- have enjoyable experiences by participating in leisure activities and meeting new people.

Registration is to be completed through [v2.4honline.com](http://v2.4honline.com) by May 15. Cost is \$250 and Sullivan County 4-H Council pays half. Contact your county Purdue Extension office indicating interest in participating so they can provide 4-H Online registration instructions.

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## **4-H Dog project**

Monday, April 29, at 5 p.m. will be an informational meeting (no dogs) in the 4-H building at the Sullivan County 4-H Fairgrounds. Dog workshops will be every Monday after that at 5 p.m. in the show arena at the Sullivan County 4-H Fairgrounds.

Dog Project Superintendent Jill Snyder , 812-798-0554

# 2024 4-H Club Meeting Schedules

## Curry Nomads

Club Leaders:

Corrina Houser 812-607-0880

Kailee Cloutier 812-240-5759

All meetings are at Shelburn American Legion (824 N Washington St, Shelburn) 6-7:30pm

April 9 & 25

May 7 & 23

June 2 & 20

July 2 & 20

October 19

## Gill Go-Getters

Club Leaders:

Melissa Stearley: 812-454-3518

Donna Brooks: 812-564-0174

April 1

May 13

June 3

July 1

Meetings are at the 4-H Building in New Lebanon at 6 pm.

## Grand Champion Sycamores

Club Leader:

Kennedy Gofourth 812-239-0056

Club meetings will be the last Thursday of every month at 6 pm in the 4-H Building unless otherwise stated on the club Facebook page.

April 25

May 30

June 27

## Super Champs

Club Leader: Pam Irvin 812-564-0113

Meetings are 7-8 pm at the 4-H Building

April 10

June 10

May 13

July 1

## Cass Champs

Club Leaders:

Patti Brenden 812-699-9912

Kerri Shreve 812-665-9316

Meetings are at 6:30 pm

April 10: outside in the gazebo near Dugger Community building (building being renovated)

May 1: Dugger Community building

## Haddon Blue Ribbon Hustlers

Club Leaders:

Shane Monroe: 812-691-0698

Trisha Deckard: 81-249-0488

Rick Monroe: 812-691-0821

Meetings are 7pm at the Carlisle Community Building

April 24

June 18

May 21

July 9

## Old Oak/Old Hickory

Club Leaders:

Ashley Hauser 812-239-4576

Christy Scott 812-244-9709

All meetings are 6-7pm at the Hymera Ruritan

Apr. 4

May 2

June 6

July 1

## Turman Lads and Lassies

Club Leaders:

Robin Rice 765-366-6842

Ann Hitt 812-890-6169

Sunday 4/14 3:00 @ the church in Graysville

Wednesday 5/15 6:00 pm @ the church in Graysville

Sunday 6/9 3:00 @ the church in Graysville

Sunday 6/30 3:00 @ the church in Graysville

## Mini 4-H

Club Leaders: Carie Baker & Ashlee Myers

April 24 from 6-7 pm at 4-H Building





## **Congratulations Sullivan County 4-H Hippiology Members & Leaders!**

Sullivan County 4-H Hippiology members competed in the state Horse Bowl and Hippiology Career Development Event on Saturday, March 23, at Purdue University.

Hippiology Jr team placed 2nd overall (Graham Rockwood, Willow Johnson, Millie Rockwood, Lainey Lighthizer) with Willow Johnson placing 2nd and Millie Rockwood placing 6th individually.

Jr Horse Bowl placed 3rd (Brynlee Fagan, Simon Holmes, Willow Johnson, Millie Rockwood, Lainey Lighthizer)

Intermediate Horse Bowl placed 5th (Graham Rockwood, Kyndall Cary, Isabella Potts, David Granby)

Thank you to volunteer leaders Missy Holmes and Scott Monroe for sharing your time and talents.

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## **Important dates**

Beef weigh-in and tag day: April 10, 3-5 in the beef barn

Clover Extravaganza, April 13, 6-8 pm at 4-H Building (formerly called Fun Night)

Performing Arts Contest, April 18, 6:30 p.m., at Crossroads Community Church

Purdue Day of Giving, April 24. See link on Facebook to give to Sullivan Co Extension programs

4-H Council flower sale pick up: April 25, 4-7pm at 4-H exhibit building

Sheep and goat tag day: April 28, 2-4 pm

Safe Sitter, May 30, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., at Sullivan County Community Hospital

Add/drop 4-H project deadline: May 15

Animal ID deadline: May 15

4-H Band state event: June 22-24, 2024. Registration deadline May 1

4-H Chorus state event: June 22-24, 2024. Registration deadline May 1

4-H Camp: June 9-13, 2024 at Shakamak State Park

Academy: June 12-14, 2024 at Purdue. Registration deadline May 15

4-H Round-Up: June 24-26, 2024 at Purdue. Registration deadline June 1

Sullivan County Fair: July 13-20, 2024

State Fair: Aug. 2-18, 2024

Indiana 4-H Leadership Summit: Oct 21, 2024



**Sullivan County 4-H  
Performing Arts Contest**  
April 18, 2024 at 6:30 p.m.  
Crossroads Community Church  
2 South Court St, Sullivan



- \_\_\_\_\_ **Curtain Act – Musical** (1-4 performers with a 3-5-minute instrumental or vocal performance)
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Curtain Act - Non-Musical** (1-4 performers with a 3-5-minute act. Skits, gymnastics, reading, cheerleading, lip sync, juggling, puppetry & dance)
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Group Act** (5+ performers of skits, sketches, choral numbers, dance, lip sync, or any new & exciting group version of a non-musical curtain act. 5-8 minutes)
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Virtual** Check here if you are choosing to perform virtually. It will be a live virtual performance (not pre-recorded). I understand someone will be in contact with me about the process.

Person in charge of group \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

4-H Club Name \_\_\_\_\_

Tell us a little about the act. How would you like to be introduced?

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Is a piano needed? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Other items needed \_\_\_\_\_

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**\*\*Submit this form by 4 p.m. Friday, April 12, 2024** at the Extension Office or email [ccassel@purdue.edu](mailto:ccassel@purdue.edu). For additional info, please call the Extension Office at 812-268-4332.

If you need accommodations to attend this program, please indicate on the registration form, or contact Cheryl Casselman prior to the event at 812-268-4332 or [ccassel@purdue.edu](mailto:ccassel@purdue.edu) by noon on April 12, 2024. Purdue University is an equal opportunity/equal access/affirmative action university.



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## What is an Indiana 4-H Broadband Influencer?

1

Checks your internet speed

[pcrd.purdue.edu/speedtest](http://pcrd.purdue.edu/speedtest)



2

Validates it on the FCC website

[broadbandmap.fcc.gov](http://broadbandmap.fcc.gov)

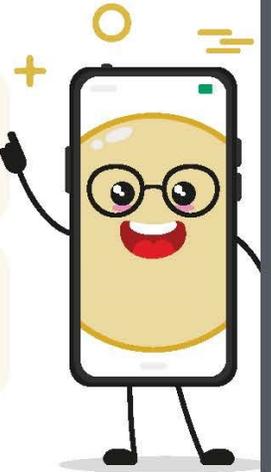


3

Share what they've done with others

4

Reports work in the Broadband Influencers event in 4-H Online



Once you have completed all 4, you will receive your Broadband Influencer Pin and be eligible to win an iPad\*!

## Why should I be an Indiana 4-H Broadband Influencer?

There are a lot of different ways to connect to the internet. Some of them are *very* fast, and some of them are *very* slow. We would like everyone in the state of Indiana to be able to use the internet at fast speeds. While it might help you play games and watch videos more easily, it also can help people who are looking for jobs or trying to communicate, do business, or do schoolwork.

The FCC, or Federal Communication Commission, can't help everyone get fast internet unless they know all the places the internet is installed and how fast it is in each location.

## I have more questions!



For more information contact your county extension 4-H educator OR email:

[state4hleader@purdue.edu](mailto:state4hleader@purdue.edu)



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\*Indiana 4-H Broadband Influencers will be asked to write a short essay about their experience. The Broadband Influencer Program is a Purdue Broadband Team initiative.

# 10 Year 4-H Member Fun Facts

## Hallie Morris



Parents: Travis & Kristy Hennecke

Siblings: Carter Hennecke, Emma Hennecke

Pets: Cat named Basil

4-H Club: Old Oak-Old Hickory

College you want/will go to? Ivy Tech

Future job: Radiology Tech

Cats or dogs? Cats

Favorite candy: Chocolate Covered Almonds

Favorite 4-H project: Cupcakes

Your disaster (worst experience) project: Cupcakes. When my cupcakes were on the counter the Lab we had jumped up and ate them all.

Most fun 4-H memory: Helping my sister with her pigs.

Best advice for first year members: Don't be scared

Why do you love 4-H? It gave me a chance to try something new.

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## Caroline Page

Parents: Travis and Jan Page

Siblings: Jackson Page

Pets: Dog, Ollie

4-H Club: Hadden Blue Ribbon Hustlers

College you want/will go to? University of Kentucky

Future job: Nurse

Favorite candy: Nerd Clusters

Favorite 4-H project: Goats

Your disaster (worst experience) project: Cupcake decorating

Most fun 4-H memory: Being crowned as Miss Sullivan County

Best advice for first year members: I would encourage all 4-H members to take advantage of all the opportunities 4-H has to offer.

Why do you love 4-H? I love 4-H because it allows me to get out of my comfort zone and try new things!

